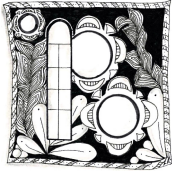




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THE LENTEN SEASON AT LAKESIDE
My Heart as Sanctuary – My Life as Prayer

LAKESIDE AT WORSHIP
March 11, 2018 ❖ The Fourth Sunday in Lent

Old Testament Lesson: Leviticus 19:1-18

Gospel Lesson: Luke 10:25-37

Sermon: “What Do We Love More than Our Neighbor?”

Chancel Choir Anthems:

“Lord, Have Mercy” - Choplin

“If Ye Love Me” - Wilby



BOARD OF FINANCE OFFICERS

The Board of Finance met on Sunday, March 4, and elected officers for the current year. Sam Johnson will serve as Chair, Trevor Lane as Vice-Chair, and Ann Winstead as Secretary. We are grateful for their willingness to serve in these roles. We are also grateful to all members of the Board of Finance for overseeing the financial ministry of our congregation.

THANK YOU, LAKESIDE!

Many thanks to everyone who cooked and shopped for this year’s Casserole Sale, to our youth and adult volunteers, and especially to Carol Barker for organizing a great event! We raised over \$3,000, half of which will benefit our youth summer trip fund and half of which will be given to My Sister’s House to replenish toiletries and food supplies at the shelter.

HeARTwörks: WIND, WEATHER, AND WHIRLIGIGS

Our heARTwörks kids ended February’s unit on “Wonder Tales” with popcorn and a viewing of the movie *Wonder*. As March blows in, we’ll begin our new unit, “Wind, Weather, and Whirligigs.” The children will explore all types of weather through literature and art, use math and measuring skills while baking “thunder cake,” paint our own whirligigs, and head to the Whirligig Park in Wilson. It will be a month of adventure-filled learning and wild weather.

DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME BEGINS SUNDAY MORNING.

Move your clocks forward one hour on Saturday night.

OUR PRAYER CONCERNS

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

Duke Medical Center, 2301 Erwin Road, Durham, NC 27710

Joe Stanton

At Home:

Ed Astin, 121 Candlewood Road (04)

Robert Blanton 301 Lauren Glen Road, Charlotte, North Carolina 28226

Reynolds Cobb, 1506 West Haven Boulevard (03)

Dozia Collins, 2552 North Old Carriage Road (04)

Anne Crane, 1501 Corner Rock Drive, Rolesville, NC 27571

Grace Hall (Friend of Frank Maynard), Fayetteville, NC

Mae Joyner, 700 Drexel Road (03)

Erin McAuliffe, 191 Wilsor Oaks Drive, Littleton, NC 27850

Harlon Mosley, 421 Charlotte Avenue (04)

Cody Richardson, 1518 Fountain Branch Road (03)

Michael Riley (Brenda Culpepper’s son)

Brent Tyndall, 1730 River Birch Hollow, Tallahassee, FL 32308

Dorrie Wright, 1513 Jeremy Lane (03)

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, Rehab, 160 Winstead Ave. (04)

We offer our sympathy to Bill and Linda Hoyle in the death of his brother Dr. Vernon Hoyle of Forest City, North Carolina, on March 2.

HAYWORTH’S MEN’S BIBLE CLASS INVITATION

The Hayworth’s Men’s Bible Class will have an informal breakfast and conversation event on Sunday, March 11, at 9:15 a.m. in the Robbins Hall to introduce interested men to their class. The Hayworth Class has a 40 minute discussion every Sunday morning at 10 a.m. to discuss God’s word and how it applies to our daily lives. The class is taught on a rotating basis by five of the class members and hope that others will be interested in joining the discussions and friendship.

TOPNOTCHERS NEWS

Don and Martha Bulluck have graciously invited us to lunch at “Glockers” (the Bulluck Cabin) on Wednesday, March 21. They will treat us to a delicious picnic lunch and special music that will give us all a chance to tap our feet and sing along. We plan to leave the church at 11:30 a.m. (the bus will be provided). Please join us for a time of Fun, Food, and Fellowship! Everyone is invited, but please call the church office to sign up.

2018 GIVING PLAN CARDS

We are well into 2018 and all of our ministries are going well. To insure that we are able to do everything we have planned, however, we must be certain that we have the full support of the entire congregation. Thus far we have received 114 Giving Plans totaling \$409,304 or 63% of our Ministry Plan. If you have not yet done so, please return your cards as soon as possible. We want to have a 100% commitment to our ministry. If you need a new card, you may call the church office or pick one up on any Sunday from the racks on the back of the pews.

YOUTH NEWS

Saturday's Casserole Sale was a success in every way! Not only did we sell out, but we have also heard many compliments about the polite and helpful young people who helped to staff the sale. Thank you youth, parents, committee members, and Lakeside family!

High school youth, plan to join us for Breakfast & Bible Study on Thursday, March 8, at 6:30 a.m. at Dunkin Donuts on Sunset Avenue.

We will have a regular schedule of choirs, dinner, and SNL this Sunday night. Be sure to mark your calendar to assist with the Easter Egg Hunt on March 25, and this year, we will include a special scavenger hunt for the youth! I look forward to seeing you on Sunday.
Elizabeth

CANDY FOR EASTER

The Children's Committee needs small, individually wrapped candies (no hard candy) for the Easter Egg Hunt. Chocolate should be in a sealed package that will not leak if it melts (no foil wrap, please). Please bring the candy to the office by Monday, March 19.

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

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

DISCIPLESHIP CLASS

This Sunday, March 11, we will begin a Discipleship Class for all 5th, 6th, and 7th graders to learn about what it means to be a follower of Christ, the meaning of baptism and communion, and the responsibilities of church membership. The class will meet at 3:45 p.m. in the Conference Room of the Education Building.

LAKESIDE LADIES BOOK CLUB

Our book club will meet on Tuesday, April 10, at 7:00 p.m. with Pam Evans as host (1617 Rivera Drive). Patty Farber-Schirman will facilitate a discussion of *America's First Daughter* by Laura Kamoie and Stephanie Dray.

SUNDAY AT LAKESIDE

Deacon Greeters - Lesley Browder and Theo Pitt
Ushers - Group III, Bill Hoyle, Captain
Acolyte - Catherine Cobb; Crucifer - Reynolds Cobb
Extended Session - Elaine and Paul Jaber
Audio Booth Volunteer - Barry Goldstein

LAKESIDE'S MISSIONS AND MINISTRY PLAN

2018 Missions and Ministry Budget: \$646,651

	Week	YTD
Anticipated Giving	\$12,436	\$111,920
Through March 4	\$11,778	\$88,560
Variance	-\$658	-\$23,360

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355-2801 • toll free: 866-355-2801

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Linda Davis
Administrative Assistant
Susan Skinner
Senior Adult Director

Elizabeth Edwards
Associate Minister
Liz Broomell
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Milton Marrow
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LAKESIDE CALENDAR

Thursday, March 8

12:00 p.m. Meditation Group, Parlor
3:30 p.m. heARTw♥rks, Robbins Hall

Sunday, March 11

9:15 a.m. Hayworth Men's Bible Class Breakfast, Robbins Hall
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
3:45 p.m. Discipleship Class, Conference Room
5:00 p.m. Preschool Games and Activities
5:00 p.m. Youth and Children's Choir Rehearsal, Choir Suite
5:45 p.m. Supper for Preschool, Children, and Youth
6:15 p.m. Preschool Storytime, Children's Missions Activities, SNL for Youth

Monday, March 12

3:30 p.m. heARTw♥rks, Robbins Hall
7:00 p.m. WMU Group 10, Parlor

Wednesday, March 14

6:30 p.m. Lakeside Ringers Rehearsal
7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, March 15

12:00 p.m. Meditation Group, Parlor
3:30 p.m. heARTw♥rks, Robbins Hall