



The Link

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IT IS NOT TOO LATE TO PLEDGE

The holidays arrived just as our pledge drive commenced and some of us misplaced our pledge cards among the trimmings and trappings of the season. There is, however, still time to make your pledge to support the 2013 Budget. Turn in your pledge card to the office or call Linda Davis to record your pledge. To date, we have received 141 pledges in the amount of \$426,831 or 67% of the budget. Your pledge helps us to anticipate the offering we can expect this year and better plan for meeting our ministry needs.

FLAPJACK FUND RAISER FOR SLOVAK MISSIONS

The Missions Committee is sponsoring a Flapjack Fund Raiser for Lenka and Robert Wright to support their ministry in Slovakia. It will be held on Saturday, February 23, from 8:00 - 10:00 a.m. at Applebee's on Wesleyan Boulevard. Come and enjoy a short stack pancake breakfast for \$7.00 per person. We also hope to visit with Robert and Lenka via Skype. Tickets may be purchased from the church office.

MISSIONS MARKETPLACE 2013: KIDS, KITES AND COMMUNITY

Hear ye, hear ye, all carpenters, craftsmen, tailors and tinkers. Calling all artists, photographers, potters and poets. Lakeside's children need your help! We want to showcase and expose your hidden talents in a "Whodunit Mystery Art Gallery" during our Missions Marketplace on March 10. All creative entries will be anonymously displayed, and everyone will have a chance to guess the artist during the night of Missions Marketplace. If you are willing to lend a piece for the art gallery, contact Liz Hedgepeth or Deborah Wright.

CPR AND FIRST AID TRAINING

As part of implementing our new Security Policies, we will offer CPR and First Aid Training for staff and volunteers who work with our youth and children. You may choose a session on Saturday, March 2 or 9, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. If you are interested in taking part in the training but are not one of our regular volunteers, you may register for \$40 per person. Please call the church office or complete the Event Registration form on the website to sign up.

AMONG OUR MEMBERS

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

LifeCare Hospital, 1051 Noell Lane (04)

Ann Parker, 228

Autumn Care of Nash 1210 Eastern Avenue, Nashville, NC 27856

Ed Hamlet, Room 505

Bryant Aldridge Rehabilitation Center, 2460 Curtis Ellis Drive (04)

Nelson Jones (Elizabeth Edwards' father)

Liberty Commons, 121 Racine Drive, Wilmington, NC 28403

Carlton Kimbro

At Home:

Anne Bailey, 613 Glenn Avenue (03)

Norma Lisa Benson (Doris Booth's niece), 907 Mill Branch Rd, Sharpsburg (78)

Chris Bishop (Linda Hoyle's sister-in-law)

Ella Coats, 1600 Hammond Street (03)

Catherine Cooper, 5028 Netherwood Drive (03)

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

Mary Ruth Coss (J.N. Willcox's sister), Hendersonville, NC

Doug Daniel, 201 Dover Road (04)

Hank Dunham, 1109 Meadow Drive, Townville, SC 29689

Susi Goodman, 4009 Woodstock Road (03)

Linda Hoyle, 210 Gravely Drive (04)

Jerry Jolley, 720 York Street (03)

Marie Price, 3786 Loblolly Drive (04)

Audrey Scarboro, Alterra Sterling House, 650 Goldrock Road (04), Room 303

Marjorie Taylor, 1251 South Winstead Avenue (03), Room 212

Alease Whitford, 1600 Goldrock Road (04)

Drew Yanishak, 9022 Brigadier Road, Mechanicsville, VA 23116

We offer our sympathy to Rob, Terry, Chris, and Andrew Martin and their family in the death of Rob's mother, Marjorie Martin, on January 26.

We celebrate with Cherie and Brian Johnson in the birth of their son, Coleman Anthony, born on January 24 in Raleigh. Sherry Johnson is the proud grandmother.

We rejoice with Ronald and Hannah Barnes Little who were married on January 12 at Lakeside. Hannah is the daughter of Ann and Tim Sawyer.

COLUMBARIUM NICHES AND MEMORIAL NAMEPLATES

Niches in our Columbarium and nameplates on our Memorial plaque are still available. You may contact Linda Davis to purchase a niche for \$1,500. Memorial nameplates are available to honor loved ones not inurned in our columbarium. Each nameplate is only \$250. It is a wonderful way to honor our charter members and other Lakeside members.

YOUTH NEWS

Many thanks to Andy and Carol Barker, Jennifer and Richie Cobb and David Browder for accompanying our group on the ski trip last weekend. I am so proud of Lakeside's youth for representing themselves and our church so well. Despite the weather on Friday, it was a wonderful weekend of skiing and worshipping with other CBF youth from across our state.

All of you are invited to a Super Bowl party this Sunday night at the Graham home. Please meet at the church at 5:45 p.m. or at the Grahams at 6:00. Dinner will be provided. Bring a favorite sweet or salty snack to share during the game. There will be no choir rehearsal this week.

I look forward to seeing all of you for Sunday School and worship on Sunday.
Elizabeth

MUSIC NOTES

On Ash Wednesday, February 13, at 6:30 p.m., the Chancel Choir will perform James Whitbourn's *Son of God Mass* accompanied by Mark Gansor and soprano saxophonist Michael Stevenson. On February 3, Amy Shortt will speak to the Discussion Class at 9:45 a.m. about this wonderful musical experience.

BAPTISTS TODAY SUBSCRIPTIONS

It is time to renew subscriptions to *Baptists Today*, a publication profiling Baptist life throughout the world. If you wish to receive this publication, please call the office to sign up. The cost of subscribing is \$15 per year. If you now receive *Baptists Today* and no longer wish to, please let us know

SUNDAY AT LAKESIDE

Deacon Greeters - Craig Parker and Hank Strickland

Ushers - Group II, Ray Weathers, Captain

Crucifer - Barkley Browder; Acolyte - Michael Waters

Extended Session - Janet and Robert Sykes; Nursery - Ruth Dickens

Audio Booth Volunteer - Wayne Cotton

FINANCIAL SUMMARY FOR 4 WEEKS

2013 Missions and Ministry Budget: \$633,379

	Week	YTD
Budget Goal	\$12,180	\$36,541
Receipts through January 27	\$7,858	\$30,939
Amount remaining to meet the Annual Budget		\$602,440

Worship at Lakeside February 3, 2013

The Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany: Communion

Epistle Lesson: I Corinthians 13:1-13

Gospel Lesson: Luke 4:21-30

Sermon: "He Said What?"

Chancel Choir Anthems:

"The Gift of Love" - Hopson

"Christus Paradox" - Dunton/Fedak

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CHURCH STAFF

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Mark Gansor
Organist

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CHURCH CALENDAR

Sunday, February 3

- 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
- 6:00 p.m. Youth Super Bowl Party, The Graham Home, 1220 Cheshire Lane
There will be no activities for Preschoolers or Children this Sunday evening.

Tuesday, February 5

- 7:00 p.m. Adult Study Group, Conference Room

Wednesday, February 6

- 7:30 a.m. Morning Prayer, Sanctuary
- 10:30 a.m. Adult Study Group, Conference Room
- 6:30 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal

SHAGGING FOR SHELTER

The United Community Ministries Board of Directors will hold its third annual "Shagging for Shelter" on Friday evening, February 22, from 6:30 - 10:00 p.m. at the Imperial Centre. The cost for this fund-raising event is \$35 per person and includes a barbecue dinner, silent auction, raffle, and dancing. Tickets may be purchased from the church office or by contacting Betty Ann Whisnant or Deborah Wright.