



# The Link

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## *Worship at Lakeside*

**April 6, 2014 ❖ The Fifth Sunday in Lent**

**“Faith Songs for Life Rhythms”**

***Singing the hymns of our faith to guide us on our journey.***

Old Testament Lesson: Ezekiel 37:1-14

Gospel Lesson: John 11:1-45

“What Wondrous Love Is This: Singing through Our Sorrow”

Choir Anthems:

“Beautiful Savior”- Alwes

“Pie Jesu” - Lloyd Webber

Jaye Biggs and Grey Lehman, soloists

## **MISSIONS MARKETPLACE 2014: BECOMING GOD’S DREAM**

Lakeside’s children invite you to join them

for a musical dinner theater on

Sunday, April 6, 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.

5:00 - 5:30 p.m. . . . . Art Gallery and Raffle

5:30 - 6:15 p.m. . . . . Dinner

6:15 - 7:00 p.m. . . . . *The Tale of Three Trees*

Tickets for the dinner theater and raffle are available in the church office, in the narthex on Sunday morning, and at the door Sunday evening. Tickets for children through grade 5 are \$5.00 and tickets for youth and adults are \$10.00. The menu will include Moravian chicken pie, green beans, glazed carrots, fresh fruit, yeast rolls, and assorted desserts.

Three items donated by Bulluck Furniture will be raffled off the night of Missions Marketplace and will be on display Sunday morning in Sugg Foyer. Raffle tickets are \$2.00 each or three for \$5.00.

The proceeds will benefit global missions and local ministries. The children will use the local money to help fund our annual Christmas Gingerbread Party, birthday parties, and other outings for the children at the Bassett Center.

## **OUR PRAYER CONCERNS**

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

**Nash General Hospital, 2460 Curtis Ellis Drive (04)**

**Jerry Jolley, Room 565**

**Vidant Medical Center, 2100 Stantonsburg Road, Greenville, NC 27835**

**Philip Joyner, ICU 415**

### **At Home:**

**Ed Astin, 121 Candlewood Road (04)**

**Clayton Brown (Doris Booth’s brother), 2609 Taylor Rd., Chesapeake, VA 23321**

**Natalie Stewart Cortez, 6410 Lakewood Boulevard, Dallas, TX 75214**

**Hank Dunham, 1109 Meadow Drive, Townville, SC 29689**

**Brenda and John Hartness, 1041-I North Jamestown Road, Decatur, GA 30033**

**Marshall Henry, 409 Mayfair Drive (04)**

**Georgia Morris, 1930 Northern Boulevard (04)**

**Jim Pittman (Sheila Martin’s son), 165 Candlewood Road (04)**

**Sylvia Wiese (sister of Jim Raynor), 113 Wilmar Court, Vader, WA 98593**

**Jim Wiggs, 1441 Rock Creek Drive (04)**

### **Our Members-at-Home**

**Catherine Cooper, 3313 Amherst Road (04)**

**Marie Price, 3786 Loblolly Drive (04)**

**Marjorie Taylor, Golden Living Center, 1000 Western Blvd., Tarboro, NC 27886 Rm 810-A**

**Alease Whitford, 1600 Goldrock Road (04)**

We offer our sympathy to the family and friends of Thomas Bishop who died on March 28 in Whispering Pines, North Carolina.

We offer our sympathy to Dennis and Brenda Culpepper in the death of Dennis’ niece, Marion Lowry, on March 28 in Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

Congratulations to Ashley and Brice Gibson in the birth of their son, Stewart Austin, on March 26. The proud grandparents are Dee and Stewart Gibson.

Congratulations to Linda Davis who celebrated her ninth anniversary as our Administrative Assistance on April 1. We are grateful for all that Linda does for our congregation.

## **FROM OUR BOARD OF FINANCE**

The first quarter of 2014 is behind us. We are behind \$29,832 in our giving that supports the budget we approved for 2014. As we look forward to Easter and all that it means, keep Lakeside in your thoughts and prayers.

Don Conley, Chair, Board of Finance

## **BEYOND THE ECLIPSE**

Local author Alice Harrold has published a devotional book called *Beyond the Eclipse*, a reflection on her family’s journey through the illness and death of her son. She has donated copies of her book to benefit our youth mission efforts. You may purchase one from the church office for the next two weeks for \$12.00.

## YOUTH NEWS

Thanks to all who helped to make Sunday night's activity and discussion a meaningful time for everyone. Thanks especially to Carol and Andy Barker, Jennifer Cobb and Genie Raper for your help.

We often refer to ourselves as a church family, and with good reason. We are all God's children, but we are also brothers and sisters to one another, both celebrating and grieving together, supporting one another through the circumstances of life. Let us remember to give thank for all the ways that we share life together and are family to one another.

I look forward to seeing you all on Sunday.

Elizabeth

## CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Children's Church will be held this Sunday in the Youth Building. Children in Kindergarten-5<sup>th</sup> grade are invited to leave the sanctuary during the second hymn and parents may pick them up in the Youth Building following worship. Jennifer Cobb will lead our children on Sunday.

## PALM SUNDAY ACTIVITIES

On Palm Sunday, April 13, our Children's Choir will lead in worship and all children, Pre-K-Grade 5, are invited to participate in the procession of palms. Following worship, everyone is invited to a covered dish luncheon in Kincheloe Hall followed by an Easter Egg Hunt for the children. Please sign up on Sunday, by calling the church office, or on the Event Registration page of our website.

## CANDY DONATIONS NEEDED

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 melted. Please bring the candy to the office by Monday, April 7.

## MUSIC NOTES

All children and youth please meet in Kincheloe Hall at 4:30 p.m. for Missions Marketplace. Wear your green shirts and khaki pants. If you have not yet received a green shirt, they will be given out on Sunday when you arrive. The children have worked very hard to prepare this musical. Be sure to get your tickets! You don't want to miss out on the fun!

The youth choir did a wonderful job singing in worship! I'm so proud of you.  
Amy

## FOR OUR SAFETY

Flood lights have been added to the Western Avenue side of our property and lighting on the drive outside the kitchen has also been improved.

## SUNDAY AT LAKESIDE

Deacon Greeters - Don Raper and Jerry Hamrick  
Ushers - Group I, Grady Pittman, Captain  
Acolyte - Foster McAdams; Crucifer - Sara Raper  
Nursery - Leslie Paszek  
Extended Session - Elaine and Paul Jaber  
Audio Booth Volunteer - Don Raper

## FINANCIAL SUMMARY FOR 13 WEEKS

2014 Missions and Ministry Budget: \$633,375

	Week	YTD
Budget Goal	\$12,180	\$158,340
Receipts March 30	\$7,298	\$128,508
Variance	-\$4,882	-\$29,832

## LAKESIDE BAPTIST CHURCH

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## CHURCH STAFF

Jody Wright Senior Minister	Elizabeth Edwards Associate Minister	Amy Shortt Minister of Music
Linda Davis Administrative Assistant	Stephanie Bynum Secretarial Assistant	Susan Skinner Senior Adult Director
Napoleon Taylor Custodian	Mark Gansor Organist	Samantha Saiz Preschool Director

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## CHURCH CALENDAR

### Sunday, April 6

9:45 a.m. Sunday School  
10:00 a.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal, Sanctuary  
10:30 a.m. Coffee and Fellowship, Education Building Foyer  
11:00 a.m. Worship  
12:00 p.m. Second Sunday Lunch  
4:30 p.m. Youth and Children, Kincheloe Hall  
5:00 p.m. Missions Marketplace, Art Gallery and Raffle  
5:30 p.m. Missions Marketplace Dinner  
6:15 p.m. *The Tale of Three Trees*

### Tuesday, April 8

7:30 p.m. Adult Study Group, Conference Room

### Wednesday, April 9

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

### Thursday, April 10

12:00 p.m. Meditation Group, Parlor

### Saturday, April 12

Fresh Youth Initiatives Group Arrives from New York