

Confections

Connecting you to gobs of desserts around Kossuth.

Recipe for the Week

April 1, 2009

Dirt Pudding

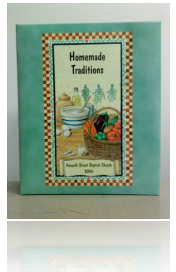
Kristy Bennett

- 1 (8-oz.) pkg. cream cheese
- 1 c. powdered sugar
- 1 lg. box instant vanilla pudding
- 2½ c. milk
- 1 tsp. vanilla
- 1 (8-oz.) container Cool Whip
- 1 pkg. Oreo cookies (possibly more)

Mix cream cheese with powdered sugar. Set aside. Mix vanilla pudding with milk. Beat 2 minutes and set aside. When pudding is set, combine cream cheese mixture with pudding mixture. Add vanilla and Cool Whip. Mix well. Crush entire package of Oreo cookies. Place a layer of crushed cookies in bottom of bowl or flower pot. Add layer of pudding mixture. Repeat this process 1 or 2 more times. Leave some crumbled cookies for last layer of “top-

soil.” May garnish with silk flowers!

For more recipes, stop by the church office to buy the official KSBC “Homemade Traditions” cookbook! Now selling for only \$11 or best offer!



The Word on the Street

Important Family Gathering vote

Pastor Don Whipple

While reading in my Bible this morning, I ran across a verse that I found very convicting: “How sweet are your words to my taste, sweeter than honey to my mouth!” (Ps 119:103). That is when I realized that KSBC has fallen short in the area of understanding how sweet God’s words really are.

For this reason, I am asking us to vote this Sunday evening at Family Gathering on a proposal to cancel Sunday morning services in favor of watching Food Network specials which will teach us how to make delicious baked goods. If we can begin to understand the sweetness of a fresh apple pie or strawberry crepe, then perhaps we can begin to learn how sweet God’s words are to us.

I have not brought this before the Advisory Council as of yet, but to me it seems like such a good idea that it’s basically a slam dunk for approval. Imagine how much time our pastoral staff could save if we didn’t have to prepare for Sunday services! And if there’s anything that can bring the body of Christ together, it’s a giant sheet of ice cream cake.

Have a great day in the Lord!

Invite your friends!

While we plan on canceling Sunday morning services in the future, our Easter and Good Friday services are still a great opportunity to invite friends or family to church. At staff meeting this morning, we talked about a few simple ways that we could use delicious sweets to do this:



- Everyone likes chocolate, and everyone also likes bunnies. So it stands to reason that everyone will love chocolate bunnies. It wouldn’t be a bad idea at all to buy up every last chocolate bunny in the local grocery store and leave them in your friends’ mailboxes with an invitation to Easter service. In fact, Marty Dittmar has informed us that he would be glad to receive many such invitations.
- If you’re willing to “up the ante” a little, you may consider renting an Easter Bunny costume and delivering a basket of chocolate eggs to a friend in person. Then invite them to our Easter service. What are they gonna do, turn down the Easter Bunny?
- If you’re trying to deliver sweets to people in an apartment complex, but they won’t answer the door, you can always try pulling the fire alarm to flush them out of their hiding places. In fact, you may want to line up a few church vans ahead of time so that you can direct the crowds of panicking evacuees into the vans and off to our morning services!

A new source of revenue

Pastor Tim Depue

You may remember that at our annual congregational business meeting in December, we had talked about how we as a church could tighten our budget in keeping with trying economic times. A couple weeks after the meeting, near the end of a 12-hour staff brainstorming session, we came up with a creative way to improve our money flow, quickly pay off our debt, and support more missionaries.

Effective May 1, we will no longer be known

as “Kossuth Street Baptist Church” but as “Klondike® Bar Baptist Church.” When we added the 501(c)3 stipulations to our church constitution back in February, we slipped our new church name into the fine print. Thank you for your willingness to vote for this new revenue source!

Good Humor-Breyers, the owners of the rights to the Klondike® Bar, have agreed to pay our church \$20,000 a month for incorporating their product into our name. They have asked us to please be sure to pronounce the ® as “registered trademark” when saying our church’s name aloud. Also, five minutes of Pastor’s sermon each week will be devoted to advertisements for Klondike® products.

Isn’t God’s provision wonderful?

THIS WEEK AT KOSSUTH

Thursday	April 2
SLCF Prayer & Pastries	7:00 pm
Friday	April 3
High School Youth Dare 2 Sherbet	4:00 pm
Saturday	April 4
Baklava Clinic	9:00 am
Sunday	April 5
SLCF Pie Time	8:00 am
Family Gathering	6:00 pm
High School Youth Desserts	7:30 pm