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The church staff would like to thank all the volunteers who serve our adults and children both today and this week. We greatly appreciate their contribution to the vitality of our church, our people, and our community.

welcome

[about our worship service] the details

guests. We are honored that you chose to worship with us today. Please sign a *friendship pad* as it is passed around this morning, and we will deliver a loaf of banana bread to you (we won't stay and visit). Also, please pick up a visitor brochure from the welcome center.

nursery. We have three nurseries to serve your children, infant through four years old. Please see an usher for directions.

hearing amplification devices. If you would like to use a hearing amplification device, ask the sound technician or an usher. They will happily provide one for you.

prayer requests. If you have a prayer need that you would like to be sent to our church family via email, please send it to prayer@redeemerpc.com.

prayer today. Prayer ministers are available after the service to listen and to pray with you. They stand in the front of the sanctuary near the front. Please don't hesitate to share your concerns and needs with them.

seeking Christ? If you would like to open your heart to Christ or learn more about a relationship with Him, please speak to the prayer ministers or to our pastor, John Byerly.

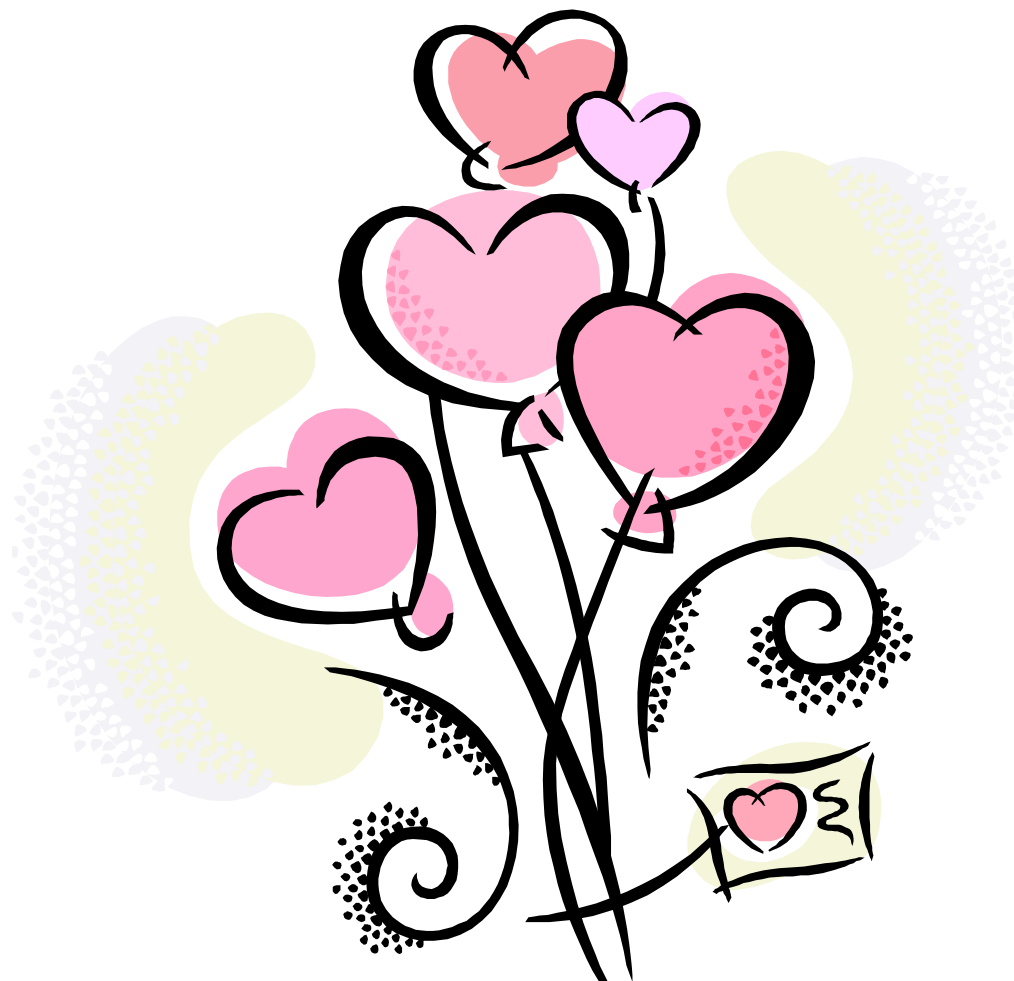
membership. If you would like to join our warm and friendly church family, please speak to our pastor, John, or to an usher after the service.

website and other questions. Please see our website at www.redeemerpc.com. There you will find our church calendar, newsletter, and many great resources for Redeemer. You may also pick up a printed copy of the *grapevine* at the welcome center. For additions, updates and any other questions, please call the church office at 770.979.2467. If you should reach voice mail, use the specific contact information for staff members listed on the back of this bulletin to reach them directly. Email addresses are listed there also.

doxa

sunday, february 14, 2010

[glory | worship | splendor]



celebration of worship

sunday, february 14, 2010 - 10:00 am

HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY

[we gather to worship]

prelude

call to worship

songs of praise

"Jesus Paid It All"

"Savior King"

"No Sweeter Name"

opening prayer

welcome and announcements

recognition of scout sunday

Today is Scout Sunday at Redeemer. We welcome our scouts, leaders and their families as we join with them in celebrating the Centennial Year of the Boy Scouts of America.

[we give thanks to God]

our tithes and offerings

offertory

doxology

prayer of thanksgiving

[we hear God's word to us]

scripture readings

Psalms 119:49-50 p. 608

Acts 16:16-34 p. 1096

sermon, Pastor John Byerly

TENDING TO THE SOUL

"2. Singing in the Strain"

[we go in God's name]

recognition of new members

Craig Fleming

Valerie Fleming

Mitch Mitchell

closing song

"You Are My King"

benediction

postlude

If you are interested in going on a mission trip this summer or fall, please contact John Byerly at jsbyerly@redeemerpc.com or 770.979.2467.



*Thank you for worshiping with us today.
May you experience the warmth of Christ's love,
the peace of His redemptive grace,
and the depth of His transformational work in your life.*

this week

[today's activities]

9:00 am Sunday School

10:00 am Worship (nursery available)

11:45 am Stephen's Ministries Peer Supervision [New Wing]

6:00 pm Men's Bible Study @ various locations; call John Sharp @ 770.564.3998

[monday]

9:30 am Ladies Bible Study [FH]

[tuesday]

"Grapevine" Deadline Today

9:30 am Reflections Bible Study [FH]

[wednesday]

6:30 pm The Margin [grades 6-12]

7:15 pm Women's Bible Study [LIB]

7:30 pm Voices of Praise Rehearsal

8:15 pm Men's Bible study [101]

[thursday]

6:37 pm Youth Boys Small Group [207]

7:00 pm Youth Girls Small Group [YR]

[friday]

7:00 pm Mission Conference Dinner featuring Nard Pugyao [see ad]

[saturday]

8:30 am Men's Breakfast with featuring Woody Baker and Jason Henry

12:00 pm Women's Luncheon featuring Laura Moore

6:30 pm Home Fellowships with Missionaries [see insert for details]

on the horizon

coming events . . .

mission conference [feb 19-21]

family promise host week [mar 7]

church directory pictures [mar 16-20]

spring concert [mar 21]

annual egg hunt [mar 27]

beth moore simulcast [apr 24]

mother & others luncheon [may 8]

vacation bible school [jun 7-11]

family promise host week [jul 4]

taste of Centerville [oct 2]

All activities above reflect long-term church planning. If you have an announcement to publish in an upcoming "doxa," please submit the information by noon the Tuesday prior to Vicki in the church office. **Holiday printings are completed earlier.**

For the most updated church calendar & announcements, please go to our website at www.redeemerpc.com.

softball season. It's time to sign up for spring softball; sign up at the welcome center or contact our new coach, Bill Hamilton, at dbdesign@bellsouth.net or 678.770.4079.

for the record

FEB 07, 09

Weekly Budget Received: 15,681.80

Weekly Budget Needed: 10,387.00

Mission Faith Promises R'cvd: 970.00

'10 Weekly Missions Needed: 2,115.00

'09 Weekly Missions Pledged: 2,596.15

Attendance: 296

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Bible Studies

MONDAYS AT 9:30 am Studying "Me, Myself & Lies" by Jennifer Rothschild.

TUESDAYS AT 9:30 am Reflections Ladies Bible Study is studying Esther with Beth Moore. New study by Priscilla Shirer, "Discerning the Voice of God" will begin March 16. Childcare by reservation; contact Paula Sharp @ 770.564.3998 or paulasharp@att.net to reserve or to get more info. Visit www.lifeway.com / Bible studies / Priscilla Shirer for more information on this series.

WEDNESDAYS AT 7:15 pm This group is currently studying Beth Moore's "Esther."

Women's Book Club

MAR 2 — 7:30 pm "The Last Lecture" by Randy Pausch. Home of Diane Nesbit. Contact Diane at 678.639.0123 for directions or more details.

APR 13 — (NOTE DATE CHANGE) "The Help" by Kathryn Stockett. Home of Mary Robertson

Coming LIFE Events

MAR 7 LIFE Planning Meeting following church in the fellowship hall. Lunch will be served. New leadership welcome. For more info contact Jo White @ 770.978.4507 or joellen@bellsouth.net.

APR 24 Beth Moore simulcast — tickets are on sale NOW for \$20 each. See Jo White or Sherry McSweeney, or go by church office during the week.

MAY 7 Mothers & Others Luncheon

the food pantry at the S.E. Gwinnett Cooperative is in immediate need of jelly, rice, biscuit or pancake mix, pork & beans and green peas. Also, February is Redeemer's month to stock the food pantry, so start bringing your donations now. A list of needed items is at the welcome center and on their website at

www.segwinnetcoop.org. Please do NOT bring bulk size packaged items unless they are prepackaged and may be separated for distribution. Drop off your gift of boxed or canned or packaged food items in the BIG barrel located in the foyer.

coats and backpack donations

are needed for the homeless — bring your gifts to the church foyer and put in the blue marked receptacle. **THANKS!**

gather to pray for Redeemer each Sunday morning at 9:00 am in room 101. See Connie Bolton for more info.

cookbook sale. Our preschool has their wonderful cookbooks on sale now.

grievingdads.com is a wonderful resource to help dads with the loss of their children. For more info you may contact Bill Patterson at 678.425.9793.

our family

[birthdays]

feb 16 Eleanor Johns
17 Maddie Chandler
19 Valerie Kellas
Ashley Wanji
20 Ann Ussery

[anniversaries]

feb 14 Cary & Ellie Hamilton

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"rocks & socks" Friday Mission Conference Dinner.

Rocks = our feet planted firmly on the rock of Jesus — Socks = helping others in need. Join us at 7:00 pm for a dinner featuring speaker, Nard Puygao. Our dinner will be based on a similar dinner that is served by our own Claudia Coulbourne and Love Ministries to the homeless on Friday nights. Our menu includes: Mexican beef & rice (one will be vegetarian), green beans, salad, bread, ice cream & cookie. The cost of the dinner is a cash donation or one of the following items: new socks, used clean blankets, used clean jackets, backpacks, small travel size hygiene items (shampoo, soap, lotion, etc.)

Sunday International Dinner

at 5:30 pm. Bring an international potluck entrée to share and join us for an evening featuring speaker, Keith Haywood.

church directory. Pictures will be taken for a new church directory on March 16, 17, 18 & 20. We hope ALL of you will plan to participate and make this the BEST directory ever. **SIGN UP FOR YOUR APPOINTMENT ONLINE**

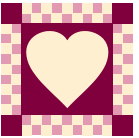
NOW: go to our church site at www.redeemerpc.com and click the button in lower right ; **OR call Jo White at 770.978.4507.** If you would like to volunteer to help with this project [make calls, host picture day], you may also contact Jo.

youth camp is July 19-23

- \$50 deposit due NOW, \$319 total
- \$100 discount to each family with more than one student going
- donations welcome
- give all \$ to Adam Jones, and see him if you have questions
- fund raisers coming soon...

family promise is coming. Get ready! Four families in the program will be living at our church during the week of Mar 7-13. Ways you can help are: help with meals, visit with the families, set up rooms, and purchase Walmart gift cards to be used for food and supplies for our guests. Those who visit with families are required to attend a 2 hour orientation class which is offered Mar 8. Contact Clark Cooper [770.979.1781] or Diane Nesbit [678.639.0123] for info.

prayers & squares. The goal of this new ministry is to provide a prayer quilt for each member of Redeemer who is facing a life-changing illness.



The idea behind these lap-sized prayer quilts is simple. A heavy thread is used to take stitches through the quilt layers, and the ends are left free to be tied with a square knot. As each knot is tied a silent prayer is said for someone in special need, who then receives the finished quilt. Each knot represents a prayer.

We need men and women who would be willing to assist with cutting squares, sewing, and assembling the quilts. If unable to assist, funds or Joanne's coupons are appreciated.

There will be an organizational meeting on Saturday March 6 at 1:00 pm in the fellowship hall. Please contact Jo White [770.978.4507] or Claudia Forester [770.381.9268] for more information.

creativity needed. Pick up a "Beauty Out of Darkness" sheet from the sanctuary entrance table and share your gift(s) of creativity with us. We need visual art, photography, music, writing, textiles, 3-D art, dance, film, etc. Return your completed sheet to Vivian Doublestein's church mailbox, or email her at vivan@mafa.net.