

Revelations at Concord

The Small Church With a Big Heart

Enter To Worship

April 2011
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Depart to Serve

APRIL EVENTS

Tom's Trinkets, Treasures and Trivia

- 3 9:30 S.S. Breakfast
- 5 7:00 UMW
- 6 6:00 Family Nite Out
- 12 7:00 Witness
- 13 7:00 Finance
- 16 5:00 Chicken Pie Supper
- 17 8:30 Men's Breakfast
Palm Sunday
Confirmation Sunday
- 20 7:00 Adm. Board
- 21 7:00 Maundy Thursday
Service at Union
- 22 7:00 Good Friday Service
at Concord
- 24 Easter Sunday
7:30 Early Dawn
8:30 Breakfast
9:00 Easter Egg Hunt
- 26 7:00 PPRC at Union

In March, I got my crown. Billie has wanted me to get it for over a year. It is a beautiful crown. I didn't win it for anything. I got it because a tooth cracked and that is what the dentist needed to do to fix it.

Of course, when we think of crowns, we think of those worn by kings and queens. In ancient days, crowns of wreaths were given to the victors of athletic games. Crowns were given to generals returning from victorious battle.

In Christianity, the crown carries two meanings. One of course, is the crown of thorns they made Jesus wear. It was made to ridicule him as was the sign nailed above the cross, "King of the Jews." They never knew when they were putting the crown on Jesus that it would become the crown of salvation when Jesus would take the sins of the world upon himself.

The second meaning is the crown the Bible says we will receive in Heaven. Will we all be walking around with crowns or might it be a metaphor for something else? It could be a metaphor for our victory over truth through Jesus. It could be a metaphor that in Heaven we are like royalty. It could be a metaphor that we have faithfully run the race of life.

In the end, whatever crown we wear is the result of the crown of thorns our Lord bore for our salvation. "Crown Him with many crowns."

Pastor Tom



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Hear my voice, O God... Psalm 64

Prayer Requests

EXTENDED CARE FACILITIES:

Alma Lee Doub (Mallard Ridge)
Lucille Hill (Bermuda Commons)

June Pirolo (Brighton Gardens)

MILITARY:

Carl Craft
Christopher Ford
Savanna Green
Jonathan Kiger
Kevin Tiddy

Sammy Edelman
John Friend
Jonathan Hinshaw
Scott Kysea

LONG TERM:

Dolly Hunt
Martha Burrell

Larry Jones
Doskey Wilmoth (Charlene)

CANCER:

John Breier
Roger Fowler (Shelton)
Ronnie Goad (Rheta)
Mr. Young (Rheta)
Dana Malaga
Jim Messick
Becky Neal
Donna Simmons (Rheta)
Karen Folsom (Mandy)
Wilma Jones
Mason La Vack (Rheta)

Karen Newcomb (Rheta)
Dan Overstreet (Rheta)
Vicky Seay (Susie)
Joe Sleaf (Ann)
Rheta Monroe
Reuben Arnold (Rheta)
Leon Craddock (Rheta)
Brenda Pugh (Shelton)
Hope Staton (Rheta)
Tammy Key (Ann)
Aristotle Maragas (Elaine)

SPECIAL PRAYERS:

Shelton & Lib Barefoot
Margaret Breier (John)
Albert Doub
Angela Havgerud
Ann Hunt
Phyllis & Stefanie Jones
Travis Masters (Steve)
Dwayne Moore (Ann)
Jackie Paul (Elaine)
Ann Rheems (Steve)
Ashley Shaw (Wilma)
Tom Teague (Steve)
Erika Breier (John)
Jerry Bundren (Steve)
Andrea Grater

Luwana Huffman
Phillip Jones
Steve Jones
Naomi Norman (Billie)
Tara Pitts (Garrett)
Tony Salazzo (Steve)
Gene Styers
Larry Tassainger (Steve)
Norma Willard
Kris Folsom (Mandy)
Lois Barnwell (April)
Mary Norman (Nancy)
Debbie Corn (April)
Jean Suddarth
Julie (Steve)

DEATHS:

We express our sincere condolences to the families and friends of Robb Williams and Bennett Black (Shelton)

Chicken Pies

- The UMW continue to sell chicken pies – only \$10!

FAMILY NITE OUT

Family Nite Out returns on April 6. The menu will be chicken and dumplings, slaw, green beans, and dessert.

THANK YOU TO ...

- the Nurture Committee for the delicious pancake supper on 2/8.
- all who helped with the pine needle sale.
- the Children's Ministry for Family Game Night.

WE COULDN'T DO WITHOUT YOU!

CHICKEN PIE SUPPER

**April 16
5:00 – 7:00 p.m.**

- \$8 for adults
- \$4 for children age 10 and under

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO:

- 2 Donna Garner
- 3 Rick Saseen
- 4 David Monroe
- Tammy Saseen
- 5 Christopher Ford
- 9 Frank Transou
- 11 Fred Herman
- 13 Alexander Franke
- 17 Kit Binkley
- Diane Huffman
- Michael Williams
- 18 Larry Cook
- James Dull, Jr. (Jimmy)
- 29 Skylar Cook



COMING EVENTS FOR MAY

- 3 7:00 p.m. UMW
- 4 6:00 p.m. Family Nite Out
- 8 Mother's Day
- 10 7:00 p.m. Nurture
- 17 7:00 Outreach
- 18 7:00 p.m. Administrative Council
- 24 7:00 p.m. Evangelism
- 30 Memorial Day

Copies of minutes from the February Administrative Council meeting are available in the church office.

The church office will be closed April 22 in observance of Good Friday.



United Methodist Women is an organization of the United Methodist Church which has a direct link with mission service throughout the world. The organization gives the opportunity for service to missions, not only by our giving financially, but also by hands-on projects. In the past, we have prepared layette kits and hygiene kits to be distributed by UMCOR

(United Methodist Committee on Relief). UMW meets each first Tuesday evening at 7:00 PM. Please come and join us.

The WS District Prayer Breakfast will be held May 7 at Mount Tabor UMC beginning at 8:30 a.m. Theme is "Flying High with Prayer." Registration deadline is April 22.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pre-Sunday School Breakfast Mark your calendar now to attend the first breakfast sponsored by the Sunday School Committee on Sunday, April 3, at 9:30 a.m.



The church is hosting a **dinner in honor of Tom and Billie Albert** on Saturday, June 18, beginning at 6:00 p.m.

Congregations from Concord and Union are invited. So that we may properly prepare, please let us know by May 1 if you will be attending. You may email the church office (cumcsecretary@windstream.net) with your name and number attending or call Nancy Cook (945-5691) or the church office (945-3691).

WS DASH OUTING Would you be interested in going to see a Dash baseball game with your church family? If we have 20 or more in our group (all ages invited!), tickets will be reduced to \$9 each (regularly \$13), each ticket will come with a hat and Concord will be listed on the big screen during the game. We would be able to sit together somewhere along the baseline – not in the outfield but the exact seat location would depend upon the night we select. Friday night games include fireworks and the kids can run the bases after the game. Please contact Shannon Williams at 924-9017 or shanwilliams@triad.rr.com if interested.

Deadline for submissions for May newsletter is April 19.

Please email submissions to cumcsecretary@windstream.net.

LCAP ITEMS

FOR MARCH AND APRIL ARE
SHAVE GEL AND LAUNDRY DETERGENT

DIRECTORY UPDATE: Mike and Nancy Suddarth's telephone number is now 946-1333.

CONGRATULATIONS to Bob and Kimberly Cook and big sister Makaila for the upcoming baptism of Skylar on April 17.

In the event of snow, bad weather or an emergency, check WXII TV or WSJS/WTQR radio for any announcements. We are listed as Union UMC and Concord UMC

If you need to initiate the prayer chain or are interested in having flowers put in the church for worship, please contact Mandy Johnson (671-0283).

MISSION NEEDS IN PERU



Elaine Binkley is preparing for her mission trip to Peru and has two project needs this year. First, she is collecting gently used furniture, clothing, toys, books, kitchen items, etc., for a yard sale this summer. All profits will be used to help build a school in Peru. Secondly, Elaine is collecting items to take to Peru to teach science - microscopes, telescopes, magnifying glasses etc. Puppets are needed to teach health and English. Picture books about other countries, dolls, metal trucks, puzzles, maps, yarn, needles and thread, blocks, musical instruments, glue sticks, rulers, pencils, colored paper, scissors, crayons, soccer balls - anything educational is needed. Donations can be given to Elaine at church, by dropping off at her home or by calling 945-5143 to arrange for pick up. God Bless!

MEMORIAL AND HONOR GIFTS

A gift has been given to the glory of God in memory of **Loretta Binkley** by Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Hill, Lynne R. Atkins, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Krites, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Jones, Mary L. Ring, and Juanita Bullings.

A gift has been given to the glory of God and the Family Life Center in memory of **Loretta Binkley** by Mr. and Mrs. James Messick, Mr. and Mrs. James Dull, Betty Lou Hutchinson, Edwin and Wanda Needham, Margaret R. Boggs, Concord UMC.

A gift has been given to the glory of God and the World Hunger Fund in memory of **Loretta Binkley** by Steve and Charlene Teague.

A gift has been given to the glory of God and the Family Life Center in memory of **Margaret Petree Boggs** by Mr. and Mrs. James Messick.

A gift has been given to the glory of God in memory of **Margaret Harper** by Mr. and Mrs. Mike Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Conrad and the Joy Club of Lewisville Baptist Church.

A gift has been given to the glory of God and the Family Life Center in memory of **Margaret Harper** by Bruce and Sandra Nash, Bonnie Miller Prisk, and Mr. and Mrs. James Messick.

A gift has been given to the glory of God and the Family Life Center in memory of **Albert Miller** by Bonnie Miller Prisk, Mr. and Mrs. James Messick, and Edwin and Wanda Needham.

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE AND GIFTS –JANUARY & FEBRUARY

1/2/11	Attendance: 68	General Budget	\$3,240.00
		Building Fund	\$ 150.00
1/9/11	Attendance: 62	General Budget	\$2,622.00
		Building Fund	\$ 500.00
1/16/11	Attendance: 49	General Budget	\$1,800.00
		Building Fund	\$ 945.00
1/23/11	Attendance: 63	General Budget	\$ 952.00
		Building Fund	\$ 510.00
1/30/11	Attendance: 62	General Budget	\$3,035.00
		Building Fund	\$ 260.00
2/6/11	Attendance: 77	General Budget	\$1,578.00
		Building Fund	\$ 275.00
2/13/11	Attendance: 44	General Budget	\$1,496.00
		Building Fund	\$ 705.00
2/20/11	Attendance: 44	General Budget	\$1,080.00
		Building Fund	\$ 0
2/27/11	Attendance: 40 (est.)	General Budget	\$ 440.00
		Building Fund	\$ 50.00

Those serving in our worship service in April

Scripture Readers

3	David Monroe	Romans 14: 9-23
10	Ann Hunt	I Corinthians 3: 10-23
17	None	Palm Sunday
24	None	Easter Sunday

Children's Church

3	Shannon Williams
10	Billie Albert
17	Shannon Williams
24	Billie Albert

Church Nursery

3	Shannun Breier and Kimberly Cook
10	Denise Hickman and Patty Dull
17	April Whitehurst and Maggie Sparks
24	Billie Albert and Shannon Williams

See Nursery room for a list of Substitutes

Sunday School 3-6 yr olds

3	Elaine Binkley
10	Elaine Binkley
17	Elaine Binkley
24	No Sunday School – Easter Sunday Substitute – April Whitehurst

Sunday School 7 & up

3	Mandy Johnson
10	Mandy Johnson
17	Mandy Johnson
24	No Sunday School – Easter Sunday Substitute – Sam Whitehurst

Sunday School Nursery

3	Nancy Cook
10	Denise Hickman
17	Nancy Cook
24	No Sunday School – Easter Sunday Substitute – Shannon Williams

“For the Father seeks such as these to worship him.”

John 4:23

<u>MONTH</u>	<u>USHER</u>	<u>ACOLYTE</u>	<u>GUEST HOME VISITORS</u>
April	Martin and Kit Binkley	Duncan Hickman	Jim Friend
May	John and Shannun Breier	James Bennett	Sam and April Whitehurst
June	Ron and Lisa Hammac	Chase Whitehurst	Wilma Jones & Betty Lou Hutchinson
July	Martin and Kit Binkley	Quay Whitehurst	Steve and Charlene Teague

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

April 17		Palm Sunday and Confirmation Sunday
April 21	7:00	Maundy Thursday Communion Service at Union
April 22	7:00	Good Friday Service at Concord
April 24	7:30	Easter morning service
	8:30	Easter breakfast
	9:00	Easter egg hunt



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