



Rev. Meta S. Cramer, Pastor

9:00 a.m. Sunday School
10:00 a.m. Coffee Hour (FH)
10:30 a.m. Worship

Volume LXXVII

March 22, 2010

No. 6

Sunday, March 28 — Passion/Palm Sunday

Children's Easter Egg Hunt following Worship



Scripture: Luke 19:28-40; Habakkuk 2:9-14; Psalm 31:9-16; Philippians 2:5-11
Sermon: *The Song of the Stones*
Music: Haviland Choir; All Children will sing *Ho-Ho-Ho-Hosanna*
Liturgist: Bill Sinclair
Greeters: Don and Sharlene Harrison
Ushers: George Bell, Dick Dale, Al Kenreigh, Dick Shanker



OGHS
Envelopes
in Pew Racks
Goal:
\$5,000

Thursday, April 1 — Maundy Thursday — 7 p.m.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper



Scripture: Exodus 12:1-14; John 13:1-15, 34-35
Homily: *Poured Out for You*
Music: Haviland Choir
Liturgist: Lynn Zocolo

"Volunteers are needed for the footwashing segment of Maundy Thursday worship. *No one will be asked to participate that evening unless they have already volunteered to do so.* Please contact the Church Office if you are willing to have your feet washed that evening."

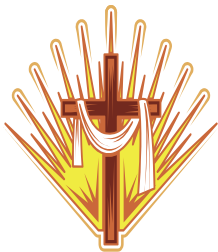
Friday, April 2 — Good Friday — 12 Noon



Scripture: Isaiah 53:4-12; Psalm 22; Luke 23:26-56
Homily: *Criminals, Criers, and the Cross-Bearer*

Sunday, April 4 — Easter/The Day of Resurrection

Services at 8 and 10:30 a.m. / The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper (at both!)



Scripture: Isaiah 65:17-25; Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24; Luke 24:1-12 (8 a.m.)
Scripture: Isaiah 65:17-25; Psalm 114; John 20:1-18 (10:30 a.m.)
Sermon: *A Rumor of Angels* (8 a.m.); *On the Eighth Day...* (10:30 a.m.)
Music: Haviland Choir
Liturgist: Lynn Zocolo (8 and 10:30 a.m.)

Prayer Concerns

Salem Hospital — Lorin Shepard (232)

Cleveland Clinic — Fred McNeal (Jim McNeal's brother); 9500 Euclid Ave, Cleveland OH 44195; Room G111-22

Others — Hazel Allison (Wavelene Arnold's mother), Elvira Bass, Karen Bass (Mary Frances Breit's sister, niece), Ellen Becker (family friends of Bob and Sue Merry), Warren and Barbara Bettis, Dick Bryan, Rosann Butler, Sally Collins, Alfred Fitch (Alice Fitch's son), Joe Gibson (Barb Gibson's son, Nancy Fawcett's nephew), Hayden Johnson, www.caringbridge.org/oh/hayden, Lynn Johnson, Tink Layden, Joe Lippiatt (Sue Sinclair's brother and Penny Lippiatt's nephew), Char McDevitt, Bill McDevitt, Nancy Mickey (Lori Mickey's mother in law), Bill Phillips (Joyce Smith's son-in-law), Norman Smith (Mickey Buck's father), Karlie Stith (great granddaughter of Harvey and Sally Mason), Melvin Wilms

Special Care Facilities

Blossom: Tony Dominic, 116 (Stella Dominic's husband); Jean Pridon, 112 (Sam Pridon's wife); Verna Stevens

Briarwood: Norman Pim, 601 (3700 Englewood Dr., Stow OH 44224)

Clare Bridge of Austintown — Bill Butler (Pat Butler's husband); 1420 S Canfield Niles Rd, Austintown OH 44515

Courtyard: Phyllis Lamb, 109; Betty Potter, 202 (Helen Hayes' mother)

Crandall: Betsy Johnson, 251 (Tom Johnson's wife); Virginia Stanley (Judi Bender's mother)

Essex 1: Juanita Starbuck, 105 (Ray Starbuck's wife)

Essex 3: Ibby Dales, 211

Grace Woods Village: Jo Hawkins, 234

Pleasant View North: Virginia Limestahl, 17 (Lu Ann Cole's mother)

Salem Care Center: Jason Stewart (Jeff and Robin Stewart's son)

Weatherwood Manor: Dolores Kynett, 201 (896 Weatherwood Lane, Greensburg PA 15601)

Armed Forces

† SGT Double C — 1st MAR DIV, 3rd Amphibious Assault BN, H & S CO, MCM PLT (Barbara Double's grandson)

† SGT Fennema, John T. — fennma33@yahoo.com (Paul and Barb Fennema's son)

† LCPL Gibbs, Jeremy B. — 5988 Tulagi Place, Tarawa Terrace NC 28543 (Charles and Margaret Gibbs' grandson)

Financials

Envelope Income received March 7, 2010	\$ 4,862.00
Envelope Income received March 14, 2010	\$ 3,873.00
Envelope Income received March 21, 2010	\$ 2,583.00
General Fund Balance, February 28, 2010	\$21,384.26
<u>One Great Hour of Sharing</u> (Goal: \$5,000)	\$ 1,980.00
<u>Habitat for Humanity</u> (Goal: \$5,000)	\$ 868.00
<u>Haiti Relief</u> (write DR000064 on check)	\$ 615.00
<u>Per Capita</u> (\$28 / Goal: \$13,328)	\$ 3,190.00
<u>2¢ a Meal for Hunger</u> (February)	\$ 41.78

† ILT Halverstadt, Jon — 858 MCT / Joint Base Balad / APO AE 09391 / (Dave and Becky Halverstadt's son)

jphalve@gmail.com

† PVT Hill, Zachary — C Company 1-72 ARBN, Unit 15074 Box 202, APO AP 96224-5074; (Gloria Shafer's son)

Zachary.J.Hill@us.army.mil

† CPL Lee, Stacy — CLB-5 HQ CO, UNIT 42230, FPO AP 96426-2230

† SGT Stith, Ryan — Kilo Company, MCT SOI, Camp Pendleton CA 92055 (Harvey and Sally Mason's grandson)

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The Sympathy and Surrounding Love of Our Congregation are extended to Jeff and Kerri Zacharias and the family on the death of Jeff's grandfather, Paul Mills.



Congratulations to Joel and Sara Stewart on the birth of Alana Stewart on March 12. Grandparents are Steve and Kathy Stewart.

Church Photo Directory

We want to make sure that every family has their photo in this new directory. Please stop in Fellowship Hall on Sundays during Coffee Hour to schedule a time to be photographed (or have a friend sign up for you on Sunday). If you bring a canned good for the Salem Community Pantry on your Photo Day, you will receive \$5 off your order. **Photograph Sessions are April 27-30 from 3-9 p.m. and May 1 from 10 a.m. — 4 p.m.** Photograph Sessions for our college students and for those unable to come April 27-May 1 will be held June 28-29 from 3-9 p.m.



Thank You

I want to thank the church for all their thoughts, prayers, and expressions of sympathy on the passing of my mother, Mary Jane Stamp. I especially want to thank the Haviland Choir for the beautiful basket of spring plants.

Ruth Newman & Family

Thank you to everyone who attended the LOGOS Pasta Dinner, and to all who helped. The food was yummy and the pasta shapes were a fun addition (remember to order—JBM fundraiser).

Beth Schallick, DYM

I would like to thank everyone who helped make the Mission I and S Committee's Pancake Breakfast a success. A special thanks goes to volunteers Mark and Grace Smith, Barb Bozich, Ross Jackson, Shar Harrison, Andrew Skiba, and Meta Cramer who helped serve the breakfast. Thanks also to those who either purchased a ticket, enjoyed the pancakes, or made a monetary donation to Habitat for Humanity. Your support is greatly appreciated.

Mickey Buck

On behalf of the subscribers of the Project HELLO Program, thank you for your generous donation of \$153 for this valuable community service.

Howard E. Rohleder, President/CEO
Salem Community Hospital

Thank you for your thoughts and prayers through this difficult time. It means so much!

Dolores Kynett

(Her address is listed under "Special Care Facilities" on this page.)

IMPORTANT NOTICE

In an effort to provide better security for our church building and the people in it, we are in the process of installing a professionally-monitored security system. We expect that the installation process will be completed on Monday, March 22 and be operative as soon as possible.

It is very important that you do not try to enter the building with your key until you have been trained and given an access code. The keypads for entering the access codes will be located at the west (Kitchen) door and at the north door of the building. Entering the building *without* an access code will result in an alarm and the summoning of the police, and obviously we want to prevent "false alarms".

Thanks in advance for your understanding and cooperation.

Dear Church Family,

I am reminded as I write this of the sustaining power of your prayers during my recent illness and surgery. Once again, I thank all of you who prayed for me.



Now Dave and I again seek your prayers. This time for a daughter of this church, Jennifer Milheim Ramsey, her husband, Bryan, and their two children as they begin a new journey. Jen and Bryan have spent the past three years praying about and studying for a call to Christian service. Jen has been attending Fuller Seminary for a degree in Christian leadership. Recently, doors have opened to an opportunity to study at a Christian French language school that seeks to prepare people for Christian service in North Africa. In August, they will be relocating to France for a year of study and cultural adjustment that they pray will lead to a call to serve among the Muslim communities of North Africa. They are beginning to divest themselves of most of their household possessions in preparation for this move. Even as they look forward to this new journey with faith, hope, and trust in God's plan for their family, they have the expected concerns for their unknown future.

Please pray that they continue to feel God's strengthening, supporting hand through this transition and the journey that is to come. They are not certain what lies beyond this first year, but they know God is in the future and will reveal it in His time.

We thank you for your prayers.

Mary Jo and Dave Milheim

Community Lenten Service

Wednesday, March 24 — in Our Sanctuary
Holy Communion / Theme: *Promise of Seeing God*
Preacher — *Pat Hendricks*, Holy Trinity Lutheran
Lenten Service Offerings to The Banquet of Salem

African Children's Choir

Friday, March 26, 2010
7 p.m. Free Admission



First Presbyterian Church
256 Mahoning Ave. NW
Downtown Warren, OH 44483
Doors open at 6 p.m. General Seating.

Easter Pageant on the Hillside

Palm Sunday, March 28 — 6 p.m.
Holy Saturday, April 3 — 6 p.m.



Trinity Presbyterian Church — 110 Maine Blvd
East Liverpool (Bring your own chairs.)

Salem Mobile Meals Needs Your Help!



Driving 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. during the Week
Call Coordinator Anna Bosel, 330-332-2160

Presbyterian Preschool Wish List for March

Tacky Glue



Paper Towels



Salem Community Pantry

Presbyterians' food item to collect for the pantry is a canned meat-based product such as stew, chili, or sloppy joe mix (please leave in box on stage in Fellowship Hall). Monetary donations may also be made. Please make checks out to First Presbyterian Church and write 'Salem Community Pantry' in the memo line.

Worship Service Schedule

Cable TV Channel 9 / *Schedule subject to change

Sunday — 2 a.m.* / Tuesday — 12 p.m., 4 p.m.
Wednesday — 4 a.m.*, 4 & 9 p.m. / Friday — 4 a.m.*, 4 p.m.*
Saturday — 2 a.m.*



March

Happy Birthday!

Suzanne Cain (24), Ethel Helm (27)

- 22 / Mon 6:30 Boy Scout Troop 3 (B)
- 24 / Weds 9:00-10:30 Preschool (109)
12:30 Lenten Service at Holy Trinity
4:30 Pres-Bees Youth Club
7:00 Lenten Service in our Sanctuary
7:00 Haviland Choir (S)
7:00 Men's Bible Study (109)
- 27 / Sat 10:00-2:00 United Quilt Guild (FH)
- 28 / Sun 9:00 Sunday School
9:00 Adult Bible Study (110)
10:00 Coffee Hour (FH)
10:30 Worship
Easter Egg Hunt following Worship
4:30 LOGOS (FH)
- 29 / Mon 8:30-3:00 Preschool (FH) — M/Tu/Th/F
9:30-10:30 Preschool (109) — M/Tu
5:00 Banquet of Salem — Team B
6:30 Boy Scout Troop 3 (B)
- 30 / Tues 6:00 April Circle (Annabell's Restaurant)
- 31 / Weds 4:30 Pres-Bees Youth Club
7:00 Haviland Choir (S)
7:00 Men's Bible Study (109)



April

Happy Birthday!

Jeanne Smith (16), Georgiana Costa (20),
Lois Herron (21), Norman Pim (29),

- 1 / Thurs 7:00 Maundy Thursday Service
7:00 Bird Study Club (110)
- 2 / Fri 12:00 Good Friday Service
12:00 Office Closes for Easter
- 4 / Sun 8:00 Worship
9:00 Sunday School
9:00 Adult Bible Study (110)
10:00 Coffee Hour (FH)
10:30 Worship



- 5 / Mon No Preschool — Spring Break, April 5-9
7:00 Board of Deacons (107)
- 6 / Tues 10:00-9:00 United Quilt Guild (FH)
- 7 / Weds 12:00 Daytimers (FH) —
"Salem Trivia" by Judy White
7:00 Haviland Choir (S)
7:00 Men's Bible Study (109)
- 8 / Thurs **7:00 Committee Night:**
Christian Ed. (106), Finance (110),
Mission I & S (109), Property (107),
Worship, Music, Arts (FH)
- 11 / Sun 9:00 Sunday School
9:00 Adult Bible Study (110)
10:00 Coffee Hour (FH)
10:30 Worship
4:30 LOGOS (Youth Sunday Practice)
6:00 Scout Blue/Gold Banquet (FH)
- 12 / Mon 8:30-3:00 Preschool (FH) — M/Tu/Th/F
9:30-10:30 Preschool (109) — M/Tu
6:30 Boy Scout Troop 3 (B)
7:00 Congregational Care (107)
- 13 / Tues 5:00 Eastminster Presbytery
Committee Night / Canfield PC
- 14 / Weds 9:00-10:30 Preschool (109)
9:00 February Circle
9:15 March Circle (110)
12:00 October Circle (Salem Golf Club)
4:30 Pres-Bees Youth Club —
"Candy Land" — A Family Ministry Event
- 15 / Thurs **7:00 Session (107)**
- 17 / Sat 2:00-4:00 Shower (FH)
- 18 / Sun 9:00 Sunday School
9:00 Adult Bible Study (110)
10:00 Coffee Hour (FH)
10:30 Worship — Youth Sunday
4:30 LOGOS (107)
6:00 Cub Scout Pack 3 (FH)
- 19 / Mon 8:30-3:00 Preschool (FH) — M/Tu/Th/F
9:30-10:30 Preschool (109) — M/Tu
6:30 Boy Scout Troop 3 (B)
- 20 / Tues **8:30 Investment (107)**
9:15-11:00 Preschool Open House (109)