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Dear Friends,

We are fast approaching the highest of holy days on the Christian calendar—our remembrance of Christ's crucifixion and our joyous celebration of Christ's resurrection. During the month of April, we have planned several opportunities to enrich our Easter observance here at PPC.

Sunday, April 3—Celebration of the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at both services.

Saturday, April 16—Easter Eggstravaganza. This event is planned by our Christian Education Ministry Team, and it includes fun events like an egg hunt, along with arts and crafts and other activities for children that focus on and teach in ways that children can comprehend the meaning of Easter. Children of all ages are welcome.

Sunday, April 17—Palm Sunday is the beginning of Holy Week. As a part of the 10:50 Worship Service that day, we will receive by Public Profession of Faith the members of the 2011 Confirmation Class.

Thursday, April 21—Maundy Thursday Worship at 7:30 p.m. Through scriptures, special music and the celebration of the Lord's Supper we will remember that last meal that Jesus shared with his disciples on the night before his death.

Friday, April 22—Good Friday Walk with the Cross. Again this year the Christian community of Mint Hill will gather at noon at Mint Hill Baptist Church and walk with the cross to the Mint Hill town square. We will stop at various points along the way to read scripture and pray. This is a time when the larger Christian community acknowledges that the oneness we have in Christ is greater than denominational divisions.

Sunday, April 24—Easter Sunday. Both worship services will be a wonderful celebration of Christ's resurrection. Through scriptures, hymns, special anthems by the Sanctuary Choir and the Bell Choir we will praise God for the gift of life that is ours in Jesus.

I hope you are already planning to be a part of these worship and fellowship opportunities as we prepare ourselves for special time in the life of the Christian church.

In anticipation,

From Lee A. Koontz, Associate Pastor

Next month at our May presbytery meeting, we'll be voting on a few proposed changes to our PC(USA) constitution. If you've been through officer training, you'll remember that our constitution is comprised by the Book of Order and the Book of Confessions. One of the three proposed changes would add a twelfth document to our Book of Confessions, so I thought I'd take a moment to tell you about it. The document is called *The Belhar Confession*.

Each of the documents in our Book of Confessions has its roots in a particular historical context as Christians struggle with the issues of their day. The Belhar Confession is no different. It comes out of South Africa during the rise of apartheid, and offers a strong rebuttal to the practices of racial segregation that dominated that country's life and worship for centuries. The confession itself focuses on two things: *unity* and *reconciliation*. It calls for all Christians to strive for unity and recognizes in scripture a directive to maintain unity in the church despite our many differences. This includes but is not limited to racial differences. In addition, the Belhar confession holds up reconciliation between races, peoples, and nations whose relationships have been broken as an end to which all Christians should work. At our March session meeting here at Philadelphia, we all had a chance to read and hear the words of the Belhar confession, and reflect on God's call to unity and reconciliation. If you'd like to discuss it with someone, please let me, Chuck, or any of our elders know – we'd be happy to share our thoughts.

If the Belhar confession is approved by two-thirds of the denomination's presbyteries, it will go back to the 2012 General Assembly for a final vote. Assuming that it passes, it would be added to our Book of Confessions. If you'd like to read more about the Belhar Confession, gather resources about it, or just read editorial articles arguing both for and against Belhar's inclusion into the Book of Confessions, there is an excellent collection of such materials online at www.gahelp.org. There you can also read about the other proposed changes to our constitution as well. I'll try to write about those in the next *Philagram*, but if you'd like to talk about them in advance, please let me know! Whether you take the time to read up on the issues currently before our denomination or not, I'd ask you to always pray for the leaders, churches, and members of the Presbyterian Church (USA). Those for whom you pray will greatly appreciate it!

Order your Easter lilies now



Easter lilies will be available for placement in the sanctuary on Easter morning in memory or honor of loved ones. The cost of the lilies is \$10.00. The deadline for ordering them is April 10, 2011. Please fill out a form (available at the church) or contact the church office at 704-545-6172..

Pre-school registration is underway

Registration for the 2011-2012 school year for our Weekday Pre-school has begun. Call Dot Bartlett at 704-545-3439, ext. 122 (work) or 704-545-4383 (home).

From our Director of Christian Education...

A new resource is now available from Congregational Ministries Publishing. *Being Reformed: Faith Seeking Understanding*, a curriculum of biblically based mini-courses, provides adults with a foundational understanding of our Reformed faith. Each six-session study is written by well-known and respected scholars. They all feature Scripture, a prayer, in-depth commentary, and questions for reflection. Lessons are enhanced through the Leader's Guide, which provides suggestions and direction for class sessions. Please contact Sonia Lee if your class is interested in any of these:

A Brief Statement of Faith

The Confession of Belhar

Discipleship: The Way of Jesus

Islam & Christianity

John Calvin

The Lord's Prayer

Recognizing God's Grace

Re-membering Baptism

Seeing Jesus in John's Gospel

Seeking Social Justice

Seven Days to Glory

Stewardship of Creation

Temptation in the Desert

Theology for Presbyterians

Wisdom From the Early Church

Worship as Evangelism



Summer opportunities for children

Summer camp brochures are available! Although it's still chilly outside, it's time to start planning for summer camps. If you want to offer your child an opportunity to experience the love of Christ in a natural setting and a caring Christian community, consider sending her or him to one of the two Presbyterian camps closest to Charlotte. Church camp offers children and youth a chance to grow in their relationships with God, God's creation, and others. Brochures for Camp Grier and Bethelwoods are available in the racks outside of the church office. Feel free to take one of each or check out their websites for more information (www.campgrier.org, www.bethelwoods.org).

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The Charlotte Eagles Men's Professional Soccer Team and Lady Eagles Elite Women's Soccer Team franchises are owned by Missionary Athletes International (MAI), a non-profit organization that has been in existence since 1983.

The Charlotte Eagles believe that the local church is the means by which God works and accomplishes his kingdom on earth in the present age. Therefore, the Charlotte Eagles want to be used as a resource to assist the local church. The Charlotte Eagles believe that the camp ministry is a strategic and proven method by which effective evangelism can take place. It is also an efficient tool that churches can use in order to assist families in reaching out to friends and neighbors. As lives are affected and changed by God's grace through a week at camp, it is imperative to have the presence of a local church to continue the relationship for follow-up and discipleship.

It is the goal of the Charlotte Eagles to partner with churches by providing an opportunity for them to easily facilitate an outreach program with minimal commitment and eternal rewards, not to mention a positive evangelistic experience for their church families.

It is this simple: How to participate:

As families in your church register for Eagles camp the Charlotte Eagles will provide your church with ten (10) vouchers for a free week of camp. The vouchers are to be used by registered families to bring their unchurched friends to camp.

If you are interested, contact Tony Griffin at 704-363-2947.

Attention, High School Seniors!

Application forms for the Elizabeth Caldwell Junker, the Frances McEwen Hunter and the James Lee Miller, Jr. Scholarships are available in the information rack outside the church office. Deadline for their return is April 10.

Come to the egg hunt!

Come and join us for our annual Easter Eggstravaganza in Bigham Hall on Saturday, April 16, from 10 – 11:00 a.m. Discover joyful ways for your family to celebrate

Christ's resurrection. Crafts and snacks will be part of the morning's festivities, and of course, the culminating event will be an Easter egg hunt. Children up to 5th grade won't want to miss this event sponsored by the Christian Education Ministry Team. If you would like to donate to the event, plastic eggs, individually wrapped candy, stickers, or other small objects that fit inside an egg will be gratefully accepted by April 10.



Join our book club

The next meeting will be on Monday, April 25. In order to participate, just read the selection of the month, spend some time meditating and contemplating on what you have read, then come for an informal discussion at Dilworth Coffee (Idlewild & 51) at 7:00 p.m.

The selection for April is *The Year of Living Biblically* by A.J. Jacobs.



Friday, April 1

6:30 p.m.—Girl Scouts—Chapel
8:00 p.m.—AA Mtg. (closed)—Old Scout Hut

Saturday, April 2

9:00 a.m.—Girl Scouts—Bigham Hall (dinning area)

Sunday, April 3

8:35 a.m.—Worship Service—Communion—Chapel
9:45 a.m.—Church School
10:50 a.m.—Worship Service—Communion—Sanctuary
2:00 p.m.—Girl Scouts—Old Scout Hut
5:00 p.m.—Disciple Bible Study—Session Room
5:00 p.m.—Middle School Youth Meeting—Kerr Building
6:00 p.m.—Youth Snack Supper—Kerr Building
6:30 p.m.—High School Youth Meeting—Kerr Building
6:30 p.m.—Philabell Practice—Bell Choir Rm.
7:30 p.m.—Sanctuary Choir Practice—Adult Choir Rm.

Monday, April 4

6:30 p.m.—Scouts—Bigham Hall/Chapel
6:30 p.m.—Christian Education Ministry Mtg.—Session Rm.
7:00 p.m.—Deacons Meeting—Heritage Room

Tuesday, April 5

10:30 a.m.—PW Circle #1—Heritage Room
10:30 a.m.—PW Circle #2—Fred Brown Classroom
3:30 p.m.—Girl Scouts—Bigham Hall
6:30 p.m.—Girl Scouts—Bigham Hall

Wednesday, April 6

5:00 p.m.—Cherub Choir Practice—Children's Choir Room
5:30 p.m.—Celebration Singers Choir Practice—Children's Choir Room
7:00 p.m.—Evangelism/Outreach Ministry Meeting—Session Room
8:00 p.m.—AA Mtg. (open)—Old Scout Hut

Thursday, April 7

6:00 p.m.—Disciple Bible Study—Session Rm.
6:15 p.m.—Girl Scouts—Chapel/Bigham Hall
7:00 p.m.—Planning & Review Committee Meeting—Heritage Rm.
7:00 p.m.—A.A. Mtg.—Old Scout Hut

Friday, April 8

6:30 p.m.—Girl Scouts—Chapel
8:00 p.m.—AA Mtg. (closed)—Old Scout Hut

Saturday, April 9

7:00 a.m.—Blood Drive—Bigham Hall
7:30 a.m.—Men's Breakfast—Kerr Building

Sunday, April 10

8:35 a.m.—Worship Service—Chapel
9:45 a.m.—Church School
10:50 a.m.—Worship Service—Sanctuary
2:00 p.m.—Girl Scouts—Old Scout Hut
5:00 p.m.—Disciple Bible Study—Session Room
5:00 p.m.—Worship & Music Ministry Meeting—Heritage Room
5:00 p.m.—Middle School Youth Meeting—Kerr Building
6:00 p.m.—Youth Snack Supper—Kerr Building
6:30 p.m.—High School Youth Meeting—Kerr Building
6:30 p.m.—Philabell Practice—Bell Choir Rm.
7:30 p.m.—Sanctuary Choir Practice—Adult Choir Rm.

Monday, April 11

6:30 p.m.—Scouts—Bigham Hall/Chapel
6:30 p.m.—Administration Ministry Mtg.—Session Rm.
7:00 p.m.—Stephen Ministry Meeting—Heritage Room

Tuesday, April 12

3:30 p.m.—Girl Scouts—Bigham Hall
6:30 p.m.—Girl Scouts—Bigham Hall
7:00 p.m.—PW Circle #6—Session Rm.

Wednesday, April 13

5:00 p.m.—Cherub Choir Practice—Children's Choir Room
5:30 p.m.—Celebration Singers Choir Practice—Children's Choir Room
7:00 p.m.—Finance Ministry Meeting—Session Room
8:00 p.m.—AA Mtg. (open)—Old Scout Hut

Thursday, April 14

6:00 p.m.—Disciple Bible Study—Session Room
6:15 p.m.—Girl Scouts—Chapel/Bigham Hall
7:00 p.m.—A.A. Mtg.—Old Scout Hut

Friday, April 15

6:30 p.m.—Girl Scouts—Chapel
8:00 p.m.—AA Mtg. (closed)—Old Scout Hut

Saturday, April 16

10:00 a.m.—Easter Eggstravaganza—Bigham Hall

Sunday, April 17

8:35 a.m.—Worship Service—Chapel
9:45 a.m.—Church School
9:30 a.m.—Confirmand Breakfast—Bigham Hall
10:50 a.m.—Worship Service—Sanctuary
12:15 p.m.—PW Council Meeting—Session Room
5:00 p.m.—Disciple Bible Study—Session Room
5:00 p.m.—Middle School Youth Meeting—Kerr Building
6:00 p.m.—Youth Snack Supper—Kerr Building
6:30 p.m.—High School Youth Meeting—Kerr Building
6:30 p.m.—Philabell Practice—Bell Choir Rm.
7:30 p.m.—Sanctuary Choir Practice—Adult Choir Rm.

Monday, April 18

6:15 p.m.—Building & Grounds Comm. Meeting—Steve Ross Class
6:30 p.m.—Scouts—Bigham Hall/Chapel
7:00 p.m.—Session Meeting—Session Room

Tuesday, April 19

3:30 p.m.—Girl Scouts—Bigham Hall
6:30 p.m.—Girl Scouts—Bigham Hall

Wednesday, April 20

8:00 p.m.—AA Mtg. (open)—Old Scout Hut

Maundy Thursday, April 21

6:00 p.m.—Disciple Bible Study—Session Room
7:30 p.m.—Maundy Thursday Service—Sanctuary
7:00 p.m.—A.A. Mtg.—Old Scout Hut

Good Friday, April 22

8:00 p.m.—AA Mtg. (closed)—Old Scout Hut

Saturday, April 23

No Meetings

Easter Sunday, April 24

8:35 a.m.—Worship Service—Chapel
9:45 a.m.—Church School
10:50 a.m.—Worship Service—Sanctuary
6:30 p.m.—Philabell Practice—Bell Choir Rm.
7:30 p.m.—Sanctuary Choir Practice—Adult Choir Rm.

Monday, April 25

Church Office Closed
6:30 p.m.—Scouts—Bigham Hall/Chapel

Tuesday, April 26

3:30 p.m.—Girl Scouts—Bigham Hall
7:00 p.m.—Youth Committee Meeting—Session Room

Wednesday, April 27

5:00 p.m.—Cherub Choir Practice—Children's Choir Room
5:30 p.m.—Celebration Singers Choir Practice—Children's Choir Room
7:00 p.m.—Scholarship Committee Meeting—Session Room
8:00 p.m.—AA Mtg. (open)—Old Scout Hut

Thursday, April 28

6:00 p.m.—Disciple Bible Study—Session Room
6:15 p.m.—Girl Scouts—Chapel/Bigham Hall
7:00 p.m.—A.A. Mtg.—Old Scout Hut

Friday, April 29

8:00 p.m.—AA Mtg. (closed)—Old Scout Hut

Saturday, April 30

No Meetings

Celebrating an anniversary in April . . .

- 3 Mike & Lynn Belk
- 3 Alvin & Janice Wilson
- 9 Ellis & Shirlene Yeargins
- 12 Gerald & Vicki Crossman
- 12 Brandon & Meredith Hartsell
- 17 Porter & Pernette Behrendt
- 17 Keith & Connie Ensley
- 19 Chuck & Barbara Williamson
- 20 Philip & Mary Snyder
- 21 Woody & Linda Cummins
- 21 Chuck & Suzanne Jones
- 23 Sigrid & Herman Morris
- 27 Jimmy & Christi Christian
- 28 Richard & SuLena Long
- 29 Drew & Jennifer Lawrence
- 30 Adam & Carrie Upchurch

If your name was omitted from the birthday or anniversary list, please contact the church office.

Concerns of the Church

Deaths

- 2/22 [Herman Humphrey] brother of Carlene Tucker
- 2/25 [Josephine Hillegas] mother of Pam Jack
- 3/4 [Missy Sawyer] sister of Chris Goechius
- 3/6 [Frances Williams] mother of Curt Williams

New Members

Tom and Debbie Connors
10631 Persimmon Creek Dr.
Charlotte, NC 28227
Tom joined by Reaffirmation of Faith and Debbie joined by Letter of Transfer from Peace Memorial Presbyterian Church, Clearwater, FL.

Mike and Katie Garbark
10622 Persimmon Creed Dr.
Charlotte, NC 28227
Mike and Katie joined by Letter of Transfer from Back Creek Presbyterian Church.
They have 2 children: Savannah, age 10; and Elizabeth, age 5.

Baptisms, March 13

Elizabeth Rose Garbark born July 13, 2005, daughter of Mike and Katie Garbark.

Savannah Michelle Garbark born December 20, 2000, daughter of Mike and Katie Garbark.

Hannah Marie Johnson born June 9, 2010, daughter of Melissa and Cpl David Johnson. Hannah is the granddaughter of Rocky and Cindi Hoffner.

Happy Birthday!



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| 2 Aaron Childers | 11 April Leon | 20 Drew Metz |
| 2 Ali Flowe | 13 Katherine Childers | 21 Kendall Barnes |
| 4 Leslie Carmichael | 13 Karen Glover | 21 Brenda Bouler |
| 4 Tim Donoghue | 13 Emily Griffin | 22 Michael Belk |
| 4 Janet O'Prey | 14 Pam Jack | 22 Gail Ferguson |
| 4 Danny Pharr | 14 Rose McWhirter | 22 Janet Funderburk |
| 4 Sharon Robinson | 14 Richie Williams | 22 David Madanski |
| 5 Moses Griffin | 14 Shirlene Yeargins | 22 Max McMackin |
| 5 Betty Ross | 15 Brandy Campbell | 22 Sam McMackin |
| 6 Allyson Barkley | 15 Will Pamplin | 22 Ann Sharpe |
| 6 Brooks Gulledge | 16 Bill Cloaninger | 23 Connie Ensley |
| 6 Mary Hyatt | 16 Elizabeth Baird | 23 Evelyn Horton |
| 6 Benjamin Jeffers | 16 Myra Kirkland | 23 William Randall |
| 6 Trey Robison, III | 16 Eliza Metz | 23 Braxton Ritch |
| 7 Gabriel Governale | 16 Blake Owens | 23 Mary Snell |
| 7 Steve Hill | 16 James Sharrett | 24 Summer Guerin |
| 7 Kevin Linscheid | 16 Kaye Vass | 24 Brandon Moser |
| 8 Jessica Corrigan | 17 John Allocco | 24 Taylor Moser |
| 8 Shelley Muehl | 17 Joel Orr | 25 Jamie Forbis |
| 8 Jillian Rosmon | 17 Sarah Petrucci | 25 Rod Harouff |
| 10 Jennifer Cochran | 17 Kelly Randall | 25 MacKenzi Lewis |
| 10 Daniel Cooke | 17 Brad Shearin | 25 Jill Sharrett |
| 10 Peter Stengel | 18 John Black | 25 Audrey Stamey |
| 10 Ellen Street | 18 Liz Cogswell | 26 Annie Hagy |
| | 18 Peggy Flowe | 26 Morris Hood |
| | 18 Mike Moser | 27 Sadie Hood |
| | 18 Becky Oke | 27 Amanda Johnson |
| | 19 Steve Davis | 27 Alex Kendrick |
| | 19 Suzanne Jones | 27 Hannah Morris |
| | 19 Heather Koontz | 27 Wayne Wolfe |
| | 20 Michael Black | 28 Nancy Burnham |
| | 20 Janet Hall | 28 Stanley Boyd |
| | 20 Christian McClure | 29 Brian Alexander |

Congratulations, Katie!

We congratulate Katie Todd who will be graduating from Union Presbyterian Seminary (Charlotte) on Saturday, April 30.



Please join us.....

Dedication of Veteran's Administration Grave Marker for

Robert Franklin Henderson,

Great-great-grandfather of Emily Davis

On Saturday, April 16, 2011, at 5:45 p.m.

at the church cemetery adjacent to the Chapel Building

Robert Franklin Henderson volunteered in two wars and gave honorable service in both the USA Army and the CSA Army, fighting in both the Mexican War and the War Between the States.

He married Margaret A. Rudisill in 1850 in Gaston County, and they had eight children, one of whom was Lillie Eleanora Henderson. Lillie married Henry Williamson Keenan and is buried in the Philadelphia Presbyterian Church cemetery.

All the descendents of Robert Franklin Henderson thank Philadelphia Presbyterian Church for allowing us to honor our ancestor here in the church cemetery among his relatives and family members. We do not know exactly where his final resting place is. With this VA marker, placed next to his daughter's, future generations will stop to wonder about this brave and honorable man.

An Honor Guard of Scottish men in kilts and also military reenactors will be present at the dedication.

Learn more about Mint Hill

Discover Mint Hill 2011 is scheduled for April 16 from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. It's a day to learn about our community, its culture and history. It includes a historic bus tour of the town (including a stop here at PPC). If you want to learn more about Discover Mint Hill, you can visit discoverminthill.org, or call Sue McDonald at the Mint Hill Historical Society.

Presbyterian Men will host fundraiser

On May 21, our Presbyterian Men will have a pancake breakfast as a fundraiser for Jakob Clark, son of Thomas and Donna Clark and grandson of Don and Merle Price. You may recall that Jakob, age 6, was severely injured in December and has undergone a number of surgeries. He faces more surgeries as he grows up.



This pancake breakfast will be open to the community. Be watching and listening for more details.

The next men's breakfast meeting will be April 9 at 7:30 a.m. in the Kerr Building. All men of the church are invited. We will be making plans for our fundraiser. Please come!

North Carolina Presbyterian Pilgrimage (NCP) / Arise

NCP and/or Arise are ecumenical movements which provide a short course in Christianity. The weekends are designed to provide all Christians with a significant foundation for individual and community spiritual growth. Grace and growth are combined in an energetic way. The three days are an encounter with Christ and with a Christian Community.

Pilgrimage originated with the Roman Catholic Cursillo movement, which began in Spain in 1948 and migrated to America in the late 1950's. In addition to the Roman Catholic and Presbyterian movements, there are similar weekend experiences sponsored by the Methodist, Reformed Episcopal, Lutheran, and other Christian churches.

The North Carolina Presbyterian Pilgrimage (NCP) organization sponsors seven weekends for adults each year in three locations across the state, each running from Thursday night to Sunday afternoon. There are two weekends overseen by the Western Conference at Camp Harrison (near Lenoir) in March/April and September. Three weekends (February, May, and October) are held at Camp Hanes near Winston-Salem. Two weekends are held at Camp Dixie (near Lumberton) in March and November. Arise sponsors three weekends for 9th grade and up each year, each beginning on Saturday morning and ending on Monday afternoon. Two Arise weekends are held over Labor Day weekend at South Mountain Christian Camp (near Shelby) and Camp Rockfish (near Fayetteville). The third Arise is on Martin Luther King weekend at Camp Carefree (near Greensboro).

What happens at a Pilgrimage or Arise?

The weekend is an experience in Christian sharing and living. Talks are presented, both by pastors and lay people, on topics such as Grace and tools for Christian living. Also included are daily chapel visits, communion, small group discussions, music, laughter, and prayer.

The weekend is designed to be an individual experience; however, it is also good for couples to attend together and share the joy of the experience. Camp facilities prevent spouses from being roommates and neither NCP or Arise will assign them to the same small group during the weekend.

The weekends are led by previous Pilgrimage or Arise participants called team members. The team's sole responsibility is to serve the first time participants, or guests, in Christian love. While previous participants may seem reluctant to share what happens during a weekend, please know they are trying very hard to preserve the special surprises for future guests.

How do I attend a weekend?

If you are an adult Christian of any denomination who desires a closer relationship with Christ, you are welcome to attend a Pilgrimage. If you are 9th grade or older (including adult) Christian of any denomination who desires a closer relationship with Christ, you are welcome to attend an Arise.

Costs are kept to an absolute minimum to cover the expenses of lodging, meals, and supplies for the weekend. NCP costs are \$160 per person and scholarships are available. Arise costs are \$120 per person and partial scholarships are available. The next two Western Conference weekends are April 7-10, 2011 and September 22-25, 2011. The next Arise weekend will be on Labor Day Weekend.

If you would like to attend a weekend, please contact anyone who has previously attended. The registrars for the NCP Western Conference are Doug and Jody Kerns who can be reached at 704-596-1646 or contact Cindi Hoffner or Clark Davenport for information and/or applications. For Arise, please contact Jennifer Hoffner, Melissa Johnson, or Melissa Tamez for information and/or applications.

The weekend is only the beginning and is designed to strengthen the participants' ties to their individual congregations. What you learn and share during the weekend will hopefully be taken back and put into practice in your local congregation and communities.

The Session has called a congregational meeting to be held at the beginning of the 10:50 worship service on April 10 for the purpose of amending the terms of the church's call to Dr. Williamson.



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PPC Birthday Endowment Fund

Celebrate your big day by sharing your blessings. Or remember anyone you love by giving a gift to the PPC Birthday Endowment Fund. Each donor and honoree will be acknowledged in the *Philagram*. By growing this fund, our church will be able to use the interest for much needed improvements and repairs to the buildings and grounds of our campus. Donation envelopes are available in the narthex of the sanctuary and chapel and outside the church office.

The following donations have been made to the Birthday Endowment Fund:

In Honor of:

Alexander Davidson—From Karen Allocco

If you made a donation to the Birthday Endowment and it is not listed, please contact the church office.



Memorials

Merrie Rose Hawkins—Perry & Sue Davis, Albert & Valerie Carpenter, III, UBS Financial Services Inc., Elam & Penny Caldwell, Ronald & Margaret Hawkins, Jacqueline Skipper, Bill Hawkins, Karol Welch, Bill & Jeanette Giddings, Harry & Martha Hood (Columbarium Fund)

Minnie Bell Thomas—Erskine & Robert Ann Phillips (Current Fund)

Melvin Thomas—Erskine & Robert Ann Phillips (Current Fund)

Zebulon Morris—Erskine & Robert Ann Phillips (Current Fund)

Martha Presson—Johnny Presson (Current Fund)

If you gave a memorial gift and it is not listed, please contact the church office.

Save the date for VBS!

Vacation Bible School will be June 26-30. The theme will be Shake it Up Café. Watch for more details to come in the next few weeks.

Dr. Chuck Williamson, Pastor/Head of Staff
Rev. Lee Koontz, Associate Pastor
Sonia Lee, Director of Christian Education
Judy Clinton, Office Manager
Cynthia Stokes, Secretary
Linda Cummins, Webmaster/Administrative Assistant



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Katie Todd, Youth Director
Gary Forbis, Director of Music
Marnie Gallagher, Youth Choir Director
Melinda Johnston, Children's Choir Director
Leslie Anderson, Organist
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