

# NEWS & NOTES

## Thank You

Thank you so much for the cards and kind words in the loss of Roy's brother. **Roy & Mary Galyon**

## PAWS for a Cause

Thank you so much for supporting our youth group at PAWS for a Cause! We raised over \$2000 for youth scholarships! Thank you to all those who helped, made desserts, and everyone who gave! What a blessing you all are! Thank you!! **Tyler & Youth Group**

## This Wednesday

This Wednesday, there will be NO PAWS meal due to spring break. We will have classes and DMC's as usual at 6:30 PM.

## Ark Encounter Experience

We need to know if there is enough people interested in going to the **Ark Encounter** in Kentucky from **April 24-28th**. If you are interested please contact **Harold Porter at (903) 271-3098** as soon as possible **and by no later than March 19**. Harold will also be available after services today in the atrium if you have any questions or want more information.

## Grace Offering

Grace Offering is our annual contribution to support the outreach ministries of Park Avenue Church. Grace Offering will be on Easter Sunday, **April 9th**. Daisy's Little Red Wagon offering will be one week before on **April 2nd**.

## Teacher Needs

We are in need of an assistant teacher for 4-6th grade on Wednesday nights during April and May. Contact **Rachel McClure** for more information.

**Prayer List**—Larry Long, J.D. Huffman, Che Che Smith, Joyce Henshaw, Don Jones

**Ongoing Needs**—Chris Reinsch, Shawn Landrum, Larry Long, Corky & Linda Armstrong, Sandra Aynes, Bobby & Peggy Slaughter, Jim Scroggins, Roy Galyon, Patrick Mullins, Steve Black, Ronda Bigham

**Homebound**—Dewey & Joyce Martin

**Expectant Mothers**—Lauren Claborn, Whitney Allison, Melanie Truxal

**Missions**—Hammer & Dela Afakule (Togo), Mario "Pepe" Torre (Monterrey, Mexico), Jimenez family (Cartagena, Colombia), Cristian & Ana Corrales (Bucaramanga, Colombia), Jhon & Deisy Gonzalez (Bogota, Colombia), Adrian & Gabriela Galvan (Paraiso, Monterrey)

**Friends of Park Avenue**—Rebekah Taylor (great niece of the Russell's), Becky Sanchez (wife of Gil Sanchez, Director of orphanage in Mexico), Greg Oliver (father of Karee Earnhart), Ray & Marsha Jones (former members)

Please notify the church office at [office@parkavenuechurch.com](mailto:office@parkavenuechurch.com) for updates.

## Baby Shower

A baby shower for **Annabelle Levacy** will be held on Sunday, March 26 from 1:30-3:00 at the home of Naomi Detro, 2001 Deer Run, Denison, TX. Annabelle is registered at Target, Amazon, & Pottery Barn Kids.

## LifeVac Devices

We currently have four life saving devices here at Park Avenue. Two are in the main building and two are in the ARK. Each building has a Philips AED which is used for heart attack victims. Each building has a new device called a LifeVac. This device is used on choking victims. The LifeVac devices are located on a wall by the kitchen in each building. Please take the time to watch a short video explaining the proper use of each device. If you will familiarize yourself with the proper use of these devices, you may be in a position to help save a life one day. Below are the websites for access to the video for each device.

- Lifevac video - [lifevac.net/training/](http://lifevac.net/training/)
- Philips AED video - [youtube.com/watch?v=81vRL-GC0B8](https://youtube.com/watch?v=81vRL-GC0B8)

If you have any questions please contact **Jim Russell**. Thank you.

## Ladies Retreat

Our ladies will gather together for their annual retreat on **April 21-23rd** this year! We are so excited to share this time of fellowship and spiritual growth. **Becky Brooks** will be our speaker, on the theme of "Glory Just Around the Corner." Registration is now open!

## Youth Ministry

- **Sunday March 12th:** No Connect! But we do have a service opportunity for those in town. We will go to Turning Point in Durant. We will leave at 5pm from Park Avenue!
- **Saturday April 1st:** Park Avenue Youth will have a Guy's Night and also a Girl's Night! More details to come on both.
- **Summer Camps:** Registration forms for camps and mission trip is online at [pacoc.net/youth](http://pacoc.net/youth)

## For The Record—March 5, 2023

Worship	533
Offering Goal	\$19,464
Received	\$22,705

You can give online at [pacoc.net/give](http://pacoc.net/give)  
Thanks for your ongoing financial support



# The Messenger

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## Todd's Take

Good morning and welcome to our worship service. A special welcome to our guests. Let us know if you have any questions about what we are all about.

Next Sunday, March 19th we will host a reception in the Atrium honoring Billy Martindale, David Howerton and Kevin Dale who are concluding their service as Elders. During the coffee-donut fellowship time from 9:00-9:45 everyone is invited to come and visit with these men. Breakfast items will be served and we welcome cards of appreciation to these men for their service to the Park Avenue Church of Christ. We will dismiss class for that morning. Hope you can be there!

## Grace Offering

Our Grace Offering is Sunday, April 9. Our financial goal is \$156,100, almost 8 times our weekly budget. Please be prayerful about

how you can support the outreach ministries of PACOC. The Grace Offering kicks off the week before Easter on Sunday, April 2 as Daisy's Little Red Wagon makes its annual appearance for our children's coin collection. This year we have been able to add two new mission points in Colombia and Monterrey. Be on the lookout for more details in the weeks to come.



## Meet Justin Banks

Last Sunday it was announced that Justin Banks will join our leadership team as an Elder. Lantz sat down with Justin the other day for an interview which is on our YouTube page and our ForTexoma Facebook page. Take a look at it to learn more about Justin. Next Sunday we will officially install Justin as a shepherd along with reaffirming Gary, Greg, George, David, and Blake.



## RECEPTION HONORING

### BILLY, DAVID, & KEVIN

AS THEY CONCLUDE THEIR SERVICE AS ELDERS



BILLY MARTINDALE



DAVID HOWERTON



KEVIN DALE

## Sunday Schedule

### Adult Bible Class

9AM Room D

### Worship

10:00 AM

### Children Dismissed to Bible Classes at

10:45-11:30AM

0 - 3 Year Olds—Nursery Area  
Pre K-6th Grade—Family Life Center

### Youth Group Activities

5:30-7:30PM

### Discipleship Making Communities (DMC's)

Meet at various times and locations. Contact Lantz Howard for more information.

Scan the QR code below for links to the communication card, news, and giving.



## MINISTERS

Todd Catteau, Preaching Minister

Tyler Cope, Youth Minister

Lantz Howard, Discipleship Minister

Basil McClure, Worship & Outreach Minister

Rachel McClure, Children & Family Minister

## SHEPHERDS

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