



Community of Grace Presbyterian Church

In the life of our church...

...for the week of March 21, 2010.

Seeing as God sees, and making a difference

in the lives of those in need.

All Church

Deacon of the Month for March. If you are not able to reach Lisa Wiscomb, Moderator of the Deacons, at (801) 942-8140, please contact our "Co-Moderator of the Month for March", Denise Harris at (801) 572-3022.

Annual Easter Egg Hunt – Saturday April 3rd at Community of Grace. Toddlers – 4th graders are invited with their parents and friends to join us for basket and hat decorating beginning at 9:30am. Egg Hunt begins promptly at 10:30am followed by hot coco, donuts and hot cross buns; wraps up by 11:30am.

Where is the Purple Potty?! The Purple Potty will reach it's first destination today. Insurance will be available every Sunday in the Narthex. **30 Hour Famine sign ups** will be available in the narthex starting TODAY! You can sign up to participate the whole 30 hours, come to breakfast at Belgium Waffle (April 24), bring food for the Break-the-Fast lunch (April 25), or just get more information on the Fast. We also have t-shirts available for \$10 each.

Ushers & Greeters Needed for Easter Sunday We'll need some extra Greeters for April 4th – Easter Sunday – particularly at the 11:00 service. The sign up sheet is on the Welcome Table. Please feel free to take a copy of the Usher/Greeter Information & Training material. If you've never been an Usher or a Greeter, this will give you an idea of what this important ministry involves. For those of you who have served COG in this ministry, **Thank You!** Please take a packet also and if you have questions or comments, email Kathy@cogpc.org

The Nominating committee is currently soliciting names of interested candidates for Elder and Deacon positions. Job descriptions and short questionnaires are available from Debbie Colt if you are interested in being considered for one of these positions.

Monthly Church Event Calendar – Copies of our monthly calendar and other special event information is available at the Welcome Desk.

Spring worship includes an 8:30 contemporary service and 11:00 am traditional service.

Faith In Action

Crossroads Community Food Co-op March Pick Up on Saturday March 27th.

Crossroads food for the month of March is peanut butter. The thrift store items are bathroom items: towels, rugs, shower curtains.

Thank you Salvation Army Sandwich makers and servers! We had a wonderful group of sandwich makers last Sunday and the children did an awesome job putting the Happy St. Patrick's Day stickers on the baggies!

Adult

Drop into our Lenten Series featuring Spiritual Gifts. Class will be held in Room 1AB 9:45-10:45

Ezekiel bible study will meet in Room 1C

"Becoming a Woman of Simplicity" is a new study on Wednesday mornings from 9:30 - 11:00 here at Community of Grace. Come join with other women of all different ages for a time of study and fellowship. We learn a lot about God's plan for our lives and have fun in the process! Everyone is welcome. If you have questions, call or email Carron Kopren or Kathy McGuinness.

It's Okay to Be Human...An important theme of the Lenten season is the humanity of Christ. In Jesus, God became human and fully experienced the wide range of emotions we all encounter in life. Jesus experienced times of loneliness, sadness, hurt, anger, disappointment, grief and abandonment. That is part of being human. Another part of being human is needing help from each

other. God never intended us to be completely self-sufficient. Part of God's plan is for each of us to turn to others for help when we need it. So when you are experiencing difficult times, don't struggle alone. Our Stephen Ministers will walk with you, listen to you, encourage you, pray with you, and provide confidential one-to-one care to help you through tough times. Stephen Ministers can bring the love of Jesus back into your life. To learn more about Stephen Ministry, talk to one of our Stephen Leader Sherry Britt 801-733-0083 Our Stephen Ministers are ready to care for you!

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Martha Craft Circle: Tuesday March 30 7-9 pm. Bring Your Own Craft! Carron Kopren for info
801-942-0967

Volunteers of America Presentation on April 5 at 7:00 p.m. Karen Keene will be the guest speaker, giving an overview of the ministry of Volunteers of America. We will be collecting women's underwear (new), socks, and toiletries of VOA. Please plan to attend and bring a friend. Childcare available: call Kristin Gorang (801) 562-8820

PW in the Presbytery of Utah Spring Gathering 2010 is April 16 and 17 at Ogden First Presbyterian Church (880 28th Street, Ogden, UT) Our theme is "God Will Do Wonders Among You," a mini re-creation of the 2009 CWG. Registration is \$10 and includes 3 meals. The Gathering will feature the following workshops: **Friday:** Spirituality Center, Journeys through Rev.: "The Rapture Exposed." **Saturday:** Chair Yoga for Christians, Spirituality Center, Daily "Wonder" Symbols: Interpretations/Linkages, Women of the Bible, and Immigration: Where We Are and What You Can Do. See signup poster in the narthex for registration and information.