



Installation- There will be a special service on Sunday October 3rd to install Chris as the Pastor of Faithbridge. The service will begin at 2 p.m. A reception will follow the service.



Fellowship Opportunities

Fellowship Dinner- Wednesday night dinner is back! Come enjoy food and friends at 6:00 each Wed. night.

Followers Of God (Youth Group) - **FOG** meets each Sunday afternoon for a time of devotion and fellowship. This Sunday, October 3rd a meeting will be held for those interested in going skiing (Spring Break 2011) immediately following the worship service and **FOG** will meet from 4-6 pm to discuss "Did you hear? - Gossip" (Proverbs 11, 17 & 20) with snack being provided by the Hicks. Sunday, October 10th the topic will be

“To Talk or not to Talk” (Proverbs 18). Mark your calendar for October 16th when the **FOG** will have an all-night mission project followed by a slumber party (boys at one place & girls at another).



Bible Study Opportunities

Stepping Stones -- It's time again for the Stepping Stones kids to come together again. All children from K – 5th grades are welcome. Faithweaver Friends curriculum will be followed. The fun begins at 4:15 each Wed. afternoon.

Wednesday Night Rechargers --This is a midweek Bible study group. The Rechargers meet on Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m. The group will be reading “If You Want to Walk on Water, You’ve Got to Get out of the Boat” by John Ortberg. Contact Tina Carter for more info. at benandtina@sbcglobal.net.

Friday Morning Women’s Bible Study

This study group meets at 10 a.m. on Friday mornings. Contact MJ Junkin at 214-883-5223 for more information.

Can’t attend any of these? Subscribe to the PC (USA) lectionary readings for an easy way to receive daily Bible readings in your inbox. Lectionary readings provide a disciplined way to read through the Bible. For more information go to <http://www.pcusa.org/devotions/>



Mission Opportunities

Locke Family Fund – Neal Locke is entering his final year at Princeton Seminary. You are invited to help support Neal and his family by contributing to the Locke Family Fund by indicating on your check that the money is to be deposited in this account.

F⁵IN -- Five baskets will be in the sanctuary for the new mission ministry initiative "Food From Faithbridge For Families In Need". Please bring five identical non-perishable food items and place in the white baskets at church. Once the baskets are full they will be distributed. There are still many families in need of help who do not qualify for assistance through the Frisco Family Services.

Samaritan Inn – Can you serve a meal at the Samaritan Inn? Faithbridge volunteers for two nights a month. Please contact Amy Guest at 214-995-1344 or amynurse@hotmail.com for more information

Good Samaritan Gala- This event is the biggest fundraiser of the year. The Gala will be held October 16th beginning at 6:30 pm at the Embassy Suites Frisco Hotel, Convention Center. The Gala is being held to honor homeless veterans who make up 23% of the homeless population. There will be a live auction, a silent auction, and a raffle drawing. Details of the auctions are posted on the bulletin board or go to www.thesamaritaninn.org.

Clothe A Child- The dates for this year's Clothe A Child is Oct. 9th and 16th. If you would like to volunteer to help, please contact Dominic Boamah or see the flyer in the foyer. Faithbridge mission has agreed to clothe 5 children at the cost of \$100 each. The congregation is more than welcome to donate on top of that.



Self Improvement Opportunities:

Faithbridge Exercising Support Group – Are you a runner, biker, or enjoy another form of exercise? Interested in forming a support group to help you maintain your fitness program? See Cheryl Stovall or Karen Oxford if this topic interests you.

WANT TO LOSE WIEGHT? Slimming World is a weight loss program from the United Kingdom. They meet at Faithbridge three times each Monday (9:30 a.m., 5:30 p.m., and 7:00 pm.). If you are interested in losing weight or maintaining a healthy lifestyle stop in and check out one of the meetings or contact Yvonne Sanders at yvonesandersusa@gmail.com

Piano lessons- Ms. Hughey offers piano lessons at Faithbridge on Thursdays. For more information, email her at mikalhughey@yahoo.com

AA- A women's AA group meets at Faithbridge each Friday night at 7 pm.

Joys and Concerns

Happy Birthday to:

OCT. 7- Sydney Kleinman

OCT. 7- Dixie Beadles

OCT. 9- Luke Bozarth

- *Meg Reichard's Uncle Bill is improving.*
- *Betty Smith's relative is improving.*
- *Catherine Willingham's dad is on the mend.*

- ***Mal and Mary West asked for prayers for the Blair family. They had a loved one pass away.***
- ***Prayers for MJ's niece Laurie. She has a 13yr.old brother who struggles with severe lactose intolerance. He has lost 79 pounds and won't eat. He is coming in for testing. Prayers that he will eat again and gain weight.***
- ***Prayers for those who are looking for employment.***

Prayers for those who are ill.