



## U.S. Children Help Mexican Children Win Children

An interesting relationship developed this summer. Children attending various Vacation Bible Schools and Youth Camps in the U.S. gave offerings to help support Rivers of Mercy Children's Home in Mexico City. As with all the funds we receive, 100% of the offerings are placed in the Children Home's Bank Account the week they were received and are available to Dr.

Rivas for immediate use. During the summer the children at Rivers of Mercy have sponsored and operated an outreach ministry to kids in their community. The older children taught the children the Gospel and introduced them to the Bible. They averaged 70 children in attendance. This is a wonderful relationship: Christian children helping provide a home and the gospel to children in another country, who then take the gospel to children in their surrounding area. Most of the children who were ministered to were from poor families and have had a very difficult life. So the children not only provided the Gospel, but also food and skits geared to bring a little joy to an otherwise difficult life. This is Christianity in action...God is working and doing amazing things through this ministry.



***We're Glad  
you're Here!***

Our church family is delighted that you have joined us to worship today! We want you to consider yourself among friends who care. So that we may know you better, please take a few moments to fill out this card and place it in the offering plate. Again, we express an enthusiastic welcome and we encourage you to visit again soon. May God bless you richly!

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Apt \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Status:  Single  Married  59  60+ Age Group:  13-19  20-29  30-39  40-49  50-

Children: Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Please check the applicable boxes:  First-time visitor  Returning visitor  New to the area  Would like a visit

Current Church Attending \_\_\_\_\_  Would like to know more about this church  Would like to know more about being a Christian

How did you hear about us? \_\_\_\_\_ Guest of \_\_\_\_\_

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# Order of Services

September 6, 2009

## Morning Worship

Call to Worship: "Let the Praises Ring"

He the Pearly Gates Will Open  
When We All Get to Heaven  
When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder

Hymn 541  
Hymn 542  
Hymn 543

### Tithes & Offerings

"Grace" Sancturay Choir, Jeannie Coday, Solo

Everlasting God  
I Lift My Eyes Up

"Daystar" Joshua Pettijohn

Message: "Armageddon"

Text: Rev. 16:15

## Evening Worship

Rejoice, the Lord is King  
Sing to the King

Hymn 228

### Tithes & Offerings

Our God Reigns  
Famous One  
Indescribable

Hymn 229

Message: "Delivered from Darkness"

Text: Colossians 1:13-17

Bible Verse of the Week:

**"Watch therefore: for ye know not what hour your**

**Lord doth come."**

**Matt. 24:42**

# Announcements & Events

## Widows & Widowers Luncheon

Thursday, Sept. 10th @ 12:00pm

There is a sign-up sheet in the foyer. All widows and widowers please sign the sheet in the foyer. We need to know how many to prepare for. If you need transportation, please call Mary Lou Crosson @ 299-3096 -Anita Briggs @ 299-0090 - Church Office: 265-2871

## Jolly 60's

Jolly 60's will be meeting this Friday, Sept. 11th @6:00pm in the VanMeter Room. We will be having Fajitas. Please bring your favorite side dishes or desserts.

## WMU Resumes

WMU will resume: Tuesday, Sept. 15th Sue Allen will be presenting lessons on the book of Ephesians. All ladies are invited to join us each Tuesday @ 10:00am in the VanMeter Room.

## AWANA Helpers Needed

If you are interested in helping in AWANA, see the information on the foyer table for details.

## Attention: Children's Choir

There will be no practice: This evening Sept. 6th Practice will resume on Sunday, Sept. 13th @ 6:00pm.

## Church Office Closed

The Church Office will be closed tomorrow in observance of Labor Day.

## Congratulations

Thomas & Charlene Bendon are proud to announce the birth of David Michael. He weighed 8lb 10oz and is 21 inches long.

## Ladies' Retreat

November 13-14th. Mark your calendars. Bobbie Reed & Karen Odom will have more information soon.

## Weekly Report August 30, 2009

### Attendance Report:

Sunday School: 195 Morning Worship: 309  
Evening Worship: 235 Midweek:

### Treasurer's Report:

Tithes & Offerings: \$ 10,511.50  
Building Fund: 268.00  
Camp Loose Change: 18.59

## THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

### TODAY

Orchestra Rehearsal.....9:00AM  
Morning Worship..... 11:00AM  
Adult Choir Rehearsal.....5:00PM  
Orchestra Rehearsal.....5:45PM  
Evening Worship.....6:00PM  
"No Children's Choir practice until Sept. 13th.

### MONDAY

Visitation.....6:00PM

### WEDNESDAY

Prayer & Bible Study.....7:00PM  
AWANA Clubs.....7:00PM

### FRIDAY

Jolly 60's.....6:00PM

## Special Events

Sept. 7 Church Holiday  
Sept. 10 Special Luncheon  
Sept. 11 Jolly 60's  
Sept. 15 WMU Starts  
Sept. 17 Ladies Game Night  
Nov 13-14 Ladies Retreat

## Prayer & Praise

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Prayer/Praise \_\_\_\_\_

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Please complete and place in the offering plate when it is passed.