The HOME JOURNAL



As the hustle and bustle of the holiday season winds down at Carpenter Place, all attention shifts to the annual Daughters of the King Ladies Brunch. This is one of our favorite events of the year and one that everyone at Carpenter Place looks forward to!



This year's theme is *"Hope Grows Here"*. Our mission at Carpenter Place is to "nurture deeply hurting girls to restored relationships with God, family, and community." Every day, we strive to show them the hope they have in Christ.

We are excited to welcome our guest speaker, JL Gerhardt. JL is an author, speaker, wife, and mother. She was previously the Storytelling Minister at the Round Rock Church of Christ. Her husband, Justin, is the creator of the *"Holy Ghost Stories"* podcast.

The Carpenter Place girls will once again entertain us with their beautiful singing, directed by housemom Kayti Allen. Kayti works tirelessly with the girls all year, teaching a music class as part of their curriculum. They did a fabulous job last year, and we are looking forward to listening to them again!

In addition to a delicious brunch, a wonderful speaker, and amazing entertainment, we are also offering an online silent auction with terrific items to bid on.

Tickets are still on sale and can be purchased through our ticketing website or by calling 316-942-3221 ext. 3. To purchase online, click the QR code below to visit the site. Create an account, sign in, and purchase individual tickets or a table of 8 or 10.

The brunch is being held on **Saturday, February 10, 2024**, at **9 a.m**. at the **Crestview Country Club** at 1000 N. 127th St. E in Wichita. Bidding for the online Silent Auction will begin one week prior to the brunch.



CROSSBAR CAMP



Each year, the girls and houseparents attend Crossbar Camp. They camp in tents, fish, enjoy nature, have Bible studies, complete art projects, and so much more! This year, they also participated in the first annual Crossbar Cow Patty Throwing Contest! It was an instant success & favorite of everyone...well, almost everyone!





AROUND CAMPUS

The holidays are a fun & busy time on campus! This year, we were gifted tickets to Wild Lights at the Sedgwick County Zoo as well as fabulous floor seats to see Corteo by Cirque du Soleil.

In December, the girls performed at the Crestview Country Club during their Holiday Ladies Luncheon. They also sang at the Copperstone Retirement Center.

The girls learned how to make authentic Filipino foods with our friend Remy. They also started a new sewing project with Charlene. We love our volunteers!



















GIFTS RECEIVED

In Memory Of...

Pat Brundage

Lawrence & Joan Hemberger Thomas & Louise Kirkwood Marvin & Brenda Kline

Elizabeth (Liz) Burr Tim & Robin Burr Marvin Casebolt Margie Casebolt **Rick & Gary Dunagan** Vera Maninger Hugh & Audrey Dunlap Gerald & Susan Vinson **Bradley Everhart** Kathleen Venable Laureen Mary Gogocha Steve & Becky Clark Roy Goodwyn Steve & Becky Clark Jean Hager Steve & Becky Clark **Frank Hancock**

Derby Church of Christ

Ruby Hornbaker James & Vera Lankford Robert & Lucile Horsman Lynda Fairleigh Deanna Johnson Gwen Sevart **Stanley Klein** Nellie Klein **Bill & Miriam McCubbin** Greg & Sharon McCubbin Verna Milburn Butch & Verna Neel John Pair Lloyd & Karen Liby Coco Rogers Steve & Becky Clark Phillip Sadler **Phyllis Sadler** Mickey Saffell Leonard Saffell Frank Wooden Shawna Wooden

In Honor Of...

Maime Bailey Mara Feril Carpenter Place Employees Barbara Carden Carpenter Place Students, Staff, & families Randall & Marilyn Wells Greg & Debra Carr Margaret Benefiel **Richard & Pam James** Anonymous John & Karin Kuhn Paul & Janice Harding Phoebe McDavid James & Peggy Wilson John Morrison Wichita 2 KS Catholic Schoolhouse



NEEDS LIST



Items in red are especially needed at this time.

- Bottled juice
- Overnight & regular pads
- Tampons (plastic applicator, super)
- Refried beans
- Tomato soup
- Enchilada sauce
- Canned chicken
- Aluminum
- Foil
- Honey
- Nonstick cooking spray
- Parchment paper
- · Velveeta cheese
- Muffin mix
- Cream of Mushroom soup
- Individually wrapped snacks
- Grape/Strawberry Jelly
- Crackers/Chex Mix/Pretzels
- 100% juice of any kind Sunny Delight
- Condiments: Mayonnaise, mustard, Hidden Valley Ranch, Italian dressing, honey mustard, BBQ sauce
- Peanut Butter
- Toothpaste
- Saltine Crackers
- Canned Mandarin oranges
- · Diced green chilies
- · Swiffer dry/wet cloths
- Small hand soaps
- Body Wash
- Shaving cream (no razors, please)
- Toilet paper & paper towels
- Laundry detergent
- · Small, plastic condiment cups w/lids
- Plastic utensils
- Ziploc bags freezer gallon size
- Trash bags Kitchen (13 gal) & Bathroom sizes
- Dishwasher soap pacs