

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Happy Birthday Wishes to: Dana Howard –July 19th, Missy Huff –July 21st and Steve Ackerman and Crosby Cooper –July 23rd.

Christian Sympathy and Prayers are extended to Beth and Randy Rogers on the death of Beth’s grandfather, Wade M. Byars, Jr. on Monday, July 11, 2011. The Funeral Service was held at Roper Mountain Baptist Church on Thursday, July 14th.

The **Children’s Sunday School Teachers** for today are Annette Bostic, Elementary, and Edna Patterson, K3/K4. The **Worship Leader** is Peggy Whitmire. Volunteers are needed to be the **Nursery Workers**, SSH, WH. The **Toddler Class Workers**, Peggy Whitmire and Elise Patterson, SSH and Edna Patterson, WH. The **Sunday School Teachers** for next Sunday, July 24th, are Annette Bostic, Elementary, and Lori Cheshire, K3/K4. The **Worship Leader** is Peggy Whitmire and the **Nursery Workers** are Marcus Stephens, SSH, WH and MaryAnn Stephens, WH. The **Toddler Class Workers** are Peggy Whitmire and MaryAnn Stephens, SSH, and volunteers are needed for WH. Reminder: The **Children’s “Little Lambs” Choir** is still rehearsing on Sundays at 10:00 am upstairs in the Children’s Dept.

Financial Statements for the first six months of 2011 are located on the back ledge in the Narthex. Be sure to pick up and review your statement, if you have not already done so, and call the office if you have any questions or if you find anything that does not agree with your records.

A Special Message from Carol Head: Recently the home of Clay and Beth Wood in Pendleton, SC, burned and they lost everything but the clothes on their backs. They had just leased the home and had not gotten renters insurance. I am helping to get items together for the family. They have 3 children: a boy size 8 regular, a girl size 6 slim and a girl size 8 slim. I will get the sizes for the adults. Any clothing, furniture or household items would be a blessing. Let me know if you have anything you would like to donate. Thank you so much, Carol.

Our Tithes, Offerings and Gifts	
Offerings received 7/10/2011 \$ 2,741	Offerings received year to date: \$ 68,182
Budget needed weekly: \$ 3,329	Budget needed year to date: \$ 93,212
Attendance 7/10/2011: 71	Memorial Gifts received in addition to Budget Offerings: \$ 6,165
<p><i>“Some give freely, yet grow all the richer; others withhold what is due, and only suffer want. A generous person will be enriched, and one who gives water.”</i></p>	

MISSION PROJECT FOR VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Our Mission Project this week will be to collect food for the Greenville District Hispanic Ministry at Esperanza UMC.

Listed below are the items you are asked to bring each night. The items for Sunday will be kept at Saint Paul to make food bags for the homeless who come by our church.

Sunday – Single serving size of nonperishable foods (ex: granola bars, Vienna sausages, tuna fish w/crackers, etc.), small bottled waters or gallon size Ziplock bags to make food bags for the homeless.

Monday – Canned Fruit/Vegetables.

Tuesday – Breakfast Items (ex: Pop-Tarts, Oatmeal, Grits, Cereal)

Wednesday – Canned Meat

Thursday – Dried beans, Rice.

Our offering each night of Vacation Bible School will go to Loaves and Fishes of Greenville.

On Sunday, July 24, we will have a bake sale after worship with the money going to Food Networks Great American Bake Sale. So bring your favorite baked item or items to church on Sunday, July 24, for the sale and prepare to take something home.