

## **Fall Creek Falls**

This years Fall Creek Falls Family Retreat was another joy. We left on Monday in warm weather clothes and returned Thursday in jackets. We had about 40 people attend this year. Our food and fellowship, and fun were all a blessing. I am very thankful to Jill Travis, who took care of ordering the food, Randy O'Bryan and John Harrington for driving the vans, and everyone who helped with the cooking and cleaning once we arrived. The ranger said that we left the place in much better shape than we found it, which has become a yearly statement from him. I am so thankful for the group that goes. The time spent hiking together, eating together, studying together, praying together, and playing together leads to the building up of the body of Christ. Go ahead and mark you calendars for next year. It will be the Monday-Thursday of Fall Break (October 8-11).

## **Youth Devotional**

I want to thank Kyle and Joy Farris and the girls for opening up their home for the youth devotional last Sunday evening. We had a good turnout. Our devotionals are very important. They provide opportunities for our young people to worship, fellowship, and build stronger relationships with each other. Please encourage your teens to attend every youth devotional. If they miss one they are really missing out.

## **Youth-Led Worship**

This Sunday evening the young men will be leading us in worship. Because of travel and speaking engagements the usual fifth Sunday youth-led worship will be done on the fourth Sunday evening. Please be praying for them in their preparation for Sunday. Our young men will be praying, reading God's word, leading singing, and delivering messages to us from God's word.

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I pray that you are having a great week, and that you are inviting someone to worship with us Sunday.

In Him,  
Craig