



## Church Marquees

When we travel to the city of Jackson, I always pause when we leave the Lexington Square and pass a church on the outskirts of the town. I thoroughly enjoy reading the church's marquee messages for the week. I don't know who is responsible, but they never disappoint. I ran across some other classic messages that I would like to share with you.

Remember that Proverbs 17:22 tells us "A merry heart doeth good like medicine."

\*Too Hot to Keep Changing Sign, Sin Bad Jesus Good, Details Inside  
 \*Too Cold to Change Sign, Message Inside  
 \*"Don't Make Me Come Down There" signed God  
 \*How do we make the Holy water? We boil the hell out of it!  
 \*"I hate this church" signed Satan  
 \*Tweet others as you would like to be tweeted  
 \*Sin burns is protected by son screens

\*Forgive your enemies – It will mess with their heads  
 \*I wish Noah would have swatted those 2 mosquitoes  
 \*Whoever stole our AC units – Just keep them. It is hot where you are going  
 \*Morning Sermon: "Preparing for Marriage"  
 Evening Sermon: "A Look at Hell"  
 \*Lent – Not just for the bellybutton  
 \*Be the kind of person your pet thinks you are  
 \*Do not criticize your wife's judgement – Look at who she married  
 \*Acting perfect in church is like dressing up for an X-ray  
 \*If God had a refrigerator, your picture would be on it  
 \*May all your troubles be as short as your New Year's resolutions  
 \*What do you call a sleep-walking nun? A Roamin' Catholic  
 \*Our Sundays are better than Dairy Queen  
 \*Trust in God – but lock your car  
 \*If your life stinks, we have a pew for you  
 I hope you will give this week's recipes a try. Thanks for reading.

### CORN and PIMIENTO CHEESE DIP

2 (11 oz.) cans corn, drained  
 2 (4 oz.) jars diced pimiento, drained  
 2 cups shredded cheddar cheese  
 ½ tsp. garlic salt  
 1 (8 oz.) sour cream  
 1 cup mayonnaise  
 3 green onions, sliced  
 Mix all ingredients and refrigerate until serving with your favorite chips and crackers.

### MUSHROOM RICE CASSEROLE

¼ cup butter

½ lb. sliced fresh mushrooms  
 1 ½ cup rice, uncooked  
 3 ½ cup beef broth  
 2 Tbsp. minced dried onion  
 1 (1 oz.) pkg. au jus gravy mix  
 ½ tsp. oregano  
 Salt and Pepper to taste  
 Melt butter in a large skillet add mushrooms and rice; cook for 5 minutes until golden. Add remaining ingredients; stir to combine. Bring to a boil and reduce heat to Low. Cover and cook for 20 minutes until all liquid is absorbed and rice is tender.

### PECAN RUM CAKE

1 pkg. yellow cake mix  
 1 (3 oz.) pkg. vanilla pudding mix  
 ½ cup cold water  
 ½ cup vegetable oil  
 ½ cup rum  
 4 eggs  
 2 cups chopped pecans

In a large bowl, mix first 6 ingredients; stir in chopped pecans. Pour into a greased and floured Bundt cake pan. Bake at 325 degrees for 55 – 60 minutes until toothpick comes out clean. Cool 10 minutes while preparing glaze.

Glaze:  
 1 stick butter  
 1 cup sugar  
 ¼ cup water  
 ½ cup rum  
 Pinch of flaked sea salt  
 Melt butter and add sugar and water. Bring to a boil and stir for 5 minutes until syrupy. Add rum and a pinch of salt. Invert cake onto serving dish and poke holes in cake. Pour glaze over and cool cake completely.  
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