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From The Pastor: "Fire in the Lower Corner"

Two weeks after Easter we completed the installation of stained glass in the front three windows of the Sanctuary. In the picture on the right you see Maureen



McGuire's sketch of the right front window before it was built. Maureen is the designer of our windows which represent God's creation. If you want to see a picture taken of the completed windows go to our website at www.goldcanyonumc.org and click the button which says "Find us on Facebook." This will send you to the

church's Facebook page. You don't need to be a member of Facebook to go to our page. Then scroll down until you see the picture of the windows and click on it.

In the lower right corner of the right window you will notice some flames. I have been asked by a couple of people what they represent. The fire is representative of the Holy Spirit, God's power in our lives right here and right now. Probably the least understood of the Trinity is the Holy Spirit. This is why in June I will begin a series entitled "Catch the Fire." This series will explore the implications of the Holy Spirit in our lives. We will understand how the holy is found in the common. We will address the questions of what is the Holy Spirit and can it help me in my life.

The windows have given the Sanctuary a stronger sense of a sacred space dedicated to the glory and worship of God. If you haven't fled the heat I will see you on Sunday.

Grace and peace,







Catch the Fire Sermon Series

June 5 – Catch the Fire - Holy in the Common June 12 – Catch the Fire - What is the Holy Spirit? June 19 – Catch the Fire - Led by the Holy Spirit

"Following Jesus, Serving Others"

Donations for Student Financial Assistance

Have you ever considered financially helping a student to advance their education and/or career training but weren't sure how to go about finding qualified applicants? If so, GCUMC can now be of assistance. A new scholarship program has been established to help students, young and not so young, with their financial needs. There are established criteria that must be met before a potential recipient may receive any available funds. Brochures describing the criteria, along with more details about the program, are available in the "Information Rack" found in the church narthex.

ONLINE GIVING AVAILABLE!

You may give online a one-time or recurring donation by logging on to our church website at www.goldcanyonumc.org and select "Click to Give". You will then be guided through the steps to get set up. It's easy!







If you shop for groceries at either Bashas' or Fry's (gas, too, at Fry's), we ask you to consider using one of their gift cards bought from the church to pay for your purchases. They can be purchased for as little as \$20. If your purchases will cost more than the amount on the card you can reload it at checkout for up to \$500 using your favorite credit card, a check or cash. You get miles on your card and the church earns 6% from Bashas' and 3% from Fry's every time you reload the card. Best of all, it costs you nothing to participate. Stop by the Information Desk in the east narthex to find out how you can help us save toward purchasing an additional bus in the near future. Our current bus, which is used to bring people to church and transport the youth to summer work camps and retreats, was obtained through this program which is easy to use and so valuable to the church. Thank you for being a part of this program which brings in \$500 to \$1,500 a month.

Betty Rolley

Church Wish List

Want to give back to Gold Canyon United Methodist Church beyond your pledge to the General Budget or the Building Fund? Listed below are some items requested by staff and laity that will better enable us to fulfill our mission as a church.

Pave the North Parking Lot

Religious Statue for South Exterior Alcove of Sanctuary Building

Pipes for the Electronic Organ

Stained Glass for upper room windows

DONATIONS AND ATTENDANCE

Let no debt remain outstanding except the continuing debt to love one another... Romans 13:8 (NIV)

April	2009		2010		2011		2010	2011
	Gen.	Build.	Gen.	Build.	Gen.	Build.	Worship All	Worship All
1st	\$29,929	\$13,688	\$28,426	\$9,548	\$20,738	\$9,201	2518	1476
2nd	10,935	3,066	19,203	8,853	15,956	8,414	1389	1111
3rd	15,554	7,273	13,502	2,644	16,720	5,700	1128	1101
4th	10,587	4,890	18,068	10,615	18,493	8,520	934	1769
5th								
Total	\$67,004	\$28,917	\$79,199	\$31,660	\$71,907	\$31,835	5969	5457

Update on Habitat for Humanity – Winter 2011 Project

Our winter build project is complete with the dedication having been held on May 21, 2011. The address is 1882 S Pino Circle in Apache Junction, near Southern and Ironwood, if you wish to drive by and see the house.

Many thanks to all who volunteered their labor, provided lunches, and donated funds to this project. Our church sent workers on 4 different Saturdays in February, March and April (as did our partner churches). Our homeowner, who worked alongside us, will be buying the house from Habitat on a no-interest loan, moving in soon after the dedication. Karen Stults and her 5 children, who currently live in a small 3 bedroom apartment, are very excited to have a safe and stable place to live. Karen has recently been accepted to nursing school, and also works part time.

We intend to build another home next winter, probably in Apache Junction. No experience is necessary, tools are provided, and the volunteer house leaders will teach you what you need to know. It's fun and rewarding, so please consider joining us.

Joe and Maureen Morton 602-284-2826 MoandJoeM@aol.com



Giving Made Easy with Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT)! For your convenience, you can make donations to Gold Canyon UMC via electronic transfer. Your authorization for a specified amount of money is automatically transferred from your checking or savings account directly into the church account. You may also specify how frequently you want the money to be transferred (i.e. weekly, every two weeks, once a month) and there is no cost to you for this transaction! The church will issue a donation statement for your records and your bank statements will provide you with a record of transfer as additional verification of your contribution. The EFT program yields many significant benefits for our church and makes life much easier for you...and, it gives you the satisfaction of giving to God first. We encourage you to consider making your gifts by Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT). Forms are available in the church office.

Message from the Church Office

Giving envelopes with the number 400 have been taken and used for cash contributions but we don't know who is using them. If you have been using these envelopes, would you please contact the church office and give us your name, address, and phone number. Thank you.



Current UMCOR Emergencies

To donate to UMCOR on behalf of the following emergency, please write your check to GCUMC and write "UMCOR Advance ###### (fill in the appropriate number)" on the memo line. 100% of your donation will go to those affected by the emergency.

Japan Emergency
Earthquake & Tsunami
UMCOR Advance #3021317

U.S. Disaster Response Spring Storms UMCOR Advance #3021326 Liberia Emergency UMCOR Advance #150300

Cote D'Ivoire Crisis UMCOR Advance #982450

For more ways to help, or to donate online, go to: http://new.gbgm-umc.org/umcor/





Christian Education

By Alexandra Houseman

"Our mission is to bring the love of Christ and His teachings to learners of all ages on their spiritual journey, that they be transformed and thus positively affect our local and global communities."

Growing up on the central coast of California allowed me to experience the yearly phenomena known as "June Gloom". Mornings were always overcast and cold. That beach trip you had planned now seems to be not such a good idea. But the magic of June Gloom is that it always burns off by noon. The sun comes out and the water is warm. Do you ever feel that way here in Arizona? When all the winter residents have returned home it can seem like a gloomy ghost town. It is crucial this time of year to get connected with those in your community and your church and especially with GOD. Get involved, volunteer your time, join a small group, listen and learn and see how God's love flows through you.

Sunday School Teachers Needed

We need a few good women AND men who are interested in teaching adult and children's Sunday School classes. We are currently in need of a 10:50 am children's teacher as well as other adults who are interested in teaching adult classes on Sundays and during the week as well. If you are interested please pick up a volunteer application in the church office. We are also in need of substitute teachers for the children's classes.

Nursery Substitutes Needed

If you enjoy working with the smallest members of our congregation, we need you. We are looking for Sunday morning nursery substitutes as well as people who can work special events and Sunday nights for the 5:00 pm service. Please pick up a volunteer application in the church office.

<u>U-Can and B.E.A.R.S Club</u> continues to meet Wednesdays at 4:30 in the Education Building. All youth ages 5-12 are welcome to attend. Please encourage any child you know to attend this fun evening where they are able to learn of God's love outside of the traditional Sunday church setting. Contact Linda Walker for more information.

Adult Study

New home based small group Bible studies continue to be formed. If you are interested in joining a group of eight to ten individuals exploring and strengthening your faith, contact Alex Houseman in the church office. We will soon be forming groups to study *The 5 Love Languages* by Gray Chapman. Studies last between four and six weeks. If you are interested in leading a class please let Alex know that as well.



DISCIPLE is a program of disciplined Bible study aimed at developing strong Christian leaders. It focuses on the disciple as learner, believer, follower, proclaimer, and servant while providing the fellowship of a small group for study, prayer, preparation, support, and servanthood.

If you are interested in taking this step in your faith journey, please register between services at the Education table or with Alex Houseman in the church office. We will be forming new groups to start in the fall.

Women of Faith Convention

Sept. 23-24 at US Airways Center. If you would like to attend this exciting event, please see Alex Houseman at the Education Table between worship services to sign up. The cost is \$89 per person.

VBS Needs

If you are able to help, please bring any of the following items to the church office: **Items to be borrowed and returned:** fake foods (fruits, veggies, pastries), 50's style chrome bar stools, table umbrellas for bistro-size tables, rolling food carts, chrome metal shelving, chef hats and jackets, very large fork and spoon wall décor. **Donations** of empty baby food jars with lids, ribbon, stickers, gallon and quart size ziplock bags.





Gold Canyon UMC



Wendy Moore, Youth Director

Our Superstar of the Month is **Noah Gingrich!**



Congratulations Noah!

Noah is 13 years old and a 7th grader at Cactus Canyon Junior High. He has been an active member of the GCUMC Youth Group, participating in multiple events with us even though this is just his first year in the group. Noah is one of the most helpful people I know!

His hobbies are:

Playing computer games and reading on his Kindle

Accomplishments:

Winning a Caring Award during Character Week at school and being the "Bat Boy" for the Varsity Baseball Team at AJHS

Favorite Food:

Spaghetti and Chocolate Cheesecake

Favorite Movie:

"Rio"

Upcoming Events:

June 5 - No Youth Group (California trip)

June 12 - Meet and swim at the Moore's house (more details later)

June 19 - Regular Youth Group

June 26 - Regular Youth Group

NEWS:

Congratulations to our Graduating Seniors (see pictures and plans in this newsletter)! It has been a great pleasure to be involved with these young people this year. They are an accomplished group of kids, who are moving on to do even greater things. They will be greatly missed!

Welcome to our new members! We are looking forward to getting to know you. If you have any questions concerning youth group, meeting times, etc., please don't hesitate to call Wendy at 480-459-1809.

Good News on the Mission Trip - All of our shares have been purchased! A great big THANK YOU to all of our share-holders. We are now in the process of gathering tools needed to make this trip a success. The following are the tools needed: box of clean rags, 10 sets of safety goggles, 5 sets of workgloves, 20 wire brushes, 5 spray bottles, 2 utility knives, 3 chalk lines, 5 chisels, and 5 squares. A donation of any of these tools or a monetary donation toward purchase of tools would be greatly appreciated. Donated tools don't have to be new, just in good working order. Again, thank you so much for all your support of our Mission Trip.

Perspectives:

"Sir, my concern is not whether God is on our side; my greatest concern is to be on God's side, for God is always right."

Abraham Lincoln

"I don't like that man. I must get to know him better."

Abraham Lincoln



Music Notes



Hopefully, by the time you are reading this, I will be on my way to recovering from my left ankle replacement surgery. I also hope that I don't get too fat being a couchpotato with my foot higher than my heart, eating bon-bons and watching soap operas! (Do they still have "soaps" on TV???)

Seriously, I have purchased a laptop computer and plan on writing a lot of music – some promised, some commissioned, and a bunch of old music I want to get on computer and submit for publication. This and a multitude of books are what will keep me busy for the most part. I am not supposed to put any weight on my left foot for 6 weeks, then another 6 weeks with a variety of casts, then, hopefully, I can get back and wail on the organ again! I am afraid, however, this will be an excruciatingly boring time!

While I am not looking forward to the surgery – I've never had surgery before – I am very much looking forward to playing the organ pedals like I did in high school and college, doing some great things, but all without pain. My thanks in advance to **Linda Jones** and **Nancy Virden** for taking over for me part of the time. I'm not exactly sure yet what will happen in June, but have some people lined up if needed. My thanks also to the **Chancel Choir**, **Chancel Ringers**, **Angel Choir**, **Youth Handbell Team** and the **GCUMC Orchestra** for giving me great inspiration to get this done, for all your great music making, and certainly, for all your prayers! This church has an incredible wealth of talented, generous and wonderful people!

Good news and bad news on the Organ Pipes. The good news is we have received a number of donations towards

the **Organ Pipe Fund**. The bad news is we did not reach our goal of \$350,000 to be able to order the pipes at this cost. God's time is best, so when the time comes that we should be able to add pipes, then the money will also come. It took over three years to get our stained glass windows funded, but the end result was certainly worth the wait and the cost. I know the addition of actual windblown pipes as pictured and described will also be worth the additional cost and wait! Thanks to all those who have helped to "seed" the Organ Pipe Fund. Our vision will grow to fruition in God's good time!

Another reminder: If you would like to sing with the **Chancel Choir**, we will continue to rehearse on Thursday evenings from 6:50 – 8:30 pm in the Music Room. If you can sing on pitch, and read music, you would be most welcome to join us! We can always use more voices in every section, and we really do have a lot of fun! Come check us out! The Chancel Choir will continue singing at both traditional services through July.

Looking towards the future, I have pretty well secured our Performing Arts Series for 2011-2012, and I promise you will enjoy every event you attend! I hope to publish the Series schedule in August or September.

Blessings to you all, and have safe travels this summer! With agape love,



Douglas J. Benton Director of Music Ministries

Country Western Service

June wraps up the weekly schedule of country western services at 5 pm on Sundays. The final one on June 26 will be followed by a potluck dinner. The Housers will provide the music.

For July, August and September there will be one service on the last Sunday of the month, each one followed by a potluck.

Weekly services will resume on the first Sunday of October.

We look forward to giving you a big "Howdy Partners" any time you can make it this summer.

Bob Deits and David Ballard



From the Mailbag



Dear GCUMC friends.

Thank you so much for the amazing support and enthusiasm I experienced Sunday afternoon, May 1, when I played my "70th Celebration" program. Thank you Nancy, Doug and Linda; thank you Pastor Fred for the beautiful prayer before the event; thank you Choir for the wonderful reception after; thank you Roy for your sound booth skills; and thank you for the generous donations to the Youth Mission Project.

I am so grateful to the congregation for making all this possible.

Shirley Coad



Thanks to all of you who knit the prayer shawls. What a wonderful, loving gift. Mine was brought to me by Betty Jacobsen.

Kay Hanson



Dear Ladies,

As coordinator for the Women's Resource room at Hope Women's Center, I want to thank you for your generous and artistic gift donations. Imagine my surprise - color coordinated gifts!

This morning our client's eyes lit up when they saw your donations displayed in the resource room. As of noon to-day, I would say we are well on our way to meeting the needs of these women as your wonderful items flew out the door!

Thank you and may God bless your generous hearts.

To Burns



Dear GCUMC Ladies Group,

Thank your for inviting me to speak at your Mother/Daughter lunch. It was a delightful afternoon and a pleasure to meet so many of you. As you can see from Jo's comments, our clients have been and will continue to be blessed by your generous donation. Thank you for meeting the needs of our clients in such a meaningful way.

God Bless You!

Mítzí Wísely HWC Dírector

Single United Methodists (SUM)

Cinema Club

The first Sunday of each month, SUM and friends meet at 3 pm at the lower level Food Court at Scottsdale Fashion Square Mall. (The 4-story garage on north side of mall has plenty of free parking.) To find us, look for the Singles Cinema Club's table-top sign. Everyone sees the film of their choice, then returns to the food court to discuss why they loved, loathed or "sorta liked" the film they've just seen.

Bowling Club

Let us Roll Bowl - 12th St. and Dunlap in Phoenix SUM, their families and friends are invited to a fun evening of bowling, the third Sunday of every month. Bowling begins at 5 pm, ending around 7 pm. We play at least 2 games, sometimes 3. Cost is \$2.75 a game plus \$2.75 for shoes.

First Fridays' Fish Fry

June 3 at St. Stephen's Pro-Cathedral Byzantine Catholic Church, 8141 N. 16th St., Phoenix. The first Friday of each month, we meet at St. Stephen's for its famed Fish Fry and polka rave. Cost: \$8-\$11. Ask the host to direct you to the SUM table.

Lend a Helping Hand

Volunteers are needed to serve Sunday lunch to 175-200 men, women & kids at UMOM's Homeless Shelter on the Second and Third Sundays of June. To prepare food, please be at Cross Roads UMC kitchen by 10 am; to serve, be at church by 11:30 am.

"Cinderella" at Broadway Palm Dinner Theater, June 25 For years, the Valley's Methodist singles have supported Lura Turner Homes, founded by Methodist deaconess Lura Turner. So every year we have a great time at the LTH benefit at Broadway Palm Dinner Theater, 5247 E. Brown Rd., Mesa. Time is 11:45 am, Saturday, June 25. Cost for buffet lunch and show: \$45. For tickets call Max at 602-258-1207 or 602-944-1524.





WITHIN THE CHURCH FAMILY

By Hu & Wendy Rhymes, with a little help from Hattie, Muffin (& Sadie, too)

JUST A REMINDER: Please let the Rhymes know or call the office if you are having surgery or are in the hospital, if you wish a visit, or want to be on the Sunday Prayer List. For OUR E-MAIL ADDRESS check the Sunday Bulletin or call the church office.

FROM THE SADIE RHYMES MEMORIAL CORNER

A big thank you to all the volunteers who have worked in the food bank and given many hours to helping folks, dogs and cats with food. Of course there wouldn't be a Food Bank without all of you and the community who donate so much. Thank you to Jeff Downing, Dan Gray and Rush Tucker who head up this project.

It has been another really big month for pet food. Thanks to Jolene & Michael Agnew again. They are purchasing and bagging dog food once a month. Sadie thanks you bunches. Thank you also to two families who each purchased a big bag of pet food. Also thanks to the person who gave a \$50 donation for pet food. We know there are others but don't know who you are, so we THANK you all. We are saddened to hear that Thomas & Mary Lynn Preiss' four year old schnauzer, Shipoopi, went to Rainbow Bridge in puppy heaven this month.

Love, Hu, Wendy, Hattie, Muffin and Sadie too!!!



APOLOGIES to Grace Wrobel for misspelling her last name last month. She is one of our new Stephen Ministers.

CONGRATULATIONS to Shirley Coad for a wonderful concert on May 1st. She is celebrating 70 years playing the cello. We love you, Shirley.

Sympathies: The family of Marv Boles, upon his death; The family of Victor Braate, upon his death (Arne Eisentraut's step father); Gary & Monty Gingrich, upon the death of their mother, Grace Byers; Jack & Bill Christie, upon the death of Lou Ann, Jack's wife & Bill's stepmother; Tom Freeman, upon the death of his wife; Lois Jones, upon the death of her husband, Tom, & George Morley, upon the death of his brother-in-law, Tom Jones; Shirley Matthews, upon the death of her mother, Mildred Richards; Mary Ogden, upon the death of her husband, Claud; Joe & Uni Kincaid, upon the death of their nephew, Mike Rogers; The family of Don Van Buskirk, upon his death; Todd Williams, upon the death of his mother, Doreen Williams; and the families & friends of the above.

Concerns and/or Continued Prayers: Pat Alsup, Joey Baker, Robb Barnhill (Nancy Jonovich's son), Bill Bennett, Chris Bisted, Goldie Boleyn (Bev Toppin's mother), Marge Bos (Dave Bos' mother), Albert Brown, Jack Brown, Arlaine Bryant, Sandy Campbell, Bob Cassella, Bob Clark, Vickie Collins, Eris Cooley,

Walter Danison, Robert Dowrick, Theresa Dunphy, Bonnie Eisentraut, Jack Elms, Mike Etcheverry, Janet Fillion (Paul & Joyce Fillion's daughter-in-law), Peter Fillion (Paul Fillion's brother), Ann & Chuck Frondal, Gen Garneski's niece, Barbara, Joyce Giger, Bob Gill, Barb Gasca, Tammy Griffin, Paul Grim, Bill Hendrick, Betty Harris, Darrell Hiller, Gary Hinman, Mel & Helen Hurley, Shirley Jennings, Lyle Johnsten, Steve Kenitzer, Lynn Kerr (Gary Stemple's sister), Gary Legg, Bev Mitchell, Charlotte Montoya (Uni Kincaid's sister), Ron Morrissette, Duane Nelson, Byron Olson Jr. (Randi Olson's brother), Ramona Orr (Kris Laux's mother), Marilyn Pearson, Grace Rhodes, Drew Rolley (Betty & Bud Rolley's son), Cindy Schmidt, Jim Scott, Ari Shreffler, Mikey Sheridan, Sharee Sifferath, Jerry Sinclair, Donella Sparks, Gary Stemple, Mark Thompson, Bev Toppin, Sue Warrick, Monica Ortega-Watters, LoRetha Willhite, Sandra Wilson and PRAYERS for the families & caregivers of the above. PRAYERS for requests in the "CONFIDENTIAL PRAYER" boxes & UNSPO-KEN REQUESTS. Also, those FOOD BANK CLI-ENTS who have requested prayers. PRAYERS for our MILITARY personnel (Alejandro Gonzales, Matthew Jacobson & A.J. Skabelund), and their families & those who are POOR & in NEED OF EMPLOYMENT. PRAYERS for the families of SIDEWALK MINISTRY. ALL FOLKS AFFECTED by the recent storms everywhere.

Still in Need of Prayers: Charlie & Joan Acker, John & Doris Adamson, Andy & Pat Allan, Dick & Eleanor Armstrong, Tom & Dee Ashe, Bob & Ruth Bennett, Irene Blake (Paul Fillion's sister), Mary Kay Bottomley (Mike Vagnier's mother), Lyle Brewer, Dr. Brad & Arlaine Bryant, Jim Burden & Marilyn Horkey, Martha Burkinshaw, Jim & Carolyn Burt, Shirley & Frank Campbell, Don & Arlene Catt, Karen Chandler, Carol Crosswhite, Bill & Joyce Curtis, Rev. Bob & June Deits, Chuck Dickinson, Darrell & Laura Dinges, Rev. Jim & Eve Dinkel, Adelyne Douglass, Irene Blake (Paul Fillion's sister), Elaine Finck, Danna & Andy Gharavi, Ardeena Gillette, Patti Girardi, Bill & Louise Green, Arline Hacker, Michael & Debbie Hale, Kerby Harms (Roger & Shirley Coad's grandson), Beth Haves (Jeff Hayes' mother), Jim & Kyle Hoggatt (Jim & Carolyn Burt's son-in-law/grandson), Rich Haraldson, Ro Heinauer (Diane Heinauer's mother-in-law), Wade & Cindy Hoff, Neil & Melva Houtcooper, Bob & Lou Johnson, Ginny & Joe Johnson, Noel Jones (Linda & Morgan Jones' grandson), Gladys Kay (Jane Hayes' Mom), Mel & Mary Kilbo, Steve & Peggy Kinder, Emil & Myrtle Krecji, Cheryl Lang, Thelma Lang (Pete 'n Kay Johnson's mother), Bob & Juana Mahlandt, Sue & Michael Malloy, Bryan McGann (Jeanette Lunstead's son), Larry & Pat McMann, Wilbur McMann, Linda & Mike Mestek, Judy Monk, Hedy Moore (Jed Moore's mother), Ron Morrissette, Don & Dianne Parker, Eileen Petticrew (Keith Petticrew's mother), Shirley Plakos, Lois Poteet (Barb Oldham's sister), Calvin Quinn, Brenda & Pete Rahaneotis, Lynn Revis, Paul & Eleanor Rhymes (Hu Rhymes' brother-THANKS YOUR **FOR** ALL PRAYERS), Mary Richter, Jim & Marcia Ritenour, David & Judy Robertson, Joe & Rose Rosenberg, Brian Sanders (Brenda Rahaneotis' nephew), Virgil & Rose Scantlin, Sandy & Richard Schutt (Wendy Rhymes' sister & brother-in-law), Connie & Dave Snyder, Rick & Sue Sutter, Sharon Szymanski (Victor & Lorraine Phillips' daughter), Bobbie Talbot, Marilyn Thomas, Lillian Thomas (Bill & Mary Thomas' mother), Kenneth Tippie (Jerry & Peggy Tippie's son), Jim & Bev Toppin, Gordon & Patty Truckle, Marven & Wanda Tufte, Jim & Charlene Van Slooten & Floy Kilbourn-their daughter, Ray and Nancy Villeneuve, Jack & Nancy Virden, Rita & Michael Vitalich, Mary Gay Wenger (Diane Heinauer's mother), Doug Wilder (Joan Wilder-Siersma's father), Delza Wilson (Jayne Urbach's mother), Dorothy Wolter, Chong Ho Yi (Friend of Lovena Warren), Betty Young, Don & Pat Zirjacks and the families of the above.

JOY: "O" Koenig, the girl who was kidnapped in Thailand has been found (friend of Carolyn & Jim Burt).



"LAUGH A LITTLE" with Hu

YOU DON'T STOP LAUGHING BECAUSE YOU GROW OLD YOU GROW OLD BECAUSE YOU STOP LAUGHING

OFFERTORY STATEMENTS

"The Lord owns the cattle on a thousand hills. He only needs cowboys to round them up. Will the ushers please come forward for the offering?"

"Let us give generously---according to what you reported on your income tax."

"Give now, before the cost of living goes up more and you can't afford to."

"Not only is it more blessed to give than to receive, but it is also tax deductible."

"All people should try to spend their lives doing things that will out last them."

"Money doesn't go as far as it used to, but at least it goes faster."



Make time to pray everyday



Happy Father's Day

Here are some healthy reminders for our men to take care of yourselves. Each of you is loved and appreciated by your family. You are an important part of how life is played out at your home. Keeping yourselves healthy and happy may seem to be something you place on the back burner, after all, you say, I work long hours, sleep comes at a premium, there is always something to do and my work is stressful. Here are 9 tips to creating a healthier you:

- Eat a well balanced diet. Include lean protein, fruits and veggies at least 5 servings a day. Decrease your carbohydrate intake & JUNK FOOD. Take your lunch from home & include healthy snacks. Drink at least 64 ounces of water daily (preferably reverse osmosis or high quality bottled). Dehydration can make you fatigued, cause headaches and muscle aches, even brain fog. It can create an imbalance in your electrolytes (Potassium, sodium, chloride), which can cause heart issues like elevated BP, irregular heart beats, heart attack or stroke).
- Get 30 minutes of moderate activity planned into your day. Take walks at lunch time if possible or with your wife and kids in the evening or go to the gym. It will help keep your muscles strong and blood circulating. Can reduce the potential for arthritis to develop as you age.
- Play it safe -WEAR your seat belt. Do it every time you get seated in a vehicle it could save your life.
- Do not use tobacco. There are major health concerns that will develop if you continue to smoke. Cancer of the throat, face, tongue, larynx, etc. can be devastating. Second hand smoke is hazardous to those around you. For help overcoming this habit/addiction go to ashline.org or call 1-800-556-6222 (Arizona Smoker's Helpline).
- Do not abuse alcohol. Drink in moderation if at all. If there is a problem, then get help. Don't let alcohol become your drug of choice. Seek Godly counsel. Check out AA.
- Get a physical exam. "Men like to think they are indestructible" says Alan Shindel, MD, co-director of the Men's Health Program in the department of urology at the U. of C. Davis, often putting off the less obvious types of problems that crop up out of no-where. While not every symptom you may have requires attention, there are some that should not be toyed with. These include: shortness of breath (you're thinking...I am really out of shape) this could actually be an impending heart attack; persistent pain on one side of your abdomen (you're thinking...I probably pulled a muscle) this could very well be a kidney stone or tumor; daytime fatigue (you're thinking...I

should really go to bed earlier) - this could be Obstructive Sleep Apnea; a new freckle or red patch, an irregular mole with black and brown coloration (you're thinking...oh this will go way on its own) - it could be skin cancer or a sebhorreic keratosis. The differences in appearance between a benign growth and skin cancer can be subtle. A melanoma can be life threatening so it's worth getting it checked out early on.

- Plan a date night with your wife and rekindle your LOVE relationship. Surprise her with a movie and dinner out. Find new sources for conversation. Listen to your favorite music together.
- Enjoy your children. Go camping or hiking or whatever will give you some "one on one" time with them. Take them to a museum or park. Learn who they are and help them learn life values that are truly important to you. Listen to them and tell them you love them and support them in their activities as appropriate.
- Take time for quiet time with God, the One who created you and knows you inside out. Ask for His guidance in helping you in all of your endeavors and trust His Word, the bible meditate on it's words and apply them to your heart. Men and women who meditate daily and pray have less stress and more joy in their lives. They can handle life's challenges with more grace than those who do not.

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY! RELAX, ENJOY, BE HEALTHY!

Church Bus Drivers Needed

Drivers and Assistant Drivers for the GCUMC church bus are needed for Sunday mornings. If you are interested in helping transport those who are unable to drive so they can attend worship on Sunday mornings, contact John Paddison.





International Missions

"The world is my parish." - John Wesley

The International Missions Team challenged GCUMC to raise \$5,000 before Easter in order to assist Lisa Armstrong in meeting the financial needs to operate her mission in Honduras. While we did not reach that goal, we are grateful for those who did contribute during the season of Lent. Having been inspired by Lisa when she visited us in February, we wanted to share some of the recent news from Lisa's own newsletter, written upon her return to Honduras in March.

(The following information is from Lisa Armstrong's Fellow Man International Newsletter) "The Forest and the Trees

We've all heard the phrase, "can't see the forest for the trees". I think that would be an accurate description of the place I was at when I returned home this year to give report. The difficulties of the past 18 months of Honduran political strife and uncertainty had skewed my view of what really mattered. There will never be enough words of gratitude to adequately express what I feel in my heart for those who have made this project possible. With every handshake, hug, and word of reassurance, slowly but surely, I began to get my vision clear. The "forest" which I would define as the overall vision of the mission came into perfect focus. The methods (trees) no longer obstructed the view but instead seemed to fall perfectly into place forming a beautiful landscape filled with hope and promise for the future. Now that I'm back in Honduras, I have promised myself and the people I serve to remember to walk in peace and unity with the forest. It's important to recognize my own piece of the intricate, sometimes difficult, complicated and painful make-up of the trees always remembering that the trees are only a part of something much bigger...God's creation. It's also important to remember that when big winds blow, sometimes you just have to sway with the trees."

"When Dreams Become Reality - Seeing IS Believing

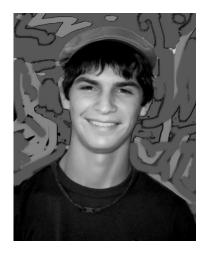
The dream of a new school building in Buenos Aires (Ed. Note: that is the name of the village in Honduras) has been held in the hearts of the school children and their teachers for more than three years. Little by little, the building has been constructed. Finally it appears that an end is in sight. The two classroom building now has a sturdy roof, stucco walls, electrical wiring and a false ceiling. All that remains to be done is the hanging of doors and windows, tiling the floor, and finally, the installation of the light and bathroom fixtures. Once the construction is completed, we will be organizing the classrooms. Both classrooms will have an area for computers as well as areas for reading and supplemental learning. There is much excitement in the air as the students and teachers watch the final touches take place. In fact, there is such a lack of classroom space that the teachers use one side of the new building while the construction team works on the other side. Never before has a public school had so many amenities, much less one that serves a remote mountain community. The student's parents are also excited about the new school. They have worked alongside the foreman, volunteering their time in the name of better education for their children."

Although the construction is nearly finished, there is still a need to purchase items to furnish the classrooms; desks, dry eraser boards, and other classroom supplies. If you would like to help, you may contribute directly to Fellow Man International by contacting Lisa directly at lisaarmstrong@fellowmaninternational.com, or you may contribute through GCUMC and indicate that your donation is for FMI/Lisa Armstrong on your check.

"...We will strive to be a church that serves our community and the world, realizing and sharing the satisfying and abundant life Christ brings to all people."

Celebrating Our GCUMC Graduates





Nathaniel Gingrich

A 2011 graduate of Apache Junction High School, Nathaniel has been accepted into the Honors College at North Central College in Illinois. While Nathaniel's degree pursuit is still undecided, he has accepted a spot on the baseball team and will be pitching for the North Central Cardinals. His future plans include being a major league baseball pitcher.

JJ Hayes

A graduate of Apache Junction High School, JJ will be attending Central Arizona College's brand new Entertainment Industry Technology - Recording Engineering Program. His future plans include writing and recording original music.



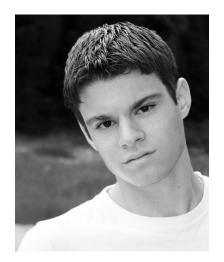




Heidi Reed Jacobson

Heidi is a 2011 graduate of Skyline High School. She spent 3 years in JROTC, where she served as Color Guard and earned a number of medals. Heidi plans to work this summer and, in the Fall, attend Mesa Community College with a focus on dance.

Congratulations Graduates!!



Scott Moore

Scott is a graduate of Apache Junction High School 2011. He is planning to pursue a degree in Mechanical Engineering at Mesa Community College. His future plans include using the engineering degree, but also continuing to develop his artistic talents.



Nícholas Saathoff

Nick is a graduate of Apache Junction High School. He will be attending Harvard with his degree still undecided. In the future, he would like to be a major league baseball player and continue working with the "Be a Leader Foundation". He is already working with this foundation, which helps and encourages kids to go to college. His goal is to start this program in Apache Junction and other western locations.





Lindsey Hall

Lindsey Hall, daughter of Rick and Cheryl Hall, was a 2011graduate from Hall University of Arizona Pharmacy School as a Doctor of Pharmacy. She will work at the Banner Thunderbird Hospital in Glendale, AZ as a pediatric pharmacist.



Grief Support Meetings for the summer will be on-call as needed as of May 1, 2011. Please call or email Laurie Christy for information. Lchristy20@yahoo.com or 480-518-3786.

Cancer Support Group

.....meets each Wednesday at 10:00 am in Room 101-102. This active group provides spiritual support, love, friendship and a helping hand to cancer patients, caregivers and their families. For further information, contact Tom or Dee Ashe at 480-924-5483 or 480-650-6765 (cell) or by email at dee.ashe@yahoo.com

Hallmark of Confusion!!

Rosalie started a unique ministry. She sends greeting cards to various friends and neighbors for a variety of occasions - from birthday wishes to condolences on the death of a loved one. And just for fun she sends cards for everything from Grandparents' Day to Groundhog Day. The more unusual ones, such as Friendship Day, Stepfamily Day, and Native American Day catch the attention of many of her friends.

Rosalie's calendar keeps her up-to-date on the well-known and lesser-known holidays. And Hallmark and American Greeting Cards provide a wide range of choices when she's shopping for the latest bunch of cards or she makes her own.

This hobby and ministry is not as simple as it appears. One can get confused trying to keep up with all the opportunities that call for a thoughtful card and note. Rosalie is thinking of engaging a capable assistant to help her keep track of who received what, when, and why. That day may arrive sooner than later, based on what occurred recently.

Rosalie chose a card for a woman in her neighborhood who had given birth to a baby boy. That same day she picked out one for a 94-year-old man who was recovering from surgery on his right arm. She wrote a personal note to each, signed the cards, and popped them into the mail on Thursday morning. On Sunday after church, the young mother approached Rosalie and thanked her for her thoughtfulness. Then she chuckled.

"I did have some pretty intense labor pains," she admitted, "but it didn't result in arm surgery."

Rosalie put a hand to her mouth in embarrassment. "Oh, no, I put my friend John's card in your envelope. How silly of me."

The two women had a good laugh. Then Rosalie remarked, "Can you imagine how surprised John must have been to receive a card congratulating him on his newborn son?"

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MIND MENDERS SUPPORT GROUP

....meets on the 2nd & 4th Friday each month at 10:00 am in the Education Building. Mind Menders is a support group for caregivers of Alzheimers and other dementia disease patients. Come join us. Contact Jeanette Lunstead at 480-671-9888 or the church office for more information.



GOT CANCER?

Not gaining with your chemo treatment? Markers not going down? Neuropathy making you absolutely miserable? Sick in your stomach? Feeling like you are a piece of something dropped in the backyard? Hair coming out?

PLEASE BELIEVE that our Great Healer is working AND that a Stephen Minister can enter and share your pain and frustration. Your Stephen Minister opens the door by LISTENING to you describe how you feel, HEARING you express and acknowledge your distress, fear, loneliness and possible disorientation, and HELPING you persist in asking questions that produce answers about your condition and treatment. GIVE IT A SHOT!!!

Call the office or speak to our pastor for a referral.

If someone listens, or stretches out a hand, or whispers a kind word of encouragement, or attempts to understand a lonely person, extraordinary things begin to happen.

Loretta Girzartis American writer and educator

W.O.W. Corner

June is here and so is the summer heat! You've probably noticed that the W.O.W. Team greeters have taken to the indoors. Rest assured they will return to their posts to greet each and every one of you with a welcome smile once cooler weather returns.

A golf cart, including new batteries, has been donated for use by team members to transport those wanting/needing assistance from the parking lot. Additional passenger seating must be added and that is expected to be accomplished by the next event. Our deepest appreciation goes out to the donor. Thank you!

Your W.O.W. Team will be on hiatus for the summer. However, all W.O.W. Team members are invited to cruise Saguaro Lake on the Desert Bell on August 20th at 12:30 pm. The cost is \$18 per person reduced to \$17 if 10 or more sign up. Won't you come join the fun and fellowship with your fellow team members? Call Ron Walker at 671-3881 to sign up. See you there!

The next regular meeting is scheduled for September 6th at 6:00 pm in the Koinonia Room.

Have a great summer!!!!!!!!

Stitchers Unlimited will not meet during the summer months. However, for those of you who would like to continue to support our ministry, we have kits available to take home and sew. Simple sewing is all that is necessary. For further information contact Melva Houtcooper at 480-354-4012. Regular meetings will resume in the fall. Watch for the notice in September.

Greetings!

My name is Jennifer Lazbin. I'm on the board of the Wesley Foundation at ASU. We are looking for alumni that participated in ASU Wesley over the years. If you attended ASU Wesley would you please Email me with your contact information? My Email address is jlazbin@q.com. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks! Jennifer Lazbin

Eagle Court of Honor, Troop 640



Dr. Brad Bryant, Scoutmaster for Troop 640 from the Gold Canyon United Methodist Church, with four Scouts who received their Eagle Scouts rank at the same time. These boys are exceptional and we are very proud of them!

They are (left to right): Eagle Scout Nathaniel Gingrich, Eagle Scout Brandon Simoes, Dr. Bryant, Eagle Counselor Arlaine Bryant, Eagle Scout Sean Sheridan, and Eagle Scout Jimmy Olson.

Congratulations to these boys in achieving the highest rank in Scouting!

You Know it's going to be a Bad Day When:

You return from a vacation and discover a new name on your mailbox.

You stop at Motel 6 and they turn off the lights!

You jump out of bed in the morning and you miss the floor.

Your horn accidentally gets stuck, and you're following a group of Hell's Angels on the freeway.

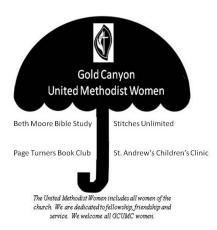
You walk to work on a summer morning and find the bottom of your dress is tucked into the back of your panty hose.

As the moving van starts to unload next door, the first four items down the ramp are dirt bikes.

Your church treasurer says, "The IRS called about some of your donations".

You step on your scale and it flashes "Tilt, Tilt, Tilt".

Reprinted from "God has ever Failed Me, But He's Sure Scared Me to death a Few Times"



The United Methodist Women want to thank all church members for their support of our book sale and the Mother, Daughter, Friend Luncheon this spring.

UMW will hold their first Craft and Bake Sale during the first week of December. Crafters who are interested in making this a success, please call Carolyn Burch 480-983-9943 or call or email Shirley Matzke 480-983-7224 (shirleymatske@yahoo.com). Crafters and bakers are needed. Proceeds from the event will be used for local ministries.

School of Christian Mission 2011 "All Things Made New"

"And God himself will be with them; he will wipe every tear from their eyes. Death will be no more; mourning and crying and pain will be no more, for the first things have passed away." And the one who was seated on the throne said, "See, I am making all things new!" Rev. 21 3b-5a NRSV

Studies for 2011:

Spiritual growth: Coming out on the side of Grace: For-

giveness & Reconciliation

Geographic Study: Haiti

Social Issue: Joy to the World: Mission in the Age of

Global Christianity

Where and When

Phoenix Hilton/East Mesa July 21-24, 2011

Registration will begin this month. If you are interested in attending, please call Diana Linton 480-229-0706.

Front and Center

Mary, the church organist, called early one Sunday morning as Ruth and her husband were preparing to leave for the first service. "Ruth, can you cover for me? I'm feeling ill."

Ruth was happy to help out, even though it meant rushing around at the last moment putting music together.

It was a hot and humid day so this added to the last-minute stress. The temperature had already reached 92 degrees at eight o'clock. "I knew I'd be sitting on a keyboard bench for over an hour," said Ruth. "The thought of wearing panty hose was unbearable.

Then I remembered my sister had given me a can of Air Stocking to spray on my legs when I want to appear that I'm wearing hose or sporting a great tan. It also helps cover my veins."

Ruth rushed out to their sun deck and sprayed both legs up and down. She loved the idea of looking good and being cool at the same time.

On to church! She and her husband arrived minutes before the service began. Ruth jumped out of the car and raced ahead of John so she could get situated at the organ. Suddenly, she felt her husband's hand on her shoulder.

"John pulled me aside and chuckled. 'Ruth, I thought you used the spray on your legs?'".

"Of course I did. Look for yourself." Ruth felt indignant that he'd question her now, when she was in a hurry. "I glanced at the front of my legs, and they looked fine to me," said Ruth.

"Check the backs and just below your knees," John persisted, pointing and laughing. "I can see the line on each side where you stopped!"

By this time he was laughing so hard he had tears in his eyes. Ruth admitted she was mortified. "My skirt wasn't a mini by any means, but it wasn't long enough to cover my mistake either. By then there was no time to return home and undo the damage. It was one day when I hoped no one would pay any attention to me!"

Ruth remembered a passage in scripture that reminds us not to ask the Lord to guide our footsteps unless we are willing to move our feet.

"That morning," she said, "I moved my feet all right, nearly running to the front of the church."

Thankfully, no one said a thing to Ruth about her "interesting" leg wear. Her husband, well he's another matter.

"He continues to tease me about my one-sided hose!" Ruth says with a laugh.

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June Birthdays

Marilyn Larson	1	Grace Markert	8	Dianne Parker	16	Pam Ryan-Hick	23
Chryste Rogers	1	Bruce Stofferan	8	D.J. Anderson	17	Sandy Balon	24
Barb Schlee	1	Todd Williams	8	Bill Fyfe	17	Chris Denton	24
Linda Blohm Bendix	2	Karen Chandler	9	Reegan Jones	17	Ardeena Gillette	24
Jenna Ceal	2	Rose Scantlin	9	Roxie Kruschek	17	Dr. Betty Gale	25
Kenneth Crites	2	Jim Watters	9	Jacob Manbeck	18	Bobbi Talbot	25
Howard Fenske	2	Robert Baker	10	Arthur Urbach	18	Fay Quanstrom	26
Sharon Stemple	2	Jody Clayburg	10	George Larson	19	Don Wing	26
Patty Truckle	2	June Coulter	11	Nancy Tilus	19	Caroll Dage	27
Diane Hopkins	3	Carol Kachelmeyer	11	Ruth Waterman	19	Madison Kimble	27
Ruth Ann Thacker	3	Marlene Mason	11	Hunter Adams	20	Andy Siersma	27
Ken Rush	4	Renee Olson	11	Joyce Caughey	20	Nona Windle	27
Donald Tianen	4	Micki Holcomb	12	Virgil Scantlin	20	Elizabeth Anderson	28
Susan Galliart	5	Melissa Minatree	12	Betsy Jacobson	21	Jeff Hayes	28
Carole Lindemann	5	Helen Pierce	12	Mary June Lathers	21	Michelle Jacobs	28
Mike McMahon	5	Jimmy Olson	13	Donna Jurgens	22	Delores Larrew	28
Rose Rosenberg	5	Lorraine Phillips	13	Lucy Kidwell	22	Delores Norton	28
Ruth Burris	6	Jacob Schow	13	Richard Wood	22	Bruce Berg	29
Marshall Reichert	7	Marj Van Dusseldorp	13	Jim Collins	23	Bill Clayburg	29
Bob Stubbs	7	Stan Van Kekerix	13	Ruth Ewing	23	Emily Durham	29
Janet Toomey	7	Shirley Johnson	14	Jack Hegna	23	Peggy Kroon	29
Karen Williams	7	Olivia Laux	14	Betty Hetherington	23	Jill Saathoff	29
Larry Graham	8	Mid Carlozzi	15	Carol LaViolette	23	Nick Laich	30
Bob Hart	8	Calder Nolan	15	Michelle Pappalardo	23	Nona Larson	30
Jack Kukuk	8	Joan Acker	16				

June Anniversaries



Paula & Rush Tucker	1	Janeane & Roger Miller	10	Dianne & Don Parker	16
Betsy & Richard Wood	1	Rae & Don Tianen	10	Meryl & Tom Paterson	16
Sheila & James Zieglowsky	1	Joan & Charles Acker	11	Jan & Jack Hegna	17
Delores & Duane Larrew	2	Jo & Keith Alford	11	Nellie & Richard Moore	17
Elizabeth & Dick Kinder	3	Judy & William Atkinson	11	Ann & Gordie Rasmussen	17
Peggy & Jerry Kroon	3	Ruth & Terry Burris	11	Mary Ann & Jim Atkinson	18
Karen & Bob Carnahan	5	Jan & Dave Hahn	11	Julie & Rich Krull	19
Juanita & Jack Elms	5	Nancy & Fred Miller	11	Elizabeth & Peter Miller	19
Pat & Bob Flint	5	Melissa & Rodney Wood	11	Claudine & Bill Nielsen	22
Betty & Don Hammond	5	Betty & Arlo Clemensen	12	Doris & Dick Barnes	23
Mary Lou & Stewart Peden	5	Sue & Dave Flitsch	12	Marjorie & Don Tonole	24
Betty & Bud Rolley	5	Caryl & Charles Lang	12	Collette & David Bos	25
Sue & Rick Sutter	5	Laura & Terry Parsons	12	Dorothy & Terry Bose	25
Linda & Ron Walker	5	Ruth & John Ewing	13	Betty & Lloyd Hetherington	25
Rosemary & Duri Arquisch	6	Claudia & Elgin Morris	13	Flo & Eldon Junkermeier	25
Karen & Dr. Jeffrey Brown	6	Nancy & William Waechter	13	Sara Russell-Kukuk & Jack Kukuk	25
Marilynn & Ellis Falk	6	Bonnie & Jack Becker	14	Laura & Roy Wright	25
Bambi & George Hutnak	6	Myra & John Berry	14	Inge & Dale Fitzpatrick	26
Sandra & Gary Mueller	6	Jerrydean & Bruce Mercer	14	Kay & Dick Leet	26
Donna & Bob Graves	7	Jan & Harrell Miller	14	Darlene & Brody Broderson	27
Janice & Joe Guerrero	7	Val & Jack Richter	14	Donna & Joel Hurley	28
Joan & Wayne Carns	8	Margaret & Robert Baker	15	Shirley & Dean Taylor	28
Dee & Jerry Keyser	9	Marie & Frank Ebneter	15	Arlaine & Dr. Brad Bryant	29
Shirley & Glenn Hulcher	10	Carol & Sheldon Wion	15	Carma & Bob Kostecka	29
Georgia Kirkpatrick & Mike Paul	10	Betty & Howard Fenske	16	Barb & Art Schlee	30

VOLUNTEERS DO MAKE A DIFFERENCE



Jane Hayes, Volunteer Coordinator 982-3776

Inspirational Values

Leadership

Consider these quotes to help motivate yourself to try a new volunteer job:

"We make a living by what we get, but we make a life by what we give." - Winston Churchill

"Everyone can be great, because everyone can serve." - Martin Luther King

Here are a few other ways in which you can exhibit leadership:

- 1. Try to make better the day of a person who is down.
- 2. Leave a small gift at the door of a family suffering severe illness, like cancer.
- 3. Return your shopping cart to the storage area.
- 4. Write a note to a teacher, thanking him or her for a lesson.
- 5. If you've been a jerk (for instance, if you got into a name calling situation and lost control), apologize even if the other person is wrong.

6. Create YOUR OWN PER-SONAL LIST of 10 Random Acts of Kindness that might interest you. What might you do for people you see every day - neighbors, bus drivers, food/restaurant workers, or even strangers?



Learning

Please help! We need a summer volunteer to stop by the office on Wednesday or Thursday afternoons to do a simple task: Cleaning the Hearing Assists. You could do this on your own schedule and it requires less than an hour. Caryl Lang graciously took up this job, but please call the office if you can help out until Caryl returns in the Fall.



Do you have the time? No, I don't mean your watch! Please look over this list of volunteer needs. If you can assist with one or more of the following, complete and place this form in the collection plate, at the Information Desk or church office.

<u>Job</u>	Mins. per week
Hospitality/Coffee Server	30+
Shut in Meals	75
Transportation to doctor	90
Greeter	40
Bake cookies	60
Name	
Phone	
Phone	



COOKIE LOVERS!



Our Hospitality Team is in need of cookies, breads or fruit to continue serving after the 8:00 and 9:30 services. We will accept cookies anytime during the week in the office or on Sunday in the kitchen. OR, we will do the shopping for you. With \$5 donations we can purchase baked goods in quantity to have on hand. You can contribute by donating funds on Sunday at the tables on the patio or adding a check designated "Kitchen Fund" to the collection plate. Thank you!

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GCUMC Calendar June 2011

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WORSHIP SCHEDULE

*8:00 AM—Traditional Worship *9:30 AM—Traditional Worship In the Sanctuary

*10:50 AM—PRAISE Service In the Koinonia Room Music led by *Uncommon Grace* *Childcare Provided

5:00 PM—Country Western Service

SUNDAY SCHOOL SCHEDULE

Children's Sunday School classes begin in the Worship Service with their families. Children are led to their classrooms after the Children's Sermon.

∜ 8:00 AM ~ Adult Sunday School Meets in Room 101/102

9:30 AM ~ Children's Sunday School Pick up in Room 101/102

9:30 AM ~ Youth Sunday School

7 9:30 AM ~ Adult Study

10:50 AM ~ Children's Sunday School

다 11:00 AM ~ Adult Sunday School

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