

*The flowers in the Sanctuary today are given
in Honor of Revs. Jan and Phil Butin as we
welcome them to First United Presbyterian Church.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today is CEO Sunday.

Reception for Co-pastors Today: Join us in the Fellowship Hall today following the 11:00 am service for a Welcome Reception for the Butin's.

Acolytes to Collect Friendship Pad Pages: The acolytes will be gathering the completed Friendship Pad pages during the offering. When everyone on the pew has signed the page, we ask that the person sitting at end of the pew tear it out and have it ready for the acolytes to collect. The acolytes will follow the ushers back up the aisles while offering is being received.

Wonderful Wednesdays: If you plan to be at Wonderful Wed. this week, please put your reservation slip in the box in the Narthex this morning. **Deadline for this Wed. is Noon, Mon., March 8** by calling the office 442-4411. The meal this week is from Gullett's Gourmet. The program in an FUPC Forum with Guest Speaker Oda Mulloy sharing experiences in a Quaker School in WWII Germany (see item below). The meal begins at 5:30. Cost for meal is \$5.00 per person, \$20.00 maximum (children 3 and under - gratis).

FUPC Forum, Wednesday, March 10, 6:00 pm: New FUPC member Oda Mulloy will be our guest speaker. She will share her experience attending a Quaker School while growing up in WWII Germany. Oda is a well-known local essayist and story teller who is a regular contributor to Ozarks at Large on KUAUF. You can join us for Wonderful Wednesday meal before program (see above). Please make reservations for meal and childcare by noon Monday, March 8 442-4411 mdietzel@fupcfay.org.

First Fellowship, Thursday, March 11, 11:30 am, Fellowship Hall: John Scott, superintendent of Pea Ridge National Military Park will be the guest speaker for First Fellowship on Thursday, March 11. Mr. Scott will talk about the battle and its significance, and will be available to answer questions about the just-completed renovation of the park. Please make reservations by noon on Monday, March 8 by contacting your caller or the church office 442-4411 mdietzel@fupcfay.org. Cost for the meal is \$7.00. Social time begins at 11:15 am in the Fellowship Hall with the meal being served at 11:30 am. Join us for this interesting glimpse into Northwest Arkansas History that affected one of the most pivotal episodes in American history.

Youth Homeless Vigil to Educate and Provide Help for Our Neighbors: The young people will spend the night in shelters they have constructed themselves out of cardboard boxes in honor of teens and children in our community who do not have safe homes in which to live. The food and clothing they collect from the vigil will go to a Fayetteville Public Schools program serving families in need within the district. The youth will be calling members and regular attendees of the church on Saturday evening, March 13, to invite and remind you to bring canned goods and gently used or new clothing items on Sunday March 14.

Gifts for new Chancel Organ Console: Thanks to your contributions to the organ fund, we have lowered the amount still needed to under \$1,000. Thank you to everyone who made this fundraising effort a success.

Missing Flower Arrangement: We seem to be missing a silk arrangement, one that we use during Lent; it's a simple basket filled with silk palms. Please call the office if you have seen it, or know where it might be 442-4411. Thank you.

You will find the latest additions to the prayer concerns here.

A complete list of all prayer concerns can be found in the narthex and on Weekend Update.

Prayer Concerns: Bobby Odom, Lilyana Denn (Granddaughter of Ronnie and Nancy Denn, Lloyd Howe (father of Laura Winburn), Myra Rice, Carla Marchbanks (friend of Nancy and Ronnie Denn), Jared, Ashley and Jarlyn Gorney (nephew of Shawn Guthrie and Family), Family of Corinne Shipman, Virginia Hurd (Rob Button's grandmother), John Swope (Nancy Mays' cousin), Itrel and Betty Monroe (Death of Doris Booth, Betty's mother)

WELCOME GUESTS, we pray that our worship together will strengthen and nurture our faith. If you are seeking a church home, please feel free to learn more about First United Presbyterian Church by speaking to a minister, a staff member, or a member of Session.

CHILDREN'S WORSHIP PACKETS are available in the Narthex. These include activity sheets, crayons and bookmarks.

PROFESSIONAL NURSERY CARE is provided in lower level Calvin.

MEMBERSHIP IN FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—All are invited to unite with the church by profession of faith, reaffirmation of faith, or transfer of church letter. If you have questions, please do not hesitate to contact one of the pastors or the church office (442-4411).

CALENDAR

SUNDAY, MARCH 7

Worship Services*: Sanctuary: 8:30 am: Communion, 11:00 am

Pre-school & Elementary Sunday School: 9:30 am, Upper and Lower Knox

2nd and 3rd grade chimes: (after Sunday School) 10:25-10:45 am, Lower Knox

4th and 5th grade chimes: (before Sunday School) 9:30-9:50 am, Lower Knox

Confirmation Class for 6th and 7th grade: Lower Knox

8th- 12th grade Sunday School: Recreation Room

Adult Sunday School Assembly: 9:30 am, Fellowship Hall

Adult Sunday School: 9:45 am, assigned space

Welcome Reception for Revs. Jan and Phil Butin: After 11:00 am service, Fellowship Hall

Chinese School: 1:30-5:00 pm, Campus-Wide

Youth Bells: 3:00 pm

UPY: 4:00 pm, Lower Witherspoon

Stated Session: 6:00 pm, Library (Confirmation students will observe).

WEEKDAY CALENDAR

MONDAY, MARCH 8

First School Chapel: 8:45 am

PW Circle 3: 1:00 pm

Boy Scouts: 7:00 pm

TUESDAY, MARCH 9

First School Chapel: 8:45 am

Staff Meeting: 9:00 am, Commons

PW Circle 1: 9:30 am

Girls Chorus: 5:45 pm,

Fellowship Hall

PW Circle 2: 6:30 pm, Activity Center

Adult Handbells: 6:30 pm, Sanctuary

GA Mtg.: 7:00 pm,

Lower Witherspoon

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 10

Bulletin Announcements Due for

March 14: Noon, Church Office

Men's Breakfast: 6:30 am, Village

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First School Jitterbugs: 11:30 am,

Wonderful Wed.: 5:30 pm,

Fellowship Hall

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 10 CONT.

FUPC Forum: 6:00 pm,

Chancel Choir Rehearsal: 7:15 pm,

Music Room

THURSDAY, MARCH 11

First Fellowship: 11:30 am, Fellow-

ship Hall

First School Jitterbugs: 11:30 am,

Library

Intercessory Prayer Group: 3:30 pm,

BTV Library

Everyone Can Sing: 7:00 pm,

Activity Center

FRIDAY, MARCH 12

Hooks and Needles: 10:00 am,

Activity Center

First School Talent Show: 11:00 am,

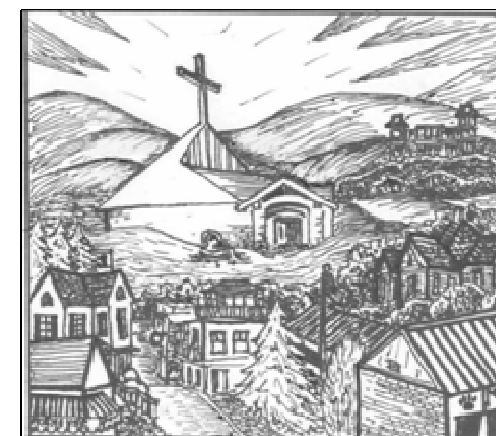
Fellowship Hall

SATURDAY, MARCH 13

AA Meeting: 6:00 pm, Activity Center

First United Presbyterian Church Fayetteville, Arkansas

*Called to be a **light on the hill**,
we boldly proclaim and serve Christ,
the hope of our changing world.*



*First United Presbyterian Church
is a faithful, dynamic congregation
visibly demonstrating a deep commitment
to proclaim Jesus Christ,
as we lovingly grow in discipleship
and eagerly engage in service to others.*

March 7, 2010

Third Sunday in Lent

STAFF

Revs. Jan and Phil Butin
Co-pastors

Jeannie Lee
Organist

Kristi Button
Director of Christian Education

Melanie Dietzel
Administrative Assistant

Dr. Todd Prickett
Director of Music

Tommy Kidd
Custodian

Please call the church office, 442-4411,
during the week with prayer concerns, joys or hospital information.

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT

MARCH 7, 2010

GATHERING

PRELUDE *I Will Arise* arr. Ellen Lorenz

GREETING Rev. Jan Butin
The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.
And also with you.

LIFE AND WORK OF GOD'S PEOPLE
*Please register your attendance on the Friendship pad.
Acolytes will collect pages during offering.*

STRIKING THE BELL AND LIGHTING THE CANDLES
ACOLYTES: Robert Ross and Will Hewat

INTROIT *Send Your Word* Shozo Koyama

*CALL TO WORSHIP (responsive)
We will give thanks to you, O Lord!
We will sing praises to you!
Your love is higher than the heavens.
Your faithfulness reaches to the clouds.
Be exalted, O God, above the heavens!
Let your glory be over all the earth!

*HYMN *Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing* PH 356

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)
**Merciful God, in Christ you make all things new.
Too often, though, our hopes for the future
are limited by our experiences in the past.
Forgive our fearful inability to believe
that you can do more than we expect.
Transform the poverty of our nature
by the riches of your grace.
Teach us to listen for your voice and as we hear it,
may we turn to trust and follow you.
In Christ's name we ask. Amen.
(Silent Confession)**

*LENTEN RESPONSE (sung in unison) PH 85
**What wondrous love is this, O my soul, O my soul,
What wondrous love is this, O my soul!
What wondrous love is this that caused the Lord of bliss,
To bear the heavy cross for my soul, for my soul,
To bear the heavy cross for my soul.**

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON
Friends believe the good news of God's amazing grace.
In Jesus Christ we are forgiven! Thanks be to God!

*PASSING THE PEACE
The peace of Christ be with you.
And also with you.

THE WORD

A TIME WITH CHILDREN Kristi Button

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Jeremiah 16:14-16

ANTHEM *I Will Arise* arr. Parker/Shaw
*I will arise and go to Jesus. He will embrace me in His arms.
In the arms of my dear Saviour, Oh! there are ten thousand charms.
Teach me some melodious sonnet sung by flaming tongues above.
Praise the mount, I'm fixed upon it, mount of Thy redeeming love.
Come, thou fount of ev'ry blessing, tune my heart to sing Thy grace,
Streams of mercy never ceasing, Call for songs of loudest praise.*

GOSPEL LESSON Luke 5:1-11
Once while Jesus was standing beside the lake of Gennesaret, and the crowd was pressing in on him to hear the word of God, he saw two boats there at the shore of the lake; the fishermen had gone out of them and were washing their nets. He got into one of the boats, the one belonging to Simon, and asked him to put out a little way from the shore. Then he sat down and taught the crowds from the boat. When he had finished speaking, he said to Simon, "Put out into the deep water and let down your nets for a catch." Simon answered "Master, we have worked all night long but have caught nothing. Yet if you say so, I will let down the nets." When they had done this, they caught so many fish that their nets were beginning to break. So they signaled their partners in the other boat to come and help them. And they came and filled both boats, so that they began to sink. But when Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus' knees, saying, "Go away from me, Lord, for I am a sinful man!" For he and all who were with him were amazed at the catch of fish that they had taken; and so also were James and John, sons of Zebedee, who were partners with Simon. Then Jesus said to Simon, "Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching people." When they had brought their boats to shore, they left everything and followed him.

SERMON *Glimpses of Grace: Let Down Your Nets* Rev. Phil Butin

*HYMN (11:00 AM) *Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore* PH 377

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH
from A Brief Statement of Faith - PCUSA

**We trust in Jesus Christ, fully human, fully God.
Jesus proclaimed the reign of God:
preaching good news to the poor and release to the captives,
teaching by word and deed and blessing the children,
healing the sick and binding up the brokenhearted,
eating with outcasts, forgiving sinners,
and calling all to repent and believe the gospel.
Unjustly condemned for blasphemy and sedition,**

**Jesus was crucified, suffering the depths of human pain
and giving his life for the sins of the world.
God raised this Jesus from the dead, vindicating his sinless life,
breaking the power of sin and evil,
delivering us from death to life eternal.**

MINUTE FOR MISSION

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS
(8:30 AM) *Barcarolle Franz* Bendel
(11:00 AM) *When I Survey the Wondrous Cross* arr. Sherman
Adult Handbells
Katie Jackson, director

*SONG OF DEDICATION (sung in unison) PH 366
**Jesus, Thy boundless love to me
No thought can reach, no tongue declare;
O knit my thankful heart to thee
And reign without a rival there
Thine wholly, Thine alone, I'd live,
Myself to Thee entirely give.**

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION (8:30 AM)

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER
Lord, by your grace . . .
You hear our prayer.

SENDING

*HYMN *We All Are One in Mission* PH 435
*(Please bring your Cooperative Emergency Outreach
contributions forward to the communion table during the last hymn).*

*STATEMENT OF MISSION (unison)
**Called to be a light on the hill,
we boldly proclaim and serve Christ,
the Hope of our changing world.**

*PASTORAL BENEDICTION

CHORAL BENEDICTION *Peace Be upon You* Daniel Wilshire

POSTLUDE *The Shores of Galilee* Edward Broughton

*Please stand as you are able.