

COOL TEMPERATURES AND WARM HEARTS

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10 a.m. Sunday
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9 a.m. Sunday
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I love to go camping; it's by far one of my favorite things to do. I love to camp in the fall with my family. Even more enjoyable than camping alone with my family is camping with my brothers and sisters in Christ, and that is exactly what 28 of us gathered to do this past weekend at Grand Lake State Park at Bernice, OK.

The weather was predicted to be cold and rainy on Friday morning, but by Friday afternoon, the rain moved out, and those that braved the cooler temperatures were rewarded with warm campfires and wonderful fellowship. Thankfully, the much-needed rain stayed away until after everyone had packed up and gone home.

So what do we do at a campout like this? We eat, we play games, we eat some more, we rest and relax, and we hang out around the campfire telling stories while eating s'mores. But we also partake in some spiritual food. On both nights, we had devotionals, sang songs, and studied a bit from God's Word. Charles Collinsworth encouraged us with some spiritual principles that parallel some things he's learned from his recent motorcycle experiences, and Chance Bailey used a great illustration with fire and water bottles to encourage us to be filled with the Spirit. On Sunday morning, we worshipped together outdoors with God's beautiful creation as a backdrop, and we sang songs, ate the

Lord's Supper, prayed, and Caleb Boggs shared with us some of God's Scriptures.

But can I tell you my favorite part about this weekend? It is getting to know my church family a little better. If all we ever see of our brothers and sisters is at the church building a few hours each week, we will never truly know one another like we should. I Peter 1:22 tells us we should have a "sincere love of the brethren," Hebrews 10:24-35 instructs us to "stimulate one another to love and good deeds," and to encourage one another, and Galatians 6:2 asks us to "bear one another's burdens." We can't fulfill these commands if we don't see each other outside of the church building and know what's going on in each other's lives. Fellowship activities like this are one of the ways to help us accomplish that. If you weren't able to join us this time around, don't sweat it! We're already making plans for another campout next year.

Casey Flint



His own people, eager to do what is good – Titus 2:14

In Our Thoughts & Prayers



Pam Babb, Carol Bessman, Fred and Carolyn Bukowich, Joyce Clarkson, Vera Cornell, Lee Crabtree, Jaren Dodson, Vern Foster, Joe and Teresa Freund, Coral Haggard, Ervin and Wilma Hill, Justin Houston, Nadine Keith, Brylee King, Cheryl Neilans, Lyn Pendergraft, Mebyl Privett, Andy Rasbury, Edith Toney.

Sherry Merrill returned home Sunday after her heart surgery.

Karen Honeycutt had knee surgery yesterday and is doing well.

Every "One" Counts: When you give an extra dollar each Sunday, it goes to help someone in need. This week we helped a frequent visitor who experienced a great family loss and has spent much time traveling due to the circumstances. If you know someone who needs help, please contact Jennifer Daniels or Natalie McInturff.

Devo and Donuts meets every Tuesday at 7:00 in the activities center. It is an excellent way to start your day. Come and bring a friend.

If you are not able to be at church, visit our Facebook page, website or YouTube channel to see or hear our services **online**. Services will be at 10:00 am and 6:00 pm on Sundays and 7:00 pm on Wednesdays. .

There will be **Ladies class** this Thursday in the auditorium at 10:00. The subject will be "Can/should I forgive someone who has not repented?"



This Sunday's Sermons:

AM: Danny Boggs

PM: Danny Boggs

There is an "indoor" **bonfire** at the Gieblers' for grades 7-12 this Thursday at 6:30 pm. Boys bring chips, girls bring hot dog buns.

The **young adults** will be having a Halloween party this Friday at 6:30 at Molly Cobb's home. Kids are welcome. Bring food to share. RSVP to Molly.

Hillcrest will be hosting the TriState Youth Series on Sunday, November 8. Everyone is asked to bring **cookies** and leave them in the activities center or fellowship room.

Neosho Christian School will have their **Autumnfest** on Saturday, November 7, from 9:00 to 5:00. The day will include the silent auction, a car show, kids' games, arts and craft booths, and food trucks. Please plan to help support this fund raising effort for the school.

Ladies Study Day will be November 14 from 9:00-12:00 in the activities center. If you are studying *Digging Deeper* or *The Shepherd's Daughter*, you can participate in some group discussions or spend some time in personal study.

We are in the process of making a new **picture directory** for those who do not have Instant Church Directory on one of their devices. If you need to have a picture or any information updated, please let Coralee know.

If you would like instructions on how to add the **picture directory** to one of your devices, let Coralee know and she will email instructions to you. Once it is set up, it is a great resource..

Hillcrest Family,

Thank you very much for the continued prayers and for the sunshine basket I love you all.

Brylee King

It is that time of year to change the clocks. This time you gain an hour of sleep, so enjoy the rest. Make sure you set your clock back an hour so you will be in Bible class on time. See you there!



PRAYER LEADERS

Sunday, November 1

AM Opening Prayer: Wayne Douthitt
Communion Prayers: Peter Wald
AM Closing Prayer: Tony Flint

PM Opening Prayer: Ethan Murray
PM Closing Prayer: Tim Wald

Wednesday, November 4

Opening Prayer: Karson Thomas
Closing Prayer: Harold Speir

RECORDS

10-25-20

10-27-19

Bible Study	110	138
AM Worship	189	156
PM Worship	86	130
Wednesday	99	133
Contribution	\$7,676.95	\$9,451.53
Budget	\$7,864.15	\$7,717.37