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# KNOX NEWS

APRIL 2011



*Portraits  
of  
Grace*

## A note from Rev. Clinton...

*“O Lord, you have brought up my soul from Death, restored me to Life from those gone down to the Pit.”*  
Psalm 30:3

Dear Knox Members and Friends,

Geoffrey Chaucer's opening lines to *The Canterbury Tales* begins with the whimsical, *“When that April with his showers sweet...”* referring to the gentle return of Spring, when 13<sup>th</sup> century Christians went on pilgrimage to Canterbury Cathedral. Rereading this medieval classic recently, it occurred to me that Chaucer had never experienced a Chicago winter. More appropriate to an Illinois worldview, perhaps, are the opening lines of T.S. Eliot's *The Waste Land*:

*April is the cruelest month, breeding  
Lilacs out of the dead land, mixing  
Memory and desire, stirring  
Dull roots with spring rain...*

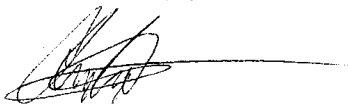
Indeed. Spring in Chicagoland is a mixture of wind, rain and mud--occasionally broken by sudden sunshine which enlivens our desire for a different reality without actually providing it. Yet just when it seems the whole world has gone to bloom without us, the stunning change occurs. Brown, muddy lawns turn emerald green overnight, growing up literally under our feet! Daffodils, hyacinths and tulips shoot skyward in a kaleidoscope of colors. Bluebells cover the forest floor. Birds are singing, and kids are playing outside. It all seems to happen in a blink of an eye...

700 years after Chaucer wrote his epic poem, perhaps we too can embark on such a pilgrimage, travelling together towards something holy, mounted not on donkeys but seated in SUV's. The purpose of the journey hasn't changed. For we too are searchers for truth, seekers of healing, following our hope and appareled with love. What we seek is Life: green, sudden and abundant; not merely resuscitated life but the power of Resurrection. What we seek is the light that springs forth from blackness, the flower that springs forth from the mud, the joy that springs forth from sorrow, the love that springs forth from despair.

Easter means all these things and more. Our life is a pilgrimage meant to be taken in company; a pilgrimage of persevering faith, hope and love; a pilgrimage towards the promise of our own resurrection where Jesus is travelling with us as our way, truth and life. Like a Chicago winter slouching slowly toward spring, the way is not always sunny or joyous or bright. Yet on those sudden mornings when the temperature climbs as high as the sun, and the kids are out playing, and the jackets come off, there is still reason to believe. There is always reason to believe. The Lord is Risen.

*“Grief may linger for a night, but joy comes in the morning... You have turned my mourning into dancing... O Lord my God, I will give thanks to you forever.”*

With resurrection joy,



# LENTEN PORTRAITS OF GRACE

## PORTRAITS of GRACE ~ Worship Themes & Special Events

- April 3 "A Woman Caught--Who Stands in Judgment?" John 8:2-11  
Communion Sunday
- April 9 A Lenten Spiritual Retreat Led by Rev. Clinton Roberts 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.  
***And Jesus said to them, "Come away by yourselves to a quiet place, and rest awhile." For many were coming and going, and they had no leisure even to eat... -Mark 6:31***  
If you, like the disciples, are living in a too-busy world and often meet yourself coming and going, consider "coming away" with Christ for a half-day spiritual retreat led by Rev. Clint. Meet at Knox on **Saturday, April 9** at 8:45 a.m., and we will find a quiet place away to take time for meditation, small group interaction and directed prayer. This time is meant to be a time of rest and renewal through silence and sharing, through stillness and through contemplation. There is no cost to come. Dress comfortably for outside activities (weather permitting), and pack a bag lunch along with your Bibles.
- April 10 "Zacheus! Zacheus!" Luke 19:1-10
- April 10 A Special Family Event - Touch the Water, Taste the Bread 11:30 a.m.  
Families interactively learn about the sacraments of Baptism and the Lord's Supper as they relive these moments in Jesus' life.
- April 17 Palm Sunday "The Last Supper and a Foot Washing" John 13  
*The Passion of Christ* will be shown on Palm Sunday at 7:00 p.m. in Lehman Hall. This movie is rated "R" for segments of graphic violence. It is suitable for adult viewing only.
- April 21 Maundy Thursday  
Prayer vigil begins at 12:00 noon and ends at 7:30 p.m. Good Friday
- April 22 Good Friday Service at 7:30 p.m.
- April 24 Easter Sunday "He is Risen!"  
6:30 a.m. Sunrise Service at Veterans Park  
(across from Grace United Methodist Church)  
9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. at Knox



**Knox Lenten Study ~ *Shadows, Darkness and Dawn*** by Thomas R. Steagald

Making more room for God is something we struggle with. Deepen your relationship to God by studying Christ' life and times.

Through this study, enter into the scriptures and stories of people who were transformed by encountering Jesus. You'll go from the wilderness with Jesus to the heart of his ministry. Easter will be that much more of a celebration of faith and new life after your Lenten journey!

Surely, you will see similarities in your life as you meet those who first followed Him and as Jesus bravely enters the shadows of rejection. You may discover shadows in your life that will be brightened by Resurrection morn. Books available in the Commons.

Study times are:

|                   |           |  |
|-------------------|-----------|--|
| Sunday Morning    | 9:00 a.m. | Leader: Brooks Reid, Sr. High Room (Basement)      |
| Sunday Evening    | 7:00 p.m. | Leader: Frank Mayer, Middle School Room            |
| Tuesday Evening   | 7:30 p.m. | Leader: Rev. Clinton, Parlor                       |
| Wednesday Evening | 7:30 p.m. | Leader: Rev. Deb, her office                       |
| Thursday Morning  | 9:30 a.m. | Leader: Rev Cindy, Choir Room, Child Care provided |

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## SPECIAL MUSICAL CONCERT DURING LENT

April 17, 3:00 p.m.  
KNOX SANCTUARY

### The Elgin Youth Symphony Orchestra and Maud Powell String Quartet join with The Beloit College Chamber Singers

The Elgin Youth Symphony Orchestra Maud Powell String Quartet offers an unparalleled opportunity for advanced string players (high school and college age) to play chamber music at the highest level and work with some of the finest artist teachers and chamber music coaches in the world. As a premiere honors ensemble of the EYSO, the MPSQ maintains an active and high profile performing schedule.

The Beloit College Chamber Singers is an advanced choral ensemble drawn by audition from the ranks of the entire student body. Although they pursue a variety of academic majors and minors, Chamber Singers members engage in an active application of music theory to their a cappella repertoire through the use of tuning forks as a learning tool. Devoted to the study and performance art of Western music, all eras and countries of origin as well as world and folk music will be represented. The students bring to their singing a collaborative spirit and passion for finding intersections between the repertoire and their liberal arts education.

These two ensembles will present a few selections on their own, and they will collaborate to perform Beethoven's *Elegischer Gesang*, Op. 118.



### FAMILY SEDER EXPERIENCE

Do you know what *haroset*, *karpas*, or *maror* are? Come find out (and eat them!). Experience the Passover the way Jesus might have done.

Join us for a Passover Seder on **Wednesday, April 20**, at 6:00 p.m. We will celebrate the Passover with a traditional ceremony centered on the family and ritual foods, followed by a delicious meal typical of a Jewish family's holiday dinner.

This is a church-wide event but will be best understood by those 8 and older. Cost is \$10 per adult, \$5 per child (8 and older--free for under 8), with a maximum of \$20 per family. Watch for the sign-up table in the Commons.



# EDUCATION

## **SUNDAYS** (See also Lenten Schedule)

Leader: Jim Clinton

10:30 a.m. in Room 202

We will have independent studies this month.

**“Old Testament” Heroes of our Judeo-Christian Faith!!** Leader: Gordon Friday

We are now entering the era of the KINGS; e.g., Saul and David. Come join us in studying GOD'S WORD.

## **TUESDAYS**

**Men's Study of Revelation** Leader: Frank Mayer

9:00 a.m. in Room 202

**Daniel** Leader: Sue Curry

9:15 a.m. in Room 203 Study by Beth Moore.

**The Study of Revelation** Leader: Rev. Deb Roberts

We will take a challenging look at the last book in the Bible, “The Revelation to John.” This has always been a difficult book to understand and apply in modern times. We will discover together the context of the book and what jewels can be lifted from it for our lives.

## **WEDNESDAYS**

**Women On Wednesdays** Leaders: Margaret Lambka & Robin Kolar

Daniel, a study by Beth Moore

WOW includes childcare and programming for young children

## **THURSDAYS**

**Daybreakers** Leader: Rev. Clinton Roberts

6:00 a.m. in the Coffee Bar

**Thursday Evening Bible Study** Leader: Eric Heinekamp

7:30 p.m. in the Sr. High Room (Basement)

The Book of Deuteronomy. All are welcome!





## CROWN MINISTRIES

Crown ministries is dedicated to helping you to manage the money God provides to us according to biblical principles. We are working our way through their "Money Map 7-Step Plan to Financial Freedom."

We are all trying to cut costs in these difficult financial times. One area people target is INSURANCE. It seems like such a waste at times, until you need it. Resist the urge not to have it! The #1 cause of bankruptcy these days is MEDICAL BILLS, while credit cards are #2. So, let's go through part of the basic needs list:

- Health Insurance - You're young and healthy, medical insurance at \$250 a month is not really "affordable." Spend 2-3 days in the hospital with pneumonia, and come out with a \$5000-\$10,000 medical bill. Is that affordable?
- Auto, Homeowner and Renters Insurance - High deductibles can save you some money, as long as you can afford the out of pocket expense

We'll review more insurance needs next time. For more information visit the crown.org website or contact Scott Elliott at selliot@wideopenwest.com or 630-357-4784.

### Children's Easter Choir

Calling all children Kindergarten through 8<sup>th</sup> grade who like to sing! Easter is April 24 and we will be forming a special Children's choir for our 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. morning services. We will sing at both services although you do not have to attend both unless you really want to! Here is the rehearsal schedule:

Wednesday, April 6  
Wednesday, April 13    All rehearsals are from 5:00 - 5:30 p.m.  
Wednesday, April 20

The children will be given a CD and a copy of the music so they will be able to practice at home.

### MIDDLE SCHOOL FELLOWSHIP/FAMILYL FELLOWSHIP EVENT Movie Night ~ *Soul Surfer*, Rated PG

The inspiring true story of Bethany Hamilton: When you come back from a loss, beat the odds and never say never, you find a champion.

Date: **Friday, April 29**  
Time: Evening  
Cost: Ticket price & snacks

If interested, contact Jenny Hubbard at 630-615-4318 or [jhubbard@knoxpres.org](mailto:jhubbard@knoxpres.org).



## MIDDLE SCHOOL FELLOWSHIP

Lazer Tag April 16

Time: 10:30 a.m-1:30 p.m. Cost: TBD

RSVP to Jenny Hubbard, [jhubbard@knoxpres.org](mailto:jhubbard@knoxpres.org), 630-615-4318

Join us on Sunday, April 10 from 11:45 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. for ~

### *TOUCH THE WATER & TASTE THE BREAD EXPLORING THE SACRAMENTS WITH CHILDREN*

Families are invited to attend all together or one adult with a child.

This event is recommended for families with children in First through Fourth Grade.

If your child is not in this age range but

you feel this event would be meaningful for your family, please join us.



Sign up in the Commons or contact the church office.

For questions contact Jane Burkelman 630-615-4303 or [jburkelman@knoxpres.org](mailto:jburkelman@knoxpres.org)

## The Sunday School Scoop



### SUNDAY SCHOOL SCHEDULE FOR SPRING:

- April 24: Easter! Sunday School does not meet.
- May 22: Last Sunday for the school year Sunday School program.
- May 29: Memorial Day Weekend. SS does not meet.
- June 5: Summer Sunday School begins with sessions at 9:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

## CHILDREN'S DAY OUT

Community Registration for Summer CDO has begun . Summer CDO is offered over 3 sessions, June 28-August 4. Sessions will meet every Tuesday and Thursday from 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Each session is \$60 per child, and registration is \$40 per family. Forms are available online at [www.knoxpres.org](http://www.knoxpres.org) or by calling the CDO office at 630-355-7544. Registration is also ongoing for Fall 2011!



# WAYS TO SERVE...

## EASTER SUNDAY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Volunteers are needed to provide childcare during the Easter Sunday services on **April 24**. Please contact Beth Burner at 630-217-7831 to help at either service.



## GO & SERVE 2011

This years Go & Serve is headed to **Westminster College in Fulton, MO, June 12-18**. The cost is \$300 per person (scholarships available; talk to Robert). Please get the registration forms on the Knox website ([www.knoxpres.org](http://www.knoxpres.org)) or in the Work Room of the Church Office. **Registration is due April 18!** The Mandatory Go & Serve Meeting is **May 18** at 7:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary.



## HUNGER SUNDAY

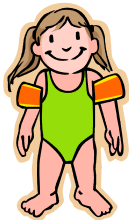
The Easter Meal Food Drive for the Loaves & Fishes Community Pantry has been scheduled for **Sunday, April 3**. If you want to participate, we are looking for donations of the following items: store gift certificates to purchase hams, 1 lb. canned ham, egg noodles, boxed potatoes, canned yams or sweet potatoes, canned sliced pineapple, canned green beans or corn, cream of mushroom soup, Jell-O & pudding mixes, and cake mixes & frosting. You can leave your donation in or near the Loaves & Fishes Bin next to the Mission Council table. Thank you so much for your help!

## HESED HOUSE

We are always in need of volunteers for both food donations and evening shifts on site. The next volunteer night is **Saturday, April 23**. Contact Doug or Jan Isley at 630-904-4496 if you can help with this vital mission.



There is an ongoing need for bicycles by Hessed House guests. Often times a bike will serve as a guests only reliable (and affordable) means of transportation to and from work. If you have a bike that is in very good working condition that you wish to donate, please contact Joan Schaeffer at 630-416-1765.



## SISSETON DONATION NEEDS

- Swimsuits & towels (used are OK). Girls one-piece suits size 12-18 are especially needed, but we will take any size or gender for adults or kids.
- For VBS "goodie bags": Beanie Babies, Happy Meal toys, any small toy that will fit in a lunch box, small stuffed animals.

Please leave donations in the Sisseton Bin at the Mission table.



## **DAKOTA PARTNERSHIP 2011 FAMILY GO & SERVE**

**June 25-July 1**

Do you want to go on a mission trip with your family and the Knox family? This is a great way to serve and spend quality time with them. The best part is that it is not roughing it. You get to stay in a hotel (with possibly a pool), fabulous food, and daily worship with Clint. Best of all you get to interact with our fellow Chicago and Native American Christians. For more information contact Mat Hacker, Clint Roberts, Margaret Lambka, Sue & Lorne Pollard, Nancy Fry, Robin Kolar or Julie Milldrum.

## **PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN'S ANNUAL FLOWER SALE**

Are you sick of winter and ready to start thinking of spring?? It's time for the annual Presbyterian Women's Flower Sale!! Start planning which annuals you need and how many hanging baskets you'd like! They also make great Mother's Day gifts! The forms are available online or between services each Sunday through April 10. Flower delivery will be on the front lawn **Thursday, May 5**, after 11:00 a.m. Please return your order forms by Sunday, April 10. Contact Dee Dee Porter if you have any questions at 416-8072 or [Porterace@comcast.net](mailto:Porterace@comcast.net).

## **FILL-A-TRUCK SUNDAY**

As sunny days are increasing, it's time to get ready for Spring! On **Sunday, May 8**, Knox will again partner with Wayside Cross Ministries (WCM) to present the 3rd Annual "Fill-A-Truck" Sunday. For the past two years we've filled the Wayside Cross truck. This effort provides clothes for the men and women living at the ministry and clothing to be sold in the Hope Chest Resale store. Clothing that is unusable can also be sold in bulk to bring in money for the Ministry programs.

Put side your outgrown, ratty or just plain out of season or out of style clothes; toys of a reasonable size; toiletries for both men and women; and unopened medicinal products such as Tylenol and seasonal allergy medicine. On May 8 the truck will be at Knox 8:30-11:30 a.m. accepting your donations.

If you would like to know more about this mission opportunity or Wayside Cross Ministries, call Gary McGregor at 630-926-2603.

## **MISSION OPPORTUNITY**

Earthquake. Tsunami. Nuclear melt down. Any one of these disasters could be catastrophic. Rescue efforts continue in Japan following the March 11 tsunami and earthquake and the growing nuclear crisis. Thousands have been confirmed dead, tens of thousands are missing, and hundreds of thousands have been evacuated. The Presbyterian Church (USA) is responding through **Presbyterian Disaster Assistance (PDA)** and our ecumenical and mission partners. Already, \$100,000 from the One Great Hour of Sharing offering has been sent to provide immediate relief.



## **PASTOR'S DISCRETIONARY FUND**

Friends of Knox we thank you! You continue to share of yourselves with generosity!

In 2010 and the first part of 2011 Knox has given out nearly \$60,000 from the **Pastor's Discretionary Fund (PDF)**. This money has gone to assist families and individuals in life sustaining and encouraging ways during these devastating economic times. We are able to offer this assistance, quietly and anonymously, for the dignity of recipients.

The array of needs has often been mind boggling. Just a few examples include assisting people who are struggling with insurance problems, or the lack of insurance. We have helped many with medical costs or counseling fees. Together we have helped people with car concerns in order that they may continue to work or find work. We have helped with mortgage costs while families undergo re-financing. We offer scholarships for a variety of events that may be what individuals need the most at this time and cannot afford. We provide a great deal of assistance during the holidays so that Christmas arrives with food and presents. We put food on tables and gas in cars and attend to many other needs.

Thank you Knox! If you would like to make a donation to the PDF, just make a notation for the PDF or talk to Rita Eagleson, our church financial secretary.

## **CHURCH LIFE COUNCIL**

Church Life Council is always looking for the next group, family or individual that want to do the Sunday Coffee Hour on Sunday for our Knox family. The set up process is painless, and we give you all the instructions and guidance you need. Contact Sue Ann Kufrin at [sueann5@msn.com](mailto:sueann5@msn.com) or Betty Barcheski at [betty@barcheski.com](mailto:betty@barcheski.com) to add your name to the few and proud that serve the Coffee Bar!

Want to do more than just coffee? Church Life Council is always looking for people to serve as a member. We get to plan all the fun activities for Knox, like the Sunday School Kickoff, Advent Family Event, and of course the Coffee Bar. Our meetings are usually on the first Sunday of the month after the second service. Come join in our fellowship by contacting Sue Ann Kufrin at [sueann5@msn.com](mailto:sueann5@msn.com) or by talking to Rev. Cindy.

## **CROP WALK THANK YOU**

Good news from the Naperville Area CROP Walk organization--the final numbers for the 2010 CROP Walk are in, and overall it was a successful walk. \$63,595 was raised by 607 walkers. Many thanks to all the walkers and their sponsors. 25% will stay in our community with Loaves & Fishes Community Food Pantry being one of the beneficiaries. The remaining 75% will be used to respond to emergency situations and natural disasters, for refugee assistance, to secure food supplies and to provide clean drinking water.



## PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN OF KNOX THANK YOU

The Presbyterian Women of Knox would like to thank all who helped make the Valentine Bake sale a success. We raised over \$1,600 for the Pastor's Discretionary Fund. We are also looking for the recipes of all the baked goods sold at the bake sale in order to compile a book of recipes. If you were one of the bakers, please send the recipe for your baked good to Carollyn Lorenz at [rnclorenz@compcast.net](mailto:rnclorenz@compcast.net).

## CHURCH NEWS

### FAMILY CAMP 2011 ~ Presbyterian Camps in Saugatuck, MI June 26 - July 2

Reservations are still being accepted for Family Camp at Saugatuck. A \$300 deposit check is needed to reserve your choice of cabin. Questions? Contact Ginger Ovens 630-527-8139 or [bgovens@wideopenwest.com](mailto:bgovens@wideopenwest.com).

### MEN'S RETREAT

July 15-17

LaSalle Manor, Plano

Save the date for the annual men's retreat! Cost: \$170. For more information contact Steve Tompkins 630-416-1762 [stompkins@wideopenwest.com](mailto:stompkins@wideopenwest.com) or Bill Morgan 630-420-2423 [snbmorgan@wideopenwest.com](mailto:snbmorgan@wideopenwest.com).



### KNOX MERCHANDISE ALWAYS AVAILABLE

Are you thinking of that special gift to give to someone for Confirmation, Graduation, Anniversary, or another special occasion? There is always a supply of gold and silver crosses available for you in the church office.

**Contact Bev Mayer (630-615-4325) for more info:**

**Prices are as follows:**

Gold cross only - \$60 or Sterling Silver Pendant in a box - \$45

Sterling Silver Pendant with 18" chain in a box - \$55 or

Sterling Silver Pendant with 22" chain in a box - \$60

### GLUTEN FREE COMMUNION TRAY

There is a **gluten free communion tray at the 10:30 a.m. service**. The gluten free bread will always be served at the right rear position. If you have gluten sensitivity/allergy, check with the server to make sure you go to the correct tray. (Even though the bread is prepared in an offsite gluten free kitchen, we cannot be responsible for any cross contamination that might occur.)



## WAYS TO GET INVOLVED..

### HALL OF FAMERS LUNCHEON

**April 7**

Noon

Lehman Hall

The program will be Knox Revisited~A Tour of John Knox's Scotland, presented by Revs. Clinton and Deb Roberts. A worship service at 11:30 a.m. in the Chapel will precede the luncheon. Please R.S.V.P. to Edna Shepherd at 630-357-1067 by April 4.

### PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN

- **Mary/Martha Circle** will meet on Tuesday, **April 12**, at 9:00 a.m., at the home of Joan Tanck, 924 Piedmont Circle, 630-778-6322. All women are welcome to join us. Contact person is Ineke Pelella 630-357-3350.
- **Rachel-Rebekah Circle** will meet on Tuesday, **April 12**, at 9:30 a.m., at the home of Eileen Engstrom, 1253 Jane Ave., 630-369-1774. Contact person is Ruth Feightner 630-355-6451.
- **Deborah Circle** will not meet again until the Spring. Contact person is Donna Christopher 815-372-1424.
- **Ruth Circle** will meet on Thursday, **April 21**, at Knox at 7:30 p.m., in the Parlor. All women are welcome. Contact Pam Williams 630-470-5199 or Bev Mayer at 630-615-4325 if you would like to join us.

### MEN'S MONTHLY BREAKFAST

**April 9**

8:00 a.m.

Fellowship Hall

Our speaker will be Knox's own arborist, Pete Ritenour, who will speak on caring for our trees and shrubs. To register, contact Frank Mayer at [fjmayerxge@comcast.net](mailto:fjmayerxge@comcast.net). Donation \$5.

### EVENING BOOK CLUB

**April 12**

7:30 p.m.

Parlor

Our discussion of *Zeitoun* by Dave Eggers is scheduled for **April 12**. It is a nonfiction book about a couple caught up in Hurricane Katrina. New members and drop-ins are always welcome. Questions? Call Janice Wiles at 630-416-9537.



# CARE MINISTRIES

## **Nursing Home/Home Bound:**

***Pick up a weekly prayer concerns card in the Narthex for a list of our members who are in nursing homes & home bound.***

## **Illness/Health Concerns:**

Corine Borg  
Mary Cahill (Bob Van Iten's niece)  
Joy Caldwell (hospice - Beth Elmen's mother)  
Pat Carter  
Haroldine Chandler (Deb Robert's mother)  
Bob Coffey  
Bette Coleman  
Sheila Cruickshank (Ken's mother)  
Edie Evans (Jan Parry's mother)  
Kim Fisher (Steve Russell's cousin)  
Don Fleschut, St. (Don Jr.'s father)  
Jeff Foltz  
Ken & Beverly Fordham (parents of Patti De-Nichols)  
Dan Foster (Sue Pollard's brother-in-law)  
Fred Gislain  
Don & Irene Greenhall (Diana Newby's parents)  
Ben Hart  
Carl Haworth  
John Holden (Isabella's son)  
Helen Hollenbeck (Lynn Bednar.s mother)  
Rudy Janke (John Janke's brother)  
Cyndi Jendro  
Carol Juntenen  
Sara Laker (friend of Rita Eagleson)  
Peggy Legasi (friend of Judy Ancona)  
Cathy Lemke  
Ralph Lies (John's tather)  
Kristina Mastrino's brother Rick & his family  
Rick McGowen (Janice Palfenier's brother-in-law)  
John Morten (Judy & Gary's grandson in Afghanistan)  
Sandy Nelson (friend of Bonnie Olson)  
John Nolte (friend of the Isley's)  
Kathi Olson

Jim Paauwe (Susan McVittie's father)  
Jean Parker  
Mabel Paxton  
Jim Sleith  
Karen Smallwood  
Justin Souta (Helen's grandson)  
Kris Spinelli (Jeff Frederickk's sister)  
Kathy Spinka  
Phyllis Walker (Merle Ann Moore's cousin)  
Gavin Wheeler (Dick's grandson)  
Lois Whitlock  
Eleanor Wick  
Jeanne Williams

## **Grieving:**

The Clinton family on the death of Jim's mother, Ruth Ann Gehrke, on February 14.  
The Dunne family on the death of Tim's mother, Rosemary Dunne, on February 12.  
The Dunphey family on the death of Bob's mother, Evelyn Marie Dunphey, on February 20.  
The Eagleson family on the death of Rita's uncle, Charles Ley, on March 4.  
The Hershey family on the death of June's brother-in-law, John Beck, on March 11.  
The Hild family on the death of Jeff's sister-in-law, Theresa Hild, on March 4.  
The Kyser family on the death of Jim's mother, Caroline Kyser, on March 3.  
The Larson family on the death of Ruth on March 8.  
The Newbauer family on the death of Julie's father, Patrick Mulkerrin, on March 7.  
The Wigger family on the death of Kim's mother, Launa Medlock, on March 14.  
The Zwiars family on the death of their son-in-law, Wes Ryan, on February 24.

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**Celebrating:**

Jeffrey & Sara Egan on the birth of their daughter, Vivian Cecilia Egan, on February 17.

Hubert & Nanette Fonou on the birth of their daughter, Chloe Fonou, on February 2.

Paul & Mary Gartner on the birth of their son, Owen Samuel Gartner, on March 1. Proud grandmother is Rosalie Gartner.

Chris & Kelly Drevalas on the birth of their daughter, Taylor Elizabeth Drevalas, on March 2.

Brian & Christine Pour on the birth of their daughter, Grace Christine Pour, on January 15.

John & Megan Thies on the birth of their daughter, Rosemary Jean Thies, on March 8. Proud great-grandfather is John Thompson.

**S.H.I.P.**

Isabella Holden will not be available to help with senior health issues until further notice. If you need help, please go to the Senior Health Insurance Program website at <http://www.insurance.illinois.gov/ship/>.



**SEEKING EMPLOYMENT**

Success: Matt Kelly and Sam Slick have found employment!

Those still looking: Arthur Badillo, Bill Birzetis, Don Clouston, Neels de Coning, Mary Ekin, Rosalie Gartner, Lynne Jelle, Becky Kedzie, Merrill Miller, Sally Mueller, Davida Smith, Joe Sova, Anne Swanson.

**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

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| April | 3  | Communion Sunday<br>Hunger Sunday   |
| April | 5  | Stroke Prevention Life Line Screening   |
| April | 7  | Hall of Famers Luncheon, Noon   |
| April | 9  | Men's Monthly Breakfast, 8 a.m.<br>Lenten Spiritual Retreat, 8:45 a.m.                      |
| April | 10 | Touch the Water, Taste the Bread, 11:45 a.m.  |
| April | 12 | Presbyterian Women Circles begin meeting, various times<br>Evening Book Club, 7:30 p.m.     |
| April | 16 | Middle School Event, 7:30 p.m. (off site)   |
| April | 17 | Palm Sunday<br>Special Music Concert, 3:00 p.m.<br><i>The Passion of Christ</i> , 7:00 p.m. |
| April | 20 | Family Seder Experience, 6:00 p.m.  |
| April | 21 | Maundy Thursday   |
| April | 22 | Good Friday   |
| April | 23 | Hesed House (off site)  |
| April | 24 | Easter Sunday   |
| April | 29 | Middle School Family Fellowship Event (off site)  |



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