"Come, for all is now ready."

Luke 14:17



# Logansport Great Banquet Community Newsletter

September 2006



#### MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

The first Gathering following the banquet weekends will be the 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of the month in October. The date will be October 3, 2006 at 7:00 pm in Calvary Presbyterian Church with refreshments in Bigler Hall. There will NOT be a Gathering between the two weekends. Please mark your calendars now for these changes.



# Community Lay Director's Corner

Welcome to the first Community Lay Director's Corner.

The community is busy getting ready for the next set of weekends:

LNGB Men's # 13 -- Sept 21-24, 2006. Gary Horner is the Lay Director and Bob Clark is the Head Spiritual Director. LNGB Women's # 14 -- Sept 28-Oct 1, 2006. Paula Lohrman is the Lay Director and Susan Gray is the Head Spiritual Director.

Team meetings started on Aug 8, 2006 at 7:00 p.m. at Calvary Presbyterian Church. The format for the team meetings has changed somewhat. This was done in order to get the

team out of the meetings by 10:00 p.m. at the very latest.

Please be in prayer for the teams as they prepare for the weekends and the guests as they are asked to attend that they will say, "Yes." We pray that God will be in everything that is done before, during and after the weekends. There is plenty of room for those God lays on your heart to ask.

There have been some other changes also. Lampstand Ministries, the national organization for the Great Banquet, has changed the manuals and the talk outlines. The talk outlines seem to be more concise, easier to read, understand, and write a talk from. There have been name changes to 2 of the talks. Elsewhere in this newsletter will be that information.

Due to the changes and not knowing when they would be available, the team meeting schedule was changed. We have prayed about the changes that God would be glorified in those changes.

Due to these changes we have decided to have the next <u>Gathering later in August.</u> The date is August 29, 2006 at 7:00 pm in <u>Calvary Presbyterian Church</u>. That night will be the dedication of the teams. The refreshments after the Gathering will be in the Library of the church.

Just a brief request: If you have a manual and have not returned it please do so. The next teams need them. The contents will be replaced with the new information, so please return the empty notebook to the Calvary's Agape room.

Again, spend some time in prayer for the Logansport Great Banquet asking God to use this as a means of bringing our community closer to each other and most of all making God known to all. Come for now is all ready.

God Bless each of you, DeAnn Mankell, Logansport Great Banquet Community Lay Director

## Won't you help serve our Guests at

- LGNGB 13 and 14?
  - Prayer times
  - Agape snacks
- Servers, dishwashers

Show the love of Christ & our Community by being a cheerful volunteer!



#### YOUR WEEKEND EXPERIENCE

Would you like to contribute to this Newsletter? Please tell us briefly how the Great Banquet impacted your life. Send your short story to Carla Barker, <a href="mailto:craftyduo5@aol.com">craftyduo5@aol.com</a>. Please include your weekend location, number, table and name.



"Choose this day whom you will serve." -- Joshua 24:15

#### WEEKEND SCHEDULE For Servers

#### **FRIDAY**

7:45 a.m. Servers arrive 8:15 a.m. Breakfast

12:00 p.m. Servers arrive

12:30 p.m. Dining room for LUNCH

5:00 p.m. Servers arrive

5:30 p.m. Dining room for DINNER

#### **SATURDAY**

7:00 a.m. Servers arrive

7:30 a.m. BREAKFAST

12:00 p.m. Servers arrive

12:30 p.m. Dining room for LUNCH

5:00 p.m. Servers arrive (Wear black pants and white shirt or top)

5:40 p.m. Dining room for DINNER

#### **SUNDAY**

7:30 a.m. Servers arrive for Breakfast

8:00 a.m. Conference room for BREAKFAST

5:00 p.m. Closing

### WEEKEND SCHEDULE Pray-In and Speakers

#### **THURSDAY**

6:30 p.m. Team arrives 7:00 p.m. Registration

7:30 p.m. Send Off

#### **FRIDAY**

9:00 a.m. Pray in for Talk # 1

9:15 a.m. Talk #1 - DISCOVERING

PRIORITIES 30 min.

11:00 a.m. Pray in for Talk # 2

11:15 a.m. Talk #2 - GOD'S GIFT OF GRACE 30 min.

1:30 p.m. Pray in for Talk # 3

1:45 p.m. Talk #3 - MINISTRY OF ALL

BELIEVERS 30 min.

3:00 p.m. Pray in for Talk # 4

3:15 p.m. Talk #4 - OUR RESPONSE TO

GRACE 30-45 min.

6:00 p.m. Pray in for Talk # 5

6:30 p.m. Talk #5 - THE WAY OF

RELATIONSHIP 30 min.

(Pray-In and Speaker Schedule continued)

#### **SATURDAY**

8:00 a.m. Pray in for Talk # 6 8:15 a.m. Talk #6 - THE TRUTH THROUGH STUDY 30 min.

9:45 a.m. Pray in for Talk #7

10:00 a.m. Talk #7 -SACRAMENTAL

GRACE 45-90 min.

2:45 p.m. Pray in for Talk #8

3:00 p.m. Talk #8 - THE LIFE OF

CHRISTIAN ACTION 30 min.

4:15 p.m. Pray in for Talk #9

4:30 p.m. Talk #9 - OBSTACLES TO GRACE

30 min.

7:00 p.m. Pray in for Talk # 10

7:15 p.m. Talk #10 - DISCIPLES 30 min.

#### **SUNDAY**

8:40 a.m. Pray in Talk # 11 8:50 a.m. Talk #11 - CHANGING OUR ENVIRONMENT 30 min. 9:45 a.m. Pray in for Talk # 12 10:00 a.m. Talk #12 – A LIFE OF GRACE 30 min.

10:45 a.m. Pray in for Talk # 13 11:00 a.m. Talk #13 - THE BODY OF CHRIST 30 min.

1:15 p.m. Pray in for Talk # 14.

1:30 p.m. Talk #14 - STAYING POWER 30 min.

2:15 p.m. Pray in for Talk # 15

2:30 p.m. Talk #15 - ESTABLISHING

PRIORITIES 30 min.

5:00 p.m. Closing

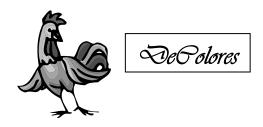


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To find Sponsor, Reservation and Volunteer Forms for the Logansport Great Banquet, please visit our web-site: <a href="www.lgngb.org">www.lgngb.org</a>

"Whenever we have an opportunity, let us work for the good of all, and especially for those of the family of faith."

--Galatians 6:10



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# Fall

Autumn ushers in such colorful scenes Of barnyards and cornfields and the land in between.

The sky seems to shout with that robin-egg blue, And the maple leaves tumble in orange-y hues.

Pumpkins lay ready, and farmers prepare For harvest and gathering. Fields soon will be bare.

The wind sends a chill through, reminding us all That God our Creator bestowed on us – Fall! (CB 2006)

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