
Welcome To Church of the Roses

IF YOU ARE A VISITOR and would like information about our church and membership, indicate your interest by signing our Friendship Folder or see one of the pastors after worship. **Inside the Friendship Folder, please find a rose to put on your lapel so we can greet you as visitors.**

PASTORAL CARE & CONCERN: Our staff cares about you, your concerns, and your questions about living the Christian faith. We encourage you to be in touch with us. For personal conversation, please contact our Pastor directly to arrange a mutually agreeable time by calling the church office (542-4272). Or you may correspond via other means: letter, fax (542-5109) or e-mail office@churchroses.org.

NURSERY CARE: All ages are welcome in our worship. We have a well-supplied nursery at the back of the sanctuary where parents may go with their young children if necessary. A baby changing station is located in the room next door to the women's large restroom, near the Sunday school rooms.

SUNDAY SCHOOL: Ages 2-4 check in with the Sunday School Superintendent, and then they may go to their room (Yellow Room) before worship. Ages 4 through grade 6 are invited to stay and worship until they are dismissed to Sunday School in the Blue/Red Room. Youth (grades 7 and up) are invited to stay and worship with their families.

HEARING ASSISTANCE: We have an FM receiver with ear buds. Please check with a sound technician.

AUDIO CD: Recordings of today's service will be available in the Church Office at noon on Tuesday. There is no charge.

A LOOK AT UPCOMING SUNDAYS

February 12th

Healing in Unexpected Places

Scripture: 2 Kings 5:1-14

Are we willing to take risks to become the whole people that we need to become? Let's look at the story of King Naaman who crosses cultural boundaries to find a cure.

February 19th

Peaking with Jesus – the transfiguration

Today's science backs up the experience of spiritual highs. In the Biblical realm, such peak spiritual experiences are often linked to mountain peaks. How can we pay attention to these moments and understand them?

THIS WEEK AT CHURCH OF THE ROSES

SUNDAY 8:15 Bible Study “The Kerygma Program” –
(2/5) *Please note: location in Blue & Red Classrooms*
10:00 Worship – Elder Chris Rhodes

MONDAY **Office Closed**
(2/6) **MHS Breakfast (Mon – Fri)**
7:00 Boy Scouts

TUESDAY 8:30 Building and Grounds Crew *Bowen*
(2/7) 10:00 PW Coordinating Meeting *Adult Ed*
11:30 Staff Meeting *Conf*
1:00 Membership Meeting *Adult Ed*
6:30 Children & Youth *Library*

WEDNESDAY 10:30 Pastor’s Class *Rose*
(2/8) 2:00 Fellowship Meeting *Library*

THURSDAY 12:00 Simply Friends Group *Adult Ed*
(2/9) 6:00 Bellissimo
7:30 Choir

FRIDAY *No Scheduled Events*
(2/10)

SATURDAY *No Scheduled Events*
(2/11)

SUNDAY 8:15 Bible Study “The Kerygma Program” *Classrooms*
(2/12) 10:00 Worship – the Rev. Renee Rico
11:00 Sunday Forum with Laurie Fong of MHS *Rose*

THE GROUP FORMERLY KNOWN AS “COFFEE WITH CUSHMAN” is on hiatus pending discussions with our new Interim Pastor. Stay tuned for further announcements.

2012 PER CAPITA APPORTIONMENT FEE: The Session requests that those members who are able to cover the cost of the per capita apportionment (which supports our Presbytery, Synod and General Assembly programs), do so with the envelope provided in the pledge boxes. This year the per capita payment is \$30.00.

CONGRATULATIONS TO BILL ST. JOHN who is celebrating 45 YEARS with the Boy Scouts of America. He will be in uniform today, on February 5th, to honor this special occasion. Today is “Scout Sunday.”

CARES AND CONCERNS

For the week of February 5, 2012 – February 12, 2012

PRAYERS FOR THE HOMEBOUND: Margaret Brittle (moved to Parkside Convalescent Hospital), Julia Cadwell, Lenore “Scotty” Foster, Jack Gaffney, and Sally Henderson.

PRAYERS FOR OTHERS: Margaret Allen (member), Gene Baughman (brother of Arlene Consoli), Dottie Blades (member), Mary Bodily (member), Beverly Bruns (previous member), Cason William Cadwell (Julia Cadwell’s grandson), Brad Dreyer (friend of Barbara McElroy), Jean Dumont (friend of Marilyn Hilen), Gladys Faris (Karla Moberly’s mother), Matt French (Randy and Diane Pierce’s nephew), **Cindy Goede (member)**, Genevie Grand (member), Monte Keleher (Julia Fenner’s nephew), Larry & Pat Kocher (members), Jeanne MacDonald (member), Drs. Les & Cynthia Morgan (missionaries), Dan O’Brien (member), Stella Odenbaugh (member), Marilyn Petty (member), Tom Peugh (member), Karen Robidoux (Pat & Hal Sneath’s daughter), Kay & Norman Roddick (members), Bobby Rude (Chris and Sam Imbimbo’s grandson), Pamela Sage (member), Betty Smith (Maynard Smith’s wife), William St. John (member), Marv Stark (member), Marilyn Van Donge (friend of Julie Marquette).

PRAYERS FOR OUR FAMILY SERVICE PEOPLE: *Jason Imbimbo* (Sam & Chris Imbimbo’s grandson) now in San Diego; *Timothy Cadwell* (Julia Cadwell’s grandson) serving in Afghanistan; *Scott Baker* (Brian and Val Baker’s son) serving in Ramstein, Germany; *Tracey Peterson* (Lewis Gobble’s grandson) serving in Tucson, AZ., *Jason Morse* (Bill St. John’s nephew) serving in Iraq, *Sgt. Nicholas Tayler* (Marilyn Hilen’s grandson) serving in North Carolina, waiting to be deployed anytime now.

PRAYER REQUESTS: Please call the office at 542-4272 when the situation changes for loved ones on the prayer list so that we can keep the prayer list up to date.



SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY CONTINUES led by Chris Rhodes. Join us Sunday mornings at 8:15 a.m. in the Blue and Red Classrooms for “The Kerygma Program.”

THE PICTORIAL DIRECTORIES HAVE ARRIVED at the church and will be given out to those families that are eligible. Eligible families are those that had their pictures taken by Olan Mills and those who submitted pictures. If you did not receive yours, please visit the church office to pick up your copy.

“LENTEN WEDNESDAY EVENINGS” will begin on February 22nd. Please see insert in this week’s bulletin for more information!

WE WILL HAVE A SUNDAY FORUM NEXT SUNDAY, ON FEBRUARY 12TH featuring speaker Laurie Fong, Principal of Montgomery High School. Come learn more about our neighboring high school after worship in the Rose Room.

PW WILL MEET ON FEBRUARY 21st for Bible Study at 10:30 a.m. (Lesson 5). Following the Luncheon at 12:15 the program for the day will be a dramatic reading of excerpts, selected by Alice Crouch, from “*The People, Yes!*” This monumental poem by Carl Sandburg is a celebration of the American people in all their diversity.

THE REV. RENEE RICO WILL BE TAKING STUDY LEAVE beginning today, February 5th, and will return to the office on Sunday, February 12th. She will be at the Interim Ministry Consortium Event at Montreat Conference Center in Montreat, NC, where she will gather with interim ministry educators from across the denomination, looking at how interim ministry is changing given the new kind of church we are called to be in at this moment in the 21st century. Please contact Chris Rhodes at 484-4189 if you need assistance during this time.

FELLOWSHIP will meet at 2:00 p.m. on **February 8th** in the Library.

“SHARING OUR DEFICIT” CARDS are available in the church pews for those that would like to help with our deficit by making an additional contribution. Just a small additional contribution would eliminate the deficit and put the church on sound financial footing. The printed cards for recording the “share” pledge can be filled out and dropped into the offering plate, or dropped off at the church office.

OUR NEW BOOK CLUB SELECTION FOR FEBRUARY IS *CUTTING FOR STONE* by Abraham Verghese. Come join the discussion Thursday, February 16th at 4:00 p.m. We will meet in the Library.

SHARING OUR FAVORITE FILMS: *SOMEWHERE IN TIME WILL BE SHOWN THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 23RD IN THE ROSE ROOM THEATER.* This is a romantic drama chosen by Barbara Saunders. Filmed in 1980 at the historic Grand Hotel on Mackinac Island, Michigan, it stars Christopher Reeve, Jane Seymour and Christopher Plummer. This movie inspired a fan club that meets at the Grand Hotel each year to revisit the scenic setting of the film and to enjoy the old time elegance of the hotel with the longest porch!

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN’S EVENING BIBLE STUDY GROUP will meet on February 20th at 7:00 p.m. in the Library. Call Jeanette at 537-7898 for more information.

THE ANNUAL REPORT is available online! You can read the full report at www.churchroses.org, or feel free to pick up a copy at the church office.

VOYAGERS! It’s time again for our annual BUNCO competition. It’s a great game and lots of fun, and it is very easy to learn. The gathering will be at the home of Gene and Carole Michel on Saturday, February 25, 2012 at 7:00 p.m. The calling committee will be calling members with further details. Any questions, call Gene or Carole at 542-5572.

ZEPHYR EXPERIENCE – 2012. It’s time now to sign up for the annual retreat at Zephyr Point Conference Center at Lake Tahoe, which will be Sunday, July 8 to Friday, July 13. Brochures with information about Zephyr Experience – 2012 are on the *Retreats* Bulletin Board in Bowen Hall.