

Pray for Our Schools

Please make it a priority to pray for our schools. The School Prayerwalking/ Driving Ministry for the 2010-2011 school year is again underway for anyone who can commit to pray a few minutes a week for students, parents, teachers, and administrators. You may pray from home or while walking or driving around the school of your choice (Pre-K through college).

Sign up by contacting coordinator Janiece Leland (352-8253, janiececl@swbell.net) or Pat Schroder (355-3585).



Wednesday Fall Schedule for Children & Youth

We begin a new schedule on Wednesday nights for preschoolers, children, and youth:

Preschool M&Ms (*Music & Missions, Building A*): Choir begins at 6:15 pm. At 7 pm, kids transition to Mission Friends. Additional childcare is provided until 8:30 for kids whose parents are involved in a church activity. Preschool M&Ms begins Sept. 8.

Peebz Power-Up (*Building B*): At 6:15 pm, kids in 1st–4th grades attend The Cue Box, an interactive time of learning to connect with their families, followed by hands-on mission and service projects at 7 pm. Additional childcare provided until 8:30 pm for kids whose parents are involved in a church activity. Peebz Power-Up begins Sept. 8.

Fiix Preteen (*Building B*): Kids in 5th & 6th grades come to “The Warehouse” at 6 pm for games, snacks, and fun, followed by worship and a Bible study at 7 pm. Fiix officially ends at 7:45, but kids are free to hang out until 8:30 pm. Fiix is already underway every Wednesday.

626 (*Building C*): Students in 7th–12th grades are welcome in the Game Room & 626 Café beginning at 6 pm, followed by 626 at 7 pm in Room C150 for relevant worship and Bible study. The Game Room remains open until 8:45 pm. 626 is already underway every Wednesday.

Evening of Elegance

Our annual Women’s Ministry “Evening of Elegance” is Thursday, Oct. 14, at the Amarillo Civic Center Grand Plaza. This year’s theme is “Kisses of Sunshine,” and the event features special guest Thelma Wells, an internationally known speaker and author (*left*). We’re thrilled to hear her message of hope and

encouragement.



The catered meal will be served at 7 pm that evening. Doors open at 6:30 pm. You won’t want to miss the variety of beautifully decorated tables — each one unique and co-

ordinated by more than 60 creative, individual hostesses!

Tickets for this event are \$18 and will be available in the main hallway on Sundays beginning Sept. 19, and in the Church Office during the week. Tables fill up fast, so get your tickets early. The final day to purchase tickets is Oct. 3. Questions? Contact Terri Smith (352-5327) or Davida Dane (353-8740).

Fall LifeGroups at Paramount

One of the core values at Paramount is *Sharing Life*, and one major way we do this is through our LifeGroups, which are small groups that encompass everything from EXP Clusters to Sunday School classes to midweek Bible studies. LifeGroups bring people together to experience community and accountability while studying the Bible.

Coed Wednesday-Night Studies

- *Dave Ramsey’s Financial Peace University*: A 13-week course designed to help you beat debt and build wealth. (Begins Sept. 8 at 6:30 pm, Room A2, Cost: \$80, Leader: Chad Mason)

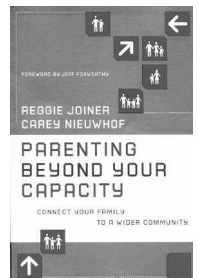
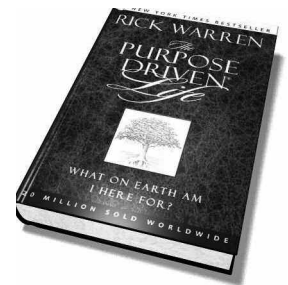
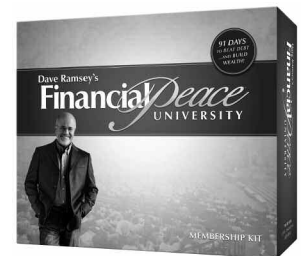
- *The Purpose-Driven Life*: This 7-week class will explore the question: *What on earth am I here for?* (Begins Sept. 8 at 6:30 pm, Room A4, Cost: \$12, Leader: David Preston)

- *Parenting Beyond Your Capacity*: A 5-week class that provides a practical and revolutionary approach to parenting. (Begins Sept. 15 at 6:30 pm, Fireside Room of Building A, Cost: \$10, Leaders: Victor & Theresa Miller)

Advance registration is not required but is helpful for the above groups. Register by contacting Victor Miller (355-3396, victor@paramount.org) or online at paramount.org/lifegroups.

Women’s Ministry Bible Studies

A variety of in-home Bible studies for women begin the week of Sept. 12, 2010. Sign up for these at the church through Sept. 12. Groups are limited to 12–15 women so sign up early for the study of your choice. Questions? Please contact coordinators Carolyn Hancock (358-7700) or Lonna Burgess (352-5498).



September 2010

- 1** **Stretch/Balance class** • 4–5 pm, A3
Prayer Meeting • 6 pm, Chapel
- 2** **Thursday Bread** • 9:30 am, C156
Glory Singers • 10:45 am, Music Suite
- 3** **Scrapbooking** • 5–10 pm, C160
- 4** **Regular EXP Schedule** • No EXP:45 or
 EXP:Kids tonight
- 5** **Regular Sunday-morning schedule** •
 No Children's Worship or 4-5s Worship,
 no 6 pm chapel Bible study
- 6** **Labor Day** • Church Office closed
- 7** **Men's Basketball** • 7–9 pm, Gym
- 8** **Girl Talk** • 9:30–11 am, 626 Café
Stretch/Balance class • 4–5 pm, A3
Prayer Meeting • 6 pm, Chapel
Wednesday night fall schedule resumes •
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- 9** **Thursday Bread** • 9:30 am, C156
Glory Singers • 10:45 am, Music Suite
- 10** **Manna Ministry orders due** • 1 pm
- 11** **Upward Flag Football** • 9 am–1 pm
Regular EXP Schedule
- 12** **Regular Sunday schedule**
Discover Paramount • 9:45 am,
 Fireside Room
In His Grip Invitational Golf Tourney •
 Comanche Trail (*details in sidebar*)
Fiix Discipleship begins • 6 pm, Bldg B
- 13** **Prayer Quilt Ministry** • 1 pm, C160
GriefShare resumes • 6:30 pm, A22
Recovery Group • 7 pm, C154
- 14** **Men's Basketball** • 7–9 pm, Gym
- 15** **Girl Talk** • 9:30–11 am, 626 Café
Stretch/Balance class • 4–5 pm, A3
Regular Wednesday Activities
- 16** **Thursday Bread** • 9:30 am, C156
Glory Singers • 10:45 am, Music Suite
- 18** **Upward Flag Football** • 9 am–1 pm
Regular EXP Schedule
- 19** **Regular Sunday schedule**
Children's Discovery Class • 9:45 am
- 20** **Prayer Quilt Ministry** • 1 pm, C160
GriefShare • 6:30 pm, A22
Recovery Group • 7 pm, C154
- 21** **Men's Basketball** • 7–9 pm, Gym
- 22** **Girl Talk** • 9:30–11 am, 626 Café
Stretch/Balance class • 4–5 pm, A3
Regular Wednesday Activities
- 23** **Thursday Bread** • 9:30 am, C156
Glory Singers • 10:45 am, Music Suite
- 25** **Manna Ministries food distribution** •
 9–10 am, Building C
Upward Flag Football • 9 am–1 pm
Regular EXP Schedule
- 26** **Regular Sunday schedule**
Children's Discovery Class • 9:45 am
- 27** **Prayer Quilt Ministry** • 1 pm, C160
GriefShare • 6:30 pm, A22
Recovery Group • 7 pm, C154
- 28** **Men's Basketball** • 7–9 pm, Gym
- 29** **Girl Talk** • 9:30–11 am, 626 Café
Stretch/Balance class • 4–5 pm, A3
Regular Wednesday Activities
- 30** **Thursday Bread** • 9:30 am, C156
Glory Singers • 10:45 am, Music Suite

LEAF Resumes Sept. 8

"Learning English Among Friends" resumes Wednesday, Sept. 8. Contact Nolan & Ann Clark if you are interested in serving in this exciting area of ministry.

In His Grip® Golf Tourney

Make plans now to participate in our second annual In His Grip® Golf Tourney, a great outreach opportunity on Sunday, Sept. 12 at Comanche Trail Arrowhead. Shotgun start at 2 pm. Registration for this year's tournament is \$65 per player. That fee is waived for any invited unchurched guest.

Brochures are available in the main hallway. Contact Wade Cavitt (806.350.7234, wade@paramount.org) for more information, or visit www.pbc.golfreg.com.

GriefShare Resumes

GriefShare, a Christ-centered grief recovery support group, begins a new session on Monday, Sept. 13, at 6:30 pm in Paramount's Room A22. If you have lost a loved one in death, these meetings are for you. All sessions stand alone, are open to the public, and last approximately two hours. You will find support, compassion, and freedom among people who have been where you are. Workbooks are \$15.

Gaither Homecoming Tour

Paramount has a limited number of tickets available for the Gaither Homecoming *Give It Away Tour* 2010, Saturday, Oct. 23 at the Amarillo Civic Center. It begins at 6 pm and doors open at 5 pm.

Tickets are \$33 or \$25 and may be purchased at the Recreation Desk in the Building B Activity Center during the week.