



# THE VOICE



ON THE VILLAGE GREEN

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Nashville United Methodist Church

Nashville, Indiana

 From  
Pastor Fred

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR!!

On Sunday, May 15, we will be hosting a *One-Day-Advance*.

The *One-Day-Advance* is part of one of the most successful ministries the United Methodist Church has seen in long time. The entire process is known as "The Fruitful Congregation Journey." The journey begins with the *One-Day-Advance* and a Growing Disciples Bible Study that focuses on each of the five membership vows—prayers, presence, witness, gifts and service.

The *One-Day-Advance* is the initial step of the journey. We are not obligated to continue with the Growing Disciples Study or The Fruitful Congregation Journey. In fact, only one hundred of the one thousand or so congregations in the Indiana Conference will be invited to apply for a place in The Fruitful Congregation Journey. Of those invited, only fifty will be chosen for the journey.

So, what is the *One-Day-Advance* and what are the benefits of participating in it? For one Sunday, we gather as a church to reflect on whom we are and where we are headed as a congregation and to be spiritually renewed and refreshed. Led by an exuberant and

enthusiastic Team Leader, we will spend one day

- Worshiping, praying and celebrating God's goodness to us
- Sharing the dreams we have for ourselves, our church, and our community
- Wrestling with our tendency to be more comfortable with our plans than God's
- Considering how we can adapt our ministries to the changing world around us
- Receiving tools that can help us grow deeper in love with God and our neighbors
- Being empowered and energized for the journey ahead.

Following the *One-Day-Advance* those who participate walk away with a clearer understanding of our church's mission (purpose), a deeper love for God, for one another, and for the community that surrounds us; and some practical, down to earth ways to be a healthier (and therefore more fruitful) church.

Is the *One-Day-Advance* the answer to all our challenges? Of course not; but it is an opportunity to advance our understanding of, our desire to, and our proficiency in being a vibrant and fruitful congregation. Nashville UMC has nothing for which we need to be ashamed. We are a loving and concerned group of individuals, serious about living out our faith. I am grateful to be serving Christ

with and among you. However, we are not as great as we can be, nor have we reached our fair share of the "Pre-Christians" in our community. We have "a charge to keep and a God to glorify."

In Christ' love,

Pastor Fred Haywood

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To include NUMC news in *The Voice*, submit in writing to the church office by the 24th of each month for the upcoming issue.



## Thoughts From Pastor Peggy

Recently I was skimming through a book called un-Learning Church by Michael Slaughter who is in one of the fastest growing and cutting edge United Methodist Churches in Ohio. In fact he is perceived as somehow being on the cutting edge ahead of everyone else. In his book he makes the following statement,

“Many people come to Jesus and then expect Jesus to become converted to their worldview! God is not the one who needs to change, To Experience Jesus is to take on Jesus’ Worldview.”

“It is the mystery of the powerful Jesus. The world is looking for an experience of God. At the same time, they are turned off by certain arrogant and harsh attitudes in the church. None of us can stand the kind of people who walk around like they have a grasp on truth, rather than acting as if the One who is Truth has grasped them. I DO NOT POSSESS GOD, BUT GOD’S TRUTH POSSESSES ME. Divine Life has invaded my body. And so eternal life divinely invaded my body, and my heart began to beat in rhythm with God’s heart. It was strange; My eyes began to see through God’s eyes; My mind began to with God’s mind. Suddenly, I could see my future! I could see how my life was going to be used for God’s purpose to touch other people. I could see God’s future and plan. It wasn’t like I fully understood it, but I trusted the One who did.”

He goes on to say, “Today a lot of people talk about having Jesus, but Jesus must have you. Once possessed, you acquire Jesus’ worldview. You take on Jesus’ outlook, Jesus’ perspective, and Jesus’ priorities.”

I think what Michael Slaughter says makes a lot of sense. I believe

that everyone one who claims Christ as Lord should look closely at his statement. Is your heart in rhythm with God? Do you know how God is going to use your life to touch others? Jesus’ desire is that we believe in him and repent of our sins. Then we are called to love God with all our heart and to love others as ourselves.

Lastly, he commanded that we go and make disciples of all nations, all people. This is the task of all persons who claim Jesus as Savior. If your brother or sister were in trouble wouldn’t you do everything you could to help them out? Wouldn’t you pray for them, spend time with them, and help them in any way possible? Your brothers and sisters are in trouble and need your help. Your brothers and sisters outside this church need to be encouraged to come home and to be part of the family of God. They need encouraged, they need to know that they are loved, and that they have a family who wants and loves them. Please pray, then invite your neighbors, your friends and your family to church. But first, let your heart get in rhythm with the heart of God.

### Office Information (Associate Pastor- Hours)

**When I was appointed to the Nashville UMC the Staff Parish (SPRC) and I agreed that I would be hired as a Part-Time Associate Pastor, working at quarter time and putting in 10 to 12 hours a week on average. Because I love ministry and feel my calling so deeply, it has been difficult for me to stop or slow down once that quarter time obligation has been completed. But I sense that God is telling me it is**



## Ushers & Greeters in Service for May

**Ushers:** Lu and Jim Brunnemer  
**Greeters:** Tom and Marylou Connor

## Liturgists for May

- May 1 – Brian Teel
- May 8 – Don Stuart
- May 15 – Stan Collins
- May 22 – Dick Routh
- May 29 - Rich Greeno

We still need some couples to serve as ushers on a monthly basis at the 10:30 service. You may contact Stan and Judy Collins at **317-878-9809** or **jandscollins@msn.com** to sign up or if you have questions.



time to honor the covenant made in the beginning (July 2009) and to begin to slow down. My intention is to be here for worship on most Sundays, and available on most Mondays and Tuesdays. Of course I will need to be flexible enough to change or substitute other days of the week on occasion. Thank you for the opportunity to continue serving as your Associate Pastor. In Christ’s Love,  
Peggy Haywood



# Missions News

## Salvation Army Establishes Hometown Endowment Fund

The Brown County Chapter of the Salvation Army has established a Hometown Endowment Fund. The Fund will help to secure a consistent flow of income for the services of The Salvation Army in Brown County in the years to come.

Last year, the local chapter of the Salvation Army assisted 2,884 individuals. The Food Pantry on Jefferson Street provided groceries for 3,840 meals. In addition, 115 gifts of lodging and energy assistance were offered. Locally, 85 percent of the funds that come in to the Salvation Army go directly to help clients in Brown County.

Phil Barrett, Corps Administrator, explains, "Every day we are at work in Brown County, finding solutions for men, women, and children who need a hand during rough times. A gift to the Hometown Endowment Fund means that interest earned is available right here in Brown County -- for life-changing and life-saving programs."

NUMC is pleased to work as a partner with the local Salvation Army to help those in need in our community.

To learn more about the endowment, contact The Salvation Army of Brown County at 988-7019.

## Guatemala Mission Teams Touch Lives

NUMC will hear about the Mission Trip to Guatemala during worship services on May 1. Look for pictures in the Narthex of the playground structures that the men built. There are also pictures of the beautiful mural that the ladies painted on the outside of the preschool building. The mural was designed by Martha Sechler.

Since the team's visit, other work teams have contributed amazing progress to expand the ministry of Mission Guatemala. Here is how Pastor Tom Heaton describes the progress in his April Newsletter: In February and March, we had four teams visit Guatemala and put in many hours of work that touched and transformed lives!

There was the painting of the preschool building, construction of a new playground for the preschool, the painting of a mural on the preschool wall, constructing furniture for the displaced community of Chutinamit, breaking ground on the Nueva Esperanza Feeding Center and much more!

We are so grateful to the teams from Sugar River United Methodist Church, Nashville United Methodist Church, Bluegrass United Methodist Church and Castleton United Methodist Church. In a few short weeks, hundreds of hours of work was accomplished!

Additional news and updates about the ministry of Mission Guatemala may be found in the Narthex and at [www.missionguatemala.com](http://www.missionguatemala.com).

## Japan Relief

Donations may be given to the Japan Emergency through the United Methodist Committee on Relief. "The needs far surpass our ability to provide," a missionary reported. UMCOR is responding with emergency funds to the United Church of Christ in Japan, which is using the funds to distribute food, clean water, clothing and heating fuel. Remember that 100 percent of all funds donated toward this effort will be spent on the disaster. For more information and resources, visit [www.umcor.org](http://www.umcor.org). For news and information about the Japan Earthquake-Tsunami relief, visit <http://new.gb-gm-umc.org/work/>

emergencies/japan/.  
Stock the Shelves

Headed to the grocery? No need to wonder what to purchase for your community. Put the following items on the top of your list each month: peanut butter and jelly, cereal, dry macaroni and large #10 size cans of fruit, corn or green beans. These items may be dropped off in the various bins in the narthex. St. Vincent de Paul, the Salvation Army and Mother's Cupboard are most appreciative!!

## Lenten Cards

Lenten cards (containing \$10 each) were collected on Easter. If you still have your completed cards, please turn them into the church office at your earliest convenience. All funds collected will be forwarded to UMCOR for Haiti relief efforts.

## Sock and Underwear Ministry

The local elementary schools have been grateful to receive NUMC's spring donation of underwear. We will be accepting donations of new underwear for girls and boys, especially sizes 6 and 8 (size small) throughout the spring and summer. Items may be placed in the designated collection box in the Narthex, or cash donations may be made to NUMC with a note for "socks and underwear."

## Thank You for Helping us Stock the Shelves!

We can help our local food pantries by offering the following supplies throughout the year. Please look for the collection bins in the Narthex. Cash donations can also be placed in the offering plate made out to NUMC with a note to "Stock the Shelves"

Lu Brunnemer, Jan Greenlee  
Mission Co-chairs

# Social Concerns Committee

## Freedom Riders Film Showing May 16th

While the NUMC Social Concerns Committee's focus for 2011 is on the environment, we would like to use this month's VOICE to promote Public Television's "Freedom Riders". This powerful, inspirational story is to be presented as part of the series *American Experience* on May 16 on PBS. Please check your local station for the correct time.

Freedom Riders were civil rights activists that rode interstate buses into the segregated southern United States to test the United States Supreme Court decision *Boynton V. Virginia* of 1960. *Boynton V. Virginia* had outlawed racial segregation in the restaurants and waiting rooms in terminals serving buses that crossed state lines.

The Freedom Riders set out to challenge this status quo by riding various forms of public transportation in the South to challenge local laws or customs that enforced segregation. The Freedom Rides, and the violent reaction they provoked, bolstered the credibility of the American Civil Rights Movement and called national attention to the violent disregard for the law that was used to enforce segregation in the southern United States. Riders were arrested for trespassing, unlawful assembly, and violating state and local Jim Crow laws, along with other alleged offenses.

From May until December 1961, more than 400 black and white Americans risked their lives--enduring savage beatings and imprisonment simply for traveling together on buses across the deep South. As you watch this film, it is as if you are watching repressive violence occurring in another country, not America. For one example, in Anniston Alabama,

a mob attacked the Greyhound bus and slashed its tires. When the crippled bus had to stop several miles outside of town, it was firebombed by the mob chasing it in cars. As the bus burned, the mob held the doors shut, intent on burning the riders to death. Sources disagree, but either an exploding fuel tank, or an undercover state investigator brandishing a revolver cause the mob to retreat, allowing the riders to escape the bus. The riders were viciously beaten as they fled the burning bus, and only warning shots fired into the air by highway patrolmen prevented the riders from being lynched.

We encourage you to mark this date on your calendar and watch this film. Tell your neighbors and friends about it as well. The Freedom Riders inspirational story changed America forever. As I watched this film, I was thinking, it's hard to believe that this happened in America. It's important for us to believe that it did happen and on our watch. We need to be reminded from time to time of the saying that "those that don't remember history are doomed to repeat it."

## Speaking of Movies . . . Here's a New Christian Movie to be Released Soon

The movie *Courageous* from the creators of the movie *Fireproof* will be released to Theaters in September 30th. It is a Christian movie that says "Honor Begins At Home" "Four men (Police Officers), one calling: To serve and protect. When tragedy strikes home, can newfound urgency help these dads draw closer to God ... and to their children?"

## Coming Soon: UPLIFT . . . a new worship opportunity

Uplift your praises to the King,  
Uplift your cares to the Faithful One,  
Uplift the world, to show He Saves

*I will praise you as long as I live, and  
in your name will I lift up my hands.*

Psalms 63:4

## What is UPLIFT?

UPLIFT is a new worship opportunity at NUMC beginning Sunday May 1st, at 10:30 in the fellowship hall. This worship experience will be youth-led with adult supervision, and will feature creative worship led by our junior high/high school youth leaders. This service will allow our youth the valuable experience of leading their own worship service using a style of worship that speaks to the young or young at heart.

This is an exciting venture for our youth as they learn to become leaders in the Kingdom of God. The elements of this service will be the same as you normally see in a worship service, but will be presented in a different style. There will be prayer, fellowship, contemporary worship music, testimony time, bible lessons, and visual object lessons.

They will also be exploring new ways to serve in our church and community.

UPLIFT worship is not limited to the youth. Everyone is welcome to attend or visit as they desire. We would ask that younger than fifth grade attend with an adult. The youth will continue to participate in corporate worship on a once a month basis and will on occasion lead parts of worship to show what they have learned. They would very much appreciate any support or participation in their endeavors to develop a close and loving relationship with our Lord.

As this program develops, the youth would ask for your prayers and any participation as you feel led. Isn't it exciting to see our youth excited

*(Uplift continued)*

about worshipping and serving God? Lift up your prayers for them and this exciting venture!

God Bless,  
Sherri Rice and Kirsten McDaniel

## UMW News United Methodist Women



All women of the church are welcome to join us for good food, study, and fellowship! All meetings are on the 1st Thursday at 9:30 a.m. unless noted.

— Pam Simo

### NUMY

The Nashville United Methodist Youth meet for special activities, Bible study and snacks.

**Wed. 5/4** – Game: Manhunt

**Wed. 5/11** – Game: Dragon Tail

**Wed. 5/18** – Game: Chicklets  
Group Summer Planning

**Wed. 5/25** – NO NUMY

**Wed. 5/27** – Feed Ronald McDonald House: Meet at church by 3:30 to leave for Indy. Will stop for milkshakes at Steak and Shake before coming home. Will need parent volunteers to drive.

– Sarah Cochran

### Music:

#### “A Hearty Thank-You!”

By the time this goes to press, the Chancel Choir and Crystal Ringers will be finishing the last few Sundays of service this worship season. And then it will be time for their very well-deserved summer vacation.

I wanted to take this opportunity to thank all of the musicians who make worship so very meaningful at Nashville United Methodist Church. Their talents and dedication are notable, as is their incredible spirit and enthusiasm!

I truly hope you will join me in thanking them whenever you encounter them. It is always my privilege to work with these dedicated souls and I can't wait for the next worship season to begin!

George Rice,  
Minister of Music

### May 5, 2011

Carol Routh will present a review of the books she has selected for the 2011 reading program. Plan to join us on May 5th.

**Where:** Carol Routh's home. Meet at the church parking lot at 9:15 a.m. to car pool to her home.

**When:** 9:30 a.m., Thursday, May 5<sup>th</sup>  
**Hostesses:** Nancy Tipple and Ann Callahan  
**Devotions:** Judy Zimmerman

Please bring cereal for the Salvation Army.

### Birthdays in May

- 4/3 Ann Callahan
- 5/3 Austin Roush
- 5/4 Sally Greeno  
Donna Marks
- 5/6 Beverly Kelp
- 5/7 Grant Manning  
Brianna Simmonds
- 5/8 Dick Lennox
- 5/10 Kristine Stout
- 5/12 Carl Douglas
- 5/13 June Logan  
Kelsey Hoefling
- 5/15 Linda Todd  
Kevin Bentley  
John Oliver
- 5/16 Rich Greeno  
Betty Vanderbilt
- 5/18 Carrie Normile
- 5/19 Dave Woerner
- 5/24 David David
- 5/26 Bill Pruitt
- 5/28 Kent Taylor
- 5/29 Manual Heaton
- 5/31 Denny Smith



### May

### Anniversaries

- 5/7 Don and Pat Housman
- 5/12 Hank and Mardi Swain
- 5/14 Anne and Steve Miller
- 5/17 Jane and Stu Huffman  
Mitzie and Bob Reichmann  
Scott and Amanda Pardue
- 5/18 Meme and Richard Anderson
- 5/27 Louis and Herbert Miller
- 5/29 Mary and Tom Quillen  
Justin and Sarah Cochran



## SENIORS 2011 Outings Calendar (Tentative)

**May 24,** At 11:30 a.m., our Senior group will be meeting in the parking lot at the Brown County Art Gallery to carpool to lunch at the Artist Colony Inn on Van Buren Street. Free parking is available behind the Inn. Following our meal, we'll be carpooling to the log home of Jackie Phillips, 675 Oak Run, to view her upstairs art studio and enjoy dessert. For those who care to, you may be interested in visiting the Art Gallery either before or after the luncheon. Both Pat Siddiq and Jackie are artist members exhibiting there.

**June 25,** (tentative - Saturday) Progressive Meal. Details to be announced closer to time.

**July** (day to be announced), Shawnee Summer Theater or another Theater depending on the program offered.

**August 23,** Local Trip to visit a local entrepreneur (tentative). Details will come later. Lunch locally.

**September 27,** a visit to the Old Fields-Lilly House Gardens (100 acres) and 22-room house located by the Art Museum in Indianapolis.

**October 25,** Tour Brown County Health and Living Center & their new Rehab center, also tour the new apartment/condo at Willow Manor across from the YMCA. Eat Lunch locally

**November 15,** Lunch at Nashville UMC, Program – Medicare, Medicaid, Medicaid waivers, hospice, what nursing facility accept, social security, supplemental insurance programs, burial insurance, etc. Please feel free to bring questions, friends, and family members. Guest Speaker.

**December 4,** Carry-in Lunch and program at Nashville UMC following 10:30 Worship Service, Musical Program Christmas thru the Ages performed by local talent.

Senior outings are open to all ages and everyone in the church and community. Invite your neighbors, friends, and family.



### NUMC LIBRARY NEWS

As you read in April's *Voice*, the focus of the Social Concerns Committee for 2011 is **THE ENVIRONMENT**. The church library will be highlighting some of the books we have available to remind us of our place in creation and our responsibility to protect what God has made, ensure just and sustainable communities, and seek economic opportunity and security for all.

One such book is *The Boy Who Harnessed the Wind* by William Kamkwamba. This is an inspiring story of a young man in Africa who used the only resources available to him to build a windmill and elevate the lives and spirits of those in his community. Williams' achievements with wind energy

should serve as a model of what one person, with an inspired idea, can do to tackle the crisis we face. This is a moving and exciting story.

Another new book is a gift to the library from Brenda and Charlie Roush, who tell us that the author, Peggy Bennitt, and her husband Harry were members of our church in the 1980. In *Listening to a Special Voice: A Missionary's Journal*, Peggy writes about how she and Harry were called to do mission work and about how we can do the same. An inspiring read.

We have also received *In the Grip of Grace: You Can't Fall Beyond His Love*, by Max Lucado. It deals with the question we all have: Can

anything separate us from the love Christ has for us? The answer is found in one of life's sweetest words—GRACE—and Lucado invites us to walk the mountain peaks of God's mercy. This is Lucado's most theologically challenging book to date, and it will remind you that the God who first made you is strong enough to sustain you.

A new DVD is also on the shelves: *Amazing Grace*. The story of William Wilberforce, a man engaged in a hopeless struggle, but whose faith in God and his commitment to see the end of slavery eventually delivered him a very hard-fought victory.

—Gloria Berryman

# Little Yellow House Mission News

*From Patti Alberts:*

Thank you to everyone who helped with the very successful Easter breakfast – those who set tables, dealt with food, and did quick clean-up.

We appreciate the generous donation of over \$300 which was received for the benefit of PDO. Happy Easter Melanie and PDO!



*From Melanie:*

We had a blessed Easter at the Little Yellow House. The weather held out long enough to hide 400 eggs for our babies and littles. The special craft project spearheaded by Kathy Roberts and the ladies was a super special extra touch for the Holy Day. Thank you all so much.

Other events this month included Earth Day activities and recycle art projects. Also, we celebrated world penguin day on April 25th with stories, stickers, furry friends, a movie and black and white treats from our favorite baker, Mrs. Karen Stargell.

Thanks to Jerry Simo we had no lagoon in the gateway and path to PDO during the monsoon like rains we've had. However, we are still in desperate need of a six inch depth of wood bark mulch. Anyone who can help with this, please call me ASAP before our inspection is due. We'd like to get an A+ again!

Thank you for all you do.

God Bless you all! Melanie

## PDO needs:

### SNACKS

- Honey Nut Cheerios
- Honey Sweetened Cereals
- Shredded Wheat
- Saltines
- Graham crackers
- Raisins
- Canned Fruits:
  - Pears
  - Oranges
- Snack Crackers
- Cheeze-Its
- Peanuts
- Applesauce
- Peaches
- Pineapple
- Mixed Fruit

- Chips (Corn)
- Popcorn
- Pretzels
- Fresh Fruits
- Yogurts
- Goldfish
- Ranch dressing
- Salsa
- Trail Mix
- Fruit Snacks
- Juices
- Seasonal Treats
- Ketchup
- Paper plates

### ACTIVITY SUPPLIES

- Foamy paper
- Stick on shapes
- Gluesticks
- Glitter
- Stamp arts
- Craft supplies
- Finger paints and paper
- Magic Markers
- Coloring Books
- Seasonal Ready-to Use Craft Projects
- Playground vehicles
- Playground stand-alone equipment
- Balls
- Shakers
- Glue
- Glitter glue
- Tissue paper
- Beads
- Watercolors
- Crayons

### CLEANING SUPPLIES

- Magic erasers
- Clorox wipes
- Lysol spray
- Sponge pads



## Angel Donations needed at PDO!

Help a family by sponsoring one day of child care with a tax-deductible donation of \$25.00 or more!

Your generosity will support this important NUMC mission.

## Miscellaneous Announcements

### Seasonal Timeline of Upcoming events:

#### Spring Clean-Up

The Trustees are looking for anyone interested in helping scrape and paint the educational wing, clean gutters, and fix fence and any other needs we find. If you would like to participate, please contact Jeff Boley or the church office.

#### Youth Church Up Lift

A new youth-led worship, meets at 10:30 in the fellowship hall for grades 5-12. It is a creative worship led by our very own youth-leaders featuring prayer, fellowship, praise music, bible lessons, testimonies and more. (See story on page 4) Young or young at heart are welcome to attend or visit. Under fifth grade must be accompanied by an adult.

#### Note from the Kitchen Committee:

Please be sure that opened food items are secured in either Zip Loc bags or plastic containers with secure lids and trash taken out after church gatherings involving food.

# Prayer Requests for May



## On Sunday:

**Roger Kelso**, frequent travels – preparing for a trip to Libya  
**Gary and Janet**, Pastor Fred's cousin – lost 7 year old granddaughter  
**Joan and Dick Lennox**, please continue to pray for both of them.

## On Monday:

Please continue praying for **Ann Schrock**, cousin of Cindy Dale, as she battles ovarian cancer.  
**Daniel Nelson's family** – he was an employee of Jim Oliver, passed away unexpectedly  
**Linda**, friend of Prichards' whose husband, Jan, passed away unexpectedly

## On Tuesday:

**Megan**, a missionary from Fishers UMC and friend of Pat and Dave Richey, who is serving in Tokyo in the midst of the disaster in Japan.  
**Al Tipple**, who has health issues.  
**Rachael Vice** who is recovering from a broken wrist

## On Wednesday:

**Barbara and Rod Rich**, Barb is comfortable and would enjoy receiving cards at the Franklin Home.  
Pastor Fred's mother, **Madge Haywood** – is in Ketchem Nursing Home in Odon  
**Jean Harmon** – Keith Fleener's mother – suffered a stroke – is at the BC Health and Living Center  
The family of **Roger Dean**, who passed away. Prayers for his wife Bev.

## On Thursday:

**Cub Scout families** in need  
**Support** for our Youth and Youth Ministers  
**Soldiers** serving in the military  
**Ernie Jinx**, uncle of Jordan Rowland, has heart problems.  
**Terry Rowland**, father of Jordan Rowland.  
**Bill and Judy Zimmerman** – Prayers for both

## On Friday:

**Dallas Harris**, who is having issues with blood work test results.  
Crawfords' friend, **Fran Worland** – recurrence of cancer  
**Bonita Snellenberger**, Stage 4 lung cancer– wife of a friend of Ray Dillinger  
**Lani Conners** – Greenos' daughter-in-law's mother with emphysema and congestive heart failure. Condition improving.  
**Betty Vanderbilt** – health issues

## On Saturday:

**Nikoli Johnson**, Sarah Cochran's 13-year-old godson, kidney problems.  
**Derek Chapel**, 9-year-old nephew of Sarah Cochran, lost sight in his right eye.  
**Baby Daxton David Harris** – grandson of Dallas & Georgia Harris and son of Adam & Stephanie Harris.  
**Heath Young**, son of Brenda Young & Roger Kelso, heading to Afghanistan.  
**Tom and Judy Prichard's** grandson – recovery from a leg injury

Please pray that someone with a passion for teaching God's Word to children is led to accept our currently empty position of **Children's Education Leader**

# In the Military:



**Heath Young** – Preparing to go to Afghanistan  
**Shain Todd** – Afghanistan  
**Christopher Detwiler** - Afghanistan  
**Joe Doliana** – Iraq  
**Jon Doliana** – Between tours; preparing to go to Afghanistan  
**Casey Boley** – Air Force: Casey is in the final stages of his pilot training at Vance AFB in Enid, OK. He is training in the T-1, which is a multi-engine jet aircraft. This will train him to fly a large multi-engine aircraft like a C-5, C-17 or KC-135. He should soon find out where he will be stationed for the next 3-4 years. His wings ceremony was April 8.  
**Doug Downs** – our assistant scoutmaster; US Army Iraq  
**Troy Roberts** – son of former NUMC pastor  
**Heath Gibson** – Mary Ann Gibson's grandson  
**Robert Stuart** – father of scout Randy Stuart  
**Joseph Schrock** – in Reserves, in CA  
**Tyler Benge** – back in Iraq  
**Kirby Walker** – US Navy, Dave Shaffer's nephew  
**William Hayes** – US Army, Judy Burns's nephew  
**Jeremy Minarik**, BCHS grad; US Army in Baghdad  
**Buzz Miller** – former youth director at NUMC  
**Thomas Harden**, BCHS grad, in Navy  
**Brian Jackson**      **Jack Seydler**  
**Michael Sambuco**   **Curtis Hall**  
**David Woodward**   **Kevin Fox**  
**Justin Hood**        **Tim Nott**  
**Nathan Benge**

## Back Home

**Joe Hedrick**, BCHS grad, US Army – Home from Iraq  
**Ryan Callahan**, attending New York University studying Research and Biochemistry  
**Jacob Haywood** – Graduated



# May

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>1</b> 8:30 Worship 9:30 Sunday School  10:30 Worship - Guatemala Presentation - Up Lift - Youth Church begins	<b>2</b> 6 p.m. Cub Scouts 7 p.m. Scouts 	<b>3</b> 6:00-7:00 p.m. Zumba fitness	<b>4</b> 6 p.m. Crystal Ringers 6-8 p.m. NUMY 7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir	<b>5</b> 6-7 p.m. Zumba NO STAFF PARISH	<b>6</b> 9 a.m. Bulletin Folding	<b>7</b> SPRING BLOSSOM PARADE SCOUT AUCTION
<b>8 Mothers' Day</b> 8:30 Worship 9:30 Sunday School  10:30 Worship	<b>9</b> 6 p.m. Cub Scouts 7:00 p.m. Scouts  7:00 p.m. Evangelism/Missions	<b>10</b> 6-7 p.m. Zumba fitness	<b>11</b> 6 p.m. Crystal Ringers 6-8 p.m. NUMY 7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir	<b>12</b> 6:00-7:00 p.m. Zumba fitness 7:00 p.m. Finance 7:00 p.m. Staff Parish	<b>13</b> 9 a.m. Bulletin Folding 6-11 p.m. Scrapbooking	<b>14</b>
<b>15 Native American Awareness Day</b> 8:30 Worship 9:30 Sunday School  10:30 Worship One-Day Advance	<b>16</b> 6 p.m. Cub Scouts 7:00 p.m. Scouts  7:00 p.m. Nominating/Lay Leadership	<b>17</b> 6:00 p.m. PDO 6-7 p.m. Zumba fitness	<b>18</b> 6 p.m. Crystal Ringers 6-8 p.m. NUMY 7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir	<b>19</b> 6-7 p.m. Zumba fitness 7:00 p.m. Trustees	<b>20</b> 9 a.m. Bulletin Folding	<b>21</b>
<b>22</b> 8:30 Worship 9:30 Sunday School  10:30 Worship Education Meeting after 10:30 service	<b>23</b> 6:00 p.m. Cub Scouts 7:00 p.m. Scouts 	<b>24</b> Seniors' trip to Jackie Phillips art studio 6-7 p.m. Zumba fitness	<b>25</b> 6 p.m. Crystal Ringers 6-8 p.m. NUMY 7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir	<b>26</b> NO. Zumba 7-8 p.m. Village Pre-School program	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>
<b>29</b> 8:30 Worship 9:30 Sunday School  10:30 Worship	<b>30</b> Memorial Day Office Closed NO SCOUTS	<b>31</b>				