



The Link

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MISSIONS MARKETPLACE 2015

Sunday, April 19

Silent Auction Begins at 5 p.m. - Dinner begins at 6 p.m.

Sugg Foyer and Robbins Hall
Lakeside's Children's Ministry
presents
"I Can Make a Difference"



Dinner • Silent Auction • Musical Drama

Covered dish dinner featuring
fried chicken and main dishes provided by Circle 10

Please bring a vegetable, salad, or dessert
(a recipe from the upcoming cookbook, if possible).

All proceeds benefit local and global missions.



BE THOU OUR VISION . . .

WITHIN OUR CHURCH THROUGHOUT OUR COMMUNITY

As we approach our 60th Anniversary, we are mindful of the multitude of good things that have happened over the years both within the Lakeside family and throughout the community. We celebrate all that God has been doing through us these past six decades.

We also affirm that there will be many more opportunities for service in the name of Christ. How will we share the Good News in the 21st Century? What types of ministry will be needed? What gifts do we have to offer to one another and to our community?

The answer to these and other questions about our future lie within the grace of God and the manner in which God inspires us. We are the ones to comprehend God's vision as concerns and resources for ministry are stirred within us.

An insert in this edition of *The Link* offers each of us an opportunity to take some time to think about where we feel God is leading our congregation. Prayerfully reflect on these possibilities and offer your ideas of new ways we can minister. Please return the surveys by June 7 so that we can begin talking about the exciting ways God is showing us the future of our ministry. Jody Wright

OUR PRAYER CONCERNS

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

Rex Hospital, 4420 Lake Boone Trail, Raleigh, NC 27607

Dot Renn (Winnie Raper's sister)

Virginia Medical Center, Fairfax, VA

Susan Datta (Ann Wall's sister), ICU

At Home:

Alfred Ayscue, 5031 Brassfield Drive (03)

Betty Anderson, 126 Hurtville Lane, Reed Spring, Missouri 65737

Bettina Godwin Batts (Betty Godwin's daughter)

Leo Bishop, 3801 Woodlawn Road (04)

Lee Broughton, 516 Pelican Drive East, Pine Knoll Shores, NC 28512

David Carter, 312 North Shores Road, Washington, NC 27889

Natalie Stewart Cortez, 6410 Lakewood Blvd., Dallas, Texas 75214

Hank Dunham, 1109 Meadow Drive, Townville, SC 29689

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

Bill Hoyle, 210 Gravely Drive (04)

Vernon Hoyle (Bill Hoyle's brother) 201 J Morgan St., Forest City NC 28043

Anaiah Knowles, 6408 N. 131st Street, Omaha, Nebraska 68164-1043

Kathy Manning, 237 S. Winstead Avenue Apartment Q (04)

Linda Millar, 8 Golden Eye Cover (04)

Cristi Gonzales Pollock, 5032 Crown Point Lane, Wilmington, NC 28409

Tim Sawyer, 1205 Lafayette Avenue (03)

Lindy Brice Schmidt, 9275 Oldfield Road, Calabash, NC 28467

Joyce Siler, River Landing, 1575 John Knox Dr., #P-203, Colfax, NC 27235

Beverly Griffin Troutman, 1192 N. Foxhill Road, Flagstaff, Arizona 86004

Bill Waters, 3624 Colonial Lane (04)

Betty Watts, 616 Nichole Lane (03)

Our Members-at-Home

Dot Daughtridge, Autumn Care, 1210 Eastern Ave., Nashville, NC 27856

Jerry Jolley, Autumn Care, 1210 Eastern Ave., Nashville, NC 27856 Room 305-B

Marie Price, 3786 Loblolly Drive (04)

Audrey Scarboro, 724 York Street (03)

Marjorie Taylor, Golden Living Center, 1000 Western Blvd., Tarboro, NC 27886

We offer our sympathy to Patty Farber-Schirman in the death of her mother, Dorothy Farber, on April 13 in Tarboro.

We offer our sympathy to Carolyn Hardy in the death of her husband, John, on April 8. Mr. Hardy was a member of Lakeside for forty-seven years.

NEW MEMBER

We rejoice with Spencer Edwards who made his profession of faith on April 12. Spencer is the son of Elizabeth and Mark Edwards and is a fifth grader at Nashville Elementary School. We will celebrate his baptism on May 3.

You have gifted each of us with unique talents, abundant resources, and varied opportunities. We sometimes fail to recognize or use wisely these gifts which grace our lives. When we need a gentle nudge to steer us in the right direction, Savior, like a shepherd, lead us to use our gifts to meet the needs that are ever before us.
Offertory Prayer, Palm Sunday

YOUTH NEWS

Despite the rain, the outing to watch the Mudcats in their home opener was great fun! Thanks to everyone who joined us.

Youth are needed to help with the Silent Auction on Sunday night. Please arrive at 5:00 p.m.

Mark your calendar for a car wash on May 2, the church-wide picnic on May 3, and Youth and Graduate Sunday on May 17. Please remember that the registration deadline for Gatekeepers Workcamp is June 1.

I look forward to seeing you at Sunday School and worship on Sunday.

Elizabeth

MUSIC NOTES

During Missions and Music this year, our children learned many ways to "make a difference" just where and as they are. Through scripture, music, art, poetry, and folk stories, they learned to apply principles such as courage, kindness, gratitude, and working together to make the world a better place. At Missions Marketplace on Sunday evening, they will share what they have learned through story and music. A silent auction, good home cooking, all kinds of critters, singing and story telling, and three "very special" homemade quilts will make for a wonderful evening. Please donate an item for the auction and bring your favorite dish with its recipe to be included in the new Lakeside cookbook. Amy

GRADUATE INFORMATION NEEDED

If a family member graduated from college in December or will graduate from high school or college this spring, please contact the church office by May 11 so that we may recognize them in *The Link* and during our Graduate Recognition Service on May 17. We need full names, school, degree, and future plans.

SUNDAY AT LAKESIDE

Deacon Greeters - Louis O'Neal and Jennifer Cobb

Ushers - Group I, Grady Pittman, Captain

Crucifer - Sara Raper; Acolyte - Reynolds Cobb

Extended Session - Catherine Matlack; Nursery - Ginger Maynard

Audio Booth Volunteer - Don Raper

LAKESIDE'S MISSIONS AND MINISTRY PLAN

2015 Missions and Ministry Budget: \$637,111

	Week	YTD
Anticipated Giving	\$12,252	\$183,782
Receipts April 12	\$11,655	\$144,865
Variance	- \$597	-\$38,917

WORSHIP AT LAKESIDE

April 19, 2015 ❖ *The Third Sunday of Easter*

Gospel Lesson: Luke 24:36b-48

History Lesson: Acts 3:12-19

Sermon: "Turning"

Chancel Choir Anthem:

"The New Life" - arr. Luvaas

"Almighty Savior" - arr. Siegfried

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LAKESIDE CALENDAR

Sunday, April 19

- 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. Diaconate
- 5:00 p.m. Youth and Children, Robbins Hall
- 5:00 p.m. Missions Marketplace, Silent Auction, Sugg Foyer
- 6:00 p.m. Missions Marketplace Covered-Dish Supper
- 6:30 p.m. *I Can Make a Difference*, Robbins Hall

Tuesday, April 21

- 10:30 a.m. Al-Anon, Godwin Library
- 7:00 p.m. Adult Study Group, Conference Room
- 7:30 p.m. Board of Finance, Lecture Room

Wednesday, April 22

- 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 23

- 12:00 p.m. Meditation Group, Church Parlor
- 7:00 p.m. Missions Committee, Conference Room

*Our youth will offer a car wash on Saturday, May 2.
More information will be provided in next week's newsletter.*

DO YOU REMEMBER . . . DID YOU KNOW?

As we prepare to celebrate our 60th Anniversary on June 7, we recall some of the good memories that have been created at Lakeside over the past six decades.

THE ATTIC

When Jill Carpenter Ward, Linda Boone Davis and Jan Wilcox Raynor were asked separately for Lakeside memories, each immediately said, "The Attic!"

We thank Jill for sharing her memories of such an asset for our church and our youth.

Back in the late '60's we had a wonderful youth minister by the name of Curt Finch. Curt was young and fun and we all loved him dearly. Somehow he managed to talk Dr. Lehman into letting the youth have the top floor of the Skeels Building for a youth lounge that we named The Attic. It was somewhere we could go and be with friends, listen to music, and not get into (too) much trouble. Our parents jumped at the idea—after all, we would be hanging out at the church! They donated paint, sofas, chairs, a ping pong table, and even a stereo and a Coke machine and all of us kids were in heaven! We voted on the paint colors and naturally chose the colors of the day—lime green and navy for the stereo room and yellow and orange for the ping pong room and bathroom. We had a wonderful painting party and did all the painting ourselves. In the stereo room, we had a giant paper mache giraffe named Atticus. We thought Curt Finch had named him for the Attic—imagine our surprise when we were old enough to read *To Kill A Mockingbird*!!

We were so proud of the Attic. We went every Saturday and Sunday from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m., more often in the summertime, and proudly took our friends who didn't have this advantage at their churches. Often we would sit in a huge circle and talk to Curt about what was going on in the world and other times we would just hang out with everyone. We could dance, laugh, and be loud as we wanted because there were no parents yelling at us to turn the music down! Curt would often pull one of us aside and we would sit just inside the fire escape door on the floor, Coke in hand, and talk. He knew what was going on with each and everyone of us. No topic was ever off limits. Looking back on it now it was the best mental health therapy a young teenager could ever have. It was a wonderful time in my life and a wonderful place to spend part of my teenage years!

Jill Carpenter Ward

NEW LAKESIDE PICTORIAL DIRECTORY

It has been several years since our last pictorial directory and many changes have taken place within the Lakeside family. A directory is one way we have of keeping up with one another and helping new members learn who we are.

We have scheduled the following dates for you to sign up to have your portraits made: May 1 and 2, May 5 and 6, May 19 and 20 and 21. We want to have every member of the church included in this new directory, so please sign up early and encourage your friends to do the same.

If members of your family are not available on these dates, let us know. We can include another picture of them or may be able to arrange for them to have their portrait made near where they are.

There will be opportunities for you to sign-up in the narthex before or after worship in the following Sundays: April 12, 19 and 26.

You may also sign up online. Go to the welcome page of the Lakeside website (www.lakesidechurchrmt.org) and click on the link to take you to the Lifetouch webpage for Lakeside sign ups. The sooner you make your appointment, the more likely you are to get your first choice of dates and times.

Thank you for helping us make this directory one of our best yet!



CHURCH-WIDE PICNIC

Join us for a church-wide picnic on Sunday afternoon, May 3, at the home of Carol and Andy Barker. Good food, great fellowship, and fun on the water will be the order of the day. Details will be available soon.



ANOTHER TASTE OF LAKESIDE

A recipe for vinegar pie was submitted to the ladies of Circle 10 by Dr. John Hartness. Included with the recipe was a note which read, in part, "The vinegar pie is my favorite of all desserts. When eating it, I take very small bites to make it last as long as possible. My mother, Mrs. William Rufus Hartness, Sr., started making this pie about 100 years ago."

Thank you to all who have submitted some of your treasured family recipes to be included in *Another Taste of Lakeside*. These submissions make the cookbook much more than a collection of delicious recipes; it is a keepsake of memories which we can all share.

Recipe forms can be found on our website or in the church office. The deadline to submit recipes is Sunday, June 7.

Be Thou Our Vision . . .
Within Our Church Throughout Our Community

Throughout the Lenten season we sought a vision for the direction in which God will lead our congregation in the years ahead. Considering God's imaginative use of common things, the diversity of people around us, the real needs we see, and the gifts of scripture and prayer, what is God impressing upon you as possibilities for ministry? What vision do you see for Lakeside?

Please take some time to answer the following questions and return this sheet to the church as soon as possible.

Thank you, Jody Wright



1. What do you see as the greatest needs within Lakeside?
In each of the following areas, please think of at least one suggestion or possibility for enhancing what Lakeside already offers.

Worship

Ministries:

Children

Youth

Adults: Young/Mid-Life/Senior

Music

Christian Education

Missions

Communication

2. What concerns you most about our community and what do you see as opportunities for mission and ministry?
3. How would you like to use your strengths or areas of interest in meeting needs within Lakeside or our community? (Think of new areas of ministry for involvement!)
4. What do you envision for Lakeside moving forward?