

CHILDREN'S CORNER

HAITI HEALTH KITS



The Children's Department is currently collecting these items to send to Haiti. (This list was obtained from UMCOR and has very specific guidelines).

We will be collecting through the end of January. Please bring any of these items to the church office or Vanya's office any time during the week or on Sunday: hand towels (15" x 25" up to 17" x 27", no kitchen towels; washcloths, large sturdy combs, nail file or fingernail clippers (no emery boards or toenail clippers); bath size bar of soap, (3 oz. and up); single toothbrushes inside wrappers, (no children brushes); adhesive plastic strip sterile bandages; gallon size zip lock bags to put the items into. Each kit costs approximately \$12.00. Thank you for your contributions!

INTERFAITH HOSPITALITY NETWORK VOLUNTEERS

What can we say? We requested supplies and you provided. We asked for volunteers and you came. We, as the IHN coordinators for Highland Valley, are so blessed. Without our volunteers, it would so difficult to do this wonderful ministry. You are the best. Whether it was providing a meal or spending the night, you were there for our IHN families. We had even had three of our youth, Jessica Goodwin, Rebecca Ring and Connor Henson spend the night, along with our Director of Youth Ministries, William McRea. We understand, they had a great time with our families. A big, big thank you to those of you who provided supplies when our funds were so short. We were astounded by the amount of supplies. These were non-perishables that will last us for some time. We also received the food used for our families during last week's stay. This allowed us to use the money for other expenses. We cannot say it enough...THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU! We are so humbled by your generosity. We'll see you again in April.

Patty Downes, Greg Floyd, and Pam Simpson



THE EDGE

What a great time we had bowling on the 17th! Is it great when we can gather together and fellowship without the stress that so often comes from the world. I hope all you that went had fun. If you didn't get to go, there is plenty of great stuff coming up. Don't forget the dates below.

William

- UM Youth Fellowship** Sundays @ 4:00pm
- Youth Choir** Sundays @ 5:30pm
- Higher Ground** Wednesdays @ 6:00pm
- Talent Extravaganza** January 31 @ 5:00pm
- Friday Night Live** February 5, 6:00pm-9:00pm.
- Book Night**-Dress as your favorite Literary Character. February 7 @ the Kirkpatrick's. Time to be announced.
- Super Bowl party**




COMING SOON: SUNDAY NIGHT LENTEN BIBLE STUDY

Rev. Regina Gideon will be leading a 6-week Bible study during Lent based on the book *Power and Passion: Six Characters in Search of Resurrection* by Samuel Wells. Each week, the class will explore a character from the last days of Jesus' life on earth. Studying Pontius Pilate, Barabbas, Joseph of Arimathea, Mrs. Pilate, Peter, and Mary Magdalene will display how Jesus' resurrection has the power to transform our lives and the world. The class will be on **Sundays, February 21 – March 28, from 4:30 pm – 5:30 pm**. Books can be purchased at Cokesbury, amazon.com or pre-ordered through Regina.



PASTOR'S BIBLE STUDY BOOK OF REVELATION Wednesdays, 10:00am

Pastor's Bible Study continues at 10:00am in the Good News Classroom. Rev. Regina Gideon will be teaching the book of Revelation.



MUSIC NOTES

From Betty's desk

January 31, Grace Notes will sing during the 8:30am worship service.

Remember regular weekly rehearsals:

Tuesday,	6:30pm-7:30pm	Handbell Choir
Wednesday,	6:00pm-6:30pm	Ladies' Trio
Wednesday,	6:30pm-8:00pm	Chancel Choir
Sunday,	4:30pm-5:30pm	Children's Choirs
Sunday,	5:30pm-6:30pm	Youth Choir

Anyone interested in participating in any of the groups in Highland Valley Music Ministry, please contact Betty@hvumc.org or call 224-6047.

Membership Vow of the United Methodist Church

I will support the church with my prayers, my presence, my gifts, my service and my witness.

OUR PRAYERS

Mary Jo Smith, Marie Buckley, Dorothy Dillon, Delaine Russell, Jeanette Horton, Susie Wilson, Jerry Morgan, Mary Hall, Mary Harris, Justin Garrison, Duane Osam, Betty Cathell, Wyleen Crider, Nell Ambrose.

SYMPATHY

Our sympathy is extended to Sue Wilson and family in the death of her great-niece, Nola Hines, age 43, of Boragul, New South Wales, Australia.

Our sympathy is extended to Daniel and Barbara Kirkpatrick and family in the death of Barbara's uncle, Ernie Meiggs, age 84, of Pine Bluff, on January 20.

OUR PRESENCE

January 24

Divine Worship

8:30	52
9:40	45
10:45	164
Total	261

Sunday School

Adults	125
Youth	16
Children	34
Total	175

OUR GIFTS

January 24

2010 Operating Budget	\$1,034,280
Operating budget receipts for 01/24/10	29,837
Total receipts, operating & restricted 01/24/10	35,641
Year to date operating budget receipts through 01/24/10	64,259
Year to date receipts, operating & restricted, through 01/24/10	73,430

Restricted funds received for: Children's choir robes, children's library, food pantry, Haiti disaster relief, Haiti health kits, Interfaith Hospitality, local missions.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE - JANUARY 24

CHILDREN

Infant/Ones	3
2 Yr. Old	4
3/4 Yr. Old	4
K/1st Grade	11
2nd/3rd Grade	5
4th/5th Grade	7
Total	34

ADULTS

Faith	7
Fellowship	3
Alice Fidelis	2
Highlander	30
New Beginnings	6
Crossroads	7
Good News	12
Connections	15
Ben Miller	30
Children/Youth	
SS Teachers	13
Total	125

YOUTH

Jr. High &	
Sr. High	16
Total	16

GIFTS

CHILDREN'S LIBRARY

In memory of **Sue Bass**
... by Circle 1

HAITI DISASTER RELIEF

... by Connections SS Class
... by Ben Miller SS Class

Staff Sharing



Upward Cheer 2010



1-2-3-4, Come on Upward Team, Let's score! This is one of the cheers that you may hear on Saturday mornings through March 6, in the Highland Valley gym. We have 11 wonderful girls that cheer for all of the basketball teams and Coach Vanya is SO proud of all of them. We have enjoyed learning new cheers, finding out about each other, and most importantly, learning about how Jesus Christ is our Light and watches over us every day. The first scripture verse that we memorized is from 1 John 1:5, "God is light, and in him there is no darkness at all." Please pray for our Upward Program as we continue to work with all of these fine young people, and come on out on Saturday mornings from 9:00am-12:00pm and have some fun. It'll definitely put a smile on your face!

Vanya

MISSIONARIES WITH FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

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## 2010 FLOWER CALENDAR

The 2010 Flower Calendar is now in the Family Life Center. Please sign your name on the Sunday you wish to provide flowers for our sanctuary, or you may call 224-6047 or e-mail [churchoffice@hvumc.org](mailto:churchoffice@hvumc.org) to select your Sunday. The price of the flower arrangements is \$75.

There are a few open dates:

*February 28*

*March 21*

*April 18*

*May 30*

*July 18*

*August 1 & 8*

*September 5*

*October 31*

*November 21 & 28*

### AIRLINE MILES NEEDED

First United Methodist Church in Jacksonville is planning a mission trip to Zimbabwe in July. If anyone has transferable airline miles they are willing to donate, it would be deeply appreciated. Please contact Rev. Mark McDonald at 328-8176 or [revjmark@gmail.com](mailto:revjmark@gmail.com).



### DAILY BREAD COUNSELING AT HIGHLAND VALLEY UMC

Highland Valley United Methodist church serves as host to the Daily Bread Counseling, a non-profit ministry provided by Rev. Garry D. Teeter, an Arkansas United Methodist minister and full time pastoral counselor. Rev. Teeter has office hours on Mondays at our church. His confidential phone numbers are: 501-847-2229 and 501-831-9399. Daily Bread Counseling addresses such issues as: Adjustments to stress, Anger Management, Depression, Anxiety, Bipolar, Grief, Divorce Recovery, Spiritual Growth, individuals and families surviving Multiple Sclerosis, individuals and families surviving a brain injury.

For more information, go to:  
[www.dailybreadcounseling.com](http://www.dailybreadcounseling.com).

## CALENDAR

### SUNDAY JANUARY 31

- 8:30am Divine Worship
- 9:00am Fellowship Time
- Fellowship (Telephone) Class
- 9:30am Sunday School Classes
- 9:40am Casual Worship
- 10:45am Divine Worship
- 2:00pm Library Committee
- 4:30pm Children's Choir
- 5:00pm Talent Extravaganza
- 6:30pm Discovering Your Spiritual Gifts Class (Parlor)

### MONDAY, FEBRUARY 1

- 8:00am-5:30pm Daily Bread Counseling
- 10:00am Staff Meeting
- 1:00pm Prayer Group
- 5:00pm Upward Basketball Practice
- 6:00pm Troop 335 Troop Meeting
- Cub Scout Den Meetings
- Trustee Committee

### TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 2

- 10:30am UM Women
- 1:00pm Prayer Shawl Ministry Group
- 5:00pm Upward Basketball Practice
- 6:00pm Men's Bible Study
- 6:30pm Handbell Choir
- 6:45pm Women's Bible Study

### WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 3

- 10:00am Pastor's Bible Study
- 12:00pm Church Newsletter deadline**
- 5:00pm Upward Basketball Practice
- Art Class
- 6:00pm UM Youth Higher Ground
- 6:30pm Chancel Choir

### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 4

- 4:00pm Upward Cheerleading Practice
- 5:00pm Upward Basketball Practice
- 7:00pm Book Club

### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 5

- 5:00pm Upward Basketball Practice

### SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 6

- 8:00am Art Class
- 9:00am-1:45pm Upward Basketball games
- 10:15am Upward Cheerleading

## DISCOVERING YOUR SPIRITUAL GIFTS CLASS TIME CHANGE!!

Because of the Talent Extravaganza at 5pm Sunday evening, the Discovering Your Spiritual Gifts Class will meet at 630pm for Sunday, January 31 only.

## ASSISTING IN WORSHIP

### SUNDAY JANUARY 31

#### Acolytes

Seth Welch (8:30)  
Anna Markland & Courtney Soulsby (10:45)

#### Children's Church

Bill & Suzanne Yee

#### Rockers and Huggers

Rhonda Hatch (9:40)  
Jackie Kolstad (10:45)

#### Coffee Steward

Ardie Otten

#### Fellowship Time Host

Connections SS Class

#### Bus Driver

Elaine Jones (821-2104)

#### Head Ushers

Hot Woodworth, Perry Bolding

#### January Ushers

Bob Baertsch, Louis Burgess,  
Don Kirk, John Watkins

## Church Office Hours

Monday-Friday

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*Our Mission is to Know  
Christ and Share Christ*