

## GOLD RUSH GANG

### UPCOMING EVENTS:

**Mar 26th:** Emory Choir Concert; lunch at Red Lobster  
**Apr 9th:** IMAX; lunch at Manuel's  
**May 14th:** TBA  
**Jun 4th:** Picnic at the Pavillion  
**Jul 9th:** Lunch at Phil's; Bingo in Fellowship Hall  
**August:** No meeting



### Schedule of Services

**March 24:** Palm Sunday Worship, 11:00 am  
**March 28:** Maundy Thursday Service, 7:00 pm  
**March 29:** Good Friday/Tenebrae Service, 7:00 pm  
**March 31:** Easter Sunday / Resurrection Service, 11:00 am



### Early Risers

3/12 Early Risers @ B&B  
 3/19 Early Risers @ CFA

Visit the church website at: [www.spcusa.org](http://www.spcusa.org)

Send any comments or suggestions to the Webmaster at [Webmistress@SPCUSA.ORG](mailto:Webmistress@SPCUSA.ORG).



**ATTENTION CHURCH MEMBERS 50+ GRG March Event — Spivey Hall Concert**  
**Emory University Concert Choir**  
**Tues, March 26th, 11:15 am**

*Meet in the church parking lot at 10:00 am; lunch at Red Lobster (on your own). Cost: \$2 for concert ticket; \$4 for transportation (cash please)*

*There's music in the air!  
 Beautiful sounds everywhere!  
 It's the Emory University Concert Choir Tour,  
 And with your ticket you're  
 Going to be in the seat,  
 And listening to the music so sweet!  
 Then after the concert it's on to Red Lobster to eat.  
 And as the day comes to an end,  
 All the day's events will blend,  
 Into a memory of delight,  
 And you'll say "It was a good day  
 and now, goodnight!"*

**PLEASE NOTE — THIS IS NOT THE USUAL TUESDAY. IT IS THE 4TH TUESDAY OF THE MONTH.** Please call Carolyn Francis ASAP if you plan to go.



### STAFF WEB EMAIL ADDRESSES:

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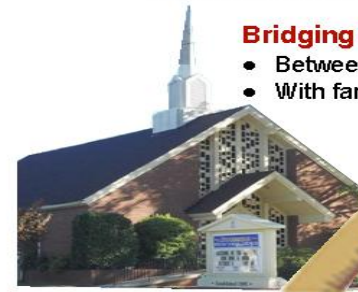
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## Stockbridge Presbyterian Church

*"The Church at the Bridge"*



### Bridging the Gaps in People's Lives!

- Between us and God
- With family, friends & neighbors



- Between us and our local community
- Between us and a world in need

**Henry County Georgia**

## Opportunities for Worship, Fellowship, Mission & Ministry

[office@spcusa.org](mailto:office@spcusa.org)

**March 10, 2013**

770.474.7777

### PRAYER CONCERNS

**MEMBERS:** Gerrelldine Addy, Joyce Andrews, Harold Cochran, David & Mabel Craig, David Dillard, Rick Holcombe, Allison & Bob Johnson, Charles & Sara Moseley, Jim & Thelma Newsome, Gene Park, Ruth Pope, Doug Richardson, Jane Rutledge, Kim Seal, Doug Sewell, Hallie Shumate, Anne Watson

**SINCERE SYMPATHY:** Our deepest condolences to the family and friends of Pat Martin who received her ultimate healing and joined Ed in heaven this past week. May God's peace and love comfort all of these.

**ONGOING (Long-term illnesses):** Shad Austin, Carol Baggett, Melissa Bailey, Sarah Barr, Judy Belvin, Dorothy Bromenshenkel, Cindy Brown, Tillie Bundy, Carmen Butler, Larry Campbell, Myrtis Carter, Kenneth Cleveland, Teresa Cooper, Jemal & Prilinda Davis, Leslie Moseley DeSimone, Jason Ellis, Beanie Essex, Lilly Feathers, Lori Fisher, Paula Goddard, Barbara Goss, Carol Harris, Nick Hart, Amy Huber, John Kellerman, Mark Kellogg, Rebecca Langford, Hannah Layfield, Lisa Lohr, Greg Martin, Kim McCantti, Shane McDonald, Bernice & Claude McGee, Dale McGee, Nikki McGee, Linda Menieur, John Newman, Sam Osborne, Olivia Quigley, Bill Ratliff, Ione Lanford Ring, Vicky Rodgers, Lara Rogers, Vicki Rosenblatt, Laurie Sansbury, Ray Shrader, Shirley Slaughter, Abby Smith, Jack & Grace Soucie, Keith Sorrells, Marge Spikes, Sarah Starzer, Donna Sundren, Jennifer Thomas, Richard Thomas, Ed Thompson, Diane Trickley, Jack & Bonelle Turner, Fred Unger, LuAnn Worley

**FRIENDS & FAMILY:** Zach Boothby, John Buchan, E. C. Burnett, Ramona Cantrell, Richard Cherry, Bruce Clark, Brandy Conner, Billy Cook, Jan Craig, Sharon Cruz, Family of Pat Doyle, Cheyenne Fischer, Bryce Folsom, Tripp Halstead, Richard Haney & Family, Family of Tom Hogan, Vince Lowe, Teneashi Moore, Family of Shaun Ransom

**MILITARY PERSONNEL:** Tyler DeLoach, Lucas Freeman; Iraq: Don Bradley, Doug Caldwell, Joel Forsyth, Jeremy Hopfe; Afghanistan: Brian Bavano, James Chapman, Chad Duffey, Mark Freeman, Ricky Fyffe, Kyle Gaylor, Gary Lawrence, Josh Ogle, Zachary Pallock, Ryan Richey, Ryan Tewell; El Salvador: Darrious Austin; Huntsville: Jack Shedd; Hawaii: Brianne Gaylor; Washington, D.C.: David Brown

**HOMEBOUND MEMBERS:** Peggy Campbell, Johnny Hinton, Evelyn Hughes, Sarah Belle Lee, Georgia Silvey, Nancy Stikeleather, Carolyn Waits

*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.*

## SERVING OTHERS

### Liturgists:

Mar 10 Greg Lathrop  
 Mar 17 John Dunn  
 Mar 24 Cooper Keller  
 Mar 31 Doug Richardson

### Beadle Schedule:

Mar 10 Tom Francis  
 Mar 17 Linda Roberts  
 Mar 24 Ron Scheer  
 Mar 31 John Abbott

### Children's Worship:

Mar 10 Clipper Family  
 Mar 17 Mary Thompson; Wendy & Megan Wells  
 Mar 24 Diana Taylor; Stephanie Dunn  
 Mar 31 Easter Sunday/ No Children's Church

### Acolytes:

Mar 10 Savannah Sewell  
 Mar 17 Mitchell Stanley  
 Mar 24 Cydnee Keller  
 Mar 31 Collin Roberts

Special thanks for your prayers and cards during my recent and unexpected surgery. You are a wonderful, caring family and I love you much. - Levena



### SUPPORT SPC RELAY FOR LIFE!

It's time to warrior up and start your own battle against cancer. PLEASE JOIN OUR TEAM NOW! Relay is April 26 at Ola high school. Use the website below and look for our team "SPC Friends". Please sign up asap at <http://relay.acsevents.org/site>. Click on the Relay for Life block at the bottom of page. Type SPC Friends in the team name space. Click on the SPC Friends link to sign up or donate.

Thank you,  
 The SPC Relay Team

### OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 10, 2013

<b>SUN</b>	9:00 Fellowship Breakfast	6:00 Youth Bible Study
	9:45 Sunday School	6:00 Worship Comm Mtg
	10:30 Choir Rehearsal	6:30 Goodness & Groceries
	11:00 Worship	7:00 Choir Rehearsal
	12:00 Healing Service	<b>THU</b> 10:00 Women's Bible Study
	4:30 Youth Fellowship	4:00 Stewardship Comm Mtg
	5:00 Haitian Christian Comm. Min.	6:00 CE Comm Mtg
<b>MON</b>	7:00 AA Meeting	7:00 AA Meeting
<b>TUE</b>	9:00 Early Risers @ B&B	<b>FRI</b> No Activities on Schedule
	7:30 Boy Scouts	<b>SAT</b> 5:30 New Glory Christian Church
<b>WED</b>	5:30 Fellowship Comm Mtg	

## SERMON SCHEDULE

**MAR 10:** Luke 15:11-32;  
 II Corinthians 5:16-21.  
 "Returning to God:  
 Reconciliation"



**MAR 17:** Psalm 126; Philippians 3:4b-14.  
 "Returning to God: Free and Clear"

**MAR 24: Palm/Passion Sunday**  
 Luke 1:28-40; Isaiah 50:4-9a.  
 "Returning to God: Joy and Pain"

**MAR 28: Maundy Thursday**  
 I Corinthians 11:23-26;  
 John 13:1-17, 31b-35.  
 "Returning to God: True Love"

**MAR 29: Good Friday Tenebrae Service**

**MAR 31: Easter Sunday**  
 Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24; John 20:1-18.  
 "The Old, Old Story"

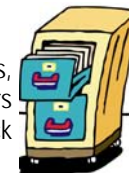
*"Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age."*  
 — Matthew 28:19,20

## COMING EVENTS

- Mar 9 Boy Scout Pancake Breakfast
- Mar 12 Early Risers @ B&B
- Mar 13 Fellowship Comm Mtg
- Mar 13 Worship Comm Mtg
- Mar 13 Youth Bible Study
- Mar 14 CE Committee Mtg
- Mar 14 Stewardship Comm Mtg
- Mar 16 Youth Challenge Testing
- Mar 17 Annual Corporation Meeting
- Mar 18 April Newsletter Items Due
- Mar 19 Early Risers @ CFA
- Mar 19 Stated Session Mtg
- Mar 21 Bridge Family Basket Team
- Mar 23 Easter Egg Hunt
- Mar 24 Palm Sunday
- Mar 24 Healing Service
- Mar 26 GRG Spivey Hall Concert
- Mar 27 Youth Bible Study
- Mar 28 Maundy Thursday Service
- Mar 29 Good Friday Tenebrae Service
- Mar 31 Easter Sunday
- Apr 1 Office Closed—Easter Monday
- Apr 1-5 Spring Break / No School
- Apr 2 P.W. Circle #1
- Apr 3 Worship Comm Mtg
- Apr 3 P.W. Circle #2
- Apr 4 Christian Ed Comm Mtg
- Apr 4 Bldg & Grnds Comm Mtg
- Apr 9 GRG IMAX & Lunch at Manuel's
- Apr 10 Fellowship Comm Mtg
- Apr 11 Stewardship Comm Mtg
- Apr 13 Youth Challenge Testing
- Apr 14 Youth Fundraiser Luncheon
- Apr 16 Stated Session Meeting

### DID YOU KNOW??

Copies of previous Sunday bulletins, announcement sheets, and newsletters are available on the church website. Click on the "Documents" tab and scroll down.



## OTHER ACTIVITIES

March 10 4-6 Youth Sunday Practice

March 17 after church Movie at Great Escape

March 24 4-6 Youth Sunday Practice

March 31 Easter-No Youth



**Youth Mission Trip**  
 June 17-22, 2013

**Mission Discovery to Westmoreland, Tennessee**

Carly and Cydnee Keller, Maegan & Alex Seal, Savannah Sewell, Mitchell and Justin Stanley, Brian Wharton with Chaperones,

Stephanie and John Dunn, Doug Richardson, Mary Carol Stanley. See support brochure for more information about how you can help.



**Saturday, March 23rd, 12 noon**

Easter comes early this year and that means so does our annual Easter Egg Hunt for our preschoolers and elementary school age children. We hope each and every one will be here along with their families for an afternoon of fun together. We will serve lunch at noon, have some fun games and activities followed by the hunt for the eggs. Once again we are requesting donations of candy from the congregation and have placed a basket in the Narthex. Any candy that is individually wrapped and small enough to fit inside a plastic egg will be greatly appreciated. Thank you in advance; you are always so generous!



### TIME TO ORDER YOUR EASTER LILIES

*In Memory of or In Honor of* your loved one(s). Sign up sheets are in the Narthex or fill out the insert and place in the offering plate. Lilies are \$10.00 each. Checks can be made payable to Stockbridge Presbyterian Church (for Easter lilies).