

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please remember to pick up your mid-year **statement of financial giving** this morning.

First-time author featured at Covenant Corner – Jan Johnston will be autographing her new children's book, *Wrapped in Love*, between services in the parlor today. All proceeds from the book will be donated to Kevin Schaner's library mission in Liberia. Jan will be happy to autograph previously purchased copies.

Two Church of the Saviour children will be spending this week at one of the **East Ohio Summer Camps**. Brandon Boone and Emily Cassady will be attending Camp Asbury. Please pray for an amazing week of fun, friendship, and spiritual renewal for these **campers**, and for the 78 youth and adults who are on the Work Mission Trip to Chillicothe.

There is still time to join the **Genevieve Seese Library** summer reading program. Through August 15, every book you read will add a boat to your fishing fleet. The program is open to all ages.

Visits to the **Hunger Center** at Cory United Methodist Church peak during the summer months. Please help out by donating a box of cereal, a jar of peanut butter or cans of fruit. Donations are collected in the Tower and Great Hall entrances.

A short-term **Bible discussion group** is meeting this summer on Tuesdays, at 9:30 a.m., on the front lawn of the church. The group is studying the first part of the book of Acts. Be sure to bring your Bible. The study is open to all; no need to register. For more information, please contact Diane Gerlach at 216-381-7723.

On Thursdays, at 9:30 a.m., Heidi Chew is leading a **summer discussion group** on Reimagining Evangelism: Inviting Friends on a Spiritual Journey by Rick Richardson. This study is open to all. Please contact Heidi Chew at 216-548-7975 or Diane Gerlach at 216-381-7723 for more information.

Inlet Dance Theatre presents its annual free Cain Park performance on Thursday, July 29, at 8 p.m. A special pre-concert reception at 7 p.m. offers an opportunity to celebrate Inlet's 10th anniversary and provide financial support for this unique Christian arts organization. Cost is \$30 per person/ \$50 per couple. For more information or to RSVP, please call Lisa Boyko at 216-371-3089.

Faithful Fiction meets on the first Tuesday of every month at the Stone Oven. The book for the August 3 meeting is Left to Tell: Discovering God Amidst the Rwandan Holocaust by Immaculee Ilibagiza. For more information, please contact Jessica Smith at 216-320-9361.

Global Missions in your backyard? Volunteers are need to help welcome new international students to Cleveland. Be an airport pickup person or serve as a temporary housing host (3-5 days). Or you can give furniture/household items that you no longer use (in the Great Hall, August 6) to an appreciative student. Please contact Bok and Heidi Chew (InterVarsity Christian Fellowship) at isfmcleveland@hotmail.com or 216-371-3114 to volunteer or for more information.

The **Red Cross Baby Sitting Class**, sponsored by the Health Ministry Team, will meet on August 16 and 18 from 1-4:30 p.m. each day. To complete the course one must attend both days. The cost is \$55 per student. Payment needs to be sent to Connie Carihfield, 5665 Grace Woods Drive, Apt 216, Willoughby, OH 44094-8911 by August 8. Checks should be made payable to Church of the Saviour with Red Cross Baby Sitting on the memo line.

It is time to collect **cookies for the USO**. You may bring store cookies or bake your own. The store cookies have a longer shelf life, but all are welcome and appreciated by the young men and women and their families as they leave to serve our country. Cookies can be brought to the church by Sunday, August 15 to be picked up by the USO that week.

DISCIPLE Bible studies are designed to help you learn more about the Bible and transform your life to become a true Disciple. Each of the four DISCIPLE courses is designed to apply the lessons of the Old and New Testament to life today. Once you have completed DISCIPLE I, you can take DISCIPLE II, III, or IV in any order. If you are interested in joining any of the DISCIPLE classes beginning in September, contact Jessica Smith at 216-320-9361 or at jessica.n.smith@gmail.com or Diane Gerlach at 216-381-7723 or at gracernote@aol.com.

*Mark you calendars for the **Women of Faith "Over the Top" weekend event: Friday & Saturday, September 17 & 18, at Quicken Loans Arena. Cost is \$89 and includes a box lunch both days. For more information, go to www.womenoffaith.com/cleveland/. If interested in joining the women from Church of the Saviour for this special event, contact Karen Murgiano at 216-691-9189 or kmurgiano@ameritech.net.***

Lou Ann Graham is collecting **used medical textbooks** for the medical unit at Bagrum Airbase in Afghanistan where her brother, John Davis, is stationed. This unit is helping to assist, train and provide continuing education to Afghani doctors. The Afghan National Army sends health care providers to the facility for a two week course in US military medicine. Textbooks, especially anatomy books, are in short supply. If you can contribute any books, please contact Lou Ann Graham at rlegraham@roadrunner.com or 216-378-1090.