

WELCOME!

JANUARY 17, 2010

Today's Schedule

Morning Worship

9:30 AM Sunday School

10:30 AM Children's Church: Paula Stubblefield
 Praise & Worship: Praise & Worship Team
 Message: Rev. Douglas Martin

6:00PM **S.A.L.T. WOMEN'S MINISTRIES & ARMOR BEARERS MEN'S MINISTRIES**



Guys bring your own beverage and some money for PIZZA!

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please email your announcements to debbieshoup@gmail.com no later than Tuesday.

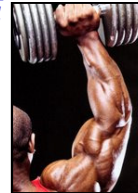
Look what's happening at CCRO!



S.A.L.T. WOMEN'S MINISTRIES will be meeting at Tasha Martin's house tonight at 6:00 for "Mugs-N-Muffins". All ladies are invited and encouraged to bring someone who hasn't been to church or to our meetings. Be sure to bring your favorite mug if you have one and a story behind why it's your favorite mug. The address is 5408 Andrea Ct. in River Oaks.

GETTING INTO MINISTRY S.H.A.P.E

Join us this Wednesday evening at 7:00, as we begin this new Bible Study topic. We will be working through some evaluations of Spiritual Gifts and other dimensions of the Christian Life in order to find where we fit in service to the Kingdom of God. Be sure to ask Pastor Doug for a Spiritual Gifts Survey before Wednesday.



GIRLS MINISTRIES DINNER has been rescheduled from Jan 20th to Jan 27th at 6:00pm in the fellowship hall. They will be serving chicken pot pie, salad and dessert. The cost is \$4.00 for adults and \$2.00 for kids under ten. All proceeds go towards missions.



Katelyn Martin has been crowned Mpac Missions Princess for 2010 and Cayden Losell and Kayla Curnutt have been crowned Rainbow King and Queen. They earned their titles by contributing to the Mpac Missions Missionary fund. All three will represent CCRO at the North Ft. Worth Mpac Missions celebration on Feb. 5th at 7:00pm at First Assembly of God in White Settlement. Everyone is invited to attend this event to support our children.

VALENTINE'S BANQUET hosted by the youth on Saturday, Feb. 13th at 6:30pm in the fellowship hall. Tickets are \$7.00 per person. This year's theme: *Who's Valentine Is It Anyway?*



Pastor's Corner

TIME TO PLAY OFFENSE

We are right in the middle of professional football playoffs and excitement is building towards the Super Bowl.

One of the oft repeated mantras of football wisdom is: "great defense wins championships". Several years ago the Baltimore Ravens managed to win a Super Bowl with a team that was mostly defense but that is exceptional. One must have a good defense but most Super Bowls have been won with great offensive exploits.

God has given us great defensive tools as listed in Ephesians chapter five but so often the believer tends to simply respond and defend against the probes of the enemy of his soul rather than realize how much he might operate on the offensive. This oft-overlooked offensive weapon is PRAYER! E.M. Bounds writes in his book, "Purpose in Prayer":

"When we calmly reflect upon the fact that the progress of our Lord's kingdom is dependent upon prayer, it is sad to think that we give so little time to the holy exercise...The forces of good and evil are contending for the world. If we would pray, we could add to the conquering power of the army of righteousness; and yet our lips are sealed, our hands hang listlessly by our side, and by holding back from the prayer chamber we jeopardize the very cause in which we profess to be deeply interested..." (pg 22)

When we do not pray we refuse to run the ball and fail to toss a pass to our open receiver – that is no way to win! Let's impact the game with the power of prayer!

Pastor Doug