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Victory Road Newsletter

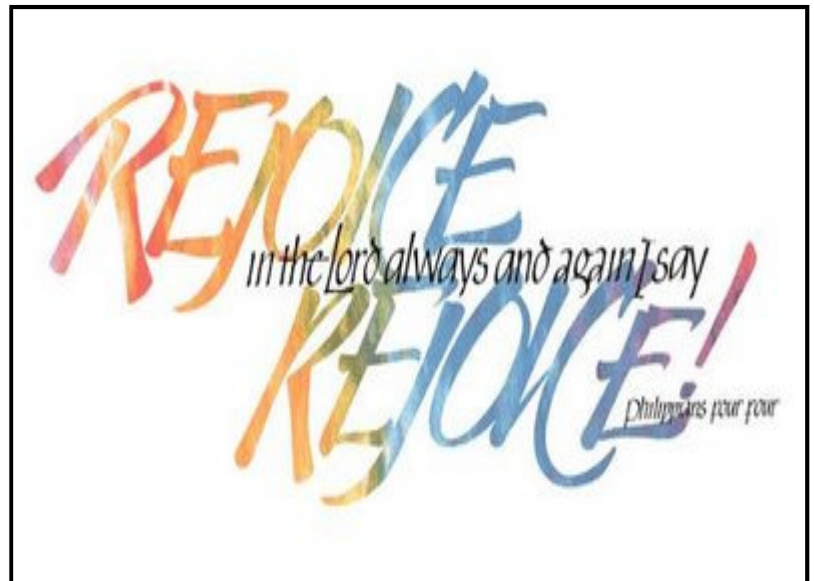
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Our preacher search journey is nearing an end. God has provided two excellent candidates for us to choose from. Soon, we will be able to worship and rejoice with our new preacher. God is so good!

Rejoice in the spirit, growth and unity among the brethren here. We have recently had two baptisms. Joseph was moved to attend our worship and asked to put on the Lord in baptism. Young Samuel knew he needed to choose to obey the gospel and did so on September 29. It is so awesome and inspiring to see our fellow brothers and sisters take this step in beginning their walk of faith.

God has great things planned for our congregation.



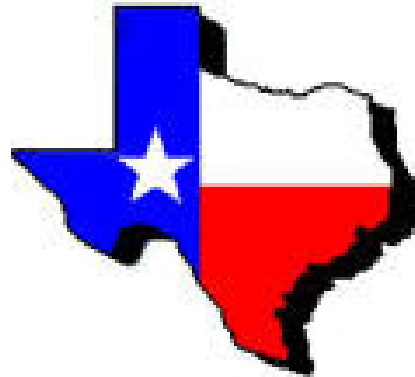
In Christian love,

Nancy

⁴ Rejoice in the Lord always. I will say it again: Rejoice! ⁵ Let your gentleness be evident to all. The Lord is near. ⁶ Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. ⁷ And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.
Philippians 4: 4-7

Farewell BBQ for Arnold & Nancy

Arnold & Nancy will soon be leaving us for their new home in Texas. We are happy for them that they will now be much closer to their children and grandchildren. They have been loyal servants for this congregation and their presence will surely be missed among our Victory Road family.

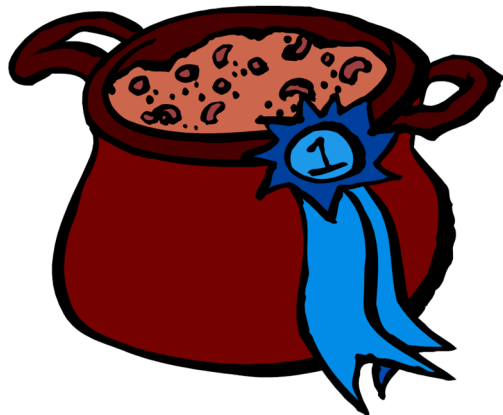


Please join us on October 18 following morning worship for a farewell BBQ meal in their honor. Erma and Mercy have the meal all planned. Please enjoy fellowship with the Jarratt's and wish them well on their new adventure. It is not goodbye, only farewell until we meet again!

The challenge is on! Who will earn the title of Victory Road Chili Champion???

It's Chili time!

Bob and Nancy are having a chili cook-off! Come to their home on November 7 and bring your best pot of chili. Sample all the delicious chili and vote for a winner. Everyone welcome! There will be prizes for the best chili.



No need to participate in the chili cook-off if you choose not to. There will be plenty for everyone. Just bring your chili testing taste buds and you are welcome to bring a side dish, appetizer or dessert. Come hungry and come for the fun and fellowship!

We will begin at 5:30 PM. Please see Nancy or Bob if you have any questions.

Food Pantry

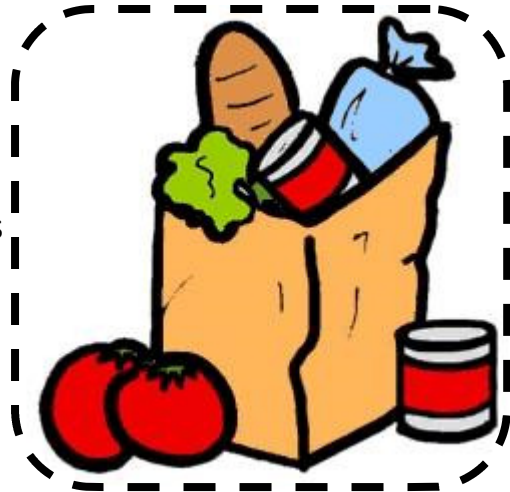
Our food pantry is available to those that need food. Soon, we will begin to gather needed items for holiday food baskets.

Our current needs are: canned carrots, canned potatoes, ravioli, and all kinds of fruit. Cans with a pop-top are preferred.

Rosely does a great job at keeping it organized and letting us know what is needed. If you remove some items from the pantry, please let Rosely know so that she can restock as necessary. Please watch the bulletins for requests for needed items.

For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you invited me in,

Matthew 25: 35



Tickled Pink



Please come and celebrate with Jennifer. Her baby shower will be on Saturday, October 24 in the fellowship hall from 2-4 PM.

Jennifer is registered at Babies R Us.

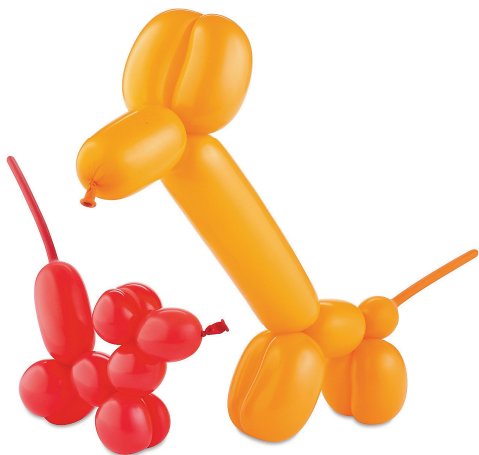
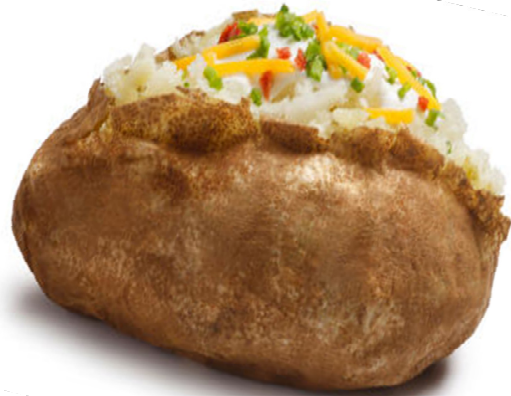
Grandma Marie asked that you bring a children's book with a personal note inside in lieu of a card.

Wednesday Night Bible Class

On Wednesday nights, we have an ever-growing crowd of kids enjoying a meal together at 6:30. At seven pm, we break into two classes, with the older students learning about stories from the first part of the book of Acts.

On Saturday, September 19th, the youth of the congregation had a "Youth Fun Day" here at the building. Over 15 kids joined in the fun! Lunch was a potato bar and all the fixings, and after lunch there were lots of songs and a devo led by Rick.

After the devotional, everyone separated into groups to do crafts and fun sports challenges. They decorated t-shirts, learned to make balloon animals and flowers, and competed with each other in hula hoop and jump rope contests! They also watched a special video made of photos over the years.



The "Fun Day" was originally Sarah's idea, and it became a going-away party for her as well. The kids and adults decorated sheets and pillow cases for her to take along to New York on her move. It was a fun, energetic day, with lots of bonding moments and sweet memories. Thank you to our Bible teachers and helpers for this awesome work.