

January 3, 2010

WELCOME TO OUR NEW PARTNERS!

Mike and Mary Fussell completed Pastor's class and committed themselves to be partners of Live Oaks Community Church! Please welcome them to our fellowship and pray for them as they grow in Christ's love and find their place in giving God's love in service to others. Mike & Mary – we are excited that God has added you to our body!

2010 MINISTRY BUDGET INPUT, JANUARY 17TH

Tithing partners of Live Oaks Community Church, 16 years and older, are welcome to participate in an upcoming meeting to discuss the 2010 ministry budget. This meeting will follow the morning service and will not last more than an hour. We will provide light refreshments to hold you over until lunch. LOCC Ministry Director team wants to hear your voice and include you in the budget process as they work toward finalizing it. Please keep the 2010 budget process in your prayers. **(Plan to pick up a rough draft of the 2010 budget on the back table Sunday, January 10th).**

2010 BUDGET & VISION WORSHIP SERVICE, JANUARY 31ST

Mark this date on your calendar and plan to be a part of this important yearly worship gathering. In this service we will celebrate our vision, hear from different ministry areas, and dedicate our 2010 budget to the Lord. Please prepare your heart by praying for this annual service.

GUY'S NIGHT OUT THANK YOU

Thanks to Jess and Tammy the E-26 guys had a blast on Wednesday night. Movies, games, food - and NO GIRLS!! Some of our college age guys came, too, adding to the fun. Grab a youth or college age guy and ask them about it. And thanks Keith family for the use of your home!!

ELEMENT 26 MEETING AT KENSLER THIS WEDNESDAY:

This Wednesday, January 6th, Element 26 will resume its normal meeting time. We will be back at Kensler at 7 pm. See you there!

PLAN TO KEEP IN TOUCH WITH CLAIRE WOOD!

Claire's new address PO Box 25 Arivaca AZ 85601... Email: The1bubbs@aol.com.. Phone: 316-648-8397. Plan to give her a call or drop a note/email as you partner with her in prayer.

NEW SMALL GROUPS TO BEGIN SOON... BE LOOKING FOR MORE INFORMATION!

REQUEST FROM NICK HERRINGSHAW IN AUSTRALIA!

Our outreach locations and teams have officially been decided! I, along with three other leaders, will be taking 13 of our students to Cape Town South Africa! We will be leaving in approximately 2 months (February 7th) and will be staying there for 7 weeks. We are going to be there only a few months prior to the 2010 world cup so this is a very opportunistic time to be going! We will mainly be working with a few local churches and some with YWAM Cape Town, with their Performing Arts School. I don't know all the ministry opportunities yet, but we will be using the fine arts (music, art and dance) and going to villages on the outskirts of Cape Town to work with poorer communities, as well as being involved in church and kids' ministries.

Mable (the person with whom I am co-leading a team) and I are in the process of booking plane tickets, the best deal we could find was about \$1,700 a ticket. The approximate total budget of our outreach for each person, including the airfare, will be about \$3,500. Our students are doing well with having all their money, but it is us leaders that need some help. :) This is where I really need your help. Would you prayerfully consider and ask God if he would have you help me financially get to South Africa? Right now I have enough to pay my monthly expenses as a staff. However, I need to turn in a \$2,000 down payment as soon as possible! I know, its a lot of money! I understand if you can't help financially, but your prayers are needed just as much-for us as leaders and our finances, our team, and that God would really speak and give us a heart for South Africa! Thank you all so much for your prayers and support! If you are able to give, please make your check out to Vision of Glory Church and send it to my parents by the end of December at the following address: Jeff & Christine Herringshaw, PO Box 268, Rockford, MN 55373. You will receive a tax-deductible receipt. I love you guys! God bless you! -Nick

SERVICE CANCELATION POLICY IN CASE OF SEVERE WEATHER:

LOCC will never cancel a Sunday service or mid-week gathering in a ministry area of the church due to weather or social unrest unless otherwise announced by the Pastor or a Ministry Area Director. This announcement will come through one or more of these avenues: a phone call, a message on the church phone line, a post on the church web site, and/or a public notice of cancellation on KAKE news. In the event of extenuating circumstances or severe weather conditions, it is ultimately the individual who must make the final decision for themselves.

All Church Calendar

Sunday, January 3rd:

Worship Service	10:00-11:30am Auditorium
Nursery & Toddlers (Birth-3yrs)	10:00-11:30am 300 Hall
J-Kids Junior (4 yrs—1st grade)	10:50-11:30am 300 Hall
J-Kids (2nd-5th grade)	10:50-11:30am 300 Hall

Wednesday, January 6th:

Element 26	7-8:30pm @ Kensler
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Upcoming Events:

Jan. 17th	Budget Input meeting 11:30am
Jan. 24th	Ministry Director Meeting 1-3pm
Jan. 31st	Budget/Vision Service 10am



Happy Birthday & Happy Anniversary

Tuesday, January 5th—Jan Langfitt
Thursday, January 7th—Avery Burt
Friday, January 8th—Derek Sramek

If we have missed your birthday or anniversary, please fill out a "Welcome Card" with the correct information and place it in the offering box on the back table.