



FUPCDC *E-news*

First United Presbyterian Church of Dale City

NOVEMBER 20, 2009

Handbell Concert

Jubilation is participating in the Northern Virginia Handbell festival at Centerville United Methodist this weekend and that the performance will be there at 2:30 if anyone would like to come and experience the sound of a 130-person bell choir!! The concert is free and open to the public.

Attention Parents

Would you like to go out on a date, or go Christmas shopping without having to bring the kids along? Why not bring them to First United Presbyterian Church for an evening of fun under the caring supervision of the Senior High Summer Youth Mission Team and their leaders on Friday, December 11, from 6pm-10pm? Dinner will be included as well as games, a craft, stories, songs, and a movie. Children ages from baby to middle school students are welcome! All donations will directly benefit the Summer Youth Mission Team's trip to Pittsburgh this summer. To reserve your spot, fill out a flyer or email Lance Overstreet at overstreet@fupcdc.org with your children's information.

Exam Care Packages

We would like to send a shoebox filled with items that our college students would appreciate during exam week. We will need shoeboxes, individually wrapped snacks, candy, gum, and trinkets. Leave your donations in the box in the narthex. For more information or to volunteer to help, contact Margaret Watts: 703-730-1662; margaretswatts18@yahoo.com. Please be sure that the church office has the college address for YOUR student!!! (Office@fupcdc.org) DEADLINE: first week of December.

CDs Available

The classical guitar music (and singing) of Balta Linares (son of Baltazar Linares) has been recorded by the National Council for the Arts in Mexico. CDs are available for \$8 from Emily Edmunds. Please see her this Sunday if you would like to buy a CD. The music is wonderful!!

This Sunday, November 20, 2009

9:00 am Worship Service (traditional)

Sermon: "Victory"

10:30 am Worship Service (contemporary)

Scripture: John 16:32-33

Winter Shelter Needs Your Help!

CCOM (Cooperative Council of Ministries) was founded in the early 1960s to help those less fortunate. At the present time there are 26 churches that are member members, including FUPCDC. CCOM was able to get the Drop-in Winter Shelter established in the spring of 2002. CCOM is responsible for the expenses to keep the Shelter open. This includes meals and necessary supplies that go along with the feeding. \$7500 is needed before the January 1, 2010, to pay the county for use of the building, etc., and keep the Shelter open. Yearly rent is over \$30,000. At this time of giving thanks, consider helping those less fortunate who are in our community.

Christmas Musical

The Drama Ministry, with the support of volunteers from the Music Ministry, will present THE BEST PLACE TO CELEBRATE CHRISTMAS on Sunday, December 13, in the sanctuary at 6:00 p.m. They will also perform a scene from the musical at the Yucatan Mission Dinner on Sunday, December 6, as a "sneak preview." On Thursday, December 10, at 7:00 pm, they will be performing for our friends at Westminster at Lake Ridge in the Main Dining room area on the new stage. Won't you plan to attend and offer praise for our Savior's Birth?

Ladies Who Lunch (CLASS)!

Ladies, would you like a nice peaceful lunch without your husband or children and no cooking or clean up? If so, please join the Christian Ladies Afternoon Sit-down Social (CLASS) for lunch on the last Tuesday of every month. This month they will meet at 11:30 am on Tuesday, November 24, at Padrinos on Smoketown Road behind Bob Evans. Please e-mail Jean Peterman at AJP1949@verizon.net or call 703-494-2556 if you would like to come (for a head count and so you don't get left behind) or if you have questions. All are welcome!

Community Bible Study

Do you desire to grow in your knowledge and love of Jesus Christ? Community Bible Study (CBS) is an interdenominational Bible study for the community that has a mission of making disciples of the Lord Jesus Christ through caring, in-depth Bible study. Community Bible Study welcomes you to join them in the study of the book of Luke on Monday evenings at 7:30pm at Covenant Presbyterian on Hoadly Road. Please contact Lois Walker at 703-590-8867 or through email at lojwalker@comcast.net with any questions.

This Week's Calendar

SUNDAY

9:00 am WORSHIP (Traditional)
9:00 & 10:30 am Adult Christian Ed. & CROSS Training
9:00 am Confirmation Class
9:15 am Young Adult Study
10:00 am **Congregational Meeting**
10:30 am WORSHIP (Contemporary)
11:30 am Spreading the Bread
11:45 pm Evangelism Team
12:15 pm Acts of Faith
4:00 pm Youth Praise Band
5:00 pm Jubilation
6:00 pm Sr. Hi Youth

MONDAY

7:30 pm Yucatan Health Team

WEDNESDAY

7:30 pm Chancel Choir

THURSDAY

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FRIDAY

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First SUNDAY of Advent

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