



St. Luke's

Presbyterian Church

Window to the World

January-February 2011

Our Mission: Responding to God's call and empowered by the Holy Spirit, we invite all to join us in knowing, serving, and sharing Jesus Christ here and around the world.

Our Vision: To be a beacon of faith, hope, and love - every member an active disciple in Christ's ministry.

A Note from Jason

Dear Friends,

Inside this newsletter you will find many wonderful pictures of recent happenings here at St. Luke's. January and February have been months full of



celebration and joy, and it wouldn't have happened without YOU! There were so many faithfully devoted, hard-working people behind each of these events. It has been a pleasure to experience the energy of God's people working and serving together, and I want to thank each one of you who have had any part in the work of this great church.

You also will see on Page 10 the names of our newest Elders and Deacons. These folks will serve God on the session and diaconate for the next three years (one year for our youth elder Benjamin King). They will work hard to ensure that we continue in the forward path of God's mission. Please thank them for their service whenever you have the chance.

God be with you, friends.

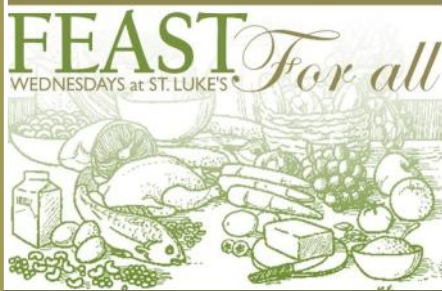
In Christ's Love,

Jason

Scottish Heritage Sunday, January 30

Our Scottish Heritage Sunday was a beautiful winter day for late January. Members were dressed in their Clan colors, members of the Atlanta Pipe Band was playing, the choirs were singing or ringing, and members of the St. Andrew's Society of Atlanta held their banners high. Everyone celebrated our rich Scottish heritage with joy!





ROOM AT THE TABLE!

What a joy it is each Wednesday evening to enter the Great Hall and see all the different generations represented in our congregation gathered around tables enjoying food and fellowship! More and more we are mingling together. Some of the children eat at their designated group tables and are joined by adults who help to share with them more about what it means to be in community. At other tables there are other adults, children and youth who share dinner time and have an opportunity to welcome new folks! Each week we see new faces. It is never too late to join the FEAST – there is always room at the table for you!

FEAST for All ~ Adults

ADULT STUDIES

The “Parenting for Good” group is having a great time sharing with each other, laughing, and most importantly learning that God’s grace undergirds all that we do as parents. Come and join us if you haven’t had the chance.

On March 2 & 16, our Stephen Ministry team will lead a practical and powerful discussion on “Showing Others You Care in Times of Crisis.” All of us have friends, neighbors, co-workers, and family who have had moments of crisis and all of us have had moments that we wonder, “What should I say? What should I do?” or “I’m not good at this sort of thing!” Come and discover how to respond.

FEAST for ALL Extras!

Tuesday, March 8, 6:00 p.m., Shrove Tuesday Pancake Dinner

Remember to come for dinner on Tuesday March 8 instead of Wednesday, March 9, as we celebrate Shrove Tuesday with a traditional pancake dinner before the “fast” of Lent begins. We’ll have games and crafts for families after dinner. This is included as part of the FEAST for ALL-meal plan, but others are welcome to come and join the fun! Just fill out a blue pew card or call the receptionist and let us know you’re coming!

Wednesday, March 23, 6:00 p.m., Celebrate Passover

Our friend, Rabbi Scott Colbert, will help us understand and celebrate Passover! This is for all ages, but child care will be provided for children three and under. If you have not reserved your spot via the FEAST for ALL 10-week meal plan, you may still sign up for this “stand-alone event” via the blue pew card or by calling the receptionist.

Wednesday, March 30, 6:00 p.m., Habitat Build Kickoff

After dinner we will kick off the next St. Luke’s Habitat Build #15...right here in the Great Hall. This is included in the 10-week FEAST for ALL meal plan, but you may still sign up for this “stand-alone event” via the blue pew card or by calling the receptionist.

FEAST for All ~ Children

FEAST for ALL is Fun for Kids!

Our Wednesday night preschool class is learning about “God’s Favorite Colors” through a different Bible story each week. We are learning that God loves ALL the colors...just as He loves each one of us! Thanks to Joanna Mangum and Janey Hoag for helping to shepherd this active class, and to the parents who are volunteering to teach each week.

Our “What’s in the Bible?” class for first, second, and third grades is making great progress in learning about the books of the Bible, how they are organized, and the kinds of stories they contain...We are making beeswax candles, stained glass, and Bible bookmarks...we are learning sign language...we are cooking and tasting foods from the Bible...we are watching more of the hilariously informative “What’s in the Bible?” DVD series...and we will end the semester with a fantastic scavenger hunt. What’s not to love about Wednesday at St. Luke’s?!

Our older elementary kids are continuing their imaginative exploration of Narnia. As they read new chapters each week they uncover the Christian meaning and truths that are woven into *The Lion, The Witch, and the Wardrobe*. We will end our semester with a rollicking Super Narnia Trivia Night.

Children's Ministry

What's So Cool about Sunday School?

This New Year has been very happy indeed for the Children's Ministries at St. Luke's...especially on Sunday mornings from 9:30 – 10:30!

Godly Play (for threes, Pre-K, and K)

Our young friends in Godly Play have been busy playing in the sand, making white feathery doves, examining a tiny seed, and singing at the tops of their lungs! Oh and they've also been learning about The Promised Land, Jesus in the Temple, the Cleansing of the Temple, Jesus being Baptized, Jesus in the Wilderness, and the parables of the Mustard Seed, the Sower, and the Good Samaritan. They end every class with singing and dancing to "Whirl-n-Worship" out in the "polka dot lounge". Godly Play is all about "I wonder"...and the children are having a wonderful time! Thanks to our fantastic teaching team of **Kay Loerch, Debie Radloff, Mary Nielson, Anne Cleary, and Mary Whelan** for bringing these Bible stories to life each Sunday morning.

Faith Journey (for 1st through 5th grades)

The faith adventures of our elementary-age children have been filled with fun and discovery! In January we erupted volcanoes, created snowflake crosses, talked about making stew, and watched a movie about telling the truth – all as a part of our destination of "Making Good Choices." Our Bible basis was the story of Daniel and his friends, as they chose to defy the king in order to stay true to their faith.

February has found us making pepper dance, dragging paper clips through glue, creating Matisse-inspired collages, watching movie clips about a special four-legged friend, leaning on a buddy, and creating crazy Play-Doh objects with a partner. Why? We're learning all about friendship as we look to the story of David and Jonathan as a model of what friends should be.

Thanks to our shepherds, who are there each week with smiles on their faces! **Jan Slater, Mark Ryan, Florence Luranc, Kay Sedberry, and Jonathan Hartman** are Sunday morning heroes to our Faith Journey crew! We are also grateful to the many adults who rotate through our program as monthly teachers throughout the year – and to **Julie Pile** and **Shari Wassell** for helping get all the lessons together. We still have openings in March, April, and May, so please sign up on the poster in Sheppard Hall if you would like to join our trek!

Coming up in March and April...Baptism and Communion Education

Please make a special effort for your child to attend **Faith Journey** (Sunday mornings for elementary ages) and **Faithful Friends** (during 11:00 worship for fours and fives) during the months of March and April, as we take an in-depth look at the sacraments of Baptism and Communion through a variety of age-appropriate activities. The lessons over these two months will serve as an important cornerstone in your child's understanding of God's incredible grace and how it changes each of us for good.

Egg Hunt is Rolling Our Way!

Mark your calendars now for the annual St. Luke's Easter Egg Hunt, planned for Sunday, April 10 after our noon congregational lunch. Please contact cathomas@slpres.org if you would like to help organize this simple event!

St. Luke's Little Saints Preschool & Kindergarten

Meet Miss Nancy, our school librarian! Nancy Moeller, a staff member for eight years, maintains our library and chooses special books to read to our classes. She often dresses the part, to the delight of the Little Saints. In February, we explored "The Wonderful World of Literature" and learned about our favorite authors. We held our annual Book Fair and our families kindly purchased many new books to enhance Miss Nancy's selections.



Youth Connect



Trotting Along

We did it! The Tartan Trot is over and it was a huge success. Thank you everyone who helped in some way. From signing thank you notes, to calling sponsors, to delivering notes, to parking cars, to making banners, to running in the race, to cleaning up, to making cakes and pies, you all did great!

Here's what you helped accomplish:

Raised almost \$40,000 for outreach, particularly your outreach. This means that your summer trips will be about 1/3 of the total cost for you to go. This means

that our partners here and around the world will be supported long-term so we

have places to go help. This means that lives will be changed and God's love will be shown. I'll be sure to let you know when we are using these funds to make this world more like the kingdom God wants it to be.

We have a lot going on this spring. Be sure to look at the calendars handed out. Here are some special things coming up that you will want to be part of:

- February 25 ~ Middle School Late Night (away from church)
- February 26 ~ High School Late Night (away from church)
- March 18-20 ~ High School Retreat (North GA Mountains)
- April 1-3 ~ Middle School Retreat (Calvin Center)

"I'm not sure it's possible to see the face of God in other people if you cannot see the faces they already have."

- Barbara Brown Taylor

We will need some adult help with these nights. Grab a friend and come on. Look for more information on these in the very near future.

Our summer trips are filling up quickly. There is still room on most of the trips. If you would like to go please let Liz Catlett know ASAP. To see a list of trips, see the online calendar. As always, let us know if you have any questions.

Phil



Welcome New Members

December 19, 2010



**Robert (Bob), Maureen,
Collin & Ryan Morrow**

The Morrows joined by reaffirmation of faith. Bob has his own industrial heating and air conditioning company and Maureen is a medical assistant. Collin is a Senior at North Springs High School and Ryan is a Junior. Bob's hometown is Pittsburg, PA while Maureen is from Orlando, FL. Their deacon is Carol Ciepluch.

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**Dave & Katie Rickell
Charlie & Eli**

Dave and Katie joined by transfer of letter from First Presbyterian Church of Spartanburg, SC. Dave is an Executive Vice President with Waffle House and his hometown is Pelham, NY. Katie is a homemaker and her hometown is Burlington, NC. They have two young sons, Charlie who is in Kindergarten and Eli who is in Pre-K here at SLLS. Their deacon is Tom McGurk.

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Ted & Sheila Turner

Ted & Sheila joined by transfer of letter from Peachtree Corners Christian Church in Norcross, GA. Ted is from Charlotte, NC and Sheila is from Belmont, NC. Their deacon is Leigh Ann Haertel.

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**Chris & Charlotte Wiseman
Caroline & Campbell**

Chris and Charlotte joined by transfer of letter from Peachtree Presbyterian Church in Atlanta, GA. Chris is a CPA and his hometown is Charlotte, NC. Charlotte is a homemaker and she is from Natchez, MS. They have two children, Caroline and Campbell. Their deacon is Wayne Radloff.

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Record Breaking Tartan Trot

The gun sounded at precisely 8:30 a.m. on Mt. Vernon Road and over 1000 runners, walkers, and even a few four-legged and furry friends stepped into action. They were running the sold-to-capacity 5th annual Tartan Trot, which raises money for youth outreach programs and our outreach partners



locally and around the world.



Crisp January air, bright sunshine, and bagpipes welcomed each person to St. Luke's on January 29th. "Hearing the bagpipes as the sun came over the trees, really set the stage for a great race," remarked one participant. The beautiful weather added to a great day. By twelve

o'clock we were in the mid 60's--not the drizzly and cold Scottish-type weather we have grown accustomed to.

The volunteers also came in full force. It takes the entire church family to pull off the Tartan Trot. Well over 100 volunteers flooded St. Luke's, Dunwoody Village, and the course to welcome all our visitors. Many runners commented on how great our volunteers were. They were friendly, helpful, and welcoming to everyone. It's amazing what a simple smile can do. St. Luke's volunteers certainly put on a great event by displaying hospitality at its finest. They all are to be commended.



Also special thanks to our sponsors. We ended with well over 100 sponsors for the event! Thank you for your outpouring of support for the awesome outreach we participate in at St. Luke's. You all are fabulous!

Finally, special thanks to the Tartan Trot team who started planning in April of last year. Led by Marty Whitcomb, the team of Mary Reid, Julie Pile, Mary Martin and Allison Thornton coordinated the event from the get go. They did a fantastic job this year, doubling the number of runners from last year.

The festivities of the Tartan Trot made a fantastic addition to a weekend celebrating our Scottish heritage. Thanks to all you kilt wearing lads and lassies out there.



To see a list of all results, please visit www.tartantrot.com

Tartan Trot Fast Facts

- Over 1100 registrations
- 120+ people volunteered their time
- Over 60 home baked pies and cakes were donated as awards
- over \$40,000 raised for outreach locally and around the world!
- 1415 T-shirts printed
- 500 cones were placed in the streets
- 150 Chick-fil-A biscuits eaten.



Thank you volunteers. It takes the whole church to make this happen. Thank you for your time, support, prayers, and great positive energy.



There was something for all ages at the Tartan Trot. These strapping young men are proud of their races.

STOP HUNGER NOW

Our 10,000 Packaged Meals Heading to Liberia!

On December 8, we packaged 10,000 meals for STOP HUNGER NOW. Recently we learned that our 10,000 meals were part of a 285,120 meal shipment sent from the Marietta warehouse to Monrovia, Liberia. These meals were shipped directly to LeSea Global Feed the Hungry to the Liberty Christian Center in Liberia. The Liberty Christian Center is registered as a charitable, not-for-profit corporation with the Republic of Liberia. The Liberty Christian Center will utilize the fortified meals in nutrition programs for hundreds of children in eight orphanages. The food will be stored at a central secure warehouse in Monrovia and distributed by truck to each orphanage bi-monthly. All orphanages are within 50 miles of Monrovia.



PW Sandwich Project

The Fastest Sandwich Making Ever!

Presbyterian Women are so thankful for the many volunteers who made the assembly of 12,000 sandwiches for the Atlanta Community Food Bank in record time. We also want to thank Sara Lee Bakeries for the donation of all the bread and members who contributed to the purchase of the bologna and cheese. We had so many community groups - Scouts, Brownies, and the Dunwoody High School girl's basketball team - who all came to help with this worthy project. By 1:15 p.m. we had more helping hands than supplies left, so next year we will have to make more sandwiches! A wonderful dilemma and an illustration of St. Luke's exuberant spirit!

Gena Spears



PW Valentine Boxes

Heartfelt thanks to the many members who helped with the PW Valentine care packages, including:

- ♥ Our SLLS pups, FEAST children, and middle schoolers who decorated cards,
- ♥ The women who baked delicious cookies, brownies and muffins,
- ♥ Families who donated snacks and postage money,
- ♥ PW members who packed the boxes and bags, and
- ♥ Deacons, Visiting Care Team members, and others who personally delivered many of the local packages.

These combined efforts allowed us to send over 75 very special messages of love this Valentine's Day!

Donna Mason



Cecil Hannaford



(l-r) Samantha Holley, Louise Campbell, & Hayley Wolfe



OWLS (55+)

JOIN THE PARLIAMENT!

(a flock of owls is called a parliament)

January's Gathering: There was a group of 19 of our Seniors who had a great road trip to the "Anne Frank in The World" Exhibit in Sandy Springs on Thursday, January 27. This is considered the largest exhibit chronicling the life and times of Anne Frank. They saw a short film and then had the opportunity to see and read about this extraordinary young Jewish woman. There is also an exhibit on the life of William Alexander Scott, II, called "Witness to the Holocaust." It is well-worth a visit to the exhibit. There are brochures in the lobby which you can pick up or go to www.holocaust.georgia.gov.



After the exhibit everyone had a wonderful time of fellowship and good food at The Brickery in Sandy Springs.

For more information about upcoming OWLS gatherings, please check out the lobby bulletin board or the church website. We would love to have you join us!

Men's Breakfast

Georgia Legislative Review

The annual "Meet Our Legislators" Men's Breakfast was very well attended and informative. Our guests, Senator Fran Millar and Representatives Wendell Willard and Tom Taylor, discussed the budget (reduced revenue and no stimulus money), education (possible changes to the HOPE Scholarship and school board size) and Congressional redistricting (on the agenda for this spring). They also talked of Sandy Springs and other North Fulton Counties spearheading a proposal to resurrect Milton County (bill will be introduced, but not much chance of passing this year). All were popular topics with lots of humor from our guests and an excellent breakfast with Brid Igleheart and Mark Reed leading the kitchen crew.



New Officers, Class of 2014

During the Congregational Meeting held on February 6, 2011, the following nominees were elected as officers to the Class of 2014. We are blessed to have so many who are willing to share their time, talent, and faith with us as they serve as officers.

Session

Tricia Bridges, Jim Bryant, Faye Cashwell, Annie Hardy, Sally Joyce, Ben King (Youth Elder), Dick Miller, and John Ray.

Deacons

Diane Beidl, Jay Burton, Beth Collins Himes, Jim Giesler, Joyce Johnson, Jean Kammerer, Paula Morris, Luis Sepulveda, and Kris Turnbull.

Cub Scouts

The Cub Pack 764 Pinewood Derby was held at St. Luke's on February 5. Pictured at the right are our top three winners. Front Row (l-r): Christopher Wolfe (2nd place), Raj Mano (1st Place), and Charlie Martinez (3rd Place). Second Row Leaders (l-r) Brian LaRose and Ted Guerrant.



Music Ministry ~ Celebrate the Arts



December is always the most active month in the Music Ministry's year and this past December was no exception. Choir members participated in many sounds of the season, including our annual Toys for Tots concert with brass where we collected over a hundred toys for needy Atlanta-area children. Our Cherub Choir sang at The Atrium under the direction of Kristy Whitener and accompanist, Kelly Sloan. Caroling in the community and for the Live Nativity on Mount Vernon Road got everyone in the spirit. Our traditional Lessons & Carols service was very special as we heard again the story of Christmas. Christmas Eve was beautiful by candlelight at both services. We were especially excited to be a part of the Community Action Center's Christmas party for the first time this year.



Our choir party took place during the season of Epiphany and was just as much fun as always. The venerable Bruce Jones Band entertained those who attended the spaghetti dinner as part of the Tartan Trot weekend. Combined choirs and orchestra provided inspirational music for Scottish Heritage Sunday on January 30, and our first Celebrate the Arts program of 2011 was well received by over 100 attendees as William and Amy Pu provided an afternoon of lovely music for violin and viola. The talents, abilities and scope of those involved in music at St. Luke's continues to amaze me. What a wonderful place to serve God through music!

Clair Maxwell

Upcoming Events in March

The Maryville College Chorus
Sunday, March 13
at 11 a.m. Worship

Wooster College Touring Choir
"Believe"
Thursday, March 17
at 7 p.m.

Atlanta Balalaika Society Concert
Sunday, March 20
at 5 p.m.



Friends of Music

Gifts were received to the Friends of Music Fund from Maria Barnhart, Donna Basinger, Dave & Liz Bracken, Bobby & Patricia Bullock, John Eagar, Nathan and Susan Edmonson, Ellie Goodwin, Marina Hankinson, Dorothy Kitchens, Joyce Kratzenberg, Lou & Lila Jean LaMotte, Nathan & Geraldine McDonald, T.J. Mohr, Alyona Vestor, and Amelia Zelnak.

Thank you for your support!



Stephen Ministry

Christ Caring for People
Through People

Our caring ministry reaches out to our congregation in several ways. We offer one-to-one care

giver to care receiver assignments for anyone who is facing difficulties in his/her life. Meeting weekly with a Stephen Minister to discuss concerns and receive nonjudgmental listening can be a positive step to healing.

We reached out to our congregation in December with our "Service of Comfort and Rest." It was held in the Chapel for those to quietly reflect on the season.

Come join us March 2 & 16 for a program focusing on "Caring for Others." Learn what tools you need to help out a friend, neighbor, co-worker or loved one when they are going through a troubled time.

"Transitions" is a seminar taking place on Sunday, May 1st. Approaching retirement or an empty nest? Is an aging parent relocating nearby? We plan for change, but we may also have concerns about what lies ahead. Please save the date and plan to join us.

Check out our Stephen Ministry bulletin board in the main lobby for additional information as well as our link on the St. Luke's website.

Covenant Groups

Covenant groups are people joining together who make a covenant with God and with each other to be in close relationships of mutual Christian love and support. The groups generally range between eight and twelve people and meet monthly in area homes or at church. They enjoy food, fellowship, friendship, spend time in conversation around God's Word, pray for and with one another and God's world, and reach out beyond themselves to bear fruit for God's kingdom.

Is God calling you to become part of a Covenant group or even start one? If so, complete the Covenant group interest form found in the lobby or on our website, www.slpres.org. Return your form to the Covenant group box located in the lobby or to any member of the Covenant group committee: John Bradley, Val DeFriece, Shannon Dill, Debi Elkins, or Kay Loerch.

Adam McKenzie Nall - Latest Eagle Scout for Troop 764

His Eagle Scout Court of Honor was convened on December 11, 2010 in the Chapel of St. Luke's Presbyterian Church. Starting as a 5-year-old Tiger Cub Scout with Pack 764 at St. Luke's, Adam progressed through the ranks of Scouting, meeting all requirements to join the fewer than 3% of boys nationwide who achieve the highest rank in Scouting.

For his Eagle project, Adam chose to honor Children's Healthcare of Atlanta (CHOA) at Scottish Rite. With fellow Scouts and community volunteers, Adam collected handheld game devices, games, and accessories for bedbound patients.

"Due to my Crohn's Disease, I had four hospitalizations at Children's Healthcare between sixth and eighth grade," said Adam. "Two of those were in the ICU. I was not ambulatory and the hospital's primary entertainment was oriented towards younger children. One of my father's business associates gave me a Nintendo DS. Playing video games kept my mind off what was happening. My project came from those experiences and my recognition that distraction through play is an important part of healing."

Adam presented 25 handheld systems, including Nintendo and Playstation platforms, and more than 150 games to CHOA. He held two workdays for Scouts to check donated devices, clear files, and package them in easy-to-store plastic bins. Each bin contains one device, three games, and is labeled according to age and gender. In addition, donations by community friends allowed Adam to include replacement batteries and accessories. Individual bins are checked out by CHOA's Volunteer Services staffers to patients while they are in the hospital.

During his Scouting career, Adam served as Scribe, Historian, Assistant Patrol Leader, and Patrol Leader for Troop 764. As a community volunteer, he worked as a Junior Counselor at Dunwoody Nature Center and with projects sponsored by St. Luke's Presbyterian Church, where he and his family have been members since moving to Dunwoody in 1998. Adam is a senior at Dunwoody High School, where he is a member of the National Honor Society and Mock Trial Team. This fall, Adam was nominated to and participated in the State Mock Trial Honor program at the University of



Georgia. He has been recognized for his volunteerism with the national Bronze, Silver, and Gold Presidential Service Awards.

Adam is the son of Terry and Donna Nall. "We are thankful for Troop 764 and the many adult volunteers who have kept standards high while working with Adam wherever possible to accommodate his special needs," said his parents. "We are also thankful for Children's Healthcare of Atlanta at Scottish Rite, which has served Adam through many life-challenging surgeries and treatments, providing both advanced pediatric care and genuine compassion by the nurses, staff, and physicians."

Submitted by Donna Nall

Births



Samuel Christian Wright

Samuel Christian Wright, son of Matt and Allison Wright, was born on Sunday, January 9, 2011. He has three Big Brothers...Matthew, Will and Jack.

Wheel Chair Ramp



Many thanks to Helen Sweigert, sister-in-law of Carol Sweigert, who graciously donated this collapsible wheel chair ramp to St. Luke's. Dr. Lou LaMotte was the first to use this in his home for his wife, Lila Jean. This will be made available to members as the need arises. Contact Roby Price or Wayne Radloff if you need to borrow it.

In Honor Of...

*A gift was received
to the Local Outreach Fund
of St. Luke's
in honor of Karen McAlarney
from Faye Cashwell.*

Deaths

*"Precious in the sight of the Lord is
the death of His saints." Psalm 116:15*



*We extend our sympathies and share our witness to the resurrection with
the family and friends of:*

- † **William A. Youngblood**, father of Mary Kent, passed away on December 18, 2010, in Jackson, MS.
- † **Duncan Brown Cutler**, member and husband of Sharon, father of Tim, passed away at home on December 22, 2010.
- † **Gloria Ray**, mother of John Ray, passed away December 23, 2010, in West Jefferson, NC.
- † **Cooper Burkhead**, father of Bettie Bragg, passed away on January 5, 2011, in NC.
- † **Ro Jean Cottle**, mother of Dr. Bob Bullock, passed away on January 10, 2011, in NM.
- † **Marguerite Phipps**, 100-year old mother of Gary Phipps, passed away on January 20, 2011, in IL.
- † **James Robert Williams Jr.**, brother of Phil Williams, passed away on January 25, 2011, in FL.
- † **Nancy Reagan Whitaker**, former member, passed away on January 30, 2011, in TN.
- † **Donald E. Pehrson**, former member and husband of Marilu, passed away on February 3, 2011.

Memorial Gifts

*A Memorial Gift was received to the Ministry of St. Luke's in memory of **Myron Johnson** from Barbara Wright.*

*A Memorial Gift was received to Constructores Para Cristo in memory of **Genievere (Genny) Coppedge** from Tom and Becky Loftis.*

*Memorial Gifts were received to the Ministry of St. Luke's in memory of **Genievere (Genny) Coppedge** from Roby & Andrea Price, Janet Slater.*

*Memorial Gifts were received to the Ministry of St. Luke's in memory of **Duncan Brown Cutler** from Bill & Nancy Adams, Dr. & Mrs. Spencer Brewer, Jr., Byron & Marylyn Brown, Bill Cutler, Ken & Nancy Davis, Jim & Claydene Dunlap, Ellie Goodwin, John R. Harper, Lou Brown Jewel, Jim McCray, Hamp McGee, Andrea Price, Larry & Nance White.*

*A Memorial Gift was received to the Endowment Fund in memory of former member **Nancy Reagan Whitaker** from Ellie Goodwin.*

*A Memorial Gift was received to the Endowment Fund in memory of former member **Donald E. Pehrson** from Ellie Goodwin.*

*A Memorial Gift was received to the Tennessee Mountain T.O.P. Fund in memory of **Geri S. Bruce** from Robert & Barbara Groves.*

Summer Camps @ St. Luke's



St. Luke's Little Saints Camps, May 23-26 and May 31-June 3, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Campers bring a lunch and enjoy a fun-filled morning with friends. Registration forms available online in March. Camp Little Saints is for all children who have turned two by September 1, 2010 (must be potty trained) through children who have completed Kindergarten. For more information, contact Miss Carol at carolperry@slpres.org.



VBS - Pandomania! June 6-9, 9 a.m. to noon

Our Vacation Bible School is set for Monday, June 6 through Thursday, June 9 from 9 a.m. to noon...and it is all about teaching our children that "God is Wild About You!" We will once again offer an extended day program as an option from noon to 4 p.m. Our 4th and 5th graders will have the opportunity to take several outreach day trips, and will experience a great overnight adventure on Wednesday. Registration information will be coming soon. Ages 3 (by 9/1/10) through 5th grade. Volunteers are needed. Nursery available for workers.



Expressions in Motion Dance Camp, June 13-June 17, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. daily, offers students an opportunity to explore multiple styles of dance. Not only will your child enhance their dance and performance skills, but they will gain self confidence and poise. Dance camp will help to improve flexibility, balance, physical strength, mobility and coordination. This is for girls and boys ages 4 to 12. For more information or to register, go to www.eimdance.com/summer_camp. Questions? Contact Whitney Teyf at 404-993-4122 or eimdance@gmail.com.



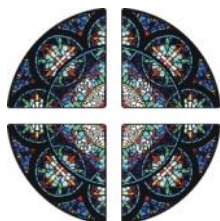
ArtSmart Camp, June 13-17 & July 11-15 is for kids who love art! Fun and creative - painting, printmaking, paper maché, clay, collage & more! July 12-16 and July 19-23. Questions? Contact Carol Ciepluch at 770-671-1889 or carolynjane3@aol.com



ACTUP! (Arts, Creativity & Theatre Uniting People), July 25-30, for 1st through 12th Grades. St. Luke's Summer Theatre Arts Camp, with the Missoula Children's Theatre, will present "The Jungle Book." Questions? Contact Glenda Gray at 770-880-8593.



Camp Calvin has wonderful Summer Camps available for elementary age and youth. Check it out at www.calvinceter.org.



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