

PERSONS BROUGHT TO OUR ATTENTION

Harvey Vanderford (Beth Moore's father)-Adams Place Rehab
Helen Koelemay (Karen Boston's mother)-Leesville, LA
Joe Trevathan-Stallworth Rehab Janet Camp
Gladys Powers-Adams Rehab Nelda Pope
Rosalie May (Chuck May's wife) John Sessoms
Ben & Betty Ferguson Colton Sheets
Edna McPeak Fred Dansby
Nancy Ross-Sunnington Mark Harrell
Doyne Graham-NHC Larsen Purvis
Erv Manning-Adams Place Nancy Pierce
Betty Caruthers-Northside Health Billie Russell
Arthur Beard (Tami Smith's father) Rebecca Bennett
Lillian Taylor (Chris Taylor's mother) Ralph Tramel, Sr.
Christine Burns (Jim Burns' mother) Sonny Reynolds
Christine Cantrell (Ann Graves' mother) Lizabeth Branson
Clara Delbridge-Richland Place, Nashville Sue Ridley
Harold Coke-At his brother's residence in Nashville
Lucille Slicker (Richard Slicker's mother)-Hospice of Tulsa, OK
Clint Verstymen (Barbara Boswell's father)-Rockford, IL

STORM VICTIMS AND FAMILIES

MILITARY AND THEIR FAMILIES

Chris Nall, Jeff Walker, Doug Brown, John Reynolds, Mason Harlow, Luke Naughton, William Rhome, Tim Ferguson, Nicholas Phillips, Ingram Cope, Josh Berry, Clint Ervin, Chase Moss, Josh Thurman, Ben Cahill, Lloyd Denny, Hugh Hanna, Mark Collins, David Walker, Blake Troutman, Richard D. Forth, Mark Thomas, Brandon Kyle Hall, Matt Crisafulli, Thomas Hosfelt, Jay Patton, Zachary Kragness, Heather Clemens, Michael Clemens, Jeremiah Borrajo, Curt Oglesby, Patrick Caukin, Jay Patton, Shawn Napier, Michael Maglio, Jr., John Sneed

SYMPATHY

Our deepest sympathy is extended to:

- Family and friends of Jane Tarpley who passed away Saturday, March 6, 2010.
- Craig and Lisa Butler and family in the loss of Craig's mother, Nancy Butler, who passed away Thursday, March 11, 2010.

CORRECT PHONE NUMBER

Rev. Miriam Seyler's home phone number is not correct in the new church directory. The correct number is 625-3942. Please make a note of this in your church directory.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT MENU FOR 03/17/10: Burrito Bar, Refried Beans, Chips W/Salsa, Salad Bar, and Sopapillas; Snack: Chicken Tenders, Chips, Cookie
**Please remember to cancel your dinner reservation if you will not be attending a dinner.

EASTER LILIES

Orders will be taken today and next Sunday, Mar. 21st for lilies to be used for Easter Sunday Services. Envelopes will be provided in the bulletins for ordering. Please designate in honor of or in memory of a loved one. The cost of each lily is \$10.00. Please complete the envelope information, enclose your payment, seal, and then place in the offering plate. Deadline for ordering is Mon., Mar. 22nd.

ROAD RUNNERS TRIP TO FALCON REST MCMINNVILLE, TN

Join the Road Runners for a trip to McMinnville to the Victorian Falcon Rest Mansion and Gardens Thursday, March 25th. The mansion has been dubbed "Tennessee's Biltmore" by PBS. Come along and experience humorous tales from the past, food like Grandma used to make, an 1890's department store, 10,000 square feet of historic house, and wonderful fellowship together. Please make your reservation by bringing \$25.00 to the church office no later than Thursday, March 18th. The \$25.00 will be non-refundable after Friday, March 19th and includes admission to the mansion, lunch, as well as transportation to and from McMinnville.

MARCH SENIOR ADULT LUNCHEON

Please join us for a St. Paddy's celebration on Thursday, March 18th. You are invited to a "brilliant" meal at 12:00 noon (\$7.00). Following the food, we will have a special program celebrating Ireland's sounds with the band "Remotely Celtic." You may make your reservations by email: tperkins@fumcm.org or by signing up in your Sunday School classes, at the Welcome Center, or by phoning the church office at 893-1322 no later than Tuesday, March 16th.

PICTORIAL DIRECTORIES ARE HERE!

You may pick up your pictorial directory at the welcome center. Please write your name on the list with the directories so we can make sure everyone gets a directory. There is no cost. One per household, please.

NURSERY NEEDS

The nursery needs to restock on a few items: baby wipes, AA and C batteries. If you can donate any of these items, please bring to room 108. Thank you!

ANGEL TREE MISSIONS

Jennifer Sheets is currently expecting a baby girl that should arrive sometime during the month of March. Her 3 year old son, Colton, is still receiving treatments for Leukemia at Vanderbilt Hospital. His chemo treatments have been very aggressive, however, he is responding well to his treatments. The Angel Tree would like to offer continued support for this family. During the weeks of Mar. 7th-28th, we will place a box in the Narthex designated for the Sheets family. We would like to collect gift cards to any store, such as Walmart or Target, where they can purchase baby items. We will also accept cash donations for this family. If you have any questions, contact Donna Lovelace at 895-2924.

HOLY WEEK

Passion/Palm Sunday - Sunday, March 28th

8:30 a.m. Open Table-Family Life Center - Carlos Uroza
8:30 a.m. Traditional Worship Ser.-Sanc. - Michael O'Bannon
9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Traditional Worship Ser.-Sanc.- Michael O'Bannon
11:00 a.m. Open Table-Family Life Center - Carlos Uroza

Holy Week Noon Services in the sanctuary at 12:00 noon followed by lunch in the Family Life Center at 12:30 p.m., served by our Kitchen Staff, Monday through Friday. The charge for the Adult meal will be \$6.00, or you may purchase a 5-day meal ticket on Monday for \$24.00. A Child's meal, 12 & under, may be purchased for \$3.00, or a 5-day meal ticket for \$12.00.

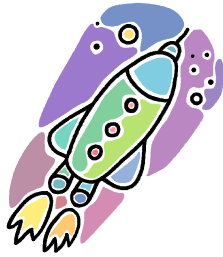
Monday, March 29th - Dewey Smith
Tuesday, March 30th - Carlos Uroza
Wednesday, March 31st - Tommy Perkins
Thursday, April 1st - Miriam Seyler
Friday, April 2nd - Michael O'Bannon

Special Service - Thursday, April 1st
Maundy Thursday Holy Communion and Tenebrae Service
7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary - Michael O'Bannon

Children's Easter Egg Hunt - April 3rd - 11:00 a.m.

***Easter Sunday** - Sunday, April 4th
8:30 a.m. Open Table-Family Life Center - Miriam Seyler
8:30 a.m. Traditional Worship Ser.-Sanc.- Michael O'Bannon
9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Traditional Worship Ser.-Sanc.- Michael O'Bannon
11:00 a.m. Open Table-Family Life Center - Tommy Perkins

*** Please note that because we will have communion on Maundy Thursday, April 1st, we will not have communion on Easter Sunday, April 4th.**



**Join us as a VBS Volunteer for
Galactic Blast!
Cosmic Adventure
Praising God!
June 21 – 25**

Come lead our children as we experience and praise God. The week is filled with Exciting Crafts, Recreation, Science, Music, Fun, Snacks and Bible stories.

Join us for our Volunteer Meeting on Wednesday, April 7, at 6:00 – 204 – dinner and nursery provided.

Yes, I will help blast into the word by becoming a:

- _____ **Helper with decorations**
- _____ **Director of preschool supplies**
- _____ **Director of elementary supplies**
- _____ **Lead teacher in a VBS classroom**
- _____ **Helper in a VBS classroom**
- _____ **Cosmic craft center**
- _____ **Leader/helper at Cosmic Music**
- _____ **Leader/helper in Cosmic Snack**
- _____ **Recreation**
- _____ **Blastin' Science Lab**
- _____ **Youth volunteer**
- _____ **Teacher snack organizer or helper**
- _____ **Youth Coordinator**

I prefer the following age group: 2 yr. olds _____
 3 yr. olds _____ 4 yr. olds _____ Kindergarten _____
 1st Grade _____ 2nd Grade _____ 3rd Grade _____
 4th Grade _____ 5th Grade _____ 6th Grade _____

Name _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Please return this form by placing it in the offering plate, bringing it to the church office, or by contacting Amy Graves. All children who attend VBS must have been 3 by September 30th of 2009. A nursery is available to all volunteers.

**WIDE ANGLE
FRAMING YOUR WORLDVIEW**

Rick Warren, Pastor Saddleback Church, author *The Purpose Driven Life*. Chuck Colson, Founder Prison Fellowship; author, *The Good Life*.

The Fellowship Sunday School class is starting this new DVD study on March 21st in room 216 at 9:45 am and you are invited to attend.

Your worldview consists of the beliefs on which you build your life on. It determines how you view God, yourself, and other people. It includes your thoughts about life and death, good and evil, pain and suffering, the past, the present and the future. It determines how you think about your relationship, your time, and your money. Everything you think about life is shaped by your worldview.

MEALS FOR ROOM IN THE INN MINISTRY

Room in the Inn is a homeless shelter that provides temporary shelter to single adults and families. The first Friday of each month our church provides the evening meal for residents. We currently have a need for classes, individuals, or groups who would be interested in sponsoring and delivering a meal for Friday, April 2nd. If you or your group would be interested in participating in this wonderful opportunity to serve, please contact Byron Lynn at 809-5203.

GALS NIGHT OUT-MOVIE NIGHT

Saturday, March 27, 6:00-9:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall

Ladies, come join us for a Southern themed evening as we watch, "Steel Magnolias." Bring your favorite southern dish to share. You may also bring any beauty items such as nail polish, etc. to enjoy our own little "Truvy's Salon." Please bring a friend. Movie is rated PG. Completed forms should be placed in the basket marked "GALS Night Out" at the Welcome Center. For more information contact Adrienne Evans (848-0466) or Amy Korstange (513-600-3839).

*Nursery provided upon reservation. Cost is \$5 per child. Please turn in nursery registration by Sunday, March 21st.

GALS Night Out Reservation Form

Name _____

If Nursery needed, how many children and what ages?

Up & Coming @
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March 14, 2010

An adult should escort any children who may need to leave the sanctuary.

MANY GIFTS ONE SPIRIT
SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES SUNDAY

The Many Gifts One Spirit Campaign this year was divided into two parts. The first part was the financial commitment in which church members made their financial pledge to the 2010 church operating budget. The second part is the church member's service commitment to the church. Each Sunday through April 18th, our seven ministry groups will give a brief witness at each worship service to remind us what your service commitment to the ministry of 1st Church makes possible. Your service commitments will be for a one year period from July 1, 2010 to June 30, 2011. Only the Administrative committees and ministry group positions will run January through December, beginning January 1. When you receive the service opportunities brochure and commitment card, you will be asked to prayerfully consider the areas in which you will serve. **Sunday, April 25th, will be our Service Commitment Sunday.**

ALTAR FLOWER CHART

The 2010 Altar Flower Chart is now up on the wall beside the elevator on the first floor. Please sign up for altar flowers, especially during May, June, and July. Please sign up while you are here at church as we have several open dates available.