

GOLD RUSH GANG

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES 2012

FEB 14: Valentine Luncheon
MAR 13: IMAX / Lunch at Manuel's
APR 10: Spivey Hall, Lunch at O'Charley's
MAY 11: Southeastern Railway (Duluth)
JUN 19: The Palms
JUL 10: Lunch at Phil's / Bingo

Attention Church Members 50+ - 2012 GRG Dues—\$10 per person

*You, with the Gold Rush Gang dues
have done so much.
You, with your Gold Rush Gang dues
have always been in touch,
With those members sick and in sorrow
You did with your dues of ten dollars.
And now, it's time again for dues.
We know it can always be used.
So let the GRG know they have your support,
To be able to let the members know,
you have their need in your heart.*

Dues can be given to John Abbott. Thank you!

GRG VALENTINE LUNCHEON
Attention church members 50+
Tuesday, February 14, 12:00 pm
Fellowship Hall (\$20/person)



*Hearts and flowers, and some candy too
All tied up with lace and a ribbon of blue
With a card that says, "I love you!"
That's what you do on Valentine's Day.
These are the things you do and you say,
But wait, there's another way!
You can go to lunch and fellowship
With that great Gold Rush Gang Bunch!
You'll have a great time, you'll have a ball.
It's the Gold Rush Gang Valentine Luncheon in
the Fellowship Hall.
Tell Charles or Edna Fisher that you want to be
there.
You'll enjoy Chef and Betty's delicious food when
you're in your chair!

Make your reservation as soon as possible. See
Charles or Edna Fisher.*



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Opportunities for Worship, Fellowship, Mission & Ministry



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January 22, 2012

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PRAYER CONCERNS

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ONGOING:(Long-term illnesses) Carol Baggett, Melissa Bailey, Sarah Barr, Judy Belvin, Joey Boatwright, Dorothy Bromenshenkel, Cindy Brown, Tillie Bundy, Carmen Butler, Larry Campbell, Myrtis Carter, Kenneth Cleveland, Teresa Cooper, Jason Ellis, Beanie Essex, Lilly Feathers, Lori Fisher, Paula Goddard, Barbara Goss, Carol Harris, Nick Hart, Amy Huber, Mark Kellogg, Hannah Layfield, Lisa Lohr, Greg Martin, Kim McCanti, Shane McDonald, Nikki McGee, Linda Menieur, Chris Naething, Sam Osborne, Olivia Quigley, Gloria Clipper Prelock, Tracy Rasar, Bill Ratliff, Ione Lanford Ring, Lara Rogers, Vicki Rosenblatt, Laurie Sansbury, Ray Shrader, Shirley Slaughter, Abby Smith, Jack & Grace Soucie, Keith Sorrells, Marge Spikes, Sarah Starzer, Carol Stevens, Donna Sundren, Cindy Terry, Jennifer Thomas, Richard Thomas, Ed Thompson, Diane Trickley, Jack & Bonelle Turner, Fred Unger, Tiffany Watson, Dr. Joyce Williamson, LuAnn Worley

FRIENDS & FAMILY: Shaina Buchan, Alvin & Mary Alice Bartlett, Joey Boatwright, Jim Butler, Roslyn & Larry Campbell, Shirley Cash, Evelyn Craig, Stella Fitch, Sara Franklin, Sharon Hughes, Mandy Hunsucker, John Kellerman, Rebecca Lankford, Jack McKenna, Gary McMasters, Jim & Holly Quinn, Elizabeth Rieckman, Randy Rivers, Carmena Sherstad, Mark Stanley, Mary Alice Trobaugh, Connie Walden, Stewart Walker, James Woodruff

MILITARY PERSONNEL: Lucas Freeman, Seth Smith; *Iraq:* Don Bradley, Doug Caldwell, Joel Forsyth, Jeremy Hopfe; *Afghanistan:* Brian Bavano, James Chapman, Chad Duffey, Ricky Fyffe, Daniel Freeman, Gary Lawrence, Zachary Pallock, Ryan Richey; *Libya:* Casey Hammond; *Washington, D.C.:* David Brown, Jack Shedd; *Cuba:* Kevin Scott; *Italy:* Tyler DeLoach

HOMEBOUND MEMBERS: Julia Brown, Peggy Campbell, Johnny Hinton, Evelyn Hughes, Sarah Belle Lee, Georgia Silvey, Nancy Stikeleather

Please help us stay current with our prayer requests. Unless otherwise updated, names will be placed on our "Prayer Concerns" list for four weeks. Updates may be called into the office, indicated on one of the yellow prayer cards & marked "Update" and given to an usher, or emailed to the church office. Please note that the list is updated at the beginning of each month to reflect the current and previous month only.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

2012 WNL News! ... Our Wednesday Night Live activities resumed on January 11, with dinner at 5:45, followed by Bible studies for adults and kids and youth. Yvonne Thurmond will be our visiting instructor for the adult class for January 25 - February 15. Yvonne is a recent graduate of Columbia Theological Seminary and has been visiting SPC while she waits for her call to God's next steps in service and worship. Curriculum TBA! Don't miss a single study as we continue to grow and learn together in this new year.

SANCTUARY FLOWERS ... The lovely arrangement today was given in honor of the new members by Jane Rutledge. Thank you, Jane, for sharing them with us.

SERVING OTHERS

Liturgists:

Jan 22 Jeffrey Cochran
Jan 29 Judy Simmons

Beadle Schedule:

Jan 22 Betsy Sierra
Jan 29 Carlton Smith

Acolytes:

Jan 22 McKenzie Scott
Jan 29 Peyton Lewis

Covenant Kids (WNL):

Music/Choir -1st & 3rd Wed.
Covenant Kids 2nd & 4th Wed

Children's Worship:

Jan 22 Greg Lathrop, Adam Dunn
Jan 29 Mary Thompson, Nick Strong

Friday Office Volunteer Schedule:

Jan 27 Carol Abbott



CONGRATULATIONS to the Dunlap Families on the birth of Carsen James Dunlap to Donnie & Ranessa. Born: Jan. 16, 2012. 8:28am, Weight: 8lbs 6oz, Length: 20 inches



New Member Luncheon
SUNDAY,
JANUARY 22,
COVERED DISH
POTLUCK LUNCH
AND FELLOWSHIP

SERMON SCHEDULE

UPCOMING WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES



JAN 22: Rev. Joy Fisher, preaching
JAN 29: Dr. Tom Tewell, preaching
FEB 5: Dr. Tom Evans, preaching
FEB 12: Ms. Cassandra Morrow, preaching

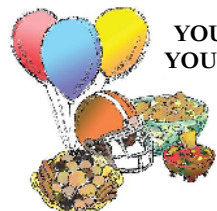
"Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age."
— Matthew 28:19,20



1/24
1/31

Early Risers

Biscuits & Brunch
Chick-fil-a



YOUTH SNACK SALE FOR YOUR SUPER BOWL PARTY

Sunday, February 5
Proceeds help our youth with their mission trip.

COMING EVENTS

2012

- Jan 22 New Member Luncheon
- Jan 24 Early Risers @ B&B
- Jan 31 Early Risers @ CFA
- Feb 1 Worship Committee Mtg
- Feb 1 PW Circle #2
- Feb 5 Youth Souperbowl Snack Sale
- Feb 7 PW Circle #1
- Feb 9 SE Clergy Group
- Feb 9 CE Committee Mtg
- Feb 11 Youth Challenge Testing
- Feb 14 GRG Valentine Banquet
- Feb 20-24 No School/Winter Break
- Feb 21 Stated Session Mtg
- Feb 22 Ash Wednesday Service
- Feb 26 Healing Service
- Mar 6 PW Circle #1
- Mar 7 Worship Committee Mtg
- Mar 7 PW Circle #2
- Mar 10 Youth Challenge Testing
- Mar 10 Set Clocks Forward
- Mar 11 Confirmation Class Begins
- Mar 13 GRG IMAX/Manuel's
- Mar 18 Annual Corporation Mtg

LIFE LONG READING GIRLS

Do you love to read? Do you love to talk about books? Do you love fellowship and good times of sharing? If so, please consider joining Life Long Reading Girls! We are starting a book club for all girls and women ages 10 and up. We will all read the same book and gather once a month to talk about it, get to know each other, and have lots of fun. We will get started this month with The Secret Language of Girls by Frances O'Roark Dowell. (Amazon.com has paperbacks for \$5.99) Our first meeting will be January 28th at 3:00 at Betsy Sierra's home. We can arrange carpools if need be. This will be a great opportunity for all of the women and girls in the church to get to know one another! If you have questions or suggestions, see Betsy Sierra, email her at sierra.betsy2@gmail.com, or give her a call at 770-954-4344. READ ON!

EXCITING NEWS FROM CHRISTIAN EDUCATION!

The Christian Education Committee has formed two new study/fellowship groups that will begin in January.



Young Adult Ministry

YOUNG ADULTS: Aaron Roberts is coordinating the group that's designed for young adults: people, single or married, who have graduated from high school through those who have begun

their career. This group may meet whenever it's convenient for folks to get together -- Sunday evening at Starbucks, Saturday afternoon at the church, whatever fits people's schedules and inclinations -- or they may end up as a Sunday School class. No one knows yet, but Aaron is wide open to working around schedules and preferences. The important thing is that our young adults have a chance to continue the study and fellowship they grew up with here -- and, of course, invite their friends.



"OLDER" YOUNG ADULTS: A new Sunday School class for adults in their 30s and 40s, with or without kids, facilitated by Laura Richardson has begun. This class includes Bible study, lots of discussion and fellowship time, and began today at 9:45 am in the Conference Room. For more information about the class, contact laura_h_richardson@yahoo.com or 770-914-5676.

One of the best things about church is that there are lots of people who are in the same boat you are, and Christian Education believes these two groups will help folks with similar interests find each other. Questions? Suggestions? Contact Aaron Roberts, Laura Richardson, or the church office and we'll get the conversation going.

Remember Our CAT Scan?

The SPC steering committee is preparing to start following up on your input and work on setting some goals, making plans, and looking toward our next hundred years! Please remember these folks in your prayers. We need wisdom and the Holy Spirit to hear God's voice and determine God's will for SPC!

PLEASE NOTE: The Session has decided to suspend the WNL dinner indefinitely beginning in February due to the lack of volunteers to help prepare the dinners.



STEWARDSHIP

January 22, 2012

Mthly Budgeted Exp (\$5,088/wk) \$20,352.00
Receipts for Month (January) \$11,804.50
Receipts Last Week (1/15/12) \$3,173.50

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 22, 2012

SUN	9:00 Fellowship Breakfast	WED	5:45 WNL Dinner
	9:45 Sunday School		6:30 WNL Classes
	10:30 Choir Rehearsal		7:30 Choir Rehearsal
	11:00 Worship	THU	10:00 Ladies Bible Study
	5:00 Haitian Christian Comm. Min.		7:00 AA Meeting
MON	7:00 AA Meeting	FRI	No Activities on Calendar
TUE	9:00 Early Risers @ B&B	SAT	5:30 New Glory Christian Church
	7:30 Boy Scouts		