



The Visitor

MARCH 31, 2015

“Easter” by Pat Freshney

On several recent grocery trips, I couldn't help noticing the abundance of chocolate bunnies.

Surely they have multiplied since last year! In these days of healthier living, there seems to be no end to the Easter candy displays - aisle after aisle. In the dictionary, Easter is referred to as “the original name of a pagan festival coincident in date with the pascal festival of the church of Easter, the dawn goddess. The first definition, however, is “an annual Christian festival celebrating the Resurrection of Jesus, held on the first Sunday after the date of the first full moon that occurs on or after March 21st.”



I do believe that most Christians think the Easter we celebrate is the Resurrection of Jesus, and Eternal Life. Sometimes it just seems as if we were celebrating everything else first—mainly chocolate bunnies, jelly beans and eggs.

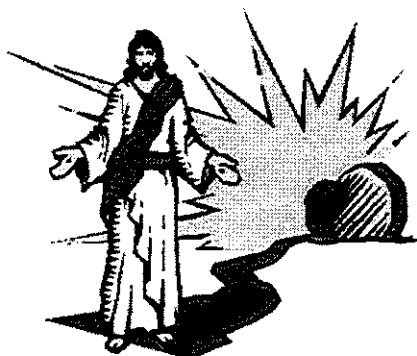
Now the symbol of eggs does mean new life. How many of us think of new life when we bite into a candy Easter egg? And we certainly do appreciate the happiness in remembering that Christ died FOR US and then AROSE. He did this so that down through the ages we would

remember and testify and glory in His Resurrection!

So—we will enjoy our chocolate bunnies and eggs but we will remember to tell our children and grandchildren and others the REAL meaning of Easter—the holiest of Christian holidays!

John 3:16 “For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish but have everlasting life.”

P.S. People do get silly over chocolate bunnies. One holiday, when our family from Alabama was here, and when they left, our son-in-law forgot his chocolate bunny. He jokingly (I think) called that evening and accused my sweet husband of hiding it and eating it instead of mailing it to him! Now, Bill wouldn't do that, would he?



Points of Interest From the Session

1. The annual Church Financial Review was completed by Roger Wirth and Gilbert Strueh. The records were found to be accurate and maintained properly.
2. A motion was passed to combine all adult Sunday school classes starting May 24 thru August 2. They will be using an Andy Stanley video curriculum.
3. Motions were presented and approved to reaffirm all material distributed or placed on BPC property. This includes all educational materials, flyers placed in the Educational Bldg. for schools, and materials that solicit funds.
4. A letter from the Session was sent to Grady Crawford Construction thanking them for their generous gift of digging the holes for our Memorial Orchard.
5. The 4% distribution of the Johnson-Accardo fund will be deposited in the Feliciana Camp Scholarship Fund.
6. A motion was approved on the revised job description of the Assistant to Children & Family Ministry.

C G & Ts—April 22, 2015

Eric Lane to be Featured Speaker for CGTs on April 22

The President of Gerry Lane Enterprises, a former pro baseball player and prominent citizen, Eric R. Lane will give his personal testimony for the Chronologically Gifted and Talented in Naylor Hall at its monthly luncheon at noon Wednesday, April 22.

"I came to Christ June 7, 1985, at the Passport Inn in Jackson, Ms., while we were playing the Jackson Mets AA team," said Lane. "It was my third year of professional baseball for the San

Francisco Giants minor league system, and the Giants AA team was in Shreveport."

Lane, accompanied by his wife of 25 years, Lisa, will also tell of others who accepted Christ, and of his witnessing to them. A graduate of the Tulane School of Business and listed in the Tulane Athletic Hall of Fame, Lane was Most Valuable Player for the Metro Conference Tournament and All-Conference Metro Division I, 1982-83. He played catcher for the San Francisco Giants and the Cleveland Indians from 1983-87.

The family is known for its philanthropies, and Lane has diversified

interests. In the past, he was named Best Dressed (Sertoma Club) and was president of the Sunrise Rotary Club, still a member, and a Master Instructor in Blackbelt, Taekwondo Union. In 2003, he was Dealer of the Year for the Automobile Dealers Assn., District 6A. He has served longtime on many boards, including currently Baton Rouge Kids Baseball Hall of Fame, Baton Rouge Marine Institute, Istrouma Baptist Image Team, Istrouma Area Boy Scouts Board, Louisiana Dealers Assn., and Master Mason. He and the former Lisa Gollot have a son, Tyler, 23, and daughter Ashton, 19.

Children's Ministry News

The children of BPC have had a great time learning all about the glorious season of Easter. We have heard stories, watched videos, and done crafts all representing the Lenten season. We are all looking forward to this Sunday, Easter!

Yesterday after the wonderful MOB Fish Fry, that raised monies for our children to attend summer camp, we had a fantastic Easter Egg hunt! All the children left with their baskets full of special treats and colorful eggs.

The happy hunters were Alex and Mimi Chenevert, Leslie Lyon, Bekah Mast, Bentlee Neely, Richard Wescott, and Kailey (Harold Keegan's little friend). Thanks to all my special helpers Julia Palmer, Elizabeth Thornton, and Katelyn Wescott.



April Birthdays

- 1 Ella Price, Tom Young
- 2 Jennifer Bounds
- 3 Jessica Bradford, Edmundo Estrada
- 5 JoAnn Glass
- 8 Myla Matherne, Brad Price
- 9 Bill Hall, Kathy Thompson
- 10 Bob Bradford, Wayne Kent
- 11 Tiber Kaywork
- 13 Marin Price
- 16 Lisa Kemp
- 17 Garrett Nelson
- 19 David Heidke
- 23 JoAnn Cranshaw
- 28 Perry Bennett



Adult and Youth Classes

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES will meet at 9:30 a.m. each Sunday. You are invited to join one of the classes listed below.

► **Holt-Allen Bible Class:** Wilhelmina Palmer is leading the study of II Timothy in the Parlor.

► **Seekers Class:** Sam Haase and Mike Zobrist are co-teaching the Book of Acts in Naylor Hall-N-6.

► **Walking In Faith,** led by Lilian Hahn and Marion Forbes, are studying the Parables of the Old Testament in Naylor Hall-N-8.

► **Youth Sunday School** (grades 6-12) led by David Bradford in the Activities Building.





Pray For

Peace in the Middle East, the protection and safe return of our troops, and for the peace of Jerusalem.

✠ **Jenny Ampat** asks for prayers for Lisa Barras and her chemo treatment for lung and brain cancer.

✠ **Annabelle Armstrong.** Warren Drake, incoming EBR Superintendent of Schools.

✠ **Joanne Bradford's family** needs prayers during this difficult time.

✠ **Linda Champagne** asked for prayers for her sister, Susan Gross, who has been very ill. Also for her sister-in-law who discovered a lump in her breast.

✠ **Continued Prayers For:** Annabelle Armstrong, Wally Bounds, Joe and JoAnn Glass, Al Haefner, Joe Hahn, Debbie Jones, Don Kirk, Koen Langheinze, Susan Potter, Carl and Kris Renfroe, Rev. Ted and Rev. Judy Roeling, Sherra Ruegg, Jocelyn Scott, Elizabeth Sierichs, Bill Simmons, Richard Stallworth, Tim and Amelia Tircuit.

✠ Please, look under **Christian Concerns on page 3** for a list of other church members and friends we continue to pray for.

✠ **Janice Davis** and her daughter, Emily.

✠ **Carolyn Doling's** son, Tony, in Nashville.

✠ **Bertha Hinojosa** asks for prayers for her aunt, Amalia DeLuna, receiving chemo for bladder cancer.

✠ **Josh Lavender's** friend, Samuel McCauley, was hit in the eye with an Airsoft gun pellet. The retina specialist is pleased with Scott's improvement so far.

✠ **Dorothea Lee** has not been feeling well.

✠ **Leslie Lyon** asked for prayers for her mom and her grandmother.

✠ **Laura Mast:** Prayers for her cousin, Emily Arrendondo and her children, CeCe, Tomas, Lily and Phil. Emily's husband died of a heart attack at 48 in Ohio.

✠ **Bob and Marilyn Miller** ask for prayers for their daughter, Dr. Gwen Moore, who had surgery for cancer. They are optimistic the surgery removed it all.

✠ **Wilhelmina Palmer** fell and cut her forehead.

✠ **Jean Shepherd** fell and broke her femur. She is in OLOL.

✠ **Muriel Schneider** is in physical therapy. She thanks you for the prayers.

✠ **Chris and Sharon Werner:** Thanksgiving that Sharon's mom, Helen Lutes, is doing better.

✠ **Mike Weinstein** in Austin, Texas, and for Amy and Charlie.

✠ **Betty Wilkinson's** 29-year-old grandson was found dead in his computer chair. The autopsy showed an aneurysm. Prayers for his twin and their family.

New Church Directory

We are in the process of creating a new church directory for our congregation. An information sheet will be in the bulletin on Sunday morning or you may pick one up in the church office.



Please let us know of any changes in your address, phone number, email, employment and where you children are attending school.

The directory will also include information on our different Ministry Areas and who is serving on each. This is very helpful when deciding how to use your special talents in doing the Lord's work here at BPC.

The congregation is invited to our special **Maundy Thursday Agape Feast at 5:30 p.m. in the Activities Building.** Rev. Dr. Martha Robson will lead the service and serve communion.

The congregation is asked to bring the following: A-H—will bring appetizers; I-Q—will bring sandwiches; R-Z—will bring desserts.

We will eat dinner and have fellowship at the tables. After dinner, we will remain at the tables for our worship service. The service will recall Jesus' last conversation with his disciples. Please join us for this special Lenten Service.

2nd Sunday Dutch Treat



This month's Dutch Treat Sunday falls on April 12, 2015.

We will have lunch at the Piccadilly, 6406 Florida Blvd. Lunch will paid for first-time guests. Please join us for food, fun and fellowship. Carpooling is available.

Interim Pastor Search Committee

The Session has elected an Interim Pastor Search Committee. Those serving are Kathy Battaglia, Pat Robertson and Dale Tullier. Ellen Snyder will serve as an alternate. This committee will need our prayers and support.

The Session and Congregation are asked to stop each day at 10:00 a.m. and pray for our church and all its members.



Recycle Your Eyeglasses

If you have any old eyeglasses you are no longer using, please bring them to the church office or put them in the Lions Club Recycling Box on the table in the Narthex.



Free Tutoring

Free after-school tutoring is available on Tuesdays and Thursdays for Middle and High School Youth. This assistance is available in all subjects, especially Math, Science, Reading, English, French, Spanish, History and Social Studies.

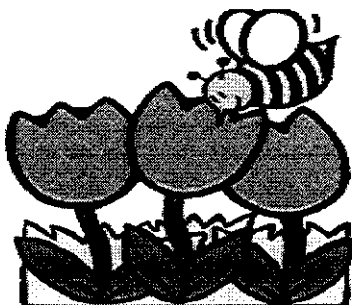


Tutoring is Tuesday-Thursday, 6:00-7:00 p.m. in Naylor Hall. Tutors are always needed. Please contact Mike Zobrist to volunteer!

BP Early Childhood Center



April is such a fun month for our kids. We start off with "Silly Sock" day April 1. Our teachers even wear the goofiest socks. Easter Parties are on April 2. Easter Holidays—Spring Break begins April 3 (Good Friday) though April 10. We hope all our children, teachers and staff have a wonderful Easter break. Our Art Show theme is "Going to the Zoo." Parents and friends are invited to view our children's art work on the bulletin boards in the Education Building Tuesday, April 28. Our last day to roller skate is Wednesday, April 29 and we'll celebrate "May Day on Thursday, April 30.



Holy Week and Upcoming Events

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| Thursday, April 2: | Maundy Thursday— Agape Feast at 5:30 pm. in the Activities Building. Worship and Communion. |
| Friday, April 3: | Good Friday Service at 12:00 noon. "Seven Last Words of Christ." We will go to the Piccadilly on Florida Blvd. after the service. |
| Sunday, April 5: | Easter. Worship, Communion, One Great Hour of Sharing Offering taken. Special music by the Choir and the "Hallelujah Chorus." |
| April 3—10: | Easter Holidays. Schools Closed. |
| Sunday, April 12: | Dutch Treat Sunday at Piccadilly. |
| Tuesday, April 28: | Preschool Art Show in Education Building. |
| Friday-Sunday May 1-3: | Intro Camp for 1st and 2nd graders at the Feliciana Retreat Center. |
| Saturday, May 9: | Presbyterian Women's Spring Luncheon. |
| Sunday, May 10: | Mother's Day. Dutch Treat Sunday. |
| May 15-16 (Fri.-Sat.) | Judy McGehee's Piano Recital in Sanctuary. |
| June 7-13 (Sun.-Sat.) | Camp Agape at the Feliciana Retreat Center. |



Can You Help?

Dear Friends, The Hospitality Ministry Area, Pat Robertson, Moderator, needs your help.

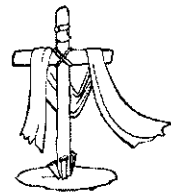


Presbyterian Women will have a spring brunch on Saturday, May 9, in the Activities Building. We will decorate the tables with a country theme. We would like to borrow any old country cookware, cookbooks, and mason jars. The quart jars will be used as vases for the daisies. We promise to take care of any things you loan us. I know we can count on you ladies. Thanking you in advance, and God Bless You. Love, Pat Robertson.

Hospitality Ministry Area Members are Janice Carpenter, Susan Chenevert, Betty Gough, Blanche Hamilton, Joy Hymel, Joyce Sasser, Susan Seifert, Wilma Strueh and Harriet Wuensch.

Good Friday Service

The congregation is invited to our Good Friday Service at 12:00 noon on April 3 in the Sanctuary.



"The Seven Last Words of Christ" is the theme. We'll hear special scriptures read and music sung by the congregation, with solos by Jenny Ampat. Dale Tullier, Pabby Arnold, and Judy McGehee will lead the service.

Afterwards, everyone is invited to have lunch at the Piccadilly on Florida Blvd.

Kathy Battaglia's beautiful Easter banners will be hung in the sanctuary after the service.

Stewardship Report

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| Attendance | 3/22 | 3/29 |
| 10:45 Worship | 90 | 100 |
| | <i>Receipts</i> | <i>Balance</i> |
| March Contributions | | |
| Receipts | 36,474.14 | |
| Monthly Needs | 22,281.88 | |
| Cuba Water Project | 23.07 | 23.07 |
| Soloist's Fund | 612.15 | 1,444.67 |
| Pulpit Supply | 754.15 | 0 |
| Interim Pastor Fund | 32,031.88 | 32,031.88 |
| Hope House | 179.91 | 233.68 |
| Presbyterian Children's Home | 101.50 | 101.50 |
| Villa del Rey School | 21.54 | 21.54 |
| BPC Community Orchard | 240.00 | 400.00 |



THANK YOU! Dear Rev. Ted Roeling, Rev. Judith Roeling, Mrs. Virginia, and all ladies who manned the kitchen at Broadmoor Presbyterian Church for Dot Futch's reception.

Tom, our boys, and I want to be sure to tell you all how much we appreciated your thoughtfulness and care when you put into every part of the service planned for Dorothy Futch's home-going. The kind service with scripture that touched our souls, your prayers, and the meal you offered so graciously provided comfort to us all and time to visit with extended friends and family. Tom recalled his youth at BPC fondly. We were reminded that Our Father gave and appointed gifts of "helpers" in the congregation of the church (II Corinthians 12:28) as these gifts are active truly. II Corinthians 13 opens us to His Most "Excellent Way" of love, the character quality at the heart of all of our Father's workings. We have been recipients of His love by your service to us all and wanted to be sure to tell you how thankful we are. We praise Him for your love and care, and by it find much comfort. Our Sincere Appreciation in Jesus' Love, Tom and Nonie Futch, Jan and Michael and Family.

THINKING OF YOU: Dear Peggy, Hope you guys enjoyed a great Christmas and New Year's holiday. We miss seeing everyone and are busily freezing up here. We enjoy the newsletter and want to thank Pat Freshney for her additions each month. We are praying for everyone at BPC! We miss all of you. Blessings, Sue and Dave Blackshear (3309 Strawberry Run, Davidsonville, MD 21035-1708.)

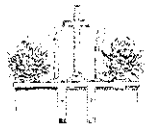
WORK DAY SUCCESSFUL! Saturday's church work day was a grand success! The Sanctuary was cleaned, painting was done, all the grounds got spruced up, and areas were pressure washed. The Property Ministry area would like to thank Kathy Battaglia, Brenda Cloy, Mary Linda Francis, Tommy and Trisha Gautreau, Alice Hondzinski, Peggy Logan, Marcy and Leslie Lyon, Susan Ortiz, Pat Robertson, Bill Simmons, Dave

Sanctuary Flowers



Beautiful lilies and palm plants will decorate our church on Easter Sunday. We have 8 extra lily plants. If you didn't get a chance to order one, call the church office to get one of these extras. Cost is \$10.75 each.

Members of the congregation are asked to sign up on the flower calendar to give our sanctuary flowers in honor or in memory of loved ones. Broadmoor Village Florist prepares the arrangements and will bill you at your home. **The following dates are open:** June 28; July 12, 26; August 9, 30; September 6, 13.



and Ellen Snyder, Gilbert & Wilma Strueh, Carol Taylor, Susan & Elizabeth Thornton, Michael Wascom, Barbara Waugh, Chris Werner, Dick Wuensch, and Mike Zobrist.

MOB THANK YOU! The Men of Broadmoor would like to thank all that participated in the annual Palm Sunday Fish Fry. It was huge success and the funds raised will be used for Camp Agape Scholarships. A special thanks to the men who prepared and served such a delicious meal: Haywood Bass, David Bradford, Brandon, Brian, & Tommy Gautreau, and Casey Thornton.

THANK YOU! Dear Joy, On behalf of the individuals and families that you helped in the Christmas program through Catholic Charities, please accept our sincere and heartfelt thanks for your generous gifts that brought the spirit of Christ's love during Christmas into the homes of our neighbors. This year, more than 400 families and seniors applied for assistance and were helped by individuals and families (churches) like you. With your support, their Christmas was blessed. Your generosity is an answered prayer. Thank you again, and may God richly bless you and those closest to you. Sincerely, in Christ, David C. Guillard, MPA, MHA, MA, Executive Director, Catholic Charities of B.R.

PRAYERS NEEDED! Marti Kent reports Dr. Ryan Perry's daughter, Mollie Perry, a second grader at St. George Catholic School was in a horrible accident last Friday. She was climbing a magnolia tree, one of her new pastimes. She climbed way too high before any noticed. She fell about 30 feet to the ground, never hitting any other limbs to break the fall. She had emergency surgery for a fractured femur with major damage to the blood supply to her hip, massive internal injuries, including a ruptured spleen and kidney, both of which had to be removed. She has a fractured skull/eye, but no bleeding found on the brain. Please pray for Mollie.

Calendar of Events for April 2015

Thursday, April 2: Maundy Thursday

- ▶ 9:30 a.m. Preschool Easter Parties
- ▶ 12:00 p.m. Preschool Staff Meeting/Lunch in F.H.
- ▶ 5:30 p.m. Maundy Thursday Agape Feast in A.B.

Friday, April 3: Good Friday

- ▶ **Church Office Closed.**
- ▶ 12:00 p.m. "Seven Last Words of Christ"
Meditation in Sanctuary.



Saturday, April 4:

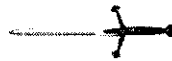
- ▶ 8:00 a.m. Men of BPC at Frank's.

Sunday, April 5: Easter:

- ▶ 9:30 a.m. Church School.
- ▶ 10:45 a.m. Worship/Communion/Rev. Dr. Martha Robson Preaching/One Great Hour of Sharing Offering.

Monday, April 6:

- ▶ **Church Office Closed**
- ▶ **EBRP Spring Break—Schools Closed.**
- ▶ 7:00 p.m. AA in Fellowship Hall.
- ▶ 7:00 p.m. Caledonian Society in A.B.



Tuesday, April 7:

- ▶ **EBRP Spring Break—Schools Closed.**
- ▶ 9:30 a.m. PW Circle 2-3 at Janice Carpenter's Home.
- ▶ 5:30 p.m. PW Circle 6 at La Madeleine's.
- ▶ 6:30 p.m. PW Circle 5 at Pat Robertson's Home.
- ▶ 7:00 p.m. Claymore Club in A.B.

Wednesday, April 8:

- ▶ **EBRP Spring Break—Schools Closed.**

Thursday, April 9:

- ▶ **EBRP Spring Break—Schools Closed.**
- ▶ 10:00 a.m. Coordinating Committee/Conference Room.
- ▶ 2:00 p.m. Communion at Williamsburg.

Friday, April 10:

- ▶ **EBRP Spring Break—Schools Closed.**
- ▶ 1:00 p.m. Interim Pastor Committee in C. R.

Saturday, April 11:

- ▶ 8:00 a.m. Men of Broadmoor at Frank's.



Sunday, April 12:

- ▶ 9:30 a.m. Church School.
- ▶ 10:45 a.m. Worship/Canned Goods Offering/Wilhelmina Palmer Preaching.
- ▶ 12:00 p.m. Dutch Treat Sunday at Piccadilly.

Monday, April 13:

- ▶ 9:30 a.m. PW Circle 1 in the Parlor.
- ▶ 7:00 p.m. AA in Fellowship Hall.
- ▶ 7:00 p.m. Caledonian Society in A.B.

Tuesday, April 14:

- ▶ 6:00 p.m. Tutoring in Naylor Hall.
- ▶ 7:00 p.m. Claymore Club in A.B.

Wednesday, April 15:

- ▶ 7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal in Choir Room.

Thursday, April 16:

- ▶ 10:00 a.m. Church Staff Meeting in Conference Room.
- ▶ 6:00 p.m. Tutoring in Naylor Hall.

Friday, April 17:

Saturday, April 18:

- ▶ 8:00 a.m. Men of Broadmoor at Frank's.



Sunday, April 19:

- ▶ 9:30 a.m. Church School.
- ▶ 10:45 a.m. Worship/Marcy Lyon Preaching.
- ▶ 3:00 p.m. Guest House Worship.

Monday, April 20:

- ▶ 7:00 p.m. Caledonian Society in A.B.
- ▶ 7:00 p.m. AA in Naylor Hall.



Tuesday, April 21:

- ▶ 6:00 p.m. Tutoring in Naylor Hall.
- ▶ 7:00 p.m. Claymore Club in A.B.

Wednesday, April 22:

- ▶ **Administrative Professionals Day—Earth Day.**
- ▶ 7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal in Choir Room.

Thursday, April 23:

- ▶ 9:30 a.m. PW Coordinating Team in the Parlor.
- ▶ 6:00 p.m. Tutoring in Naylor Hall.

Friday, April 24:

Saturday, April 25:

- ▶ 8:00 a.m. Men of BPC at Frank's.
- ▶ 8:30 a.m. Presby. Women Spring Gathering at University PC. Worship at 9:00 a.m. with lunch following.

Sunday, April 26:

- ▶ 9:30 a.m. Church School.
- ▶ 10:45 a.m. Worship/Tom Tucker Preaching

Monday, April 27:

- ▶ 6:30 p.m. Session Meeting in Naylor Hall.
- ▶ 7:00 p.m. AA in Fellowship Hall.
- ▶ 7:00 p.m. Caledonian Society in A.B.

Tuesday, April 28:

- ▶ 6:00 p.m. Preschool Art Show in Education Building.
- ▶ 6:00 p.m. Tutoring in Naylor Hall.
- ▶ 7:00 p.m. Claymore Club in A.B.

Wednesday, April 29:

- ▶ 7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal in Choir Room.

Thursday, April 30:

- ▶ 9:30 a.m. Preschool May Day Celebration.
- ▶ 6:00 p.m. Tutoring in Naylor Hall.

Friday, May 1:

- ▶ 9:00 a.m. Parent/Teacher Conferences.
- ▶ Intro Camp Begins at Feliciana.

Saturday, May 2:

- ▶ 8:00 a.m. Men of Broadmoor at Frank's.
- ▶ Intro Camp at Feliciana.



Sunday, May 3:

- ▶ 9:30 a.m. Church School.
- ▶ 10:45 a.m. Worship/Communion/Rev. Barbara Thursby Preaching.
- ▶ 11:30 a.m. Intro Camp Ends at Feliciana.

Christian Concerns

THIS WEEK: Please see the "Pray For" column on the newsletter insert for a more comprehensive list of the people we are praying for.

ON-GOING: Doris Atteberry, Peggy Berry, Sue Berry, Rita Brown, Mildred Dodson, Megan Iturralde, Della Lane, Marie McAdams, Jeremy Pastorek, Jacob Robertson, Odette Sallinger, Sam Seidel, our unreached friends and neighbors; for the young people of our community; for the Presbytery of South Louisiana and PCUSA; for the MITC School in Mexico; for America's leaders and service personnel, and for peace.



HOSPITAL VISITORS: The Elders visiting each day of the month are:

- 5 Pat Robertson
- 6 Judi Johnson
- 7 Linda Grider
- 8 Lee Bruner
- 9 Susan Seifert
- 10 Sam Haase
- 11 Brenda Cloy
- 12 Mariano Hinojosa
- 13 Barbara Long
- 14 Alice Hondzinski
- 15 Virginia Holloway
- 16 OPEN
- 17 Peggy Logan
- 18 Trisha Gautreau
- 19 Dan Palmer
- 20 Dale Tullier
- 21 E. J. McCune
- 22 Marti Kent
- 23 Annabelle Armstrong
- 24 Steve Wilson
- 25 Dave Snyder
- 26 Karen Zobrist
- 27 Evelyn Davis
- 28 Mike Zobrist
- 29 Marcy Lyon
- 30 Ellen Snyder
- 31 Haywood Bass



Major Bobby Brookshire, Ft. Dobbins, GA, Randy Carmichael, Ft. Hood, TX, Sgt. 1st Class Trip Davis, Ft. Campbell, KY, Sergeant Caila Excho, Ft. Bragg, NC, Major John Hanes, New York (Army Intelligence), Major Mike Ivey, Hawaii (25th Inf. Army), Commander Tombo Jones, Seattle (Coast Guard), Derek LaRue, Florida, Col. Robert Lutz, Ft. Bragg, NC, Tech Sgt. Scott Potter, Fort Dix, NJ, Stephen Price, Athens, GA; Shaun Rushing, Brenton, WA., Lt. Col. Jason Smith, England, Sabian and Hillary Taylor, Hawaii, Airman Steve Wilson, Jr., Barksdale AFB, Bossier City, LA

Southeast Ministries Food Drive

April 5: Oatmeal or Grits.
April 12: Salt and Pepper.
April 19: Tuna Fish.
April 26: Spaghetti Sauce With Meat.

Please bring your donations to the church office, or place them in the big plastic containers in the narthex and fellowship hall.



Worship Leaders

- ▶ April 5: Easter. Rev. Dr. Martha Robson, Communion, One Great Hour of Sharing Offering.
- ▶ April 12: Wilhelmina Palmer.
- ▶ April 19: Marcy Lyon.
- ▶ April 26: Tom Tucker.
- ▶ May 3: Rev. Barbara Thursby, Communion.

Memorial Gifts

In Honor of Kathy Battaglia
Interim Pastor Fund
Mrs. Elizabeth Davis

In Honor of BPC Family
Memorial Orchard
David and Laura Mast

In Memory of Rita Brown
Soloist Fund
Mrs. Janice Carpenter
Mrs. Marion Forbes

In Honor of Dear Friends & Family
Memorial Orchard
Mrs. Alice Hondzinski

In Honor of Evelyn Davis' Birthday
Mrs. Elizabeth Davis

In Honor Of Mildred Feldman
Reception Fund
Mrs. Elizabeth Davis

In Honor of Joe and JoAnn Glass
A Citrus Tree in Memorial Orchard
Dr. and Mrs. Sam Haase

In Memory of Dot Futch
Dr. and Mrs. Lee Bruner
Mrs. Marion Forbes
Mrs. Barbara Waugh
Children's Camp Scholarships
Mrs. Elizabeth Davis
Children's Ministry
Mrs. Janice Carpenter

In Memory of Wilma Hamilton
A Fig Tree in Memorial Orchard
Mrs. Carol Taylor

In Memory of Frank Holloway
A Fig Tree for Memorial Orchard
Mrs. Virginia Holloway

In Memory of Junia Kerr do Amaral
(Lillian Hahn's Sister)
Mrs. Marion Forbes

In Memory of Ernest J. Robertson
Memorial Orchard
Mrs. Patricia Robertson

In Memory of Judith Tircuit
(Carol Taylor's Mother)
A Citrus Tree in Memorial Orchard
Mrs. Carol Taylor



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Mission Statement

"The mission of Broadmoor Presbyterian Church is to lead people to become fully devoted followers of Christ."



CHURCH STAFF

Pastor
 Administrative Assistant..... Susan Ortiz
 Church Secretary.....Peggy Hammond
 Staff AssistantAl Haefner
 Organist/Director Judy McGehee
 Dir. Children/Family Min..... Joanne Bradford
 Dir. Young Adult Min..... Steve Wilson
 Dir. Early Childhood Ctr. Kathy Balhoff
 Nursery Supervisor..... Betty Price
 Church Custodian..... Monica Ajuh

Our Core Values

With our voices, we witness: *"We shout aloud Christ's story of love."*

On our knees, we pray: *"We pray for God's blessings, forgiveness, healing and comfort."*

With our hands, we serve: *"We are actively engaged in Mission work, not only donating money for others to do the work for us."*

With our heads, we learn: *"We continue our studies into God's Mystery."*

With our body and spirit, we nurture the children and youth: *"We value children and acknowledge our responsibility to love, teach, and support them."*

Our Bedrock Beliefs

God made us for a purpose.

Christ hears our prayers and is always with us.

Through grace, Christ saves us from sin and death.

Christ teaches us how to love one another.

Faith in Christ sustains us through our struggles.

The Holy Spirit has given us gifts to use.

If you have any feedback, please email us at broadmoor_br@yahoo.com

Stewardship Report

| <u>Attendance</u> | 3/22 | 3/29 |
|-------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|
| 10:45 Worship | 90 | 100 |
| | <i>Receipts</i> | <i>Balance</i> |
| <u>December Contributions</u> | | |
| Receipts | 36,474.14 | |
| Monthly Needs | 22,281.88 | |
| Cuba Water Project | 23.07 | 23.07 |
| Soloist's Fund | 612.15 | 1,444.67 |
| Pulpit Supply | 754.15 | 0 |
| Interim Pastor Fund | 32,031.88 | 32,031.88 |
| Hope House | 179.91 | 233.68 |
| Presbyterian Children's Home | 101.50 | 101.50 |
| Villa del Rey School | 21.54 | 21.54 |
| BPC Community Orchard | 240.00 | 400.00 |



THANK YOU! Dear Rev. Ted Roeling, Rev. Judith Roeling, Mrs. Virginia, and all ladies who manned the kitchen at Broadmoor Presbyterian Church for Dot Futch's reception.

Tom, our boys, and I want to be sure to tell you all how much we appreciated your thoughtfulness and care when you put into every part of the service planned for Dorothy Futch's home-going. The kind service with scripture that touched our souls, your prayers, and the meal you offered so graciously provided comfort to us all and time to visit with extended friends and family. Tom recalled his youth at BPC fondly. We were reminded that Our Father gave and appointed gifts of "helpers" in the congregation of the church (II Corinthians 12:28) as these gifts are active truly. II Corinthians 13 opens us to His Most "Excellent Way" of love, the character quality at the heart of all of our Father's workings. We have been recipients of His love by your service to us all and wanted to be sure to tell you how thankful we are. We praise Him for your love and care, and by it find much comfort. Our Sincere Appreciation in Jesus' Love, Tom and Nonie Futch, Jan and Michael and Family.

THINKING OF YOU: Dear Peggy, Hope you guys enjoyed a great Christmas and New Year's holiday. We miss seeing everyone and are busily freezing up here. We enjoy the newsletter and want to thank Pat Freshney for her additions each month. We are praying for everyone at BPC! We miss all of you. Blessings, Sue and Dave Blackshear (3309 Strawberry Run, Davidsonville, MD 21035-1708.)

WORK DAY SUCCESSFUL! Saturday's church work day was a grand success! The Sanctuary was cleaned, painting was done, all the grounds got spruced up, and areas were pressure washed. The Property Ministry area would like to thank Kathy Battaglia, Brenda Cloy, Mary Linda Francis, Tommy and Trisha Gautreau, Alice Hondzinski, Peggy Logan, Marcy and Leslie Lyon, Susan Ortiz, Pat Robertson, Bill Simmons, Dave

Sanctuary Flowers



Beautiful lilies and palm plants will decorate our church on Easter Sunday. We have 8 extra lily plants. If you didn't get a chance to order one, call the church office to get one of these extras. Cost is \$10.75 each.

Members of the congregation are asked to sign up on the flower calendar to give our sanctuary flowers in honor or in memory of loved ones. Broadmoor Village Florist prepares the arrangements and will bill you at your home. **The following dates are open:** June 28; July 12, 26; August 9, 30; September 6, 13.



and Ellen Snyder, Gilbert & Wilma Strueh, Carol Taylor, Susan & Elizabeth Thornton, Michael Wascom, Barbara Waugh, Chris Werner, Dick Wuensch, and Mike Zobrist.

MOB THANK YOU! The Men of Broadmoor would like to thank all that participated in the annual Palm Sunday Fish Fry. It was huge success and the funds raised will be used for Camp Agape Scholarships. A special thanks to the men who prepared and served such a delicious meal: Haywood Bass, David Bradford, Brandon, Brian, & Tommy Gautreau, and Casey Thornton.

THANK YOU! Dear Joy, On behalf of the individuals and families that you helped in the Christmas program through Catholic Charities, please accept our sincere and heartfelt thanks for your generous gifts that brought the spirit of Christ's love during Christmas into the homes of our neighbors. This year, more than 400 families and seniors applied for assistance and were helped by individuals and families (churches) like you. With your support, their Christmas was blessed. Your generosity is an answered prayer. Thank you again, and may God richly bless you and those closest to you. Sincerely, in Christ, David C. Guillard, MPA, MHA, MA, Executive Director, Catholic Charities of B.R.

PRAYERS NEEDED! Marti Kent reports Dr. Ryan Perry's daughter, Mollie Perry, a second grader at St. George Catholic School was in a horrible accident last Friday. She was climbing a magnolia tree, one of her new pastimes. She climbed way too high before any noticed. She fell about 30 feet to the ground, never hitting any other limbs to break the fall. She had emergency surgery for a fractured femur with major damage to the blood supply to her hip, massive internal injuries, including a ruptured spleen and kidney, both of which had to be removed. She has a fractured skull/eye, but no bleeding found on the brain. Please pray for Mollie.