



St. John's

EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Notes & Announcements

June 20, 2010

Prayer Requests

For Healing: John Allen, Bob Benson, Anthony Bitting, Serena Cann, Ralph Coleman, Brian Denny, Georgia Ewing, Burt Fowles, Melinda Franks, Lamar Grimmitt, Donna Hall, Tom Herbkersman, Laura Wells Hiers, Rudy Jones, Susan Love, Morris Lumpkin, Chris MacDougall, Joyce Mann, Sandra Martin, Mickie Mathes, Kathryn McCormick, Marilyn Meacham, Susan Michaels, Jim Mittenzwei, Evan Pertile, Earl Redout, Sam Roberts, Dominic Rocco, Allen Rogers, Greg Rollings, Frances Sak, Aloo Tata, John Thomas, Stace Todd, John Tolar, Polly Watts, Martha Weed, Ann Wells, Pearl Wilson

For Expectant Parents: Margaret & Matt Bodman, Bramley & Thomas Faulds, Caroline & Jimmy Hartley, Taylor & Mike Rider, Laura & Scott Winburn

For Active Military: Fred Aldrich, John Benson, Michael Fisher, Michael Hook

This Week at St. John's . . .

Welcome to St. John's Episcopal Church. We hope you enjoy worshiping with us today. If you are a visitor, please fill out a visitor card located in the pews and place it in an alms basin or give it to an usher. If you would like to speak with someone about our church, please contact Ashley Jaillette with the Newcomer and Visitor's Committee at 803-331-5491 or ajaillette@alumni.clemson.edu. We are happy to have you here today!

Connections, a group for singles, and couples married and unmarried, in their 20's and 30's, will be hosted by Ashley and Scott Jaillette at their home at 618 South Woodrow on June 24 at 7 pm. Bring your own beverage and appetizer to share. Newcomers and visitors welcome. If you have any questions, please call Ashley Jaillette at 803.331.5491.

Sundays, June 20th and 27th everyone is invited to bring personal notes of appreciation or best wishes for Mary Moore to the luncheon on the 27th. A basket for collecting the well wishes will be available, along with some extra blank cards. Please add your special voice to the celebration to honor Mary Moore Roberson.

Please join us to celebrate
The ministry of

The Reverend Mary Moore Roberson

and honor her years of faithful service
to the families of St. John's Episcopal Church

Sunday, June 27, 2010

10:30 am Holy Eucharist

Casual cookout immediately following the service
in the Barr Center Gym

Nursery provided for infants - 3 years.

Today's Altar Flowers are given to the glory of God and in memory of Roger, Betty and Kirk Palmer by Lisa and Rob Wilcox.

EYC Summer Events and Gatherings

August 6-8 Whitewater Rafting

Details TBA

Cost: approx. \$90

Contact Dorian to register.

You may also register online. Follow the link on the youth blog.

Please check the youth blog and your email for information about summer EYC events. In addition to whitewater rafting in early August, we will have some lunch gatherings, maybe a trip to the beach or Carowinds, a movie night, and other EYC events this summer. Stjohnscolumbiayouth.blogspot.com

Please take time to visit:

sjyouthmissionecuador.blogspot.com

Thank you so much for your support!

Today: Very special music at 10:30! Selah, our guitar (*etc.*) group and the Ecuador Mission Team, who have just returned from their mission experience, will be singing and playing at the offertory and at communion. Expect to hear a song or two that was sung there—including “Lord, I lift your name on high” and “Open the eyes of my heart” in Spanish. (But you can sing along in English!)

Practice today after the 10:30 service. Sunday, June 27 we honor Mary Moore Roberson and celebrate her ministry among us. If you would like to join the choir next Sunday to sing a special anthem that was written by Robert Powell in honor of her ordination to the diaconate, come to practice with the choir following the 10:30 service TODAY and this Wednesday, June 23 at 7:00.

New rhythm group forming. Youth, children, adults who might be interested in playing/singing, please contact Celia right away in the office for more information or to sign up. Needed: players of all ages for simple rhythms that anyone can play; several singers of all ages to sing familiar or easy-to-learn world rhythm songs (like “We are marching in the light of God”). First get-together/practice Sunday, July 11th at 9:00 am in Room 215 (upstairs in Heyward Hall). Sing and play in church for the first time on August 1st.

As you enter for worship every Sunday, please pick up a green Wonder, Love and Praise songbook. Some songs at all services (except 7:45) will be from this hymnal supplement.

Summer Office Hours Monday – Friday 8:30 am – 4:00 pm.

No Wednesday Holy Eucharist this summer. Services resume in September.

No Yoga Tuesday June 22.

Altar Flowers *Open dates July 4, 11, 18 & 25.* Order forms are available in the church narthex or on-line.

Tuesday Morning Men's Bible Study School's out for summer, but not Bible study. Join the Tuesday Morning Men's Bible Study reading and discussing *Trust in the Age of Arrogance*, by FitzSimons Allison, retired bishop of the Lower Diocese. Breakfast is served. Bible Study meets in the Barr Center Dining Room at 6:45 am. Bring your own your book (it's available on Amazon). Questions: Call Ned Badgett, 787-8189.

Collection for Cooperative Ministry Socks, undershirts and new underwear, disposable diapers for both babies and adults. A collection basket is in the Barr Center.

Harvest Hope Food Bank Keep up the giving and remember to bring dry or canned goods each Sunday and put the items in the basket in the church narthex.

Operation Love to Haiti Anyone who knits: check out www.Duduza_Comfort_Dolls.doc for the story and pattern to make dolls that we will be sending to the Haitian children. Contact: Barbara Mullen (252-1571/bfmullen@aol.com) and Sidney Wait (799-1919/sidneywait@gmail.com).

Agape Reminder Agape volunteers provide meals for St. John's members and families in times of illness, surgery, death, and childbirth. If you, your family, or others you know may need this comfort food, please call the parish office (799-4767).

Hand Middle School collection box in the Barr Center entrance is empty. Needed: sturdy back packs, composition books, and dividers. The students and their families thank you in advance.
