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# Billy Graham Training & Library

On October 5, 6 & 7 Jan and I were able to take some training at the Cove (the Billy Graham Training Center) in Asheville, North Carolina. We were able to hear Dr. R.T. Kendall, retired Pastor of Westminster Chapel in England speak on "David, a Man After God's Own Heart." I will be using his lessons as the basis for some sermons in the near future. It was certainly a relaxing and an inspirational time for both Jan and myself. Thank you for giving us the opportunity to attend this seminar.

While we were away we also traveled to Charlotte, North Carolina and made an extended "Pastoral Call" on Angie Petry who is living in Charlotte and teaching in an inner city school there. My, what challenges she faces, but Jan & I are both sure that she is more than up to the challenge! Please keep Angie in your prayers on her own "mission field."

We had planned to see Angie from the start, but a plus of the trip to Charlotte was that we were able to visit the Billy Graham Library which has just recently opened there. The Library is located in a beautiful setting and serves to chronicle the life and ministry of Billy Graham. It is both informative and inspirational.

- Pastor Stan

# **Upcoming All-Church Events**

#### **Study Opportunities:**

- Ladies Bible Study (Wed. 7 p.m. Conf. Rm.)
- Pastor's Bible Study (Wed. 7 p.m. Sanctuary)
- In Home Studies:
   See John Krom, Kent
   McQuiston, or Vicki Jackson.
- Sunday School for Adults in the Chapel, Conference Room, or

#### Sanctuary.

Men's Bible Study at 7

 a.m. in Riverview
 Hospital Cafeteria.

#### **CWC Chili Supper**

Mark your calendars for Friday, November 9th for the annual CWC Chili Supper. There will be a freewill offering and some really great chili!!

### Thanksgiving Eve Service.

We will have a special Thanksgiving Eve Service at 7 p.m. on Wednesday November 21st. Please plan to attend.

#### **Pictorial Directory**

Yes, we are working on it and we hope to have it finished in November. We apologize for the delay.

## Youth, etc.

#### by Nathan Wainwright

#### **Education News!**

Thank you all who have volunteered to cover Children's Church and Kids Corner on Sunday mornings in October. With November rapidly approaching I'm looking for people who are willing to step up and help lead these programs in the new month. I'm looking for people who are willing to teach K-1<sup>st</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> during Children's Church.

Pre-School – Ally Hancock & Lindsey Gemmill K-1<sup>st</sup> – AVAILABLE 2<sup>nd</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> – Sheli Burrow & Sara Carter 4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> – AVAILABLE KIDS CORNER – Staci & Chris Stewart

#### **NEW PROGRAM!** Family Time

Shelley Felger is beginning a program designed for families of young children here at the church. Making time for you and your kids to be able to connect in a faith centered way and instill in them the importance of faith and family. It will begin on October 21<sup>st</sup> and run from 5-6pm that Sunday.

#### **Teen News!**

Youth Sunday is done and behind us and the kids did a great job. Please be sure to acknowledge them and their hard work if you get the chance.

Open Gym will be at Noblesville Intermediate School Tuesday nights for the rest of October. We play in the upper

gym from 7-8:30pm. The schedule is a little different in November and we invite you to check it out on the website REFUGETEEN.COM at the bottom of the "Here & Now" page.

Teens are going to Indiana Christian Youth Convention this year from Nov 16<sup>th</sup> - 18<sup>th</sup>, the cost is \$100 and this covers you getting into the convention as well as the Hotel stay. If you desire to participate or help sponsor a teen please contact Nathan ASAP.

#### Young Adult News!

Men's group is meeting on Monday nights at 7pm. We meet at Noble Coffee downtown and would love to have you come participate in discussion and a good cup-ocoffee.

Women's group is meeting and going down to a program at 91<sup>st</sup> Street Christian Church on Monday night, if interested please contact Heather Sutton.

**PARTY!!** Young Adults will be having a "Day After Halloween" Party on November 1<sup>st</sup> at the Wainwright's. Feel free to wear a costume or not. Less scary than a "Halloween" party, not as boring as a "Fall Leaves" party.

### Church

# Financial Update

The accompanying chart represents the Cash Flow Report for the beginning of each month this year. Except October represents the figures through October 15th.

It depicts cash from all available

sources—checking account, savings account, and money market account.

Report figures provided by Pam Sweitzer, Church Treasurer.

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2007 Cash Flow Chart

Thanks for caring about Refuge

Pastor Stan