

Greetings Everyone,

Thank you to everyone who contributed and attended the Church picnic on September 15. The weather was great, and the food was outstanding. It was great to be able to fellowship and enjoy the park. Maywood knows how to cook, and the homemade ice cream was outstanding.

The elders have started the process to assemble the nominating committee so Church positions such as deacons and committee members can be approved and filled. Thanks go out to everyone who has served this year. It has been a very busy year and much was accomplished. If you would like to serve in a leadership position or be a part of the nominating committee, please talk to one of the elders.

Good News – Maywood is moving to Google Fiber this October. This move will save the church money, eliminate slow and stuttering live streams, and allow Church members to access wifi. This will also allow the church to use VOIP (voice over internet provider) for the phones which will also save money. Thanks go out to Brad Moon and Larry Reeves.

Building Updates

The steel to attach the steeple to the bell tower is tentatively scheduled for installation the week of October 7. If you want to sign the steeple, please do it before it is placed on the bell tower.

The gutters and gutter guards have been installed.

The flu pipe for the furnace has been removed and the roof repaired which creates a much cleaner look.

The carpet has been patched near the front of the sanctuary.

The sanctuary windows have been reglazed and are scheduled to be painted the week of October 7.

The final punch list has been started. The building project should be completed this month.

Other Initiatives and Events

A special business meeting will be held after Church on October 13. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss what insurance options are available as well as the costs to the Church.

The homecoming event has been postponed to a yet to be assigned date in the spring.

Trunk or Treat will be held on Sunday, October 27. We need volunteers to set up, decorate, and host a table for the event. Please volunteer by signing up at the welcome desk.

Please pray for the Hodak family as they go through this difficult time. Pray and be available for ways the Lord can use you. Pray for Maywood, each other, the community, and the upcoming election.

In Christ's Love,

The Elders



October Events:

October 5th:
Men's Prayer
Breakfast 8 am

October 12th:
Church Bazaar
and Garage Sale

October 17th:
Ladies Council
Meeting 10 am

October 24th:
Helping Hands
of Faith 6:30-
8:00 pm

October 27th:
Trunk or Treat
6:30-8:00 pm

Future Events:

November 10th:
Thanksgiving
Dinner

Every Tuesday:

Ladies Bible
Study 10 am

Ladies Quilting
1 pm

Every Wednesday:

AWANA 6:30-
8:00 pm

Every Sunday Night:

Youth Group
6:30-8:00 pm

Monthly Missions Emphasis at Maywood

Our monthly missionary for September was Shane Sanderson, who is the Executive Director of Child Rescue, Casa de Mi Padre in Santa Cruz del Quiche, Guatemala. Child Rescue is an orphanage.

During Sunday School time, he shared the story of how he founded the orphanage. Also, he delivered our sermon. It was a challenging message on the Gospel, good news of Jesus Christ, and fullness of God.

Shane updated on the stories of several children who live at Casa de Mi Padre. He shared how they were abused, neglected, and abandoned. Then how God has worked in their lives while living at Child Rescue.

Then we were updated on their building project. While nearing completion, work has stopped because of lack of funding. At the end of the year if you are looking for charities to donate to, you might consider the building project for Casa de Mi Padre.

If you want the monthly newsletter on life at Child Rescue, you may go to their website: <http://savingkids.net>. You may also sign up for their printed newsletter at that website.

Jim and Kathy Hitch of Simple Grace Ministries will be our missionaries for October. They will be here on the 20th for Sunday School and a presentation during our service. You may remember them as the family with all the kids that entertained us with fun and inspirational music. Please come on October 20th to catch up on what the kids are doing now. Jim and Kathy will share with us what their current ministry is.

On November 10th, Tim and Mary Lou Tiner are going to be with us to share what they are doing now. It should be a wonderful reunion. Please come.

**“The task ahead of you is never as great as the
POWER behind you!”**

FALL BAZAAR & GARAGE SALE

Oct. 12 th 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Join us for a great fall day of bargains. Homemade Jam, Crafts, Collectibles, Christmas Items, Glassware, Linens, Men's Treasures, Jewelry, Books, a Bake Sale with Home Made Goodies. The kitchen will be open from 10-2. You can buy homemade soup & chili, hotdogs, chilidogs, nachos, and of course a piece of pie will be available. To-go containers will be available so you can take that shut in a real lunch.

Looking forward to seeing each of you.

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Maywood Ladies Council

September Financial

Corner:

We were over budget on
Expenses for September.

We were under budget on
Giving for September.

Youth Group

We started watching a movie called, The Insanity of God. It is a movie about missionaries and overcoming the sin of darkness in the world. We will continue watching and discussing the movie.

We will have our annual bonfire on October 26th at our house.