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A Voice in the Pines

The newsletter of the Presbyterian Kirk in the Pines

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THE PASTOR'S CORNER

I was reminded recently of an amazing story. Many of you have seen the award-winning movie, *The Pianist*. It is based on the true story of the experiences of Polish concert pianist Wladyslaw Szpilman during the Second World War. When Germany invaded Poland in September of 1939, Szpilman was already an internationally recognized musician. But because he was Jewish, he was forced into hiding and separated from his family. They were eventually arrested and deported to the death camps, while Szpilman spent most of the war as a fugitive, hiding in abandoned attics in houses throughout Warsaw.

Eventually, Szpilman was also discovered by a German army officer. But rather than turn him in, the officer befriended Szpilman and, at great risk, continued to provide for him with food, clothing and protection. The movie version omits this officer's identity, but he was, in fact, Captain Wilm Hosenfeld. Hosenfeld's story and portions of his diary can be found in Szpilman's book, *The Pianist*.

Hosenfeld was a person of deep faith and often put that faith into practice. After the war it was revealed that he had taken an active role in saving the lives of many Jews, sometimes defying orders and sometimes taking advantage of his position and connections. Once, when riding a bicycle near the Polish town of Pabianice, Hosenfeld encountered a young Jewish woman desperately running where she was going, she could only stammer her husband had been taken to a local camp. Hosenfeld told the frightened young woman, "Return three days time." And indeed he was.

*"Why did this war have to happen at all?
We will not listen to the divine commandment,
'Love one another.'"*

On another occasion, Hosenfeld rounded up a number of men, including been involved in the resistance. These work camp and the brother-in-law was to Hoselfeld spotted the truck moving the S.S. commander that he needed a man for a work detail. He picked the priest's brother-in-law, as if by random selection, and the man's life was spared.

After the war, Hosenfeld was captured by the Russians and eventually died in a Russian prisoner of war camp. Just before he died, he wrote in his diary, "Why did this war have to happen at all? We will not listen to the divine commandment, 'Love one another.'" Today, Hosenfeld is remembered by many as a hero and a saint. There is a tree planted in his memory in Israel on the Avenue of the Righteous.

It is an extraordinary story. And I share it with you as a reminder that all of us are called to be faithful. Whatever our life circumstances, we are all called to do what we can. In ways large and small, as our life circumstances dictate, there come occasions for each of us when we must decide where our true loyalties lie. We must choose which Lord we will obey. Our lives may not be nearly as dramatic as Wilm Hosenfeld's, but we must still do what we can to honor Christ and live out our faith. May Christ strengthen us with wisdom and courage for the living of these days!



NEW CROSS AT THE KIRK

Have you noticed the outside of our church has a new look? Recently the Building and Grounds Committee installed a Celtic cross on the front of our building. Now passersby will know we are a Christian church in the Scottish Presbyterian tradition. Many thanks to Don Elsenheimer, Harry Marshall, Bev Bullard, and all others who had a hand in this.

COME ONE! COME ALL!**KIRK COUNTY FAIR**

Sponsored by Communication, Evangelism, and
Membership Committees

Hoffius Hall
July 11, 2007, 5:30 p.m.

Chicken supper: \$ 5.00
Tickets on sale through July 8.

Exhibits
Homemade Crafts
Plants and Flowers

Variety Show
Featuring our very own talented
Kirk Members

If you call by July 8, you can still enter
an exhibit or participate in the variety show.
Call Madelyn 922-5702, to enter an exhibit.
Call Yvonne, 922-9232, to share your talent.

Education Summer Supper July 25

Doug Walters,
Ferncliff Program
Director, to Speak on July 25

Fun. Chiggers. New friends. Snakes.
Seeing old friends. Sunburned noses.
Spiritual growth. Poison ivy. New
experiences.

These are just a few things that happen
during a week at church camp!

On Wednesday, July 25, Kirk members
and guests will enjoy a potluck supper
in Hoffius Hall at 5:30 p.m. Then the
Education Committee will introduce
Doug Walters, the new program direc-
tor for Ferncliff Camp and Conference
Center. Doug is bringing a few of the
international counselors, too. Since we
will be feeding a few extra guests, plan
to bring your best main dish, salad,
vegetable, or dessert.

This is always a fun supper and one we
all look forward to. Hope to see all of
you on July 25.

MORE SUMMER SUPPERS

August 8 - Finance Committee

August 22 - P&C & Admin. Com.
Annual Church Meeting

*Look for more details
in upcoming
bulletins and newsletters.*

Finding God in the Movies, New class in July

Faith and Film: Chariots and Groundhogs

Do you see any relationship between "chariots" and "groundhogs"? If the question intrigues you, please join Reverend Bailey's two-session Faith and Film class on July 8 and July 22 to explore the movies "Chariots of Fire" and "Groundhog Day." "Chariots of Fire" will be the topic for discussion on July 8, with "Groundhog Day" on July 22. Both sessions are from 6:30 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. Two DVD's of each movie will be available in the Kirk Library for participants to view prior to the classes. In addition, the entire movie "Chariots of Fire" will be shown Friday, June 29, at 4:00 p.m. at the Kirk. "Groundhog Day" will be shown later in July.

Please sign up on the next Saturday or Sunday or call the Kirk to register for these sessions. It's a new and exciting opportunity for us, so please participate!

SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE

June 3 through September 2

Sunday morning at 10 a.m.

One Service of Worship in the Sanctuary
Nursery available. Coffee following in Hoffius Hall

Saturday evening at 5 p.m.

**PASTOR BILL BAILEY WILL
BE OUT OF TOWN
JULY 11th-15TH.**

**Please contact the Kirk office if
you need assistance.**

KIRK CELEBRATES ANNUAL COOKOUT

Presbyterian Kirk in the Pines held their annual hamburger cookout recently at Balboa Pavilion hosted by the Fellowship Committee. Pictured are Chefs Frank Moore and Jerral Johnson and Fellowship Chief, Jim Hess, who made sure everyone had a full plate of food with all the trimmings. A great evening of fun and fellowship was had by the 235 that attended. Also, pictured from the Fellowship Committee are servers left to right: Ruth Fox, David Pease, Rhonie Zymboly, Dennis Zymboly, Don Turner, Marilyn Turner, Carolyn Starr and Bob Smith.



AN INVITATION Celebrating 100+ Years

The Pastors and Congregation
of
West End Presbyterian Church
Arkadelphia, Arkansas
Cordially Invite You to
A Celebration of Thanksgiving
on Sunday August 5, 2007

at

First Presbyterian Church
1220 Pine Street
Arkadelphia, Arkansas
at 3 P.M.

*Please join us after the service for
fellowship and light refreshments*

DONKEY DETAIL - GETTING OUT THE NEWSLETTER

On Palm Sunday, Reverend Bill Bailey's sermon focused on Jesus sending two disciples to procure the donkey he would ride into Jerusalem. This "donkey detail" was not a glamorous assignment, but it was essential for the mission Jesus was about to undertake. Likewise, there are many mundane tasks we do to carry out the work of our Lord. This month we will focus on mailing the newsletter—the work done by the Kirk Newsletter Mailing Committee.



Around the 27th or 28th of each month, Ellen Weber gets on the phone and rounds up five or six members to meet her at the Kirk to prepare *A Voice in the Pines* for mailing. She has a list of ten volunteers, busy people who are willing to come whenever they can.

Last month this cheerful mailing crew folded, labeled, stapled, sorted, and counted the 350 plus newsletters in record time from 8:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. Then Madelyn Young, Moderator of the Communication Committee, gathered the bundles of newsletters into long mailing

trays and drove them to the bulk mailing center at the U.S. Post Office in Hot Springs. From there they were delivered to your homes the very next day.

Ellen has worked on this "donkey detail" for four years, and last year she took over as chairperson when Helen Anderson, the long-time leader of the group, moved to Illinois. If you would like to volunteer your services, please give Ellen a call at 922-2391. She would be happy to hear from you.

Pictured left to right are: Dottie Isaacson, Shirley Johnson, Jean Fisher, Madelyn Young, and Ellen Weber. Others who often help are: Sherry Barefield, Judy Stewart, Dottie Montgomery, Vianne Huff, and Lou Dowling.

JULY CLERK'S CORNER

The Kirk planned some extensive money activities during the month of June. A contract was signed with Spa Paving Inc. For the drainage system, paving and striping for our parking areas and work started on June 28th. The contract is not to exceed \$160,000. \$100,000 of the funds will come from the Building Fund and \$60,000 from the General Fund Reserve. The Kirk also received the final \$12,000 of an \$18,000 donation for our new piano.

The June Presbytery meeting included some items of interest. There will be three Presbytery meetings per year in place of four beginning in 2008. A search committee was appointed for an interim General Presbyter. Bill Branch will be retiring in February 2008. A new Associate General Presbyter, Joan Erickson, was appointed to a two year term.

The following business was conducted at our June Session Meeting:

- Raises were granted for members of our office staff.
- A motion passed to request an exemption by the Congregation for Darell Fisher to serve another three year term as Active Elder, Moderator of the Finance Committee.
- A motion passed to appoint Kirk member Paul Tate as contract negotiator to finalize a paving and drainage contract with Spa Paving Inc. of Hot Springs, not to exceed \$160,000.
- Approval was granted for an additional \$1,204.21 to Building and Grounds for the chancel remodel.
- Changed the annual congregational business meeting to Sunday, August 26th, following the Service and a pot luck luncheon. The summer supper will still be held Wednesday, August 22nd with a program following.

The following new members were received by the Session at the regular meeting:

Tom and Pam Caves
Joe and Diana Milligan
Mel and Diane Roberts

Please welcome them into your activities.

DEATHS: Mabel Colton on May 31st and Francis Sowards on June 8th. Please keep these families in your prayers.

TRANSFERS: Ruth H. Haldeman to Second Presbyterian Church of Little Rock. Gordon (Don) and Carole Wolever to Woodlands Presbyterian Church of Hot Springs Village.

CHURCH STATISTICS as of June 12th: Members: 545 Families 340.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Month of May: General receipts exceeded expenses by \$4074.00. Year-to-date: General Fund receipts exceeded expenses by \$47,472.00. Building Fund expenses exceeded receipts by \$6998.00.

Please remember, open communication is important at the Kirk. Always feel free to ask questions of the Pastor, Elders or staff.

May God bless each of you,

Bob Rosenthal

PW Triennial Synod Gathering in July

The Synod of the Sun Triennial Gathering for Presbyterian Women will be held at First Presbyterian Church, 213 Whittington Ave, Hot Springs, on July 12-15. Registration is \$125. All Kirk PW members are urged to attend this informative gathering with women from Louisiana, Texas, Oklahoma and Arkansas. This includes workshops, leadership training, plenary sessions, reception at Arlington Hotel and meals from Thursday dinner through Sunday brunch. Registration does not include lodging nor fees for Garvan Gardens. These options will also be available: gathering choir; hike in National Park from Bathhouse Row up North Mountain; assembling health kits for Church World Service; visiting Presbyterian Disaster Assistance facility at Ferncliff; trip to Garvan Woodland Gardens; Downtown Gallery Walk to include Documentary Film Festival.

Registration sheets with complete schedule and list of charges are located on the table in the Kirk narthex and downstairs in Hoffius Hall under the Communication bulletin board. For more information, the Web site is www.presbyteryofarkansas.org or you may contact Peggy Cook, 922-3273.



Village Chorale Sings at the Kirk

Presbyterian Kirk in the Pines welcomed special guests on Sunday, June 17. The Village Chorale, under the direction of Randy Lusk and accompanied by Kirk organist and pianist, Barbara Greenman, led the congregation in worship. This talented group presented four anthems during the service: “A Jubilant Song” by Martin; “The Majesty and Glory of Your Name” by Fettker; “Love Never Fails” by Redford; and “God Is Gone Up with a Shout” by Martin. Maureen Morgan, contralto soloist, was also featured during the offertory anthem.

The Village Chorale holds weekly rehearsals at Presbyterian Kirk in the Pines, and the group wanted to show its appreciation to the church for making their facilities available. All in the congregation were thrilled as the Chorale offered their beautiful gift of music in worship and praise to God.



Pat Hightower, Kirk member and president of the Village Chorale, welcomes Randy Lusk to the Kirk.

Randy Lusk, director, leads the Village Chorale during rehearsal prior to the service of worship at Presbyterian Kirk in the Pines.



THE MEMORIAL GARDEN IS FOR EVERYONE

Seldom does a day pass that someone does not visit the Memorial Garden. They are not always church members. They may be there to sit and remember the times shared with loved ones, prayer, meditation or to enjoy the beauty that God has provided. The water feature provides the calming effect of flowing water, and turkey and other wildlife can be heard in the distance. One problem identified by members of the committee was the clopping walk that led to the area around the Cross. To make the garden more accessible to those wishing to visit the Cross, a new walk has been installed that leads directly from the parking lot to the walk that circles the Cross. The new walk is almost flat which makes it easier and safer for those using a walker, cane or a wheelchair. Where the new walk intersects the existing walk, two pads were installed, one on either side of the new walk. A bench was placed on one and the other was left open for wheelchairs.

MEET BARBARA GREENMAN “BARB”, NEW SECRETARY AT THE KIRK

Barbara Greenman, Kirk organist, now wears two hats at the Kirk. On Friday, June 1, this multi-talented lady began her work as secretary in the church office. Her office hours are 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. five days a week.

After moving to Arkansas last August, Barb worked as a legal assistant/office manager for The Cruz Law Firm in Hot Springs, a full-time position. Now she is pleased to have this part-time position in the Kirk office which allows her more flexibility during the week to perform her organist responsibilities, too—preparing music for worship services, practicing with soloists, ensembles, and instrumentalists, and playing for memorial services.



Barbara Greenman joins our other office secretaries, Barbara Myers, who works Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, and Sallie Huss, who works Thursday and Friday. All three ladies provide a friendly, helpful atmosphere for visitors who come into the church office, and their clerical support is essential to the day-to-day operation of Presbyterian Kirk in the Pines.

Sun

Mon

Tue

<p>1 Communion Service 10:00 Worship Service <i>Harley Kennedy</i> <i>Roger Taylor</i> <i>Ivan & Halene Strautman</i></p>	<p>2 10:00 Worship Com 1:00 Staff Meeting 2:00 Communications Committee</p>	<p>3 7:00 Shepherd Group #9 <i>Adele Boaz</i> <i>Reggie Cox</i> <i>Jerry Devon</i> <i>Bill & Peg Anderson</i></p>
<p>8 10:00 Worship Service <i>Bud Hill</i> <i>Ken & Mona Kimbell</i> <i>David Pease & Carolyn Starr</i> <i>John & Mary Wright</i></p>	<p>9 <i>James Knox</i></p>	<p>10 1:00 Session <i>Vic Brown</i> <i>Viola Guither</i> <i>Paul Tate</i> <i>Bus & Pat Ormsbee</i></p>
<p>15 10:00 Worship Service <i>Betty Creighton</i></p>	<p>16 10:00 Congregational Care Committee</p>	<p>17 9:30 Stewardship Committee <i>Dottie Isaacson</i> <i>Bill Rich</i> <i>Mel & Diane Roberts</i></p>
<p>22 10:00 Worship Service</p>	<p>23 9:30 Administration 7:00 Kirk Konnection <i>Faith Smith</i></p>	<p>24 <i>Terry Gardner</i> <i>Chuck Hardtke</i> <i>Gerald Quick</i></p>
<p>29 10:00 Worship Service <i>Carolyn Starr</i></p>	<p>30 1:00 Membership Committee <i>Nell White</i> <i>Gerry Wright</i> <i>George & Georgia Park</i></p>	<p>31 <i>Jimmy Harris</i> <i>John Hornecker</i> <i>Ray & Mary Lou Johnson</i></p>

Wed

Thu

Fri

Sat

<p>4 OFFICE CLOSED <i>Berna Scherwat</i> <i>Ted Smith</i></p>	<p>5 <i>Margaret Boschetti</i> <i>George Muenze</i></p>	<p>6 9:30 Finance Com. <i>Hannah Bailey</i> <i>Ernie Smith</i> <i>Bill & Anne Bailey</i></p>	<p>7 5:00 Informal Worship Service</p>
<p>11 5:30 Summer Supper County Fair <i>Neil & Mary MacIntosh</i></p>	<p>12 3:00 Mission Com. <i>Horace Shankwiler</i> <i>Fran Simmons</i></p>	<p>13 <i>Eloise Record</i></p>	<p>14 5:00 Informal Worship Service <i>Ted Killian</i> <i>Joe & Nancy Perryman</i> <i>Bill & Edmee Tempel</i></p>
<p>18 10:30 Greenhorns <i>Helen Van Stone</i></p>	<p>19 2:00 Planning & Coordinating <i>Martha Fast</i></p>	<p>20 <i>Mac Throckmorton</i> <i>Stan & Rose Standridge</i></p>	<p>21 5:00 Informal Worship Service <i>Homor Shelby</i></p>
<p>25 5:30 Summer Supper <i>Sally Fink</i> <i>Richard Harkey</i></p>	<p>26 Edwina Oglesby</p>	<p>27 <i>Dom & Joyce Picco</i></p>	<p>28 5:00 Informal Worship Service <i>Bill Drews</i> <i>Richard Massey</i></p>

Welcome New Members



JOE and DIANA MILLIGAN

Joe and Diana moved to Hot Springs Village from Brooksville, Florida a year and a half ago. They were prompted by two other couples who had already decided to trade Florida for Arkansas. The

Milligans looked at houses on the internet, saw one they liked, and put an offer on it which was accepted immediately, causing them to get packed up and moved in a

hurry. They come to the Kirk via a letter of transfer from their Methodist Church in Brooksville.

The couple previously lived in Glen Ellyn, west of Chicago, where Joe had spent much of his life. A graduate of Indiana State,

Joe received his Master's degree from Purdue and became a college professor, teaching accounting.

Diana was born in the Czech Republic and moved to the Chicago area with her parents in 1948. She, too, became an accountant, working for an attorney in Glen Ellyn.

Happily retired, the couple loves their home on Isabella Golf Course, and both do "plenty of golfing."

Between them, Joe and Diana have five boys and one girl who are spread across the country from Cape Cod, Massachusetts to Thousand Oaks, California, with three in the middle in Illinois, Missouri, and Wisconsin. They are blessed with nine grandchildren.



TOM and PAM CAVE

If you like romances, you might want to talk with new Kirk members Tom and Pam. Both are originally from North Little Rock, but it took a chance meeting in a 7-11 store in Mill Valley, California to bring them together. Pam had just completed a golf game and stopped at the 7-11 where she heard a man with a familiar accent asking direc-

tions. Tom had arrived in California just ten days earlier when he happened into the store to get help in finding a restaurant. Pam knew where it was, told him she was going that way,

and suggested he follow her car. Tom had a better idea, and asked her to join him for dinner. Pam considered the Southern accent and gentlemanly manners and accepted. Six weeks later he proposed, and they married soon after that, 15 years ago.

Pam, who had worked all her life, at that time was an executive secretary in the banking business in San

Francisco. Tom had been in the retail business, working in the Cave Jewelers family business in Little Rock before he moved to California. If you go to Fifth and Main, you can see the old Caves Jewelry clock, which Tom donated to Little Rock.

Five years ago the couple moved to Florida to semi-retire, and Tom worked as a starter and marshal at a local golf course. Then came the Florida hurricanes, which basically blew them away from there. Tom had seen Hot Springs Village in the 1970s, and remembered liking it. So when they researched HSV on the internet and both liked what they saw, Tom was happy to send Pam here to look at some houses, knowing that if she liked it, so would he. She found their home at 41 Pyrenees Way, they bought it, and moved here in December 2006. Tom works at the Village Wine and Spirits store on Highway 7, and still finds time to play golf on the

courses here that he said are a lot nicer. The range is nicer than lots of the Florida courses' fairways. Does he have a favorite course? "I haven't played one I didn't like." Pam likes to play, too, but is busy working in the business office at Good Sam's.

Each one of them has two grown children; a boy and a girl. Between them they have six grandchildren.

phone Mel in Bossier City, a call which resulted in their meeting for the first time and marrying within a year, in 1997. On one of their visits to the Pogemillers, they saw an Open House sign and went through the home. When they left, Mel said, "We're going to buy that house and move to the Village." They did just that, two years ago, and now live on the Coronado Golf Course at 28 Surtidor Way where, rather than play the game, they prefer to "watch the world go by."

Diane likes to play bridge, and they share a love for music and dancing. They also share six grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Joe and Diana Milligan
45 Campana Lane
Hot Springs Vlg, AR 71909
Phone 922-1977

Tom and Pam Cave
41 Pyrenses Way
Hot Springs Vlg, AR 71909
Phone 922-1992

Mel and Diane Roberts
28 Surtidor Way
Hot Springs Vlg, AR 71909
915-9669

MEL and DIANE ROBERTS

A special friendship between Diane and recent new member of the Kirk, Judy Pogemiller, who played Cupid for Mel and Diane, was instrumental in bringing this new Kirk couple to the Village.

Mel grew up in Houston and joined the Air Force right out of high school. He served in both Korea and Vietnam, and was the communications operator while flying in helicopters on air rescue missions. He made the Air Force a career, and retired after 25 years. He has a son and daughter and was widowed in 1994.

Diane was born in Longview, Texas and moved frequently as her father's job took the family to different cities in Texas, Oklahoma, and Louisiana. She graduated from Texas A & M, where she worked full time while earning her Master's degree. She continued working on campus as the benefits coordinator and head of accounts payable, while also teaching two classes. Married previously for 26 years, she has a son and daughter.

Both Mel and Diane benefited when Judy asked Diane to tele-



**Presbytery-wide Mission
Trip to Gulf Coast
October 7-13, 2007**

Light construction assistance work in the area of Gautier, Mississippi, to rebuild and restore hope to the people of the Gulf Coast. Contact the Presbytery at 502-663-2424 for more information.



MUSIC MINISTRY**Handbell Survey in Progress**

Thirty persons responded to last Sunday's (June 24) musical interest survey taken during the morning worship. Out of that number we found 15 who would be interested in participating in a handbell choir. Several have had previous experience and others would like to learn. While handbell experience is not necessary, the ability to read music rhythm is required. We will include the survey again this Sunday to give more people a chance to respond. Of course, at this time we do not have bells or equipment needed to have a handbell choir. Thankfully, nearly everyone who responded indicated a willingness to contribute to a fund to purchase the needed equipment. Please contact Larry or watch for further information.

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**MARK YOUR CALENDARS
 SPECIAL MUSIC EVENT**

David Pettit Organ Recital
Friday, August 24th, 2007
7:00 p.m.
 w/ **Mike Bennett, trumpet**
Reception Following

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Question & Answer Session
Organ Workshop
Saturday, August 25th
10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon
EVERYONE INVITED

MISSION DOLLARS

Thank you for generously supporting our Mission Dollars campaign. We collected \$799.00 in May and \$744.00

FOOD BASKET

This month we are collecting food for Potter's Clay. Their needs are canned chicken, meat and fish, canned and dry milk, canned and dry fruit, canned beans, pasta and sauces, peanut butter, hot and cold cereals, cof-

STEWARDSHIP

There is a great deal of Stewardship taking place here in the Kirk as you all know. However, Stewardship isn't based on God's need, the needs of the Kirk, or the needs of the community. It is based on the longing deep within every heart to give.

Intentional stewardship is a life of consciousness about who we are, the circumstances of our lives, and the opportunities we have been given – individually and collectively as a community of faith.

June Moore

CONGREGATIONAL CARE**DO YOU KNOW ABOUT OUR ESP PROGRAM?**

We have an ESP program here at the Kirk. It's not about extrasensory perception, though. ESP stands for Every Single Person living alone. This program was started several years ago. It is a backup or insurance program (you might say) for those in our congregation who live alone. Say you might fall in your home and break a leg -- maybe a phone would not be in reach. This program would be a backup because if your "buddy" does not reach you at the daily time of contact -- he or she will come to the house or call a pre-arranged emergency number to check on you.

Why did we start such a program? Because a member of our church had a stroke in her home. She was active -- came and went from her home -- so no one noticed that she had not been seen or heard from for a couple of days. Her son from out of town found her. Unfortunately, days had passed, time that might have meant getting immediate help.

Is our program perfect? NO! But we have many "buddies" in our system, who contact each other on a daily basis, providing the reassurance that there is someone who knows what to do if some unfortunate problem occurs.

So.....you live alone. You didn't know about this program which is an outreach of Congregational Care? If you need more information, please call Judy Corwin at 922-6750, or if you are already participating and need to update our records, don't hesitate to do so. Thanks.

**S P I R I T U A L
 V I T A M I N S**

God has not called us to see
 through each other but to see
 each other through.

Dear Kirk Friends



MY SINCERE THANKS TO Kirk friends for the many prayers, cards, phone calls, visits, and food during the death of our friend and companion, Mabel Colton.

Vi Guither

THANK YOU, PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN, for the Honorary Life Membership Award. It has been a pleasure and a privilege to serve with so many Christian women here at the Kirk. I will wear the beautiful pin proudly.

*Sincerely,
Carolyn Kane*

JUNE AND I WISH TO THANK the Pastoral Staff of the Kirk, the Congregational Care Committee and all of the Kirk members for their prayers, calls, cards, food and visits during my hospitalization and recovery. June and I feel blessed to be a part of this loving and caring congregation.

*In Christian Love,
Bob Geissler*

IN SYMPATHY

To: Richard and Adele Boaz, in the death of their son, Mark Boaz.

To: Harley and Mildred Kennedy, in the death of their son, Dr. Robert Kennedy of Arlington, TX

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Sunday Bulletin Deadline:
Each Wednesday.

THANK YOU, dear Kirk Family, for your kind and thoughtful expressions of love and concern when I suddenly found myself having pacemaker surgery. I have been so blessed not to need this type of attention until now, so it kind of overwhelmed me to learn you were out there for me. Your support and prayers have helped me heal fast. My heartfelt thanks!!

June Stevens

TYLER'S PLANE TOUCHED DOWN YESTERDAY MORNING (11 JUNE) IN THE USA! He said everything looked beautiful to him! I have taken his name off the "In Harm's Way" prayer list.

I do want to thank those of you who did pray for him and his family during his latest deployment. I also want to thank those of you who gave so generously to his request for shoes and clothing for the Afghan children, who need so much and have so little. Over 250 boxes of children's clothing & shoes were given directly to needy Afghan children! WOW!! It was very special to be a part of this effort! I have really appreciated your love and support! Thank you!

Nell White

THANK YOU, my wonderful Kirk family, for the prayers and support during Glyn's hospital stay. I know Larry Bradley was there, and to all the others, I love you and thank you for everything.

Connie Stewart

I OFFER MY SINCERE THANKS TO THE PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN for presenting me an Honorary Life Membership in Presbyterian Women. I humbly accept this honor and will seek to live up to the challenge presented—growth of my personal response to Jesus Christ; work for peace in my own life and throughout the world; and freedom to live in and for Christ. May God's name be praised.

Yvonne Jones

I WISH TO THANK ALL OF THE KIRK MEMBERS who sent cards, called, and prayed for me during my recent illness. Bill Bailey's and Bill Stanley's visits meant so much to both Frank and me. Your kindness was really appreciated.

June Moore

DICK AND I WISH TO THANK EVERYONE for their prayers, phone calls, food and cards on the sudden death of our son. How great to have so many thoughtful friends!

Adele and Dick Boaz

IN MEMORIAM

Mabel Colton
Date of Death, May 31, 2007

Frances Sowards
Date of Death, June 8, 2007

Robert W. Case
Date of death June 23, 2007

Bob Anderson
Date of death June 24, 2007

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Kirk Staff

Bill Bailey	Senior Pastor
Don Trent	Pastoral Associate
Larry Bradley	Minister of Music
Barbara Greenman	Organist & Secretary
Sallie Huss	Secretary
Barbara Myers	Secretary
Beverly Schaumburg	Financial Secretary
Cole Goodman	Sexton

Please pray for these people we know who are In Harm's Way

Dr. Sean Mullendore, grandson of Connie & George Green, Standby, U.S. Air Force
Capt. Ben Brown, grandson of Vic Brown, England, U.S. Air Force
Paul Glenn Head, nephew of Alice Smith, Ft. Hood, TX, U.S. Army
David Lindholm, grandson of George & Marianne Lindholm, Langlin AFB, U.S. Air Force
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