



The Link

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MISSIONS MARKETPLACE AND SILENT AUCTION

Missions Marketplace will be held on February 26 as our children lead us in raising money and awareness for local and global missions. This year's Silent Auction will open at 5:00 p.m. in Sugg Foyer and will feature pillowcases decorated by the children. You are also invited to contribute your creations. If you paint, sculpt, carve, knit, sew, garden, or have other talents to offer, we hope you will participate. Bring your items to the church office by Thursday, February 23.

At 6:00 p.m., we will enjoy a covered-dish supper. We'll provide fried chicken, bread, and beverages. Please bring a vegetable, side dish, or dessert. After dinner, our children will present the musical *Swamped* in which the critters learn about how our faith helps us handle change in life, be tolerant and encouraging of those who are different, and face the future with courage and joy. Be sure to sign up for dinner by contacting the church office or completing the Event Registration form on the website by February 22.

LAKESIDE LADIES' BOOK CLUB

Our book selection for March is *A Separate Peace* by John Knowles. Ginny Etheridge will lead our discussion on Tuesday, March 7, at 7:00 p. at the home of Molly Pitt, 116 Candlewood Road. We would love to have you join us for an evening of fellowship and engaging conversation.

DANCIN' AND SHAGGIN' FOR SHELTER

The United Community Ministries Board of Directors will hold "Dancin' and Shaggin' for Shelter" on Friday evening, February 24, from 6:30-9:30 p.m. at the Brown Auditorium at Nash Community College. Tickets are \$40 per person in advance or \$45 per person at the door and include dinner, a silent auction, a raffle, and dancing. Raffle tickets are available in the church office. You may also make reservations for the dance in the office.

PRESCHOOL DIRECTOR OPENING

Our Preschool Director Samantha Salz has moved and we are seeking a new Director. If you know someone who might be interested in applying for the this position, please contact Dr. Wright.

ASH WEDNESDAY SUPPER AND SERVICE

Lent begins on March 1 with our Ash Wednesday service at 6:30 p.m. Plan to join us as we acknowledge our need to be close to God and share communion. A light supper will be offered at 5:30 p.m. in Robbins Hall. Please call the office to make reservations.

OUR PRAYER CONCERNS

Please remember the following persons who need our prayers and support:
Chester Regional Medical Center, 1 Medical Park Drive, Chester, SC 29706
Jean Wright (Jody Wright's mother), Room 54A
Brookridge Retirement Community, 1199 Hayes Forest Drive Winston-Salem, NC 27106, **John Capiello**, Room 718, **Denise Capiello**, Room 534
Rocky Mount Rehabilitation Center, 160 Winstead Avenue (04)
Dozia Collins, Room 213; **Mary Frances Taylor**, Room 107

At Home:

Ernest Bridgers, 4758 Gardenia Circle (04)
Lee Broughton, 516 Pelican Drive East, Pine Knoll Shores, NC 28512
Janet Corbett, 3645 Elwell Ferry Road, Kelly, NC 28448
John Covolo, 3637 Litchfield Drive (03)
Natalie Stewart Cortez, 6410 Lakewood Boulevard., Dallas, TX 75214
Jim Dickens, 3909 Hawthorne Road (04)
Brenda & John Hartness, 1130 N. Jamestown Rd.. #206, Decatur, GA 30033
Anne Morgan (Jane Snow's sister), 13 Valley Forge Place, Atlanta GA 30318
Harlon Mosley, 421 Charlotte Avenue (04)
Pat and Jack Newton, 111 Cole Drive, Hampstead NC 28443
Regina Peters (Karla Willcox's cousin), PO Box 92, Bolingbroke, GA 31004
Audrey Scarboro, 724 York Street (03)
June Shearin, 110 Newby Court (04)
Katie Skinner, 604 Chad Drive (03)
Don Stallings, 1424 Harbour Point Drive, North Palm Beach, Florida 33410
Jill Ward, 3833 Westmoreland Drive (04)
Andy Wiggs (Jim Wiggs' son), 523 Ward Street, Graham, NC 27253

Our Members-at-Home

Grace Beasley, Brookdale of Rocky Mount, 650 Goldrock Rd (04)
Nancy Henry, The Fountains at the Albemarle, 200 Trade St., Tarboro, NC 27886
Sherry Johnson, c/o Brighton Gardens, 3101 Duralieigh Rd, Rm 165, Raleigh, NC
Don Scalf, The Fountains at the Albemarle, 200 Trade St., Tarboro, NC 27886

Thanks to you, my Lakeside family, for your generous sharing of cards, visits, food, and love for me. I am well in large part through your love and prayers.

Joanne Scalf

It is with lots of love and thankfulness that we want to thank you all for your wonderful thoughts and wishes for a speedy recovery. Stan is home and making progress every day. Your prayers have been very meaningful and helped us through a second heart valve procedure. Prayers are a very special thing and have meant a lot to us while being in the hospital. You are all very special to us and we miss you dearly! Thanks for your love and thoughtfulness during this trying time.

Hugs and love to you all!!
Linda and Stan Ford

NEW MEMBER

We were delighted to welcome Linda Dawes Lee into our family of faith by transfer of her letter this past Sunday. Linda's address is 209 Old Colony Way (03); phone: 919-413-6945.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Charlie Lane on being awarded the rank of Eagle Scout. Charlie is the son of Trevor and Tommy Lane and the grandson of Norma Turnage.

YOUTH NEWS

Fellowship and laughter are important parts of growing together as a church family, and Sunday night's Lakeside Hoedown gave us a wonderful chance to enjoy these gifts. Many thanks to our youth for your gracious hospitality to our Topnotchers, to members of the Youth and Topnotchers Committees for your help in the kitchen, and to those in attendance for being such good sports! Watch the Topnotchers page of the church website later this week for some fun photos from the evening. Youth, your help is needed for the Casserole Sale on March 4. We will have a regular schedule of choirs, dinner, and SNL this Sunday night. I look forward to seeing you for Sunday School and worship on Sunday. Elizabeth

MUSIC NOTES

Lakeside Ringers, thank you for sharing your time and talents in worship this past Sunday. Bruce Harris, thank you for your steadfast help with bell set up.

All children, the final rehearsal before Missions Marketplace is this Sunday. Please be in attendance. Sign up for this fun-filled night of food, music and fellowship. Bring a friend!

Rehearsal attendance continues to be important as we prepare for Lent and Easter. See you in rehearsal and worship. Amy

ANNUAL CASSEROLE & BAKE SALE

Share your culinary skills at the annual Casserole & Bake Sale to be held on Saturday, March 4, from 9:30 a.m. until noon. The proceeds will benefit local missions chosen by the youth as well as their Urban Adventure to New York this summer. Casseroles will range from single serving to family size. Cakes (may be cut in half), pies, brownies, cookies, sauces, etc., are popular as are breads, rolls and muffins. Containers are available in the church office. You may also sign up every Sunday in the Narthex to bring items or to volunteer on Friday and Saturday.

LAKESIDE'S MISSIONS AND MINISTRY PLAN

2017 Missions and Ministry Budget: \$646,064

	Week	YTD
Anticipated Giving	\$12,190	\$85,330
Receipts February 12	\$8,699	\$71,732
Variance	-\$3,491	-\$13,598

SUNDAY AT LAKESIDE

Deacon Greeters - Nancy Berry and Rebecca Watkins

Ushers - Group II, Ray Weathers, Captain

Acolyte - Madi Adkins; Crucifer - Jacob Watkins

Nursery - Dawn Cuthrell; Extended Session - Nancy Berry

Audio Booth Volunteer - Ricky Cobb

LAKESIDE AT WORSHIP

February 19, 2017 ♦ *The Seventh Sunday after the Epiphany*

Scripture Lessons: Leviticus 19:1-2, 9-18; Matthew 5:38-48

Sermon: "Nice Try, Jesus!"

Adult Choir Anthems

"Sanctus" - Howard

"I Love You, O My God Most High" - Hogan

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Secretarial Assistant

Napoleon Taylor

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Jody Wright

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Linda Davis

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Susan Skinner

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LAKESIDE CALENDAR

Thursday, February 16

12:00 p.m. There will be no Meditation Group today

3:30 p.m. heARTw♥rks, Robbins Hall

Sunday, February 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, Conference Room

5:00 p.m. Preschool Games and Activities, Youth Choir

5:00 p.m. Missions Marketplace Dress Rehearsal, Robbins Hall

6:00 p.m. Dinner, Robbins Hall

6:30 p.m. SNL

Monday, February 20

3:30 p.m. heARTw♥rks, Robbins Hall

Tuesday, February 21

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

Wednesday, February 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, February 23

12:00 p.m. Meditation Group, Parlor

3:30 p.m. heARTw♥rks, Robbins Hall

6:30 p.m. Circle M, Mario's