



FPC News

First Presbyterian
Church

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February 1, 2008

Please join us in welcoming Art & Sandy King at a Covered Dish Luncheon on Sunday, February 17th following the 11am worship service. Please bring your favorite dishes and enough food to feed your family.

Mark Your Calendars!

The Sr. High Youth Yard Sale will be held Sat., Feb. 9th in the Harper Center. Donations may be brought to the Harper Center beginning Mon., Feb. 4th.

WHAT'S GOING ON HERE?

A CLOSER LOOK AT WHAT WE'RE DOING AND WHY WE GATHER TO WORSHIP TOGETHER.

A six week Lenten study will be conducted at three different times weekly beginning on Sunday, Feb. 10th at 5pm in the Chapel.

Two additional sessions will be held on Wednesdays, one at 10:30 a.m. and one at 6:00 p.m. (in the chapel). Folks are encouraged to attend whenever it works best and may switch sessions from week to week when necessary. The purpose of the study will be to better understand how and why we worship and view it from our own perspective as well as through the eyes of a stranger.

We are hoping for lively discussion and fresh understandings about the center of who we are and what we do together. Please join us as often as you can!

February 3, 2008

Soup/Sandwich Luncheon

After 11am service

Bring cans of soups (donations)



Our church will be joining other area Presbyterian churches for a joint Ash Wednesday Service (Feb. 6th) at Pocket Presbyterian Church. The service begins at 7:00 p.m. and you may want to arrive early to ensure you get a seat!

February Birthdays

- Feb. 2 - David Vann
- Feb. 3 - Suzanne Mills, Christopher Dymond
- Feb. 4 - Margaret Gilliam Ellis
- Feb. 5 - Herby Hardisty, Cari Hobson
- Feb. 6 - Joan Wagoner
- Feb. 7 - Sidney Boaz, Susan Norris, Madonna Goodwin
- Feb. 8 - Charles LaRue
- Feb. 9 - Mildred Johnson, Jordan Childress
- Feb. 10 - Billy McDonald, Wanda Wazenegger
- Feb. 11 - Nancy Watkins Mason, Vicki Quick
- Feb. 13 - Maxine Auman
- Feb. 14 - John Kelly, Gladys Weaver, Margaret Poe, Belva Oelrich, Richard Ussery, Vann Gibson, Rhonda Woodell, Ricardo Silva
- Feb. 16 - Russ Knight
- Feb. 17 - Larry Palmer, Caroline Wilson
- Feb. 18 - Pat Hickey
- Feb. 19 - Frank Mills
- Feb. 20 - Gloria Martin, Olivia Foushee
- Feb. 22 - Johnny Miller, Jr., Martha Simpson, Peggy Womble
- Feb. 24 - William Cooper III
- Feb. 25 - Marlene Miller
- Feb. 26 - John Burrus
- Feb. 27 - Allison Burrus
- Feb. 28 - Dean Wilkinson

Breadbasket News

On a warm January Tuesday, 119 hungry patrons were served meatloaf, cheesy potatoes, green beans, fresh pineapple, salad, rolls and assorted desserts.

Our cheerful helpers were Emily Kelly, Rexine Lloyd, Helen Ogburn and Janelle Phelps. If you are willing to help call the church office.

Martha McGee
Sue Miller

Thank you sounds so little to say to all of you in our church family who have visited Dale in the hospital and at home, have called, brought food, sent cards and most of all prayed. He has about two more months before the liver enzymes are back to normal. He is gaining more stamina each week. Again thank you for your steadfast caring.

In Christ,
Karen & Dale Miller

Religion & Science Roundtable

@ St. Andrews, Feb. 19th, April 15th

Church leaders and community members interested in constructive interdisciplinary dialogue between religion and science are invited to be our guests. Each meeting begins with a dinner at 6pm and is followed with a lecture at approx. 7pm in the Carol Grotnes Belk Main Room of the William Henry Belk Student Center on the campus of St. Andrews Pres. College. Please make reservations by contacting Tasha Mehne at mehnetm@sapc.edu or 910-277-5258 one week prior to the Roundtable.

Feb. 19th - Rabbi David W. Nelson, Ph.D.

April 15th - The Rev. Sally Grover Bingham

The Middle School youth along with their advisors and other volunteers will provide childcare at the church from 6-9pm on Thurs., Feb. 14th. If you're looking to go out this Valentine's Day, don't hesitate. Just call Becky to sign your child up by Thurs., Feb. 7th. Donations or tips are welcome.

There will be a Valentine's Day program for children, ages pre-school - 5th grade, on Wednesday, Feb. 13th. Please come at 4pm to enjoy a program on Serving Others. We'll have a short story time, games, activities, and snack and conclude at 5pm. Friends or guests are welcome! Please call Becky in the church office or on her cell phone at 770-9985 to register your child. Please register by Thursday, Feb. 7th.

'LOOKING AT YOU'

Every Sunday the Choir and I sit up front before the service 'looking at all the vocal talents' sitting in the congregation, wondering why they are not up singing the Lord's praises with us. As you can see, we have space and we would welcome your participation. Come sing for the Lord, sing with us, and help to fill the service with great music. We rehearse Wednesdays at 7:30pm ...See you there...

Emmett

Session Report - January

- The Sr. High Youth will have a Yard Sale fundraiser in the Harper Center on Feb. 9th.
- There will be a soup/sandwich luncheon on Sun., Feb. 3rd, Souper Bowl Sunday.
- FPC will join area Presbyterian churches for a joint Ash Wednesday Service at Pocket Presbyterian Church.

Shepherd's Corner



... Give thanks to the Lord, call on his name; make known his deeds among the nations; proclaim that his name is exalted. Sing praises to the Lord, for he has done gloriously; let this be known in all the earth.

Isaiah 12:4,5

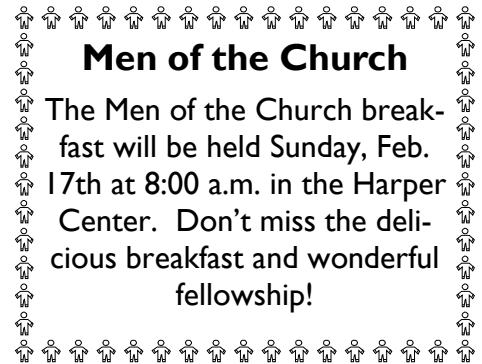
Singles' Luncheon

The Singles' Luncheon will be held Wed., Feb. 20th at 12pm in the Harper Center. Members of Circle # 6 will prepare the lunch. Following the meal we will visit several churches that have undergone building additions in recent years.

Please call the church office no later than Monday, Feb. 18th to make your reservation. Bring a friend!

Men of the Church

The Men of the Church breakfast will be held Sunday, Feb. 17th at 8:00 a.m. in the Harper Center. Don't miss the delicious breakfast and wonderful fellowship!



**February
Meals on Wheels**

Circle # 1

Church Flowers

Circle # 8

**February Door
Greeters**

Charles Ingram

Lucille Cameron

Russ Knight

Tommy Mann Sr.

Ushers for February

Bryson McAdams -
Captain

David Riddle III

Jerry Campbell

Leah Terrell

Carolyn Washburn

Jimmy Washburn

**Circles Meet on
February 17th at:**

#1 - Helen Ogburn, 98 Beacon Circle, meet in McIver parking lot at 9:30am to carpool

2 - Midge Holmes, 628 N. Vance Street

3 - Betty Womble, 320 Westport Place

4 - Doris McPhaul, 1911 Wilkins Drive

5 - Sarah Mann, 502 N. Steele Street

6 - Marian Huepper, 6091 Dunes Drive

7 - Church Parlor, Martha McGee hostess

8 - Katrina Johnson, 627 Palmer Drive

The sympathy of the congregation is extended to:

The Family of Dewey Averitt,

Don Droullard and Family in the death of his sister-in-law,

The Family of Mary Gibson.



Ann Barkley; Louise Berndt (Parkview); Eloise Berryman; Emily Buchanan Parkview); Dorothy Foushee (Parkview); Margaret Foushee (Ashwood Estates); Doris Gibson; Dean Hollingsworth; James Holt (Parkview); Mildred Johnson; Charlotte Lutton; Dot McNeill (Pinelake); Raymond Blakeley; Jerry Campbell's mother, Clarene Campbell; Bob Davis's father, Willie Davis; Donna Edwards; Ray Hunter (Liberty Commons); Sylvia Johnson; Lo Keith's brother-in-law, John Westmoreland; Kelly Lilly; Kelly Martindale; Sally Suther's niece, Amanda Mager; Lucretia Sperry's grandmother, Mildred Frady; Don Wazenegger's brother, Ron Wazenegger

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What's Happening in February???

Sat., Feb. 2 - 8:30am Lee Co. Quiz Bowl - Mclver

Sun., Feb. 3 - 9am Contemporary Service; 9:45am Sunday School; 11am Worship; 12pm Soup/Sandwich Luncheon; 3pm Bible Moderators meet; 3:30pm Admin. Comm. Meets; 6pm Youth

Mon., Feb. 4 - 5:30pm Deacons Meet; 6:30pm Officers' Supper; 7pm Elders Meet

Tues., Feb. 5 - 9:30am Staff Meeting; 10:15am CDC Chapel; 10:30am Seniors' Choir; 6pm Cardio./Sculpting

Wed., Feb. 6 - 6:30pm Contemporary Choir; 7pm Ash Wednesday Service at Pocket Pres. Church; 7:30pm Choir Practice

Thurs., Feb. 7 - 6pm Cardio./Sculpting

Sat., Feb. 9 - 7am - 11am Yard Sale - Harper Center

Sun., Feb. 10 - Communion; 9am Contemporary Service; 9:45am Sunday School; 11am Worship; 12pm PW Coord. Team meets; 5pm Lenten Study; 6pm Youth

Mon., Feb. 11 - Circles Meet

Tues., Feb. 12 - 9:30am Staff Meeting; 10:15am CDC Chapel; 6pm Cardio./Sculpting

Wed., Feb. 13 - 10:30am Lenten Study; 4pm Pre-school - 5th Grade program; 6pm Lenten Study; 6:30pm Contemporary Choir; 7:30pm Choir Practice

Thurs., Feb. 14 - 6pm Cardio./Sculpting; 6pm - 9pm Babysitting

Sun., Feb. 17 - 8am MOC Breakfast; 9am Contemporary Service; 9:45am Sunday School; 11am Worship; 12pm Covered Dish Luncheon; 5pm Lenten Study; 6pm Youth

Tues., Feb. 19 - 9:30am Staff Meeting; 10:15am CDC Chapel; 10:30am Seniors' Choir; 6pm Cardio./Sculpting

Wed., Feb. 20 - 10:30am Lenten Study; 12pm Singles' Luncheon; 6pm Lenten Study; 6:30pm Contemporary Choir; 7:30pm Choir Practice

Thurs., Feb. 21 - 6pm Cardio./Sculpting

Sun., Feb. 24 - 9am Contemporary Service; 9:45am Sunday School; 11am Worship; 4pm Witness Comm., Congregational Care Comm.; 4:30pm Christian Ed. Comm.; 5pm

Lenten Study; 6pm Youth; 7pm New Member Comm.; 7:30pm Committees Meet

Mon., Feb. 25 - 10am Bible Study

Tues., Feb. 26 - 9:30am Staff Meeting; 10:15am CDC Chapel; 6pm Cardio./Sculpting

Wed., Feb. 27 - 10:30am Lenten Study; 5pm Worship Comm. Meets; 6pm Lenten Study; 6:30pm Contemporary Choir; 7:30pm Choir Practice

Thurs., Feb. 28 - 6pm Cardio./Sculpting