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**“Celebrate....Share....Serve”
According to God’s Will**

March 2, 2011

WEEKLY E-News

(Please note: Worship Assistants Assignments at the end of E-News)



PRAYER MOMENT

Prayer is like opening windows to God so that we can hear what he is saying to us.

REMEMBER THE MONTHLY NEWSLETTER and WORSHIP ASSISTANT SCHEDULE are online at

<http://www.livingspringscolumbia.org/communications/>

SC LUTHERAN

We are no longer subscribing to the South Carolina Lutheran however if you would like to read their publications:

<http://www.sclutheran.org/CURRENT-SC-LUTHERAN.pdf>

LESSONS

Exodus 24: 12-18

Psalms 2

2 Peter 1: 16-21

Matthew 17:1-9

SHROVE TUESDAY PANCAKES/BURNING OF THE PALMS

Join us on Tuesday, March 8 at 6PM for the Shrove Tuesday Pancake Dinner followed by the Burning of the Palms at 7PM. We look forward to you being a part of our preparation for Lent. A sign up sheet for the pancake dinner is in the administration building.

ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE

Ash Wednesday Service, is March 9th at 7PM.

Please join us for worship as we begin our Lenten Journey to the cross.

THANK YOU

Thank you to all who served at the Women’s Services the weekend of February 26 and 27. A big thank you to Gail Buchanan and Catherine Ruff for the beautiful flower arrangement on the altar. We were certainly blessed.

WHAT’S UP WITH YOUTH

Kind-2nd:

On Friday, March 25th, we are hosting a “dinner and a movie” evening in the Admin Building for the K-2 Youth. 6:30-9PM. Parents, please enjoy a night out alone, while your child is having fun at church with his/her peers! Please sign-up in the Admin Building or contact Christi Wuori (cwuori@aol.com, 419-4601) to reserve a spot.

CLUB 3456 :

On Saturday, March 12 we will meet at the church at 2PM and go to *God’s Storehouse* to help sort food and clothing. We will return to the church by 5PM. This is our service project for the month!

On Friday March 25 we will have a ***Friday Night of Adventure*** from 6:30PM–1:30AM. We will make our own pizza, have a Wii tournament, go bowling, and pack backpacks. (We will have a sign up sheet so that youth can supply all items for the 20 backpacks.) Cost is \$20 per person. Contact Karlene Stuart if you have any questions (karlene.k.stuart@baml.com).

Middle School and Senior High Youth:

March 8, 2011 is our Annual Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper at 6PM. Youth should arrive at 5PM to cook and set up.

March 11, 2011--Winter Jam Concert at the Colonial Center! Cost is \$10. Friends are welcome to join us!

Monday Nights – Senior High meets at Beef O’Brady’s at 7PM.

FINANCIAL WISH LIST

Due to our spending freeze, we invite you to support our ministry needs. Below is a list of items that are needed by our ministry teams:

Hour of counseling for those in need (\$70)

Sponsor a child for Campfirmation (\$50)

Operation InAsMuch (\$25 x 20)

Rail for Sanctuary stairs (\$300)

LENTEN DEVOTIONALS

This year's Lenten Devotionals were provided by the CLUB 3456 and Christian Education Teams. We hope you enjoy our Lenten "map" that gives daily devotionals for each day as you journey through the 40 days of Lent. Attached to our map are our colorful Prayer Beads along with what each bead color means. Use these prayer beads and Lenten map as tools to help you focus on who and whose we are: Jesus' disciples! Pick up in the Narthex.

BACKPACKS FOR HUNGRY CHILDREN

If you have any questions on what kind of foods are appropriate please contact Harold Talbert at haroldtalbert@ymail.com. We are in need of milk and fruit in individual sized packages, and juice. Thank you for the great response with crackers.

LSLC PLAYGROUP

Come out and play at the Clemson Children's Garden with the Living Springs Playgroup on Monday, March 7 at 10AM. Weather make-up will be on Monday, March 21. For more information, please contact Alysia Austin at austins516@hotmail.com.

GOOD NEWS WALKERS

The Good News Walkers will begin meeting again THIS Thursday March 3 at 9AM.

WHITE ELEPHANT AUCTION

The White Elephant auction will be March 19 at 6PM in the Fellowship Hall. Please sign up in the Admin Building. Each family please bring 1 new or gently used item to auction and enjoy a fun-filled evening with friends and a barbeque dinner. Cost for the dinner will be \$10. This is an Adult Fellowship event. All money raised goes to the Phebe LeGrand Scholarship fund for women's scholarships.

NURSERY

If you are willing to serve in our nursery on Sunday mornings during the 10:45AM service please contact Alysia Austin. We are looking for a few more volunteers! austins516@hotmail.com

PHEBE LEGRAND SCHOLARSHIP

The Phebe LeGrand Scholarship applications are available now. This is for a female, high school senior going on to college or a female undergraduate student pursuing her degree. Deadline for application will be Sunday, March 27. Female must be a member of Living Springs. You will find the applications in the Admin Building.

CONFIRMATION CLASS - - SPRING

RETREAT OFF-CAMPUS

Confirmation day at Southern Seminary on Saturday April 9, 2011. The theme is "The Body of Christ". Cost is \$20. Sign up and pay with Jan Berger by **MARCH 20TH**. If you have a 7th or 8th grader and did not receive information by e-mail earlier this week contact Jan Berger @ jan.berger@nelsonmullins.com

VBS IS JUST AROUND THE CORNER

This year's theme for VBS is all about recycling. Please consider donating something on the list. Please contact Amy Sensabaugh (aws1221@gmail.com or 691-5993) with questions.

DAY 1 NEEDS:

Tomato paste cans and baby food jars (or any other cylinders 2 inches in diameter), wildflower seed packets (50 total), powdered clay, soil (6 bags), compost (4 bags), newspaper, hand-sized spades, gardening gloves, birdseed (4 large bags, any type), seed packets (variety), gardening magazines and catalogs, gardening shovels, Dixie cups (small and large, no styrofoam please), empty cans, egg cartons.

BASIC COMPUTER COURSE

Come join Shawn Olsen at Living Springs on Thursday, March 3 at 7PM to learn the basic of computers. Learn about checking e-mail, surfing the web and word processing. All are welcome. Bring your laptop if you have one!

LENTEN MEAL

We would like to bring back a Lenten tradition and serve soup before the 7PM Wednesday Lenten services. If you would be interested in bringing soup please sign up in the Admin Building. We would need to start serving at 5:45PM to accommodate the choir. Any questions, please contact Kathy Brennan at 699-1574.

SPRING FLING DINNER CLUB EVENT

Sign up by April 3 in the Admin Building for this wonderful event! April 16, four to six participants will meet in the home of a host. The host will provide the entrée and main beverage (coffee, tea, water, sodas) and contact each of the guests to confirm and work out who will bring appetizers, side dishes, salad and bread, and dessert(s). The evening will begin at 6PM.

HANDBELLS

Needed: One or two handbell players to join us on Tuesday nights! We have two openings in the choir. If you would like to join us, please call Laura Turnmire at 361-1143 or e-mail scturnmires@yahoo.com.

PRAYER EVENT

A Day in Thy Courts, at Northeast United Methodist Prayer Revival, led by Dr. J. Gordon Henry.

March 6-9, 2011

At the 8:30 AM and 11:00 AM Services

Sunday Evening Service at 6:30PM

A potluck dinner to honor Dr. Henry will be held Sunday evening at 5:30PM. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday Services at 7PM Each participant will need a workbook (suggested donation is \$5). Nursery provided for all services.

~WEEKLY SCHEDULE~

WEDNESDAY, March 2

SANCTUARY CHOIR – 6PM

EVANGELISM – 6PM

CHANCEL CHOIR – 7PM

THURSDAY, March 3

GOOD NEWS WALKERS – 9AM

BACKPACK PACKING – 5:45PM

YOUTH MINISTRY – 7PM

FRIDAY, March 4

SATURDAY, March 5

5:05 MUSICIANS – Rehearse at 4PM

WORSHIP – 5:05PM

SUNDAY, March 6

WORSHIP – 8:15AM

SUNDAY SCHOOL – 9:30AM

WORSHIP; PRESCHOOL INSTALLATION – 10:45AM

MONDAY, March 7

YOUTH AT BEEF'S – 7PM

TUESDAY, March 8

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY – 10AM

PANCAKE SUPPER – 6PM

BURNING OF THE PALMS – 7PM

BIBLE STUDY – 7PM

ADULT HANDBELLS CHOIR – 7PM

~Worship Assistants~

Those serving Saturday, March 5 @ 5:05PM

Liturgist - Jennifer Wiggins
Lector - Joanne Wuori
Comm. Assistants- Tina Molineu
Greeters- Tina Molineu
Children's Sermon- Dan Wuori

Those serving Sunday, March 6

Liturgist 8:15 - Dan Camp
10:45- Peter Kowitz
Lector 8:15- Todd Gunvalson
10:45- Darin Sensabaugh
Comm. Assist. 8:15- Bob Strom
10:45- Gabe Flores, Sally Moore
Ushers 8:15- Charles and Irene Tracy
10:45- Dick Collins, Lee Harmon,
Steve Padgett, Darin
Sensabaugh
Greeters 8:15- Herb Brantley
10:45- Blake and Renee Branham
Acolyte 8:15- Nicholas Creticos
10:45- Sarah Levitt
Crucifer- Peter Moore
Torchbearers- Jan Berger, Karlene Stuart
Counters- Harold Talbert (LC), Trish
Davidson, Mark Stuart
Children's Sermon- Pastor Chris
Driver for RH- Adam Woodruff
Mugger- Herb Brantley
Refreshments- Dick and Peggy Collins
Nursery- Alysia Austin
Altar Guild- Shirley Laingen

~SAVE THE DATE~

LIFEPOINT ART AUCTION

March 31, 6:30- 9PM @ the
Marriott Hotel

FIRST COMMUNION

INSTRUCTION

April 16 from 9 – 3 PM cost is
\$17, sign up in Admin Building

EASTER EGG HUNT

April 23, 2011 @ 10AM

YOUTH BREAKFAST

FUNDRAISER

April 23, 2011 @ Beef's pancake
fundraiser. 8-10AM. Tickets \$5

OPERATION INASMUCH

May 7, 2011

SUMMER CAMP

June 13-17, 2011

VBS

Kick-off July 10-15, 2011

MYSTERY TOUR

July 17-21, 2011