

Resurrection United Methodist Church



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SEEDS

**Service,
Events,
Experiences, &
Discipleship
Sown
through RUMC**

Third Sunday in Lent
March 27-April 2, 2011

Ministry Areas

Mondays, 7:00 PM

Gather: 1st Monday
Elaine Truckner & Jennifer Hayden
gather@resurrectionumc.org

Proclaim: 2nd Monday
Diane Bowman
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Grow: 3rd Monday
Gail Barrett
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Serve: 4th Monday
JoAnna Cafferty
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READING & REFLECTION

Lectionary Readings

March 27, 2011

Exodus 17: 1-7
John 4:5-42

April 3, 2011

1 Samuel 16:1-13
John 9:1-41

“Jesus said to her, “Everyone who drinks of this water will be thirsty again, but those who drink the water that I will give them will never be thirsty. The water that I will give will become in them a spring of water gushing up to eternal life.” John:4:13-14

PASTOR'S CORNER

The Bible Study entitled BLESSINGS OF THE CROSS continues each Sunday and Thursday. There are some books available for anyone who wants to still join.

Lay Leadership/Nominations Committee will meet April 3, 2011 at 6:30.

Shalom, Dr. Simpson

GATHER

RUMY

RUMY is Resurrection United Methodist Youth, welcoming youth in grades 6-12 in fellowship every Sunday 5-7pm at the church. Come join us for our famous baked potato lunch after church on April 10.

Bridal Shower

Please join us for a Bridal Shower honoring JoAnna Cafferty, Sunday, April 10, 2011, 2:30pm at Resurrection United Methodist Church. In lieu of traditional gifts, JoAnna & Alvin have created a honeymoon registry. You can visit it at <http://www.travelersjoy.com/ezukacafferty> for gift ideas. RSVP to Patti Fife-patriciafife@yahoo.com or 919-403-7030.

Young Adults

Come camping with the RUMC young adults! We will be camping at Umstead State Park near Raleigh the weekend of April 1-3. If you are interested in going please contact Luke Myers at lsmyers@tuni.duke.edu.

Care Works

The April Care Works coordinator is Carrie Burnette (919-489-7021) or Esther Smith (919-450-0097).

GATHER (CONTINUED)

Prayer Shawl Ministry

The next Prayer Shawl Ministry session will be Sunday, April 3 at 3pm at Holly Mabry's house. Please email her at hfmabry@gmail.com if interested in attending. We need more knitters and crocheters. If you don't know how to do either but would like to learn, we will be more than happy to teach you.

SERVE

Open Table Ministry

Please remember the Open Table Ministry opportunities available each week. On Monday mornings at 10:30am there is a worship service for our homeless friends on the service road on 15-501 in front of Walmart and across 15-501 from Outback Steak House. Different churches rotate each Wednesday at noon to provide a hot meal for our friends. Even though we don't provide the meal each week, please come and fellowship with members of the community and volunteers from OTM. Any questions please contact Patti Fife at 919-403-7030 or patriciafife@yahoo.com

“Open Hearts, Open Minds, Open Doors”

SERVE (CONTINUED)

CROP Update

It was a great day in Durham when more than 2,000 people gathered to help end hunger one step at a time! RUMC was well represented. We will have weekly updates as walkers turn in their paperwork and donations.

Walkers: Please make every effort to collect from your sponsors in the next two weeks. If you have your materials to turn in this week, JoAnna Cafferty will be collecting them for Susan, who will be away this Sunday. Let’s keep our total growing!

Meal for Missions

Thank you to everyone who participated in the Meal for Mission event! Fun fellowship and fundraising surely did happen as we learned about the outreach of love and ministry Methodist Home for Children (MHC) provides throughout our state. It was interesting to hear about the wide variety of services they provide beyond foster homes and adoption. Did you know that only 2% of their budget comes from the NC Conference Apportionments? At Meal for Mission we raised \$1,115 as second mile giving above and beyond our share of the apportionments. To continue supporting MHC use the special offering envelopes or just mark your offering for Meal for Mission/MHC.

PROCLAIM

As the body gathers, we proclaim the glory of God and bear witness to our faith through worship, music, arts, and media.

Easter Lilies

Please see the Easter lily order form insert in the Bulletin. We will be taking orders, Sunday, March 27 and April 3. Last day to order will be April 3.

RUMC CHOIRS

**Wednesdays:
Youth Choir 5:00
Handbells 6:15
Adult Choir 7:15-8:30**

Contact any choir member or Diane Bowman (home phone 919-267-9391) for more information for the Adult Choir. Contact Sarah O’Keefe for the hand bells (charlottesmom@gmail.com).

GROW

Children’s Sunday School -Age 4-5th grade (Rm105)
The curriculum used is One Room Sunday School.

Youth Sunday School - 6th-12th grade (Rm 102) Youth are studying Claim the Life.

Damascus Road Class - Meets in back Rm of Sanctuary Studying Blessing of the Cross, Lenten Study. New-comers welcome any time.

FaithLink Class Meets in Rm 108
This class studies FaithLink.

Galatians 3 Sunday School Class - Meets in Rm107
Discussions will be centered around a study of the Book of Acts and viewing contemporary movies.

Weekly Calendar

Sun.	3/27	9:00 am 10:15 am 5:00pm 5:00pm	Sunday School Morning Worship Lent Bible Study Youth (RUMY)
Mon.	3 /28	10:30am 7:00pm	Worship Service/15-501 Serve Meeting
Wed.	3/30	12:00pm 6:15 7:15	Open Table 15/501 Lunch Handbells Adult Choir
Thurs.	3/31	11:30pm 6:30 pm	Lent Bible Study Young Adult Bible Study