



The Link

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TOPNOTCHERS VALENTINE BANQUET

You are invited to a special Valentine's dinner on Sunday evening, February 10, as our youth host all Topnotchers for an evening of music, games, and fellowship. We will gather in Robbins Hall beginning at 6:00 p.m. Please contact the church office as soon as possible to sign up, and let us know if you need a ride.



CALLED CONGREGATION MEETING SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2019

A congregational meeting will take place following worship on February 10 for the sole purpose of considering the adoption of the revised Ministry Plan for 2019. It is essential that we all be present that day in order to understand and support our commitment to be good stewards of our resources and to be faithful to our calling.

Each of us can do our part now by regularly and generously supporting our ministries with our money, our talents, and our time. Prayerfully consider the ways in which you are being called to serve through Lakeside.

One way you can help us reduce costs is to receive *The Link* by email instead of by regular mail. It is faster (you get the email on Wednesday), more efficient, and saves paper and postage costs. Call or email the office to change how you get *The Link*.



CASSEROLE AND BAKE SALE & YARD SALE

This year's Casserole Sale and Yard Sale is scheduled for Saturday, February 16, from 7:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., in the Education Building. We will continue sign ups for the Casserole Sale in the narthex each Sunday. We will gladly accept your gently used housewares, linens, kitchen ware, furniture, home décor, seasonal decorations, sporting goods and outdoor gear, toys, baby gear, tools, electronics, etc. We will not accept clothing, shoes, or books. Volunteers will be available to pick up large items by appointment. Proceeds from the sale will benefit the Youth Trip fund and local missions.

Schedule for receiving donations: We will receive donations for the Casserole Sale in Sugg Foyer on Friday, February 15 from 8:00 to 11:00 a.m. or they can be dropped off at the church at other times. We will receive donations for the yard sale in Robbins Hall on Monday through Wednesday, February 11-13 from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.; and Thursday, February 14 from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

OUR PRAYER CONCERNS

Please remember the following persons who need our prayers and support:

At Home:

Ed Astin, 121 Candlewood Road (04)
Hazel and Alfred Ayscue, 5031 Brassfield Drive (03)
Lloyd Bailey (Susan Bailey's uncle) 3813 Hawthorne Road (04)
Janice Taylor Bobbitt, 4204 Whitehurst Drive, Wilmington, NC 28409
Anne Crane, 1505 Corner Rock Drive, Rolesville, NC 27571
Douglas Edwards, Sr. (Doug Edwards' father), 2419 Vance Street (01)
Bill Etheridge, 7298 Billy-Buck Lane (03)
Mike Evans, 1617 Rivera Drive (03)
Scott Farber (Patty Schirman's brother), 11218 S. Utah, Davenport, Iowa 52802
Wayne Macklin, PO Box 217, Red Oak, NC 27868
Niki McAdams, 4017 Lochinvar Lane (04)
Erin McAuliffe, 34 Winders Creek (04)
Harlon Mosely, 421 Charlotte Avenue (04)
Cody Richardson, 1518 Fountain Branch Road (03)
David Ozment (Debbie and Tim Ozment's son) 1249 Green Tee Lane (04)
Michael Riley (Brenda Culpepper's son)
Tim Sawyer, 2409 Winstead Road (04)
Joe Stanton, PO Box 41, Nashville, NC 27856
Brent Tyndall, 1730 River Birch Hollow, Tallahassee, FL 32308

Our Members-at-Home

John and Denise Capiello, Brookridge Retirement Community, 1199 Hayes Forest Dr., Winston-Salem, NC 27106, Room 534
Marie Price, 3786 Loblolly Drive (04)
Mary Frances Taylor, Room 409, Rocky Mount, Rehabilitation, 160 Winstead Ave. (04)

We offer our sympathy to Dennis and Brenda Culpepper in the death of his brother, Milton Culpepper, on February 4.

LAKESIDE LADIES BOOK CLUB

Our Lakeside ladies will meet Tuesday, March 5, at 7:00 p.m. at the home of Sue Bulluck (3312 Cornwallis Drive). Sue will lead a discussion of *Lila* by Marilynne Robinson. Come join in the camaraderie and conversation!

WOMEN'S RETREAT

This year's Women's Retreat will take place February 22-23 at the Barker Home on the Reservoir. Leah Anderson Reed, daughter of Anna and LaCount Anderson and Minister with Community at First Baptist Raleigh, will lead us in a time of study, reflection, prayer, fellowship, and fun. The theme is "Neighboring, verb, the messy, beautiful work of extending hospitality." We will begin with dinner at 5:00 p.m. on Friday and end with dinner on Saturday. The cost of \$50 per person includes meals. Please call the church office to sign up or for more information.

*Are you planning to support our congregation's ministries this year?
Let us know by completing your Giving Plan Card today.
Together We Care*

YOUTH NEWS

This Sunday night, we will host our Topnotchers for the annual Valentine Banquet. Good food, fun games, great fellowship! Please arrive in Robbins Hall by 4:30 p.m. to help with preparing dinner and decorating. Youth and adults are needed to volunteer with receiving donations for the yard sale each afternoon next week and throughout the sale on February 16. Please contact me, Jennifer Cobb, or Carol Barker to sign up. I look forward to seeing you all on Sunday. Elizabeth

WEAVE A STORY TO TELL

We've a story to tell . . . and so does Fred Motley! It's storytime this Sunday in Missions and Music as we will host special guest and storyteller, Fred Motley. Mr. Motley has spent 30 years sharing stories, dances, poems, and songs with audiences of all ages. This event is open to all children pre-K - Grade 5. Call the church office for more details and invite a friend to join the fun! Amy

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Children in Kindergarten-Grade 5 are invited to participate in Children's Church with Jessica Evans on Sunday. They will leave worship during the second hymn and may be picked up in the Youth Building.

HEARTWORKS: CHILDREN OF LIGHT

Our theme in heARTw♥rks during January and February is "Imagine: From Light Bulbs to Oompa Loompas!" We'll focus on the "light" of creativity in the fantastical world of Roald Dahl's *Charlie and the Chocolate Factory* and in the process of inventing. The children will read Charlie's story, create their own wacky inventions, use math skills and measuring while concocting chocolate treats, and design their own "world of pure imagination." We'll end with a visit to the Durham Performing Arts Center to see the play *Charlie and the Chocolate Factory*. We're looking forward to our journey together!

SUNDAY AT LAKESIDE

Deacon Greeters - Leslie Paszek and Lesley Browder
 Ushers - Group II, Ray Weathers, Captain
 Crucifer - Spencer Edwards; Acolyte - Catherine Cobb
 Nursery - Genie Raper; Extended Session - Teresa and Dan Herring
 Audio Booth Volunteer - Ricky Cobb

LAKESIDE'S MISSIONS AND MINISTRY PLAN

2019 Missions and Ministry Budget: \$645,844

	Week	YTD
Anticipated Giving	\$12,420	\$62,100
Through February 3	\$10,066	\$41,235
Variance	-\$2,354	-\$20,865

LAKESIDE AT WORSHIP

February 10, 2019 ♦ *The Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany*

Old Testament Lesson: Isaiah 6:1-8

Gospel Lesson: Luke 5:1-11

Sermon: "Caught by God"

Chancel Choir Anthems:

"Holy Lord" - Harlan

"Do Not Be Afraid" - Stopford

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LAKESIDE CALENDAR

Thursday, February 7

12:00 p.m. Meditation Group, Parlor
 3:30 p.m. heARTw♥rks, Children's Classroom

Sunday, February 10

9:45 a.m. Sunday School
 10:00 a.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal
 10:30 a.m. Coffee and Fellowship, Education Building Foyer
 11:00 a.m. Worship
 12:15 p.m. Called Church Conference
 4:30 p.m. Youth meet in Robbins Hall
 5:00 p.m. Cherub Choir, Preschool Building
 5:00 p.m. Alleluia Choir, Children's Choir Room
 5:45 p.m. Dinner for Preschoolers and Children, Youth Room
 6:00 p.m. Topnotcher's Valentine Banquet, Robbins Hall
 6:15 p.m. Missions and Music with Fred Motley, Storyteller

Monday, February 11

3:30 p.m. heARTw♥rks, Children's Classroom
 7:00 p.m. WMU Group 10, Parlor

Tuesday, February 12

1000 a.m. Shawl Ministry, Home of Carol Taylor, 3519 Boseman Road
 7:00 p.m. Adult Study Group, Conference Room

Wednesday, February 13

10:00 a.m. Adult Study Group, Conference Room
 6:30 p.m. Lakeside Ringers Rehearsal
 7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, February 14

12:00 p.m. Meditation Group, Parlor
 3:30 p.m. heARTw♥rks, Children's Classroom