

the Leaflet



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WORSHIP THIS WEEK

March 14, 2010

Scripture: John 10:11-18

Sermon: "Behold: the good shepherd"

A PASTORAL WORD

By Rev. Amy Lippoldt

Rooted in Christ. That's where we begin. It is where our Christian story begins, with the life, death and resurrection of Jesus. It is where our personal faith story begins as we join with Christ in our baptism. It is where our mission at Woodland begins, we start on the foundation of Christ.

Rooted in Christ: It's the point of the season of Lent. Through these 40 days of preparation toward Easter we grow our roots deeper into the soil of God. We take time to tend our spiritual lives, so that our faith can mature and grow.

Rooted in Christ: It's the point of worship each and every week but most especially now as we consider the "I Am" statements of Jesus. We have celebrated three, we have four to go. I want to invite you to join us for worship now and through Easter as we honor the one who is our bread, our light, our way and...come Sunday to find out more!

Pathfinders Class

Mark your calendars! Saturday, March 20 – Chili Bash at the Martz' house 6:36 pm and Friday, March 26- Big Brothers/Big Sisters fun run from 7-9 pm.

Vicki gave us a positive report on her granddaughter's surgery.

Jim started his lesson this Sunday with encouraging us to define: honesty, fearfulness and holy. We will spend the month of March exploring holiness; learning what holiness means, so we can understand the gift God gave us at Golgotha.

Val Vers Class

The class was a little short of people today. Fellowship Coffee is our responsibility today and maybe some are still preparing food.

Kowing's are still suffering on vacation, maybe Texas is unhealthy.

Caroline Johnson is teaching our class this morning always maintains our interest. Explains that the Lord is always watching with us. The Lenten study is from the book "Celebrate the Risen Christ".

Jenese Furstenberg announced that granddaughter had been nominated for the Humanitarian award; we may have a celebrity in our midst, congratulations!

We look forward each week for guidance from Caroline.

Blenders

No news reported

Youth

By Pastor Tim Bever

We kicked off our World Religion study this week by talking about Hinduism. We learned that Hindus believe in one God they call Brahma. However they also have about 330

million manifestations of Brahma that all have different names and appearances. We also learned that not all Hindus are vegetarians. Since Hindu comes from India, after our lesson we went out for Indian food. Both the food and conversation was wonderful.

Thank you to everyone who signed up to be a youth sponsor. We are covered until the middle of May for now and hopefully will get more people to cover through the summer.

We will not be meeting March 21st as this is spring break and a couple of the youth will be gone on School trips. We will also not be meeting on Easter Sunday.

Challenge from last week: Did you find out who plays in a rock band or who is going to New York over spring break? Who plays soccer or who is going to Spain? If not, track down one of the youth on Sunday and ask.

Woodland Youth

by Linda Griffin

On Sunday evenings the past 2 months, I have escaped life as a senior citizen by joining Pastor Tim and our incredible youth for their get-togethers. I signed up to help with Youth Group for the 4 weeks leading up to Youth Sunday - and I quickly became hooked! Like the Energizer Bunny, I keep going and going and going. I've seriously enjoyed becoming acquainted with these awesome teens who are full of faith and fun and are eager to learn! (Sadly, my schedule permits only 1 more Sunday hanging out at with Tim and the teens.)

We're currently doing a study of world religions. Do you know these words: guru, jati, Brahma, namaste? Last Sunday, after studying Hinduism, we were "required" to taste the cuisine of India. We were very adventurous and tried goat and fish and lamb and chicken! We would all recommend the recently relocated Maharaja Restaurant on

West Central! (Kayla, you really missed out!)

IN OUR PRAYERS

Cliff Larson, Lela Fredrick, Ashley Dinell, Catherine Highfill, Kathy Carter

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Easter Egg Hunt!

By Education/Mission committee

We still need plastic eggs for the Hunt on the Saturday before Easter. Please bring them to the Parlor kitchen. Thank you in advance!

The Klothes Kloset Needs Your Help!

By Pam Broddle, UMOD

The United Methodist Open Door's clothing ministry, the Klothes Kloset, has virtually run out of clothes. There are people waiting in line to select clothing, and the only items are what are left on the racks. There's nothing in the sorting room waiting to go out. The rooms where we store the extra clothing are empty. We need YOUR help!

Please pass the word that the Klothes Kloset desperately needs clothing. All kinds of clothing - infants, children's, women's and men's - and bedding, too. Good, clean gently used clothing can be delivered to 228 Ellis (two blocks west of Hydraulic and two blocks south of Douglas) Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. and on Saturday from 9:00 a.m. until 12:00 Noon. Come in the double glass doors on the north and down seven short steps to the receiving room.

Thank you in advance for helping United Methodist Open Door's Klothes Kloset help those in our community in need.

Alzheimer's Association Information

The Arts & Inspiration program is designed for individuals in the early stages of Alzheimer's disease. The group meets the 2nd Thursday of the month from 9:30 am – 2:30 pm at the Kansas Food Bank. During our time together we work on art, music and literature. The benefits of the program are twofold, first the individual in the early stages of this disease are given the opportunity to experiment and create in an environment that is founded in the celebration of the moment. The program affirms the personal abilities and strengths that still exist despite the disease. Secondly, the caregiver is provided a time of needed respite when they can be confident that their loved one is surrounded by caring and dedicated individuals. Caregivers are able to spend time focusing on themselves while receiving a short but much-needed break. They can run errands, go to appointments, or just sit quietly in their home not worrying about their loved one.

A session starts with a meet and greet where we have coffee, etc. The day usually includes stimulation & reminisce activity, hands on art activity, music, lunch (which we provide!), more music, poetry/drama, a second art activity and wrap up.

I am hopeful that you can help me spread the word about this program. I have 4 people who regularly attend but I am hopeful to have a group around 10-12 people. Without a larger regular attendance base I will have to end the program, which I DO NOT want to do!

I have attached a PDF of an informational card I designed. Please share this information with your distribution list. Our next session is scheduled for Thursday, March 11th. I will be facilitating the program and we will be focusing on the Easter season.

If I can answer any questions please do not hesitate to contact me. I'm hopeful that I can continue to offer this program to those who really need it! Thank you so much for your help! Stephanie Brock, 316-258-1222 cell stephaniebrock@cox.net

THANK YOU

By Catherine Highfill

Woodland Church and UMW has been and is a very important part of my life. Thank you all for the cards, calls, and prayers. I hope to be back with you all in the very near future.

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Worship Opportunities:

Sunday School 9:15 a.m.

Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.

Rev. Amy Lippoldt

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Please submit information to be published by noon on Monday to Ronna Brown at office@woodlandumc.com or call 265-6669.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Sunday, March 14 (Daylight Savings)

*9:15 am Sunday school

*10:30 am Worship Service.

5:00 pm Youth Group-YC

Monday, March 15

9:15 am UMW Sewing-TR

7:00 pm NRNA-TR

Tuesday, March 16

5:00 pm Education meeting-VV

Wednesday, March 17

12:00 pm UMW Luncheon-TR

6:00 pm Evening Prayer

6:30 pm Woodland Bells

7:30 pm Chancel Choir

Thursday, March 18

5:30 pm Evangelism meeting-P

Friday, March 19

Saturday, March 20

Sunday, March 21

9:15 am Sunday school

*10:30 am Worship Service

11:30 am Worship 2.0-P

5:00 pm Youth Group-YC

***Nursery Provided**

YC – Youth Center

VV – ValVers

P – Parlor

PF – Pathfinders

FH – Fellowship Hall

TR – Terrace Room

AC -Activity Center

NC – Newcomers