



Announcements

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2009

1. MISSIONARIES IN FOCUS

Steve and Amy Robertson – Mission to the World – Mexico

Pray for Steve and Amy as they begin the work toward a new church plant in Guadalajara. Pray for God to raise up willing servants in the Robertsons' present church, Cristo Rendentor, and that some would be willing to go with them. Pray that this move will not be divisive within the congregation, but that the Holy Spirit will call some to serve in this effort. Pray for God to provide the necessary pieces to come together for the actual church launch. Pray for the Robertsons' three children, Joseph, Mary Beth and Johnny.

2. FRONTLINE PRAYER AND SNACK SUPPER

The Frontline Prayer meeting is today at 5 p.m. in St. Andrew's Hall. Prayer is a vital ministry of the church, and this time is set aside to pray for missions, ministries of the church and for the future of First Presbyterian. A snack supper is provided for \$3/person or \$10/family. Childcare is provided for children ages 4 and under, and school-aged children are encouraged to participate in the prayer meeting. Those using the nurseries should feed their children prior to taking them to the nurseries.

3. NEW ARRIVAL

We congratulate Chrystal and Brad Senter on the birth of their third child, Henry Hudson Senter, who was born on November 2 in Augusta.

4. DOWNTOWN CHILDREN PURSUING MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

Rick Keuroglan, Director of Evangelism, is requesting the congregation's help in ministering alongside the Olde Town neighborhood children in a street clean-up on Saturday, November 14, from 9 a.m. – noon. These are children who are being discipled by the members of the Downtown Parish. As their hearts and minds are being transformed by the gospel, the children desire to transform their neighborhood. The work crew will assemble at Heritage Academy and go out in teams. Participants are asked to bring work gloves, trash bags and gas-powered lawn equipment. A sign-up sheet is available in the Welcome Center, and you may contact Rick at 864-337-1300 or rickkeuroglan@yahoo.com for additional information.

5. HOLY COMMUNION

The Sacrament of Holy Communion will be administered next Sunday, November 15, at both morning services. Please use the pew envelope and mark it Diaconate Relief Fund or write Diaconate Relief Fund in the memo line of your check for deeds of mercy within and beyond the congregation. For those unable to attend one of the morning services, another opportunity to partake in Communion will be offered at 6 p.m. in the Eve Room.

6. WESTMINSTER VISION FOR 2020

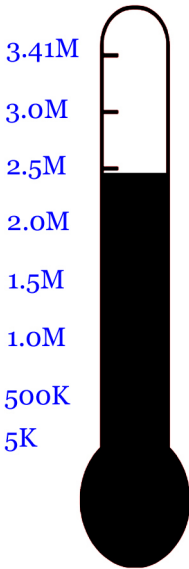
Would you like to learn more about the ministry of Westminster Schools? All are invited to a complimentary Snack Supper at 5 p.m. on Sunday, November 15, in St. Andrew's Hall to hear from headmaster Steve O'Neil as he shares about Westminster's Vision for 2020. A question and answer time will follow for parents interested in learning more about the admissions process, the First Presbyterian member discount and financial aid. Childcare will be provided for ages 3 and younger. RSVP to Aimee Lynch at alynch@wsa.net or 706-731-5260 ext. 2220.

7. BICYCLE DONATIONS REQUESTED FOR DOWNTOWN CHILDREN

Many of the children participating in the Bible study led by Downtown Parish members do not have bicycles; in fact, many of their parents do not own transportation at all. It would be a great demonstration of God's love to provide these children with new or pre-owned bikes. Rick Keuroglan is collecting bikes of all types and sizes in good working condition. A sign-up sheet is available in the Welcome Center, and you may contact Rick at 864-337-1300 or rickkeuroglan@yahoo.com for additional information.

8. High Life Winter Retreat

The High Life Winter Retreat is January 15-18, 2010. The high school students are going skiing this year at Winterplace in West Virginia. This trip promises to be an exciting time where students will have the opportunity to grow in their faith as they create memories together. The early registration deadline is November 29. Registration forms are available in the Welcome Center or on the “What’s Going On” page at www.firstpresaugusta.org/youth.



2009 BUDGET GIVING GOAL

Year to Date Actual Giving: \$2,493,143
Ways to support your church ministries:

- Gifts of Cash
- Gifts of Securities
- Bequests
- Online Giving

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OUR WEEKLY CALENDAR

Today

8:30 a.m. Morning Worship, Sanctuary
9:45 a.m. Adult Education Communities, Sunday School
9:45 a.m. Officer Training
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship, Sanctuary
5:00 p.m. Frontline Prayer & Snack Supper
5:00 p.m. Canterbury Choir Rehearsal
5:00 p.m. Youth D-Groups, Various Locations
6:30 p.m. Sunday Evening Worship Service, Sanctuary
9:00 p.m. Campus Outreach Prayer

Tuesday, November 10

6:00 a.m. High School Prayer, Myers Home
7:00 a.m. Medical Campus Outreach Prayer
5:45 p.m. Downtown Children's Bible Study
8:30 p.m. Campus Outreach Meeting at ASU

Wednesday, November 11

9:45 a.m. Women's Bible Study
7:00 p.m. High Life, Telfair Hall

Thursday, November 12

10:30 a.m. Morning Prayer
11:15 a.m. Midweek Bible Hour
7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Sunday, November 15

8:30 a.m. Morning Worship with Communion, Sanctuary
9:45 a.m. Adult Education Communities, Sunday School
9:45 a.m. Officer Training
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship with Communion, Sanctuary
5:00 p.m. Canterbury Choir Rehearsal
5:00 p.m. Youth D-Groups, Various Locations
5:00 p.m. Westminster Vision 2020 Snack Supper
6:00 p.m. Communion, Eve Room
6:30 p.m. Sunday Evening Worship Service, Sanctuary
9:00 p.m. Campus Outreach Prayer

FUTURE EVENTS

Thanksgiving Service Sunday, November 22, 6:30 p.m.
Love Gift Dinner & Service Sunday, December 6, Dinner: 6 p.m.; Service: 7 p.m.
Christmas Evensong Lessons & Carols Sunday, December 13, 6:30 p.m.
A Merrie Medieval Christmas Sunday, December 20, 4:30 & 6:30 p.m.
Christmas Eve Service Thursday, December 24, 5 & 7 p.m.

The New Testament Lesson..... John 8:31-32
page 1663 in the pew Bible

The Response

This is the Word of God.

Thanks be to you, O God.

The Sermon - True Truth..... Dr. George Robertson

I. True Truth Begins with Belief (31)

II. True Truth is Found in Jesus' Teaching (32)

III. True Truth Sets You Free (32)