**Student Ministries of Quail Springs Church of Christ** 

# Higher Ground Student Ministries



## Special points of inter-

April 9th-Spaghetti& Auction

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- ♦ April 16th-Easter No H20
- ♦ April 19th- Detroit Metropolitan Youth Chorus
- April 23rd-Cross & Crown
- ♦ April 30th-H20
- May 7th-Senior Sunday

# **Messages From Mark**

We have a crazy, busy spring ahead of us. The opportunities to be involved and grow spiritually abound!

Sundays in April we start a new series, Authority Issues! "Don't tell me what to do!" It's the rebellious cry of our free-thinking, egodriven society. From freshmen to seniors, we all have authority issues. But our defiance breeds discontent-an empty space between us and God. In this series we learn to recon-

nect with God. We first learn that we must recognize His authority, and then shed our own authority issues.

Wednesdays in April we start a series on Spiritual Warfare. All of us battle the temptations that Satan throws our way. We all struggle with being the person God wants us to be. There is help provided for the Christian in this war. Spiritual Warfare will be our theme for small group

discussions on April 12 & 26.

#### Goodbye Eryen, for now!

Lastly, we will say goodbye to Eryen for the summer. She will be spending the summer in New Zealand working with churches there. Her last day with us will be Wednesday, April 26th. Please pray for her work and also for her safety. She will be returning to us in the fall. Yippee!!! We will look forward to having her back, and also to hearing some great stories. (Are there security guards to hug in New Zealand?)

Serving With You, Mark

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Mystery Trip 2006....is it Tennessee, Texas, California ?? Florida???



Where oh where will it be? The annual question that produces much speculation, wild guessing, deception, intrigue and trickery! Can you weasel it out of an intern in a weak moment? Are the random papers Mark leaves laying around really random, or just a ploy to fool you? Do your parents really know? Does Mark Henderson know?

It's that time of year again! Summer 2006 is upon us, and another Mystery Trip is in the works. Stay tuned.....

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## **Classes in April**

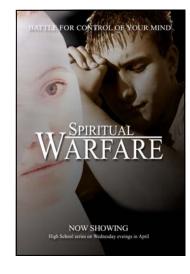


#### **Classes on Sunday**

Starts @ 9:25

**Classes on Wednesday** 

Starts @ 7:00



#### Summer Missions Reminders

If you are going to Honduras, hopefully you have started the process of getting your passport, if not, GET ON THE BALL!

Seriously, there is much to be done, and we hope you are making progress. It is also time to send out your support letters. We know that you haven't done that yet, because no checks have started coming in to the office!! So get those letters mailed ASAP.

There are Mission Team meetings each week. The Honduras Team is meeting each Wednesday evening before class at 6:00 in the pit. These meetings are mandatory. If you are not going to make a meeting, you must call Mark and let him know.

The team going to St. Louis will start weekly meetings in May. These will also be at 6:00 on Wednesdays in the youth room.

### **News and Notes**

Metropolitan Detroit

**Youth Chorus** 

Wednesday, April 19, we will be hosting this group of 94 high school students for dinner and a concert to follow. Show up early to eat pizza with us. We still need host homes for the kids for that night. Contact Gary Bruce for more details. Java with Jesus

Java with Jesus continues weekly through the school year. Tuesdays in Edmond at the Starbucks on Broadway, and Thursdays in OKC at the Starbucks on NW Highway and Rockwell. Both sites start

@ 7:00 A.M.

Auction & Lunch Totals

This past Sunday saw another successful Spaghetti Lunch and Auction. The official totals are not in yet, but it looks like a record breaker! As of this writing, unofficial totals are at \$17,000 raised for summer missions. Way to go Quail!

## **Hangouts and Birthdays**

**Hangouts for April** 

April 23rd— Cross and Crown— It's our last time to lead worship at Cross and Crown this school year. Meet at Quail at 5:00, and return by 7:30. April 30th– H2O @
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Adam Avey- 13th

Navotni Minter- 25th

Amy Lemming - 26th