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Enjoy the warmth
of the Season

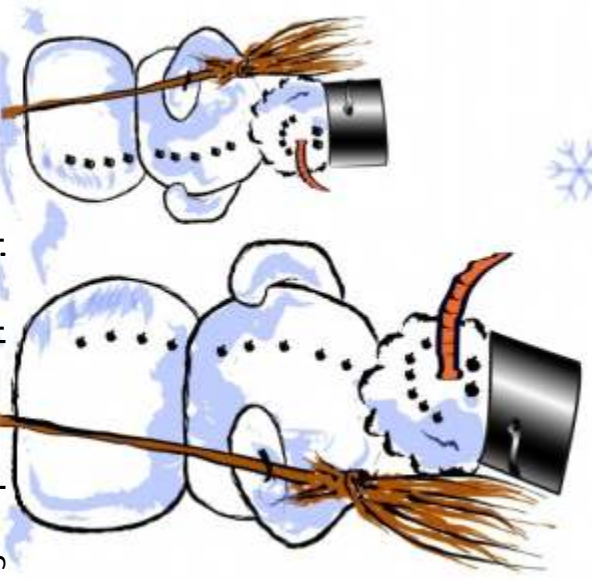


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CRISIS PREGNANCY OUTREACH

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Crisis Pregnancy Outreach is a full-service agency meeting the needs of young women facing unplanned pregnancies and couples hoping to adopt.

info? 918.296.3677 or www.crisispregnancyoutreach.org

God Danced the Day You Were Born



Lucas Dominick

9-18-06

8 lbs., 4 oz. & 21 inches

Birth Mom: Jayme

Adoptive Parents:

Steve and Kim

Tate Jaxon

10-03-06

7 lbs., 3 oz. & 20 inches

Mom: Kiki

Elaina Lynn

Born: 12-6-05

Adoption Plan Made: 10-4-06

Birth Mom: Alessa

Adoptive Parents:

Nick and Becky

Natalie Mae

10-07-06

2 lbs., 13 oz. & 16 ¼ inches

Birth Mom: Brandi

Adoptive Parents:

Brad and Jennifer

Kayla Lynn

10-12-06

8 lbs., 13 oz.

Mom: Kyla

Leilye Jean

10-18-06

6 lbs., 6 oz. & 20 inches

Birth Mom: Lisa

Adoptive Parents:

Fred and Carrie

Erinn Keli

10-18-06

8 lbs., 13 oz. & 21 inches

Mom: Lyndsey

Isaiah Eugene

11-8-06

7 lbs., 13 oz.

20.5 inches

Mom: Britany

AN EVENING TO Remember

CRISIS PREGNANCY OUTREACH
3RD ANNUAL FUNDRAISING BANQUET

PLEASE JOIN US
FRIDAY, APRIL 20TH, 2006
FOR A SPECIAL EVENING OF
1940'S GLAMOUR AT
THE MAYO HOTEL

SILENT AUCTION BEGINS AT 6:00 PM

MASTER OF CEREMONIES
LEANNE TAYLOR OF KOTV CHANNEL 6

LIVE AUCTION BY JAY LITCHFIELD

DINNER CATERED BY MERSHON CATERING

KEEPSAKE PHOTOGRAPHY BY
STEVEN MICHAEL'S PHOTOGRAPHY

SEMI-FORMAL ATTIRE

Life Chain Sunday

Christian Chapel has participated in Life Chain Sunday for the past 16 years. Once again, the Body of Christ at CC lined both sides of Memorial from 71st to 81st. We held signs that said things like, "Adoption is a Loving Option," "Jesus Forgives and Heals," etc. We stood there from 11:30-12:30 and prayed for the lives of unborn children, and their mothers. Let us not forget that almost one million unborn children are killed each year, in America. Later in the afternoon, we received word of a woman whose husband was pressuring her to get an abortion, and she went for a drive and saw the signs, and felt that was God's message to her, to not give in to her husband's pressure. If your church would like to stand as a silent witness, next year, please call Pastor Danny Isgrigg @ 250-2575, extension 17.



The people brought children to Jesus, hoping that He might touch them. The disciples shooed them off. But, Jesus was irate and let them know it: "Don't push these children away. Don't ever get between them and me. These children are at the very center of life in the kingdom. Mark this: "Unless you accept God's kingdom in the simplicity of a child, you'll never get in." Then, gathering the children up in His arms, He laid His hands of blessing on them.

Mark 10:13-16
The Message Bible



As the new year approaches, there are great opportunities at CPO to serve others, as Christ serves us. And as you give the gift of yourself, God will bless you above and beyond what you could have ever imagined. So take some time and give one of the contacts bellow a call.

Baby & Personal Showers
Tracie Roesslein, 520-8400, needs help with planning & refreshments

Transportation
Can you drive one ½ day a month? Call Tonia Brown @ 366-2032

Mentors
Mentors needed. If you are interested, call Jennifer Bauman @ 296-5426

Host Families
Are you able to open your heart & home to a girl during her pregnancy? Call Jackie Potter @ 743-3845

Furniture/Clothes
Furniture and household items are needed for the girls to set-up their own homes. If you have a donation, we will gladly arrange to pick it up. Also, if you can donate maternity or baby clothes, please contact Tracie Roesslein @ 520-8400

Financial Support
Your financial support helps to provide such things as prescriptions, clothing, childbirth classes, counseling and dental care for our girls. Mail your tax deductible donation to CPO, P.O. Box 1113, Jenks, OK 74037.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

The **Grace Girls Christmas Party** is on December 12, at 6:00 p.m., at Christian Chapel. If you would like to help with refreshments or games, please call Jennifer Bauman @ 296-5426.

Thank You!

We would like to thank **Dr. Micah Bevins** for the amazing dental work he did for one of our girls. You are awesome, Dr. Bevins!

Our sincere thanks go to **Maryann Lamer**, who has taken on the job of writing Grant Proposals to present to many foundations, on our behalf. You are a direct answer to our prayers, Maryann.

We are so grateful to **Nathan Hostetler** of **Accurate Auto Body**, for his tremendous help in repairing a car for one of our girls. You have been such a faithful friend to CPO, Nathan!

Once again, we would like to express our gratitude to **Dr. Randy Segnar**, for continuing to provide dental care for a number of our girls. You are such a blessing, Dr. Segnar!

Tulsa Bible Church blessed us with a large number of comforters for our girls. Thank you so much for always thinking of CPO, TBC!!

We would like to thank **Christian Chapel** for their faithful support of CPO, in so many ways. We hold all of our Grace Girl activities, Waiting Families' Workshops, planning meetings, Adoptive Family Support Group Meetings, and parties at the church. We are so grateful for the Love Offering that was given on Life Chain Sunday! You all are a tremendous blessing to CPO!

Today's Kid, in Owasso, donated new baby clothing for our parenting girls. Thank you so much, Cindy!

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

The **Adoptive Moms Support Group**, with Jane Waters
Meets Last Tuesday of the Month
New Location: Anglican Church of St. Paul,
located in the old Methodist Church,
at 2nd and Main, in Owasso

A POEM FOR MY BIRTHMOTHER

By Kristen

*My mom has always told me
That you loved me from the start.
You've always thought about me
Even though we had to part.*

*I called you "birthday mommy,"
I knew you gave me birth.
I thought that I was lucky,
I had two mothers on this earth.*

*I'm glad you chose my family,
I love my mom and dad.*

*I know the choice was hard for you,
And sometimes you felt sad.*

*So I want to say "thank you,"
Though I know it caused you strife.*

*I'm very, very grateful
That you chose to give me life!*



Kristen and her
birth mom, Jennifer

Cheryl Said

Dear Friends,

As this year draws to an end, I am so grateful to God that CPO has, once again, provided a loving, viable alternative for many young women who have found themselves in crisis pregnancies. A large number of these women have made Adoption Plans for their little ones, while others have made Parenting Plans. We are committed to providing Parenting Classes, as well as a Support Group for Birth Moms.

Crisis Pregnancy Outreach is in its 24th year, and I am amazed at all of the miracles I have witnessed, during these years. I would never have envisioned the comprehensive program that we are able to offer. I am glad that God did not reveal all of it to me, at the beginning, as I am afraid I would have taken off running in the opposite direction!!

I would like to draw your attention to the photo on the cover of this issue. The Weierbach Family epitomizes a family that wanted to be a "family for a child." They were not waiting for a child to "make them a family." Allie (15) was the first child to join the family, when she was 8 years old. Abigail (almost 3) came home with them from the hospital, when she was only 2 days old. Jawan, Azzayah, and Matia found this "forever home," almost a year ago, when they were 5, 7, and 8 years old. Dayne and Cindy are committed to nurturing all of their children, and helping them to become all that God created them to be. As I watch these kiddos blossoming in their care, I am reminded that God knew, all along who would parent them. His ways are so much higher than our ways.

We will be forever grateful to their Birth Moms, Barbara, Monica, and Jeannie, for giving these children the gift of life. These women will always be our heroes.

I would ask that you consider CPO, when planning your "end-of-year" giving. We want to always be here for young women and their little ones. It is your financial help that allows us to minister God's love to hurting women. As most of you know, no one at CPO receives any financial compensation, and our overhead is very small, so the money that comes in is spent on the needs of these precious women. Our needs are huge right now, and our resources are small. Your gift can make a difference in the life of a young woman and her child.

Christmas Blessings to each one,

Cheryl

P. S. The Weierbach's were chosen for the "Celebration of Created Families Award" by the OK Adoption Coalition, for 2006!

