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This Week's Calendar

Sunday, April 5, 2009

- *9:00am Sunday School
- 9:45 Prayer Time in the Pastor's Office
- *10:15 Morning Worship Service
Children's Church (age 4 - gr. 2)
- 4:00pm Youth Praise Band
- 5:00 Youth Alive; Children's Choir
- 5:45 Men's Choir Rehearsal
- *6:00 Evening Worship
- 7:00 Youth Play Rehearsal at F.H.
Constitution By/Law Rev. Com. Mtg.

Monday, April 6

- 6:30pm Outreach Teams Meeting

Tuesday, April 7

- 7:00am Men's & Ladies Bible Study at
Mama Maecee's
- 8:30 Senior Adults to Breakfast
- 6:30pm Adult Praise Band Rehearsal

Wednesday, April 8

- NOON Lent Service/Lunch HERE
- *6:15pm Prayer Time & Bible Study
- 6:30 Children - Awana Club
Youth - Bible Study at station
- *7:00 Adult Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, April 9

- 6:00pm Martha Haynes Class Meeting
- 7:00 Men for Christ Supper/Meeting

Friday, April 10

- 7:00am Youth Meet at American Hero
- 5-7pm Youth Play Rehearsal at F.H.

Saturday, April 11

- 11:00am Children Easter Egg Hunt 'til 1pm
**nursery provided for ages 4 & under (except for Sunday morning worship - ages 3 & under)*

*MEN FOR CHRIST SUPPER/MEETING
THURSDAY, APRIL 9 at 7PM*

WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB: A book club for the women of the church and community is being organized. If you are interested in reading various authors and topics, this will be a good way to enjoy the activity with friends. Contact Phyllis Williams at 756-3958 or phwill@sccoast.net.

The Chimes

*"Strength from the past...
Boldness for the future"*

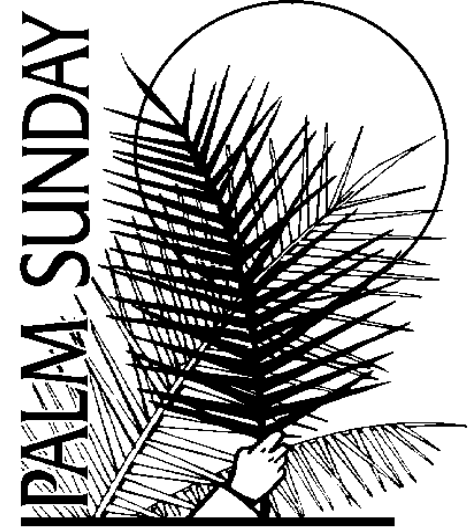
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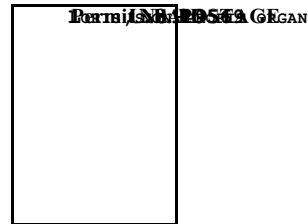
SUNDAY MORNING SERMON

*"The First Message"
I Cor.15:1-3*

HARVEST UPDATE

It's exciting to watch our "harvest" growing! The sanctuary display of potatoes has prompted much interest and conversation. This display reminds us of missionaries who count on our support through prayers and offerings. Let's also remember our young people as they travel to Florida to sow seeds. The time for harvest is now!

**Goal: \$2,500
Given to Date: \$2,221**



Our Volunteers

- Nursery 4/5: Donna Horton/Maxilene Suggs
- Children's Church 4/5: Sally Elliott
- Youth Snacks 4/5: Linda Pate
- Audio/Visual 4/5: Alex Floyd, Dennis Cook and Morgan Nirenstein
- Awana Food 4/8: none needed
- April Greeters: Laura & Rhett Hardwick
- April Ushers: Tab Jacobs, Biff Johnson, Chris Hardwick, Joey Vaught, Charles Webster



April 5: Jameson Hardee

and Kay Vaught

April 6: Georgette Collins,

Mary Lucas, Caitlyn Rhodes, and Curtis Turner

April 7: Tracy Collins

April 8: Norma Graham, Julie McQueen, Elijah Springs

April 9: Summer Elliott, Colin Floyd, Chuck Mills

April 10: M.J. Cox, Alexis Hardin

April 11: Lucille & Louise Boyd, Nancy Browne, Gail Cox, and Wilma Fowler

God is So Good!

Once you have accepted Christ into your heart, God blesses you in countless ways. Wouldn't you like to praise Him for what He has done for you? Now you can share your story with the world -and never leave your home! Go to our church website www.lorisfbc.com, click on "God is So Good", and in a short paragraph tell how He has shown His love to you. Then you will be able to reach the farthest corners of the world with your testimony AND become a missionary.

Congratulations!! To Brittany and John Wallace Mishoe upon the birth of their son, John Logan Mishoe, who was born on March 27, 2009 and weighed 6 lbs. 14 oz. This is John & Frances Mishoe's first great-grandchild.

THERE WILL BE A SHORT CALLED BUSINESS MEETING ON APRIL 5 during the evening service to present and discuss Constitutional and By-Law change recommendations by the review committee. The proposed changes are:

Proposed Constitutional Change

ARTICLE XI - ADOPTION AND AMENDMENTS

Section 1. Adoption

~~This~~ The Church Constitution or By-laws shall be considered adopted and in immediate effect if and when 2/3 of the members present and voting at the business meeting at which the vote is taken shall vote in favor of same.

Section 2. Amendments

~~This~~ The Church Constitution or By-laws may be amended at any regular business meeting of the church provided notice of each amendment shall have been presented in writing and discussed at a previous business meeting and copies notice of the proposed amendment or amendments shall have been published in the church newsletter and/or posted on the church website prior to such meeting. Any member wishing to have a hard copy of these document changes may request a copy through the church office. A 2/3 vote of the members present and voting at such business meeting will be required to make any amendment to this Constitution or By-Laws. The Church Clerk will modify official document once an amendment is approved and updated copies can be obtained from Church office.

Section 3. Review

This Constitution and By-Laws will be reviewed in its entirety at five (5) year intervals by a committee of not less than five persons nominated by the Deacons and elected by the church. All alterations, modifications or changes deemed necessary will be presented to the church following the procedure as stated in Section 2 of this Article.

Proposed By-Laws Change-

Within this section, we are recommending a complete striking out of all verbage and the addition of that listed below.

ARTICLE V - ADOPTION AND AMENDMENTS

Refer to Article XI of the Church Constitution.



Saturday, April 11

11am 'til 1pm.

Please bring plastic eggs and wrapped candy to the church office by Wednesday, April 8.

UPDATE on Ben Lay: Ben continues to improve daily. He and his family sincerely appreciate your faithful prayers and concern. If you would like to send a card, the address is: Benjamin Lay Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center Room 907, 1275 York Ave. New York, NY 10065

Dear Church Family,

We would like to thank you for your prayers, love, and concern for us through Linford's surgery and recuperation. Christian friends are one of life's greatest treasures. You are a treasure to us. -Linford Cox Family

The church family is invited to a Baby Shower for Michelle Gosa this Sunday, April 5 from 2pm-4pm at the home of Jason & Michelle Vaught. Michelle & Ronnie are expecting a baby boy in June.

Records & Finances - March 29, 2009

SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Loris First Baptist Church... 188

Loris Extended Care Center. 34

Sunday Morning Worship Attendance. . . 210

TITHES & OFFERINGS

Budget Required Weekly. . . . \$10,710.38

Budget Receipts This Week. . . . 7,593.90

Weekly Reimbursements. 847.77

Weekly Designations. 235.00

BUDGET REQUIREMENTS YTD... \$139,234.94

BUDGET RECEIPTS YTD. 129,267.68

AMOUNT UNDER BUDGET. \$9,967.26

% BUDGET FUNDED YTD. 93%



Sunday Morning Sermon TV Broadcast:
Thursdays 9pm CH4 and Fridays 11am CH47
Radio: WLSC-1240AM; Also wlscradio.com

YOUTH and CHILDREN DATES:

- ★ *May 9:* Youth Dinner Theater in F. H.
- ★ *June 29 - July 3:* Centri Kids Camp at Converse College for 3rd - 5th graders
- ★ *July 12-18:* High School Mission trip to Puerto Rico. *Deposit of \$100 due April 1.*