



April 5, 2007

Dear Prayer Partners,

Just a brief report this week. I will have a more detailed update for you next week and a full report on our opening service!

A TIME OF JOY

Psalm 98:4 Shout joyfully to the LORD, all the earth;
Break forth and sing for joy and sing praises.

It is hard to believe that it is already here. On Sunday we launch Lake Cities Community Church, by God's grace and with much anticipation. It is praise upon praise. Celebrating the resurrection of Christ, and the birth of a new church. Thank you for your faithful prayers and partnership over the last year. It is a milestone and, we trust, the beginning of a work that will continue for years to come.

PRAY FOR US THIS WEEK:

If you could take a moment this week and pray for...

- The logistics of Sunday's service to go well. Technology being at the top of that list.
- The bowling alley has not been able to fix their projector – the new bulb may come in tomorrow. Pray that it does!
- That we would be ready with all the details of the service. From signs, to kid's bulletins to new visitor information packets (oh... and the sermon!)
- For the Lord to work mightily during the service.

UPCOMING DATES:

- **Easter, April 8, 2007, 10am - Sun. – FIRST PUBLIC SERVICE of Lake Cities Community! Meeting room at the Rowlett Bowl-a-Rama!**

CHURCH PLANTING QUOTE OF THE WEEK:

Something on the lighter side for this week (some are true for us... ☺)

You know you are in a church plant when...

- Your spouse is ill – and attendance dips 20%
- Anything that breathes is counted in Sunday attendance.
- You say, "Will the usher please come forward."
- Every piece of furniture has to be put away after the service.
- The phone number of the church and the pastor are the same.

- You awake from a dream in which everyone who has ever visited your church comes back.
- Even buckets of air freshener on Sundays cannot remove the smell of smoke and sweat in the rented sanctuary from the other six days.
- Infants can crawl from the nursery to the pulpit in 19.3 seconds.
- You need to talk to the church chairman, Sunday School superintendent and treasurer – but he is gone this week.

- By Rich Geigert, 1001 Quotes, Illustrations and Humorous Stores, p. 553-554

E-MAIL LIST INFORMATION:

The purpose of this e-mail list is to encourage prayer for the planting of Lake Cities Community Church. The anticipated launch date is... in 3 days!!!!

With joy,

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