



NEWS FROM FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH | KNOXVILLE

ACTIVITIES FOR TODAY

The Board of Deacons will meet at 12:15 p.m. in the session room.
The Christian Education Committee will meet at 12:15 p.m. in the library.
Good Humor Team #2 will cook and serve a meal for the homeless today. Team members should notify team captains, Elizabeth and Woody Henderson at 588-5955, if unable to participate.

ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK

The Women's Bible Study will meet on Monday, January 18, at 9:30 a.m., in the Rule Classroom.

The Presbyterian Women Knitting Group will meet on Tuesday, January 19 at 10:00 a.m. in the library.

The Wednesday Evening Meal and Programs, will be held on January 20, beginning with a congregational meal prepared by Castle Team #2. Adult programs through February 10th are as follows: William Pender will be teaching *Presbyterianism 101*. The class will meet in the Discipleship classroom under the chapel. Paul Rader will be teaching *Journey through Journaling*. The class will meet in the Carrick classroom under the chapel. Kally Elliott will teach *Theology on Tap*, an off-site discussion of faith issues.

Session will meet on Wednesday, January 20 at 7:30 p.m. in the session room.



The 2010 Leadership Retreat will be held January 22 through January 24 at the MainStay Suites in Pigeon Forge, Tennessee. **Directions to the MainStay Suites are as follows:** Take I-40 East to Exit #407 to Highway 66 which becomes US 441. Follow US 441 to Pigeon Forge, turn right at traffic light #6 (Shoney's Restaurant), which is Pine Mountain Road. Drive about 1/2 mile and the hotel will be on your right.

LEADERSHIP RETREAT SCHEDULE:

Friday, January 22: 4:00 - 6:00 p.m. Check-In at Hotel; **6:00 p.m.** Dinner; **7:00 p.m.** Program in Mill Creek Room.

Adult
Sunday School Classes



Sunday School on January 24: All adult classes are invited to meet for Bible study with the Knox Fellowship team in the chapel at 9:45 a.m.

OF CONGREGATIONAL INTEREST

Good Humor Team #6 will cook and serve breakfast for the homeless on Sunday, January 24. Team members should notify team captain, Steve Doak at 740-0611, if unable to participate.

Parents' Day Out will be closed on Monday, January 18th in celebration of Martin Luther King Jr. Day.

Community School of the Arts will be closed on Monday, January 18th in celebration of Martin Luther King Jr. Day.

WEEKLY CALENDAR
FOR GROUPS AND COMMITTEES
JANUARY 17 THROUGH JANUARY 23

Sunday, 1/17

8:45 a.m. Chapel Worship Service
 9:30 a.m. Coffee Fellowship
 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
 10:40 a.m. Coffee Fellowship
 11:00 a.m. Sanctuary Worship Service
 12:15 p.m. Handbell Rehearsal
 12:15 p.m. Board of Deacons Meet
 12:15 p.m. CE Committee Meets
 Good Humor Team #2

Monday, 1/18

12:00 p.m. Al-Anon Meets
 9:30 a.m. Women's Bible Study

Tuesday, 1/19

9 a.m.-2 p.m. Parents' Day Out
 10:00 a.m. PW Knitting Group

Wednesday, 1/20

5:30 p.m. Evening Meal
 6:00 p.m. Covenant Choir Rehearsal
 6:30 p.m. Programs
 7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal
 7:30 p.m. Session Meets

Thursday, 1/21

9 a.m.-2 p.m. Parents' Day Out

Friday, 1/22

Leadership Retreat

Saturday, 1/23

Leadership Retreat

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (USA) MISSION CO-WORKERS

Douglas Dicks Jordan
 Frank and Nancy Dimmock Lesotho

Jed Koball and Alexandra Buck Peru
 Farris and Thelma Goodrum Brazil

Thomas and Judy Harvey England
 Carlton and Dessa Palm Philippines

VISITORS ARE WELCOME!

Please sign the Friendship Book to let us know you were here!

Infrared headset receivers for the hearing impaired with printed instructions may be obtained from your usher. Please leave the headset in the seat after each service.

Childcare is provided for infants through first grade during all chapel and sanctuary services for the convenience of the children and parents, and the congregation.

Enlarged copies of today's Sanctuary Order of Worship are located at the doors to the sanctuary.

If you would like to listen to our 11:00 a. m. worship service on our webcast, please go to liveaudio.fpcknox.org. If you are a member and are experiencing any problem with getting the service, please notify the church office and someone from the Communications Committee will help you set up your computer so that you will be able to listen to the service.

Copies of our Pastors' sermons for the previous Sunday are available outside all doors of the sanctuary and chapel for one week and thereafter are located in the church library. Copies of past sermons from August 11, 2002, (except for guest ministers) can also be found on our website at www.fpcknox.org/sermons

Wheelchairs are available near the elevators on the sanctuary level for those who have difficulty walking. Please call ahead if you will need help from the parking lot. Ushers will assist you.

In the event of inclement weather notification of cancellation of services, will be a recorded message (546-2531), on your email, or our website.

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PLEASE NOTE: *Submissions to the "Turnip Patch Times"* must be received in the office by **noon on the Monday** prior to the upcoming Sunday. Submissions may be placed in the offering plate, submitted on a communication pew card (found with the offering envelopes), brought to the office, faxed to 546-2533 or emailed to times@fpcknox.org or barb@fpcknox.org. To avoid errors, we cannot take submissions over the phone.

James White Legacy Fund

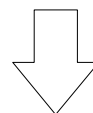


James White gave his turnip patch for the founding of the first congregation in Knoxville. That gift has continued to support ministry for over 200 years. The James White Legacy Fund is an endowment that contributes an annual pledge in the name of the member who has joined the Church Triumphant (in general, a bequest of 20 times or more of the annual pledge will endow one's pledge). The following members of the Church Triumphant have endowed their pledge to support ministry today and for generations to come.

Elizabeth Smith
Jean Davidson
Bud Davidson

For more information, contact Ginny Morrow,
chair of the Endowment Committee.

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So sorry about having to cancel our breakfast on the 9th due to inclement weather.

PLAN ON ATTENDING
OUR SPECIAL
VALENTINE'S
BREAKFAST ON
FEBRUARY 6TH
AT 8:30 A.M.
AND INVITE YOUR
SPECIAL LADY TO
COME ALONG.



Valentine's
Day Breakfast



FIRST SENIORS JANUARY PROGRAM

I know you have heard of the Gobi Desert, but what does Gobi mean? What is a Ger? Come to the January meeting of the FIRST SENIORS on Thursday, January 28 and Jean Mayer, Carolyn Dougall and Joanne Schuetz will tell you all you want to know about Mongolia and their program *Adventures in Mongolia*. They recently went on a Friendship Force mission to Mongolia and have a wonderful story.

Join us in the James Park Class for coffee
at 10:00 and the program at 10:30.

DON'T MISS THIS OUTSTANDING PROGRAM!



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