



The Link

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LENT AT LAKESIDE SIGHT, SOUND AND SILENCE: STILL LENT

The psalmist implores us to “be still and know” This Lenten season we will explore the ways in which sights, sounds and silence can influence and deepen our faith. Our Lenten journey begins on March 6 at 6:30 p.m. with our Ash Wednesday service which includes communion and the imposition of ashes.

As a family of faith, we will enjoy a pancake supper preceding worship. Join us in Robbins Hall between 5:15-6:15 p.m. for a Shrove Tuesday (on Wednesday) fellowship meal.

We have also been invited to join sister churches for Lenten Midweek Services throughout the season. Each week we will gather with our friends from Englewood Methodist, First Methodist, and St. Andrews Episcopal churches for a brief noon Lenten service followed by lunch together. Each service will be led by the host church with a minister from one of the other churches offering a reflection. The schedule of services is:

March 13: Host Church: Englewood UMC, Guest Pastor: Rev. Matt Seaton

March 20: Host Church: Saint Andrews Episcopal, Guest Pastor: Rev. Jim Bell

March 27: Host Church: First UMC, Guest Pastor: Rev. George Greer

April 3: Host Church: Lakeside Baptist Church, Guest Pastor: Rev. Savanna Becker

April 10: Host Church: First UMC, Guest Pastor: Rev. Terry Williams

April 17: Host Church: Englewood UMC, Guest Pastor: Rev. Jody Wright

THIS I BELIEVE: DEVOTIONS FOR A LENTEN JOURNEY

Our Lenten devotions this year will use the prompt “This I Believe,” based on the NPR series of the same name. As we still our souls long enough to look closely and listen carefully, we become more fully present to God and are better able to discern God’s presence in our lives. We invite you to reflect on your life and write your own personal statement of belief, focusing on the principles which guide your thoughts and actions. Consider sharing a story which illustrates what you’ve come to believe, how you reached these beliefs, and how your beliefs have grown or changed through the years.

Last spring we wrote poems titled “Where I’m From” which shared something about the roots which anchor our lives. In doing so, we discovered new things about one another and were blessed by the experience of opening our lives a bit more to the people with whom we worship and serve week by week. In the same way, this year’s devotions will give us a better understanding of what has shaped our faith and allow us an opportunity to share our stories.

OUR PRAYER CONCERNS

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

Duke Medical Center, Erwin Road, Durham, NC 27710

Chris Glasgow

At Home:

Ed Astin, 121 Candlewood Road (04)

Hazel and Alfred Ayscue, 5031 Brassfield Drive (03)

Janice Taylor Bobbitt, 4204 Whitehurst Drive, Wilmington, NC 28409

Lesley Browder, 402 Wildwood Avenue (04)

Price Cherry (Judy Wallace’s son), 3904 Ketch Point Drive (03)

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

Ethel Hines, 125 Cobblestone Court (04)

Bill Hoyle, 210 Graveley Drive (04)

Wayne Macklin, PO Box 217, Red Oak, NC 27868

Niki McAdams, 4017 Lochinvar Lane (04)

Erin McAuliffe, 34 Winders Creek (04)

Linda Millar, 8 Golden Eye Cove (04)

Harlon Mosely, 421 Charlotte Avenue (04)

Cody Richardson, 1518 Fountain Branch Road (03)

Agnes Ozment (Tim Ozment’s mother)

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 Cappiello, 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 Ed and Pat Astin in the death of his mother, Doris Dodson Astin, on February 6 in Danville, Virginia.

We offer our sympathy to Teresa and Dan Herring in the death of her mother, Trolley Mae Doughtie, on February 23 in Aulander, NC.

NEW MEMBERS

We welcome Buck and Carrie Roney into our fellowship by transfer of letter. Their address is 100 Stonybrook Drive (04); phone - 252-443-6183.

FAMILY SUNDAY SCHOOL

All of our Lakeside families with youth and children (infants and up) are invited to participate in a Family Sunday School Class during the month of March. Beginning this Sunday, March 3, parents and kids will meet together in the youth room for a time of family Bible study, discussion, and fellowship. We will begin with a light breakfast at 9:45 a.m. Please feel free to invite friends from the community to join us.

YOUTH NEWS

We will have a regular schedule of activities this Sunday night. On March 10, we'll have a movie night. We will meet in the youth room at 6 p.m., have dinner while we watch the movie, and finish around 7:30 p.m. I look forward to seeing you all for Family Sunday School on Sunday morning and in worship. Elizabeth

MUSIC NOTES

All choirs are preparing diligently as we look toward the Lenten and Easter seasons. Our various choirs will lead in worship on the following dates:

Alleluia Choir: March 17

Cherub Choir and Alleluia Choir: April 14 (Palm Sunday)

Lakeside Ringers: April 18 (Maundy Thursday) and April 21 (Easter Sunday)

Cantare: March 24

The Chancel Choir will meet for rehearsal at 6:00 p.m. on March 6 (prior to the Ash Wednesday Service).

See you in rehearsal and worship!

Amy

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!

INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL OF CULTURES

SATURDAY, MARCH 2 * 12:00 - 4:00 P.M.

NASH COMMUNITY COLLEGE • BROWN AUDITORIUM

SUNDAY AT LAKESIDE

Deacon Greeters - Jo Ann Lamm and Andrew Robillard

Ushers - Group III, Bill Hoyle, Captain

Crucifer - Chase Joyner; Acolyte - Sadie Ponte

Nursery - Lori Joyner; Extended Session - Ann Winstead

Audio Booth Volunteer - Barry Goldstein

LAKESIDE'S MISSIONS AND MINISTRY PLAN

2019 Missions and Ministry Budget: \$609,228

	Week	YTD
Anticipated Giving	\$11,716	\$93,737
Through February 24	\$7,660	\$65,682
Variance	-\$4,056	-\$28,055

LAKESIDE AT WORSHIP

March 3, 2019 ❖ *The Eighth Sunday after the Epiphany*

Old Testament Lesson: Exodus 34:29-35

Epistle Lesson: II Corinthians 3:12-4:2

Sermon: "Lifting the Veil"

Chancel Choir Anthems:

"O, My God, Bestow Thy Tender Mercy" - arr. Hopson

"Veiled in Darkness" - Rudolph

LAKESIDE BAPTIST CHURCH

1501 Sunset Avenue, Rocky Mount, NC 27804

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355-2801 • toll free: 866-355-2801

CHURCH STAFF

Elizabeth Edwards
Associate Minister

Jody Wright
Senior Minister

Linda Davis
Administrative Assistant

Susan Skinner
Senior Adult Director

Amy Shortt
Minister of Music

Liz Broomell
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LAKESIDE CALENDAR

Thursday, February 28

12:00 p.m. Meditation Group, Parlor

3:30 p.m. heARTw♥rks, Children's Classroom

Sunday, March 3

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. Board of Finance, Conference Room

5:00 p.m. Cherub Choir and Alleluia Choir

5:45 p.m. Supper for Youth and Children

6:15 p.m. Missions and Music, Lakeside Youth Fellowship

Monday, March 4

3:30 p.m. heARTw♥rks, Children's Classroom

Tuesday, March 5

2:00 p.m. Shawl Ministry, Carol Taylor's Home, 3519 Boseman Road

Wednesday, March 6

5:15 p.m. Pancake Supper, Robbins Hall

6:00 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal

6:30 p.m. Ash Wednesday Service, Sanctuary

7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, March 7

12:00 p.m. Meditation Group, Parlor

3:30 p.m. heARTw♥rks, Children's Classroom