



August 8, 2010

Classes 9:00 AM  
Worship Assembly 10 AM

CALENDAR

Today

*Life is Good Summer Series*  
*Men's Class – Auditorium*  
*Women's Class – Multipurpose Room*  
*Summer on the Rock – Nichols Bldg*

THIS WEEK

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| Monday    | Food Bank – Workers Needed at 7:30 AM<br>And 4:30 PM |
| Wednesday | All-Church Fish Fry 6:30 PM                          |
| Wednesday | Mundo de Fe 6-8 PM Worship Center                    |
| Thursday  | Men's Basketball 6-8 PM Gym                          |

**Nursery and Children's Church**

During the Worship Assembly, LRC has nurseries available for children ages birth – two years of age down the Preschool Ministry hallway. During the worship assembly, children ages 3-PreKindergarten will be dismissed to Children's Church.

**Elder Prayer Time**

Our elders meet to pray every Sunday morning during the 9:00 AM class period. The elders would like to remind everyone they are always available during this time period for anyone who desires prayers.

**Supplies Still Needed for Dodd Elementary**

|                              | Needed   | Given |
|------------------------------|----------|-------|
| Wide Rule Notebook paper     | 300 pkg  | 170   |
| 3 Ring Binders               | 300      | 43    |
| Fine Point Dry Erase Markers | 300      | 40    |
| White Copy Paper             | 30 boxes | 15    |

Most of the items on the list from Dodd have now been completed. The items listed above are all we still need to complete their request. Please help us finish strong.

**Foundations Class**

Foundations Class will be held today at 9:00 AM. We host Foundations Class to share important information about LRC for those considering LRC as a church home. The class will meet in one of the classrooms on the west side of the auditorium.

**All-Church Fellowship – August 11**

An all-church fish fry is planned Wednesday, August 11, at 6:30 PM. Come out and enjoy fried catfish and fixin's and a great time together. Please bring \$5 per person with children under 5 years of age free. We will also have information available about construction plans for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor in the Nichols Building. We will also honor Mike and Jeannie Cagle as they transition to Nashville, TN.

**Moms in the Morning**

**Moms in the Morning** is scheduled for Thursday, August 12, 9:30-11:30 at the home of Nancy Chandler. Please call the office by Monday, August 9 to get on the list for babysitting.

**Rice Bowl Ministry**

Return your Rice Bowls by Sunday, August 29! hopefully, full of money! \$114.65 has been collected so far.

**Service Opportunities**

Little Rock Church will have two opportunities in August to serve our community at David O. Dodd Elementary School, 6423 Stagecoach Road:

**Back to School Bash – August 14**

Our LRC Student ministry is helping with the back-to-school bash at David O. Dodd Elementary on August 14 from 10 AM-2 PM. We will also need five adult volunteers to assist.

**Work Day – August 28**

LRC will also participate in a Season of Service with Sharefest at a work day at David O. Dodd. Primary duties include painting and landscaping. Please plan some time to help and be a blessing to our neighbors.

**LRC Ladies Mark Your Calendars**

A Beth Moore Simulcast is scheduled on Saturday, September 18, 8:30-4:00 PM. Cost is \$20 and includes a box lunch. More information will be available soon.

**House Church Leaders Meeting Sunday, August 15**

LRC will have a House Church Leaders meeting after the morning worship assembly on Sunday, August 15. Lunch and childcare will be provided.

**Life is Good T Shirts**

If you ordered a t shirt, they are on the table at the back of the auditorium marked with your name on them. Please put \$10 per shirt in the box if you have not paid yet.

Also, if you have not ordered a shirt, there are a few available on the table. Please leave \$10 in the box if you would like one.

**Help Needed**

If you have portable sewing machine and would not mind lending it out for a couple of days, please bring it to the building Sunday. We need a couple to sew some curtains for use in the Children's Ministry area.

Little Rock Church Purposes:



Worship



Community



Outreach



Spiritual Formation

August 1, 2010

Dear Little Rock Church Family,

I want to share several things regarding our life together here at Little LRC:

**Summer on the Rock “Life is Good.”** I hope you are enjoying the summer theme! It has gone by so fast. I am so thankful to all the people that made Summer on the Rock a big success again this year. We still have five weeks left, so there is much more fun ahead! Please continue to bring your kids to the gym at 9 AM for a great experience.

**Church Planting Sermons on Sunday, August 8 and August 15:** We will have a couple of guest speakers on the topic of church planting. Jeff Medders will bring us an update of Gateway Church on August 8 and Phil Claycomb, Director of Nexus Church Planting ministry will speak on Sunday, August 15. Our plans to plant a second church in the Cabot area have developed over the summer months. I will share more with you the next time I preach.

**Nichols Building Expansion Planned:** The LRC leader team is asking your help as we begin the process of fundraising to build phase one of the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor of the Nichols Ministry Building. I am including a map which shows phase one outlined in red. We will begin fundraising this fall with a special collection on Sunday, October 3 to fund the construction. Details about building costs are also included in the enclosed flyer. Phase one includes four classrooms, an elevator, and the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor hallway wall. We will have more information available during the All Church Fellowship on August 11.

**All-Church Fellowship:** Our Church will gather on Wednesday, August 11 at 6:30 PM for a fellowship meal in the Nichols Ministry Building. Dave Garner and the crew will be frying catfish and all the fixings for the low price of \$5.00 for everyone five and older. We will also give informational tours of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor of the Nichols Ministry Building with information about our phase one plans to complete that area.

**Fall Classes:** During the fall semester, children’s classes from Kindergarten through the 6<sup>th</sup> grade will be meeting on the gym floor in a special area similar to Summer on the Rock. The adult classes will meet in the rooms around the worship center in the main building. We will have more information soon so stay tuned!

**House Churches:** As we enter into August, please resume a regular meeting schedule by the 3<sup>rd</sup> week of August when the school year begins. We also have a house church leaders meeting on Sunday, August 15.

**Elder Reaffirmation/Affirmation Scheduled for the Fall:** Please don’t forget that we have a three-year cycle to affirm or reaffirm elders. This process will begin with a sermon on Sunday, August 29. The process will be complete by the end of October. Please begin praying about this important area of our family life.

**Associate Minister Transition:** We continue to pray for Mike and Jeannie Cagle as they begin their transition to the Nashville, TN area. We are pleased to announce that we have secured the services of Ron Cook to work part-time for six months in key areas of ministry that are covered by the Associate Minister. Ron and Ann are new to our church family, but I have known them for some time. Our plans are to begin a search in early 2011.

In Christ,

Lynn



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## Summer 2010 Video

If you would like a copy of the summer 2010 video shown last Wednesday, please let the church office know. We'll make sure you get one.

## Refuge

Refuge resumes Wednesday, August 25. Dinner is provided from 6:15-6:45 PM for \$3 per person. Refuge is from 6:45-8:15 PM and includes worship and small groups. We will begin the year with a 7-9<sup>th</sup> grade small group led by Russ and Sue White and Dennis Bradley, and a 10-12<sup>th</sup> grade group led by Chad Nall and Linda Murphy.

## One body. One Movement. One Festival

August 29, 6 PM, students in grades 7-12 will come together for a night of worship and prayer kicking off a season of ministry and prayer. This season of season of service will end with an all-day event for students at Riverfront Park on Saturday, October 2.

## Back-to-School Bash

LRC is partnering with several churches to host a back-to-school bash at David O'Dodd Elementary this Saturday, August 14. 7-12<sup>th</sup> graders are needed for face painting, watching inflatables, and to serve food from 10 AM-2 PM. This event is one of the many ways LRC serves this school.

## Best Friends Retreat

Best Friends Retreat is an annual retreat for students in grades 7-12 at Camp Tahkodah the weekend of September 24-26. It includes youth groups from LRC, Crosswalk Family of God, National Park Church, Chenal Valley Church, Gateway Church, New Bethel Church of Christ and University Church of Christ. Information sheets are available on the table at the back of the auditorium. Registration deadline is September 12.

## Calendar

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| Aug 14    | Back-to-school bash                  |
| Aug 25    | Refuge resumes                       |
| Aug 29    | One kick-off at Church at Rock Creek |
| Sep 12    | Pinnacle Mountain cookout            |
|           | BFR registration deadline            |
| Sep 24-26 | Best Friends Retreat                 |

*Calling 7-12<sup>th</sup> graders to become more like Jesus for the sake of others.*



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Rice Bowls is a ministry that partners with several orphanages throughout the world providing food for children. They do this mainly by working with churches to raise funds to send money to various orphanages in countries like India, Africa and Haiti. Approximately \$30 provides food for one child for a month.

Children continue to collect change for this ministry. They are doing a terrific job having collected \$114.65 so far. Keep it up. Bring your rice bowl to Summer on the Rock when it is filled. We'll empty it and give it back to you. The Rice Bowl project will end, Sunday, August 29.

*Leading the next generation to become fully-devoted followers of Jesus.*

# Prayer List



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| <b>Home Away from Home Patients</b>  | <b>Cabot Church Plant</b>  |
| Chris Parker, Thelma Crabb, Glenn Ainsworth, Mitch Jarvis, Mike Murray, John Maimone, Judy Kinberger, Gerald Gordon, Paul Gilmer, Paula Gilmer, Teresa Atkins, John Williams, Lee Hambleton, Eloise Hinton, Pearl McCoy, and Howard Wrubel | Please pray for plans to come together for this project.   |
| <b>Vipin Nischal</b>   | <b>Mike Harmon</b>   |
| Please continue to pray for Vipin's mother who is ill with cancer. Vipin and his family are in India visiting with her at this time.   | Please continue to pray for Mike.  |
| <b>Bernie and Hilda Lasiter</b>  | <b>Jarrold Vaughan</b>   |
| Bernie and Hilda were injured in falls at their home last weekend. Hilda suffered two breaks in her upper right arm and Bernie broke his right wrist.  | Jarrold is now stationed at Fort Gordon, GA. His mailing address is: PVT. VAUGHAN, JARROD B CO 55 1 <sup>ST</sup> SIG BN FT GORDON, GA 30905 |
| <b>Nancy Chandler</b>  | <b>Doug Hoffman</b>  |
| Please continue to pray for Nancy and her family.  | Doug is recovering at home now. His address is 5 Floral Lane, North Little Rock, AR 72118.   |
| <b>Elder Affirmation</b>   | <b>Linda Miller</b>  |
| September – October will be elder affirmation/reaffirmation time at LRC. Please be in prayer for the process.  | Linda is recovering from knee surgery.   |
| <b>Eva Combs</b>   |  |
| Mrs. Combs had surgery and will be recovering in the hospital in Houston for a few days.   |  |

## Serving in the Family

| <b>Serving in the Nursery<br/>(See Krissi Fry for assistance)</b>                 | <b>Serving on the Playground &amp; Gym</b>  | <b>Serving &amp; Preparing Communion</b> |
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| <u>Today:</u> Infant - Tamara Zinck<br>18-36 Months Bethany Aven & Madhu Nelaturi | <u>Today:</u> Sid and Beth Moore            | <u>Serving in August:</u> Goad/Moore HC  |
| Next Sunday - Adrienne Meachum, Michelle Cook, & Tracy Vaughan                    | <u>Next Sunday :</u> Doug & Stephanie Ehorn | <u>Preparing in August:</u> Welsh Family |

Dear Regina and Little Rock Church,

Thank you so much for providing us an affordable housing option. We have been very stressed financially by this illness And the multiple trips to Little Rock.

We so appreciate the homemade and delicious casserole and the beautiful prayer shawl and the bag of treats, reading material, and the kindness and compassion shown us, above all.

The apartment was very comfortable and “homey” as promised. Thank you so much for continuing this ministry.

May God bless you all always,

Shirley Pike