

Men of Hosanna

The Spring Fling is scheduled for Sat April 1st and Steve Bridges has again volunteered to be our Head Chef. He has asked the Men of Hosanna for help with set up, serving the brunch and cleaning up. He has a sign-up poster in the narthex. He needs several men to help as waiters. Please sign up to help if you can.

41 Men of Hosanna Care boxes for the high school seniors, those in colleges/universities, those in the military and those in the Peace Corp. After a brief business meeting, the men and their guests packed a total of 41 Care boxes. The boxes were mailed via express mail the next day, Wed Feb 22nd and all should be received by the time you read this newsletter.

We received 1 thank-you note last week and 2 more this week. That is a total of 3.

Dear Men of Hosanna,

My name is Stephen Quian and I recently received another Care package from you gentleman. My father told me I would have another one on the way a few weeks ago. I received one from your organization last year some time. Thank you very much for all the goodies yall sent. My roommate and I greatly appreciate it! God Bless Yall!

Thanks again,

Stephen Quian

Dear Men of Hosanna,

Thank you so much for the care package!! My junior year has been very stressful and overwhelming at times, so it means so much to me to know that I'm being thought of by my church family. It was a wonderful reminder to be thankful for everything I have and it put a smile on my face.

Thanks again!

-Lily Hartmann

Bill King and David Ritter are trying to get a date selected for these projects. Right now the best date seems to be April 8th. Wait for further communications. **In March, Bill King suggested the men pitch in to finally get around to the project of replacing the extended fresh water line that runs under the east driveway.** This line ends up above ground with a valve in the woods that has been subject to freezing during the winter. A

project will be organized to clear the area of brush and trees when the valve is currently located. A licensed plumber will then replace the current old valve which is corroded shut and can't be turned on to purge the line. The new valve will be relocated in a protected valve box below ground level to protect it from freezing. Watch for future communications about this project. The men have also been asked to retrieve our extra bricks that are now in the woods East of the loop at the back of our property. These bricks are for the columns of the north and south covered walkways if we ever add them. The bricks need to be pressure washed and moved to the concrete slab in the garbage area. Dave Ritter has agreed to be project manager on this project.

The annual Good Friday golf tournament will be held on April 14, 2017 at The Village Golf (Panorama) course just north of Conroe. Kinsmen golfers will be invited to join us. It's time to start putting your foursomes together. A sign-up sheet is posted in the North narthex. The Panorama Golf Course is located a little south of Willis. Take League Line exit off I-45 North and head West about a ½ mile to Panorama Village entrance on the right. Follow sign to the club. This should give you an idea of the location. This will be an 8 a.m. shotgun start played in our usual Texas scramble format. Cost per player will be \$55 which includes a hamburger buffet lunch with iced tea to drink. There will be trophies for 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th place along with prizes for men and women's longest drives plus closest to the pin contests on all 4 par 3's. We will also have a raffle drawing for 2 free 4somes to play golf with carts at Panorama. Deadline to sign-up and pay fees will be Palm Sunday April 9th 2017. NO EXCEPTIONS

Thanks for continuing to save aluminum and aluminum cans plus any other recyclable metals. Just place your bags of cans behind the trash dumpster. The Men of Hosanna will take the aluminum & recyclable metals to a recycling center. **Jim Sales and David Galica recently delivered \$70 of recycle materials to start off year 2017.** Thanks everyone for the donations.

Do you enjoy fun, fellowship and working on service projects for the church and community with other men? Then why not consider joining the Men of Hosanna. You don't have to be a member of Hosanna to join. Contact either Richard Dove (281-370-8287) or Bob McConnell (281-440-5432) and they will get your name added to the roster of ninety-two (92) other men who have joined. **Feel free to fill out the form on the bottom of this newsletter and return it to Bob McConnell or tack it to the bulletin board in the sign-up area in the Narthex. Please welcome Tyler Cantello as the latest to join our group. Welcome aboard Tyler.**

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