

IN THE LOOP

THE NEWSLETTER OF GLENCOE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
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February 2011

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN



The February Methodist Women's Meeting will be held on February 14th. Shea Cox will present a program on Heart Disease In Women. Everyone is welcome to attend.



Notes from the Choir Loft

Choir practice has been moved to Tuesday nights from 7 pm - 8 pm. The choir will soon begin working on special music for Easter morning which includes Praise & Worship, gospel and contemporary songs.

As always, we welcome new voices to join with us in praising God through song. No special musical skills required, just a willing heart and a love of the Lord.

Come sing with us this Tuesday!

UNITED METHODIST MEN

Brunswick Stew

Cook:

Friday, February 25th

Pick-up:

Saturday, Feb. 26th
10:00AM-12:00 noon.

\$5.00 per quart

PICK-UP ONLY!!

Pre-orders accepted. Sign-up sheet

In the church foyer or Call:

Bob Ballew: 349-9991

Dan Gaddy: 616-0955

Jack Dixon: 349-3708



IT'S A GIRL!!

Leslie Murray Mullins
Baby Shower
Saturday, February 13th
1:00-3:00PM
In the fellowship hall
Leslie is registered at
Target!



Children's Church

February

13th– Kim Cox
20th—Diane and David Knight
27th-Kathy Werz

March

6th -Callie and Erica
13th– Amy Ingram
20th –Debbie Sharpe
27th –Mark and Debbie Moore



WE NEED YOU!!

Want to be a part of guiding Glencoe?

We are forming a **Vision Team**
& **Mission/Outreach Team.**

Sing-up sheets are in the church foyer.

Many Opportunities are available!!

Kitchen Coordinator
Nursery Director
Family Ministries
Senior Ministries
Meal Coordinator

Children's Message Coordinator

GET INVOLVED TODAY!!

February Celebrations

Birthdays:

4-B. J. Brame
6-Marty Simpson
7-Donnell Witty
10-Denese Boerner
10-Joyce Eubanks
11-Jonathan Werz
13-Heather Green
13-Scott Dixon
17-Rachel Werz
22-Jason O'Bryant
23-Rusty Wiggs
28--Marie Dixon
28-Jessie Sanders
28-Kasey Shelton

Anniversaries:

14 -Barbara & Jerry Linville
22-Linda & Jeff Boone

**GREENSBORO DISTRICT
THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

2011 Greensboro District Leadership Conference

Sunday, February 13, 2011

2:30 – 5:00 PM / Christ UMC, 410 N. Holden Rd., GSO, 27410

Workshop offerings & Conversation Opportunities

1. Everything You Wanted To Know About Pastor/Staff-Parish Relations Committee *Rev. Dr. Duke Ison,
Greensboro District Superintendent*

2. Servant Leadership in the UMC

Betty Jo Hardy, Former Conference Lay Leader, Milford Hills UMC, Salisbury

A workshop for local church lay leaders and other leaders who are seeking to be advocates for growth in discipleship to Jesus Christ.

3. Unlock Gridlock: Keys to Successful Church Council Meetings

Rev. Dr. Patty Meyers, Faculty & Chair, Dept. of Christian Vocation, Pfeiffer University

Receive the essential keys to effective church meetings that please God and please at least some of the people some of the time.

4. Organization & Workings of the Finance Committee

Lauralee Bailey, United Methodist Foundation WNC

The Finance Committee is given the Herculean task of developing, raising, and managing the ministry budget of the local church. This course will discuss the Finance Committee's role in funding the ministries of the church.

5. Transformational Leadership – Nominations/Leader Development Committee

Jennifer Davis, Director of Connectional Ministries, WNC

The intention of this workshop is to focus on critical steps for self-development and development of others. The content of the workshop will be based on a book chapter written by the presenter.

6. "Following Up on Your Power of 3 Goals": Insights on How to Fulfill Your Church's Goals and Become a More Vital Church

Rev. Dr. Nancy Rankin, Chair, Conference Congregational Vitality Team, Pastor, Blair Road UMC, Charlotte, NC

This workshop is for Administrative Council Chairs and members, and others who are tasked with implementing your church's Power of 3 Goals.

7. Creating the Caring Community: Spiritual Resources for Welcoming the Unwelcomed *Rev. Dr. Gary Kling,
Director, Chrysalis Counseling & Consultation Center, Greensboro, NC*

This seminar is intended for those persons lay and clergy interested in developing an outreach ministry and building a community of care to persons and families with emotional /spiritual illness. This course will offer: a definition of a Community of Care and how does it relate to the concept of building healthy congregations; resources to develop ministry to those who experience emotional/spiritual illness; and teachings on how churches can network with other resources in the community to bring hope to families dealing with mental illness.

8. The Spiritual Practice of the 12-Steps: How to Use the 12-Steps as a Spiritual Discipline

*Rev. Cynthia W. Sloan, LCAS, Program Associate, Substance Abuse & Related Violence, SPSARV, GBGM
For recovery ministries, NOW ministries and other interested persons*

9. Spirit Listening: The Depth of Prayer

*Dr. Bryna Bozart-Barnes, Director, Charlotte Spirituality Center, Adjunct Faculty, Pastoral Care, Carolinas Health
Care Center, Charlotte, NC*

In this workshop, participants are invited to explore more deeply the mysterious realm of prayer as the expression of the desires of the human heart. The focus is on personal prayer as an experience of awareness and receptivity to the Holy Spirit's praying deep within one's own prayer and being.

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District Leadership Conference– February 13th (continued)

Workshop offerings & Conversation Opportunities

10. What's Next for Small Groups

Rev. Beverly Copley, Pastor, First UMC, Landis, NC

Changing lifestyles in the US have made group life more important than ever. Come learn how the church can respond with love and biblical "one-anothers". This workshop is designed for churches of all sizes.

11. Faith Coaching: A Process for the Journey of Faith

Tonja Thorpe, Leadership/Educational Consultant, Greensboro District, Natural Church Development Coach, WNCC

A workshop designed to give an overview of the coaching process and how staff and laity can use this process within a church culture to assist individuals and groups in their faith journey.

12. Planning a Comprehensive Ministry for Older Adults

Rev. Doug Watts, Minister of Christian Education, Sedge Garden UMC, Kernersville, NC

In this workshop, we will discuss part of the book, "Aging and Ministry in the 21st Century" by Dr. Richard Gentzler, director of the Center on Aging and Older Adult Ministries for the General Board of Discipleship in Nashville, TN.

Dr. Gentzler is the utmost authority on ministry to Older Adults in the UMC and noted author in the area of older adult ministry. We will discuss items on how to engage more people in older adult ministry, what works and doesn't work, and just what does a ministry to older adults look like compared to years ago. Bring your ideas and we will share what is happening in our churches today.

13. The Body, Mind and Spirit Connection – Creating a healthy balance in the life of your congregation, your community and yourself / Living Abundantly Program

Debbie Foust, Certified Living Abundantly Coach, Lexington District Christian Educator

Our genes, our will-power and our spirituality are in constant struggle with our 21st century culture, diet & lifestyles. As a result, we are often held back from doing God's work & living abundantly by obstacles including poor health, overweight, stress, low energy, feeling disconnected from others and a yearning for greater purpose. In this interactive session, you'll experience time honored spiritual practices, learn practical principles for healthy eating & exercise, and discover new ideas for empowering a culture of whole health and balance within your congregation and community.

14. United Methodist Men Discussion Group

William Waddell, President UMM, Greensboro District

The Greensboro District UMM Discussion Group will be a review of our Four Major Emphases: Scouting, Upper Room Prayer Line, Children's Homes, and UMM Ministerial Scholarships. This year we will also discuss an exciting new program called "Men In Balance." All local church presidents and interested members of UMM are encouraged to attend.

15. District Missions/Project Agape/ Disaster Response

Rev. Cecil Donahue, Pastor, Pleasant Union UMC, Greensboro

DISPLAYS:

- Fishin' Hole
- SPSARV
- UMAR
- Brotherhood/Sisterhood
- United Methodist Women
- Urban Ministries, Inc.

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Greensboro District of the United Methodist Church offers

LAY SPEAKER TRAINING 2011

Courses lead to Local Church or Certified Lay Speaker

March 26 and 27 – April 2 and 3

Saturday Schedule 9 AM to 12:30 PM

Sunday Schedule 2 PM to 5 PM (6 PM last day)

Guilford College UMC

The Basic Course is for all beginning Lay Speakers and Advanced Courses for those who have completed the Basic Course. See your local church Lay Leader or your Pastor or ask anyone who is a Lay Speaker about training.

For:

Lay Leaders
Sunday School Teachers
Committee Leaders
UMW / UMM Leaders
Children's Ministry Leaders
Youth Leaders
Adult Ministries Leaders



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Friends!**



Learn About Teaching Small Groups

(Please mail to
Greensboro UMC District Office)
Registration Form

(Please print clearly)

Name _____

Address _____

City

State

Zip Code

Phone Number _____

Church _____

_____ Basic Course, (required for all prospective lay speakers)

_____ Youth Basic Course (New Course)

Advanced Courses

_____ Lay Speakers Preach

_____ From Your Heart to Theirs: Delivering an Effective Sermon

(New Course. Must have previously completed the Preach Course)

_____ Lay Speakers Lead Bible Study

_____ Lay Speakers Lead Small Groups

_____ Lay Speakers are Accountable Disciples (New Course)

**Note: Indicate which is first and second choice.
Attendance for both weekends is required to complete one course.**

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Registration Fee must be enclosed!