

Westminster Presbyterian Church
Upcoming Events, News, and Prayer List 11/12/2024

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Nov 17 Congregational Meeting to elect new Elder, following worship service**
- Nov 17 12:30 – 3:00 PM Devonshire Neighborhood Chili Cook-off on front lawn (see flyer below)**
- Nov 19 10:30 Book Club meets and will continue discussion of “The Heaven and Earth Grocery Store” and also have a book exchange.**
- Nov 21 9:30 AM – 12:30 PM Making Memories/Caregivers Morning Out in Fellowship Hall**
- Nov 23 9:00 – 12:00 Hanging of the Greens and WORKDAY with St. Patrick’s Anglican Church**
- Nov 28 & 29 Office Closed for Thanksgiving Holiday**

Prayer List:

Rev. Dr. Blacklock, who is recovering from heart surgery. He is doing better, but tires easily. He was able to walk half way around the block yesterday. He’ll see the doctor and have a chest x-ray on Friday. If you’d like to send a card, his address is: 5725 Mariposa Dr.
McKinney, TX 75070

Tom Fearson, who is recovering from a recent stroke and his wife and caregiver, Gloria

Nancy Morton’s sister, Karen, who is recovery from surgery following a lengthy illness

Toni Cammack’s daughter, Ellen, who is home after a lengthy hospital stay, including surgeries for treatment of MRSA

Chris Stanley, who has had a lingering cough lately, and Mike who takes good care of Chris all day every day.

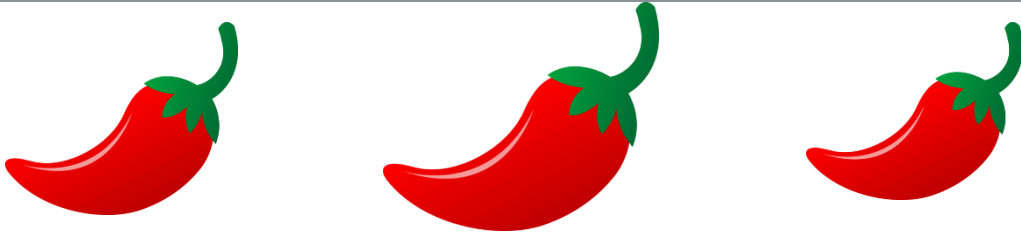
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Stewardship Drive Update

Just a reminder that pledges need to be received in our office by the end of the year in order to budget for 2025.

2024		2025	
Pledges	60,420	Pledges	72,350
Count	18	Count	18

November 11, 2024



What: Devonshire Neighborhood Association Chili Cook Off

When: This Sunday, November 17th from 1:30-3:30 pm

Where: North parking lot of Westminster Presbyterian Church

Entrance: \$5 for DNA Members and \$10 for non-members

Raffle tickets: 3 for \$10

Why: The proceeds raised from this event go toward increasing our neighborhood patrol hours and continuing to make Devonshire a safe and wonderful place to live!

It is going to be a great day for your whole family to come out and taste some chili, win raffle prizes and enjoy visiting with your neighbors.

The competition for bragging rights will be tough! 13 teams, including Grateful Red, Chili Con Carney, Los Diablos, Married with Chili and Make Chili Great Again, will be trying to earn your votes!

This year's judges are:

- Lisa Georgalis, Owner of NIKKI
- Doug O'Neal, Devonshire UPS
- Officer Joel Bennett, Devonshire Patrol

The judges will determine the 1st and 2nd place winners. And you will pick your favorite for the People's Choice winner.

We have wonderful raffle items donated by Devonshire friends and local businesses! The impressive list of raffle items we have gathered so far is below. But stay tuned - more items will be available at the event!

Sports:

Donations from Scottie Scheffler and Josh Smith - Priceless

Retail:

Susan Saffron/\$250 gift card
St. Bernard/ \$250 gift card, SB hat and hydroflask
Wolo/\$100 gift card
Mary Cate's/\$50 gift card
Allure Intimate Apparel/\$75 gift card
Apricot Lane/\$100 gift card
Nikki Smith/Jewelry and \$25 gift card
Sample House/\$25 gift card
Nicholson Hardie/Floral arrangement, \$200 value

Food/Restaurants:

Campisi/ \$100 gift card
Pogo's/ \$100 gift card, cap and wine opener
Chip's/ \$50 gift card
Perch Restaurant/ \$50 gift card
Ten50 BBQ/ \$250 gift card
Campisi's/ \$100 gift card
Doughbird/\$50 gift card
Krista Cappuccetti/Collection of Chocolates
Sushi House/\$50 gift card (2)
Odelay/\$100 gift card
Rafa's/\$100 gift card

Kids:

Kid Biz/\$50 Gift Card
Toys Unique/\$100 Gift Card

Pets:

Lucky Dog Barkery/Treats and Toys worth \$100
Hollywood Feed/ Bag of goodies worth \$230
RAW by Canines First/Treats and food
Modern Animal/\$199 annual membership (2)

Beauty/ Wellness:

Cole Lifestyle Clinic/ One hour massage (2)
Jean Phillippe Salon/\$180 gift card
Johnny Rodriguez Salon/\$150 gift card

In-kind donations provided by j. rae's and Lover's Pizza and Pasta.

Activities include:

- Inflatable open top play area for little ones (Parental supervision IS required)
- Bounce house for the not so little ones
- Live Music

We owe a big **THANK YOU** to our sponsors for their generous contributions. These Devonshire friends exceeded expectations and more than funded this event. All event proceeds and remaining funds after expenses will go directly to support patrol hours.

Platinum Level Sponsors

- Becky Frey Real Estate Group
- Catherine Osborne
- Creekview Custom Homes
- Piper Real Estate Collective
- Sendera Title
- The Moms of Devonshire

Gold Level Sponsors

- Ten50 BBQ

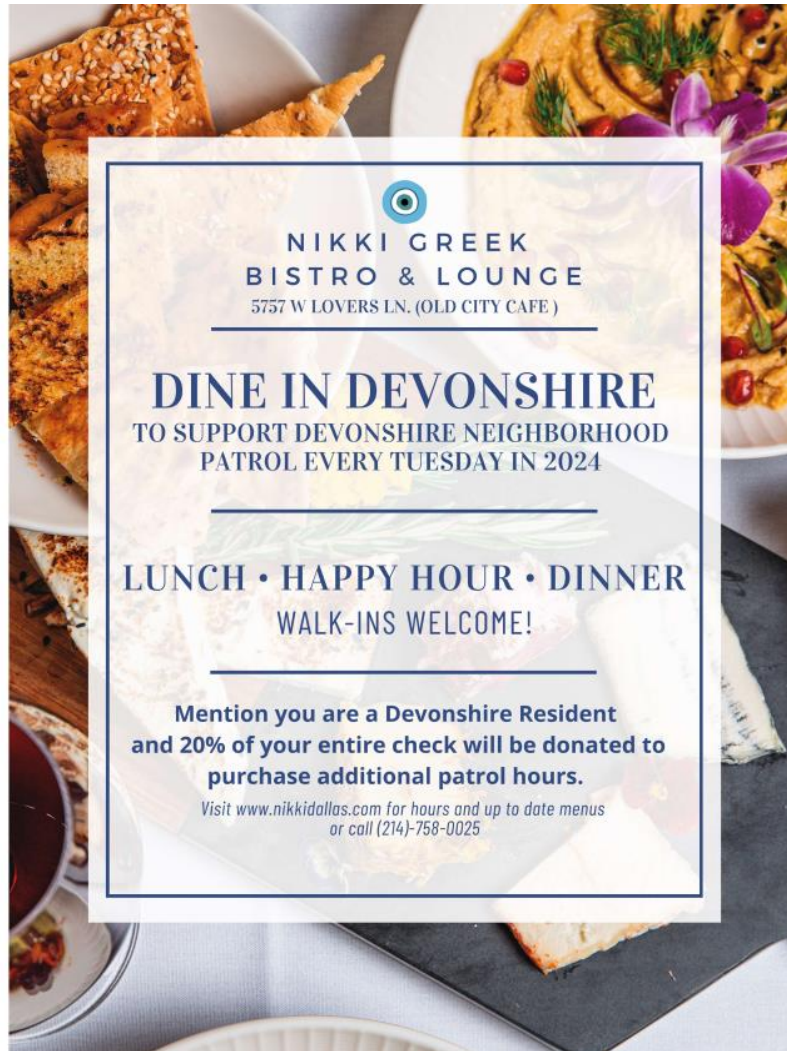
Bronze Level Sponsors

- LRO Residential

Cash, Checks, Credit Cards and Venmo will be accepted for entry fees, raffle tickets, new or renewal of DNA memberships and extra patrol contributions.

See you on Sunday and May the Best Chili Win!!!!!!!!!!!!

ps: Don't forget to enjoy a meal at NIKKI on a Tuesday and let your server know you live in Devonshire. 20% of your bill will be donated to fund patrol hours.



The Devonshire Neighborhood Association website is updated with the latest and greatest:

Church Membership Directories are available. You can pick up in the Narthex on Sunday mornings, or in the office during the week. If you'd like to have a directory mailed to you, please call Lisa in the office at (214) 351-3251.

WPPK Christmas Giving Project : 11/11-12/6

Westminster participates in a Christmas Giving Project each year. This project is a wonderful way for WPPK families to serve our local community while allowing our students to have a meaningful philanthropic experience. This service project not only provides our recipients with great joy, but it also gives our children the opportunity to practice the joy in giving to other children in need.

We are excited to be partnering with The Family Place for the second year in a row! The Family Place empowers survivors of family violence by providing safe housing, counseling, and skills that create independence while building community engagement and advocating for social change to stop family violence.

Starting next Monday, November 11th, WPPK Families will be asked to provide new unwrapped toys, gifts, and general-needs items for survivors engaged with The Family Place. The gifts will be used in The Family Place's annual "Holiday Shops" at each emergency shelter, where moms are empowered to pick out gifts for their children. The WPPK Kindergarten class will be delivering all the collected items to The Family Place on December 9th.

Here is an Amazon wishlist to use when shopping:

https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/1RB3JK99RM42R?ref=wl_share

