

**OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK OF  
MARCH 21 – MARCH 28**

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| Sunday, March 21      | 8:30 A.M.        | Early Celebration of Worship                         |
|                       | 9:30 A.M.        | Chancel Choir Rehearsal                              |
|                       | 9:45 A.M.        | Sunday School for all ages                           |
|                       | 11:00 A.M.       | Celebration of Worship                               |
|                       | 12:00 P.M.       | Fellowship Time/WaYouth Choir<br>Senior High WaYouth |
|                       | 12:30 P.M.       | Confirmation/Commissioning Class                     |
|                       | 5:00 P.M.        | Sanctuary Bell Rehearsal                             |
|                       | 6:30 P.M.        | Stamp Out Hunger Event                               |
|                       | 7:00 P.M.        | MEDS   |
|                       | Monday, March 22 | Noon   |
| Wednesday, March 24   | 4:00 P.M.        | WOW  |
|                       | 5:30 P.M.        | Primary Choir Rehearsal                              |
|                       | 6:00 P.M.        | Soup/Salad Dinner/Middlers                           |
|                       | 6:45 P.M.        | Adult Study  |
|                       | 7:30 P.M.        | Worship, Music & Fine Arts Meeting                   |
| Thursday, March 25    | 11:30 A.M.       | Elizabeth Circle                                     |
|                       | 12:05 P.M.       | Lenten Service, Westminster Church                   |
|                       | 7:00 P.M.        | Chancel Choir Rehearsal                              |
| Palm Sunday, March 28 | 8:30 A.M.        | Early Celebration of Worship                         |
|                       | 9:30 A.M.        | Chancel Choir Rehearsal                              |
|                       | 9:45 A.M.        | Sunday School for all ages                           |
|                       | 11:00 A.M.       | Celebration of Worship                               |
|                       | 12:00 P.M.       | Fellowship Time<br>Senior High WaYouth               |
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|                       | 5:00 P.M.        | Sanctuary Bell Rehearsal                             |

**SANCTUARY FLOWERS**

The flowers in the Sanctuary this morning were given to the glory of God by the Haas Family in loving memory of Jim's father, Dr. Max Haas.

**“FORGIVENESS” BULLETINS**

Our thanks to Gwen and Mark Smith who donated the bulletins today, the Fifth Sunday in Lent. The bulletins are given in memory of family and friends.

**COMMUNITY LENTEN SERVICES**

The Community Lenten Services continue this Thursday at noon at Westminster Presbyterian Church. The preacher this week will be the Rev. John Mang, from Our Lady of Peace Roman Catholic Church.

**WALK TO JERUSALEM**

Just a reminder that we have only two weeks remaining in our “Walk to Jerusalem.” Everyone is invited to join in, whether or not you have been participating thus far. Simply record the number of minutes you walked/exercised during the week on the slip of paper and place in the box by the map.



**EASTER LILIES**

Easter Lilies may be purchased to grace our Sanctuary on Easter Sunday either in memory or honor of loved ones. Just sign up on sheet located in the Lobby at the Information Table in the lobby. Requests must be received by March 26.

**WEDNESDAY EVENING SPEAKERS**

During Lent we are welcoming representatives of various community ministries to our after-dinner study time. This week we will be privileged to have with us Nancy Milkowski from Habitat for Humanity. Please join us at 6:45 p.m. in the Parlor to hear her presentation.

**INSPIRATIONS: LIVING WELL WITH CANCER**

Tuesday April 6th at 7pm we will be "In the Kitchen with Cathie and Sharon" at Wayside with some more healthy and easy recipes for us to try for spring and summer. Look forward to seeing you all then, Sharon Riley

**PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP/FUN EVENT**

Members of Martha Circle plan to host a day “Coach Tour” to Buffalo, NY in July to visit Frank Lloyd Wright at Greystone, Derby on the Lake, Knox/Albright Art Gallery and the Buffalo Botanical Gardens. If interested in knowing more about this trip, please sign up at the Information Table today.

**STEWARDSHIP OPPORTUNITIES**

**ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING**

Throughout Lent, we continue our participation in the One Great Hour of Sharing. OGHS is one of four special denominational offerings. All proceeds are divided among the Presbyterian Hunger Program, Presbyterian Disaster Assistance and the Self-Development of People program. Your offering can be made anytime up through Easter. Please use the special envelopes in the pew racks.

**WEST MILLCREEK FOOD PANTRY**

The basket for your donations is located in the lobby next to the coffee table. This week the Pantry suggests spaghetti and spaghetti sauce. All non-perishable food items are always welcome.

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR!**

The annual Wayside Talent Auction is scheduled for Saturday, April 10<sup>th</sup>! Start thinking of your talents and what you would be willing to donate! Sign up at the Information Table today.

## PER CAPITA

The per capita reminder appeared recently in the envelope packet. The amount for this year is \$27.00 per active member of Wayside. That contribution is divided to support the important work of the Presbytery, the Synod, and the General Assembly, all of which have proven to be good sources of assistance to Wayside. Please use the specially marked envelope or simply earmark your check "per capita".

## EASTER PRAYER VIGIL

The Worship, Music & Fine Arts Committee will be sponsoring an Easter Prayer Vigil that begins at 7:00 p.m. on Good Friday and conclude at 7:00 a.m. on Easter Sunday. If you would like to sign up for a one-hour time slot, please indicate your choice at the Information Table. If you are willing to take an hour wherever needed, please sign at the bottom of the sheet. A devotional booklet will be provided. Please sign up by March 25<sup>th</sup>.



## CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

WOW Kids Club and MIDDLEL WaYouth this week will meet at the church at 4:00 to travel to Temple Anshe Hased for an Interfaith Seder. We will return to the church by 7:00 pm. SENIOR HIGHS will plan the Eggs-perience party for the children after church today.

## ADULT CLASSES

NEXT WEEK is the PALM SUNDAY INTER-GENERATIONAL- all classes will be suspended. Issues of Faith: continues its series on Church History. Rev. Tom McLaren is the speaker. This week the class is entitled, "History Makers: The Founding Fathers Guarantee Religious Freedom." Adult Bible Study will explore the lectionary readings and get more out of worship with their studies.

Family Faith and Fellowship this week will discuss theological questions raised in the DVD series, "Living the Questions."

The Unnamed Class offers a varied curriculum of issues, Bible study, and discussions.

## MEDS

Monday Evening Discussions with Rev. Tom McLaren are each Monday night at 7:00 pm in the parlor. They have begun a new book, Honest to Jesus, by Robert W. Funk. Funk was the founder of the Jesus Seminar and offers through his writings a revolutionary new vision of Jesus and Christianity. The cost of the book is \$19.

## BOOKS FOR CHILDRENS LIBRARY

The CE Committee has endorsed a list of children's books compiled by Elaine Garts for our church library. They may be purchased in honor of your children or grandchildren. Donors may buy the actual book or make a gift toward its purchase. Mark the book that interests you on the master copy. The list is available on the Information Table.

## CE BROCHURES

Guides for programs and Sunday School are available on the Information Table.

## WAYSIDE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday, March 21, 2010

## WELCOME

Welcome to Wayside Presbyterian Church. We are a congregation of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) and rejoice in the privilege God has given us to serve in this community as part of the Body of Jesus Christ. We thank our Lord for those who worship with us from time to time as visitors and invite any who are without a church home to come and join us in serving Christ as members of this church family.

## FOR OUR CHILDREN

Child care is available during the entire worship hour for infants and preschool children. Children may remain for the entire service or take advantage of child care (kindergarten and younger). Children's worship activity bags are available for children remaining in the worship service. Please return them following worship.

## SERVICE NOTES

A hearing enhancement system is available for those who have need. An usher will be happy to provide you with a receiver this morning. Large print bulletins are also available.

Thanks to those who helped today at the 11:00 a.m. service:

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| Ushers:            | Jeremy Brinling, Paul Carpenedo, Bobbi Jo Fye, Gary Goodwin, Tyler Goodwin, Ron May, Marissa Pardini, Andrew Steehler, Kevin Steehler, Ashley Stamm, Evan Watkins, Maddie Westfall |
| Worship Assistant: | Brian Ripley   |
| Sound Board:       | Jerry Brown  |
| Acolytes:          | Brianna Bojewski, Grace Lewis  |
| Greeters:          | The Larson Family  |
| Information Table: | Ed Snyder  |
| Fellowship Time:   | Kindergarten & First Grade Sunday School   |
| Childcare Helpers: | Tracey Bowes, Nursery; Karen Potocki, Preschool  |

Just a reminder to those scheduled to help next week at 11:00 a.m.:

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| Ushers:            | Nathan Brinling, Dan Brockwell, Nathan Erie, John Fair, Rob & Brenda Harcourt, Becky Jackson, Joey Kocan, Henry Lewis, Brian Theisen, Andrew Twinem |
| Worship Assistant: | Rita Brown  |
| Sound Board:       | Jim Allman  |
| Acolytes:          | Joey Kocan, Sydne Pollifrone  |
| Greeters:          | Brian & Kim Hutzelman   |
| Information Table: | Jack Grimm  |
| Fellowship Time:   | Sandy Reed  |
| Childcare Helpers: | Missy Grimm, Nursery; Aric Szklenski, Preschool   |

## **CHRISTIAN EDUCATION**

### **EGGS-PERIENCE**

Children in 2<sup>nd</sup> grade and younger and their families are invited to attend our annual Easter egg hunt and Easter party. Mark your calendar for Saturday, April 3 from 10:00 to 11:00 am. Bring your grandchildren and neighbors to our celebration.

### **CROSSWORD PUZZLE**

Families are encouraged to fill in a word or two on the CE Bulletin Board Crossword Puzzle. Take 30 seconds together to consider a Lenten word or symbol.

### **OGHS FOR CHILDREN**

One Great Hour of Sharing fish and daily guides were handed out in Sunday School. Use the guide to help your children understand the needs of others. We will receive this offering from the kids on Palm Sunday.

### **LENTEN DEVOTIONALS GUIDES**

An act of devotion can take only a minute a day or a couple of minutes. Each act helps us be more aware of God and our own spiritual wellbeing. Consider one of the guides provided in the lobby for children, youth and adults in your household. A \$1 donation is requested to cover the cost of each item.

### **LENTEN EMAIL DEVOTIONAL**

Monday through Friday participants are invited to read a lectionary Bible passage and share a thought. We collect comments throughout the day over the internet and then send out the compilation by 4:00 p.m. from the church office. Our focus this year will be on the gospel readings which are predominantly from Mark.

### **LENTEN BOOKMARKS**

Another path of prayer to follow is reading the lectionary passages in preparation for Sunday. The Old Testament reading, the psalm, the epistle and the gospel lesson are listed conveniently on a bookmark available on the Information Table. Put in your Bible and place the scriptures in your favorite reading spot.

### **PHILLY MISSION TRIP**

Our WaYouth Mission Trip 2010 is to Philadelphia PA from Sunday, June 13 to Saturday, June 19. We will revisit the Broad Street Presbyterian Church and share in their remarkable program to the homeless and the needy in the City of Brotherly Love. Char Popson and Keith will be advisors of the nine youth this summer. Applications are available and due by the first of April.