

CHURCH NOTES - February 10, 2019

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TODAY

PRAYERS AND SYMPATHY are extended for James and Andrea DePhillips and John and Meredith McCormick and their families in the death of Andrea's and Meredith's grandmother, Margaret Copius, on January 30, 2019.

RISE AGAINST HUNGER EVENT Meal packaging event is this afternoon. The first shift begins at 1pm. The second shift begins at 3pm. We have reached our fundraising goal of \$8700 to package nearly 25,000 meals. If you haven't signed up and want to participate, please find Stevee Baskerville for more information.

JOIN US FOR THE LETTER TO THE ROMANS Bible Study resumes today from 5-6pm (after Rise Against Hunger) in the back room of the Bates House. All are welcome. We will spend four weeks on the Letter to the Romans and then six weeks in Lenten activities. Contact Mary Bowman, maryselwyn@gmail.com, for a reading schedule.

NOTES OF INTEREST

THE CHURCH OFFICES HAVE RELOCATED to the Bowman building. The front office door is being closed off. If coming to the church during weekday office hours, please call the church office, 704-372-6836, for entry. The Spire door will remain accessible on Sundays during Phase Two.

WITH GLAD AND GENEROUS HEARTS Please prayerfully consider your 2019 stewardship commitment to Selwyn. You can return your pledge card in the offering plate or to the church office. Or you may email your commitment to Church Accountant Tonya Moore, tonya@tmooreaccounting.com or pledge online: www.selwynpres.org/about-us/giving-growing/

SOUPER BOWL OF CARING Thanks to your generosity on Super Bowl Sunday, SAPC Youth will be donating over \$1,500 to the Urban Ministry Center to benefit their soup kitchen.

HELP ROOM IN THE INN Please use the link to volunteer www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0e49aba723a20-room5 or contact Michelle Bentley, mleebentley@gmail.com. More immediate needs include overnight hosts on February 11 and 18.

PASTOR'S BIBLE STUDY will meet on Wednesdays at 11am in the Nell Bates House through March 20. The focus this term will be on Ecclesiastes. All are welcome.

DAUGHTERS OF FAITH Young women are invited to meet at 11am on Wednesdays in the Grace Room. Childcare is available with advanced RSVP to Lori Raible, loriarabile@gmail.com. A nighttime meeting will be held once a month.

ATTENTION SINGLE WOMEN The Just Friends February 16, 6:30pm gathering at Susan Lohr's, 10210 Willowhurst Ct., will be a covered dish dinner. Please let Susan know if you will attend, are interested in joining, or would like to be added to the distribution list, 704-582-3314.

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL SERIES Join us on Sundays at 9:30am. The Genesis Class is following the Gospel of Luke. Covenant Life Class is engaged in a meaningful series on The Christian Art of Dying, shaped by the Allen Verhey book of the same name. On February 17 the reading will be pages 157-215, Interpretations and Prayers and Living Resurrection.

YOUTH FAITH LAB will take place February 24, March 24, and April 7; 5-7pm (with dinner). Parents, save the dates for this engaging three-part series on Belonging: Adolescent Development and Identity, hosted by SAPC staff and clinicians from Presbyterian Psychological Services and Time Out Youth. Register for the series with Jay, jaym@selwynpres.org.

AA MEETINGS Selwyn is the host site for two weekly Alcoholics Anonymous meetings. The times are Mondays, noon-1pm in the Bates House and Wednesdays, 8-10pm in the Fellowship Hall. All are welcome to attend.

FROM THE WORSHIP GROUP If your child truly needs to step out of the worship service, please have them do so during a hymn if at all possible. This will minimize distractions for others. Please refrain from bringing food or drink in the sanctuary, especially during worship. In an effort to streamline the recycling of our church bulletins, we ask that after each service you please drop your bulletins in the basket by the outside doors to the Narthex as you leave the sanctuary.

