



Doves Weekly Prayer

"In his sermon a couple of weeks ago, Dan challenged all of us to grow spiritually and to pray for five persons/families and to let them know by card, phone call, etc. Responding to this the Doves Covenant Group will be praying each Wednesday for 8/9 persons/families. Each week the "Messenger" will list who is being prayed for the following Wednesday."

Prayers offered for the following on Wednesday, October 24:

Gayla Armstrong & Family Julia 'Ann Ashcraft Bea Axe Michael & Janis Armstrong April Aston James Axe Mitchell & Cathy Armstrong Harry & Pat Aston Lisa Baker

THIS WEEK'S SERMON

Scripture: Job 38:1-7 Sermon: "The More You Know" Preacher: Rev. Allison Ray

In this week's scripture, God is responding to Job's questions concerning the troubles Job has been facing. A few chapters back, Job ponders why his life has so quickly fallen apart. He asks if he has been unkind to his servants, if he has overlooked the poor, if he has been false in some way. In response, God asks Job why Job even asks these questions. What does Job know of the workings of God? Was Job there in the beginning when God created the world? Job tries to fit God into a box, into Job's understanding of who God should be. God reminds Job that there is no box big enough for God to fit in. There is always more to know.

Happy Birthday

to those who have birthdays in October

20th Martha Barger 20th Gayla Armstrong 20th Bob Dowell 20th Bobbie Barger 22nd Travis Brock 22nd Sheri Yochum 22nd Jerry Rowell 23rd Shay Houston 23rd Quentin Scruggs 24th Michael Whalin Jr.





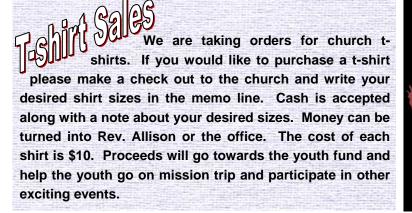
A TRIP TO SCOTLAND & ENGLAND

There are 33 people planning to make the trip! We need 42-48 for this trip to make however. If you are interested, contact Stan McGill at: <u>stan-</u>mcgill@tx.rr.com

Deadline for trip to confirm is November 1. This will be a very

exciting adventure for our church. We hope you can join us! You do NOT have to be a member of the choir to go. Email Stan for an itinerary.

JULY 11-20, 2013 10 DAYS.....8 NIGHTS SCOTLAND & ENGLAND \$3,000







Sunday, October 21st Snack supper 5 to 5:30pm \$3 donation

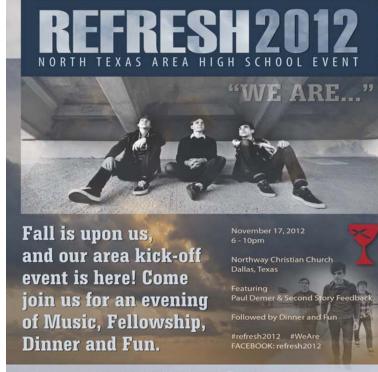
Children's Choir 4pm

CYF, JYF, PYF & Chi Rho 5-7pm

CYF & College Bible Study 6pm on Wednesday nights

Fall Festival, October 28th We are seeking Candy donations for this event. Boxes are in FH





Early Registration \$8 by October 26th. or \$10 at the Door. Mail Checks to North Texas Area Office marked "Refresh 2012"



In the coming months, our contemporary service is going to be working towards a new style for worship. We are going to blend what we have been doing with what is called alternative or emerging worship. This new style is a way to include multiple learning styles in worship. Within worship, we are going to work to include ancient Christian practices as

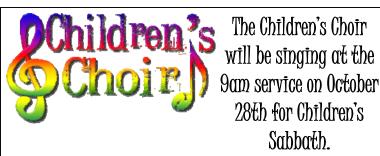
well as new ways to worship God. There will possibly also be times in which we invite outside artists, singers, and speakers into our service to help us understand different aspects of God. We are going to form four worship teams who will be responsible for organizing and leading our worship one Sunday a month. These teams will work with Rev. Allison to craft a service around the Scripture Rev. Dan is preaching. It is our hope that this service grows in new ways to continue enriching the lives of those who attend.

Dead Sea Scroll Exhibit



A group from FCCG will travel to Ft. Worth to see the Dead Sea

Scroll Exhibit on October 20th. A bus will leave the church at 2pm and tickets are \$28 and can be purchased at the exhibit.



They will sing *"God is Love"*



We welcome Syd McConnell who joined our church on October 14th by reaffirmation of faith. We also welcome back Bobbie Barger who came forward and reaffirmed her Christian Faith.

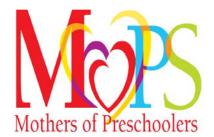
Pledged Offering Recap

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Ì	10/14/2012	YTD
Budgeted	\$9,280	\$389,743
Received	\$7,560	\$365,771
Overage/ (Shortage)	(\$1,719)	(\$23,972)

PRAYERS, JOYS, & CONCERNS... FOR THE FOLLOWING:



October 28th 5-8pm



JERI HARRISON

Will Meet October 28th 5Pm to 7Pm



Will take place at First Christian Church on Saturday, November 10th from 9am-3pm.

Vendors will be displaying their assortment of crafts.

Holiday items Knit and Hand-Sewn items Handcrafted Items Vintage Items Handmade jewelry Scentsy

There will be door prizes, concessions and admission is FREE

