

NORTHMINSTER NEWS

NORTHMINSTER BAPTIST CHURCH, JACKSON, MS March 13, 2024



HOLY WEEK AT NORTHMINSTER

Monday, March 25 - Friday, March 29

Holy Week Meditation

Monday—Friday Sanctuary 8:30 a.m.— 1:00 p.m. **Communion in the Sanctuary**

Monday—Wednesday 12:00 p.m.—1:00 p.m.

Maundy Thursday Service

Sanctuary—7:00 p.m.

Good Friday Tenebrae

Sanctuary—7:00 p.m.

Easter Sunday Services

March 31, 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

Church-Wide Easter Breakfast

9:15 a.m. ~ Great Hall

(during the Sunday School hour)

<u>Servers</u>: Gloria Montgomery, Ann Calhoon, Cindy Reed, Kathryn Davis, Hilda Boteler & George Luter Enjoy a light breakfast, juice, milk and coffee as we fellowship with one another!

Lunch & Learn with Walt Grayson

Tuesday, March 19 12:00 p.m. in the Great Hall Cost: \$10.00

Everyone is invited to join us for a delicious meal and to learn from Mississippi broadcaster, Walt Grayson.

RSVP by March 14 to lesley@northminsterbaptist.org or 601-982-4703

Easter Egg Hunt and Picnic

Wednesday, April 3 5:30-7:00 p.m.

Everyone is invited to join us for the annual Easter Egg Hunt in the Youth House Backyard!

Preschool and Elementary aged children can bring their baskets and will hunt for eggs at 5:45 p.m.

<u>Servers</u>: Judy Rankin, June Rankin, George Luter, Mary Heard, Sandi Rhoden, Joe D. Rankin

The Northminster Choir will present Rutter's Requiem on Sunday evening, March 24 at 5:30 p.m.

Rutter's Requiem is one of the best-loved and most widely performed choral works from the twentieth century. This beautiful, thoughtful music setting is comprised of a blending of selected texts from the Catholic Requiem Mass and the Anglican1662 Book of Common Prayer. Tj

"the seven sections of the work form an arch-like meditation on the themes of life and death: the first and last movements are prayers on behalf of all humanity, movements 2 & 6 are psalms, 3 and 5 are personal prayers to Christ, and the central Sanctus is an affirmation of divine glory."

Welcome

Josh & Kenna Norris 716 Pennsylvania Ave. Jackson, MS 39216

CAREGIVING CONCERNS **CURRENT CAREGIVING CONCERNS**

Northminster is saddened by the death of Roger Paynter, senior pastor at Northminster from 1989 to 1996. Christian sympathy is extended to all of Roger's family and friends.

CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY is extended to Sherry Partridge on the death of her husband, Richard Partridge.

ONGOING CAREGIVING CONCERNS

Libby McGee Sue Edwards Carolyn Aden Roxanne Aldridge Virginia Hamilton Robbie Cross Carla Holt Gorman Schaffer R. W. McCarley Mary Lou Jernigan Tom Starling

Martha Ouarles, mother of Lori Ouarles

Remember those in military service: Milton Greenwood and Ryan McCarley

CHILDREN'S WORSHIP

March 17

Firecrackers

Lida & Gregg Caraway **Sparklers**

Morgan & Aaron Samuels

March 24

Firecrackers

Gates & Kyle Skene

Sparklers

Anne McCaslin & Parker Snow

March 31 - Easter

For 8:30 a.m. Service

Firecrackers & Sparklers

Judy Gregory

For 10:30 a.m. Service

Firecrackers

Audrey Dickison & Brock Ratcliff

Sparklers

Elizabeth & Percy Quinn

STEWPOT FOOD PANTRY

Monday, March 18

Bob Boteler

Tuesday, March 19

Laine & Bob Hardin

Wednesday, March 20

Mary & Chico Taylor

Thursday, March 21

Sunny Fowler

MEALS ON WHEELS

Wednesday, March 20

Cooks

Elizabeth Quinn Kathy Burkhalter

Helen Turner

Drivers

Rt. 1 Amy Finkelberg & Nancy Smith

Rt. 2 Monica Daniels & Carol Taff

Monday, March 25

Cooks

Ann Calhoon Kelly Hicks

Gail England

Drivers

Rt. 1 Jean & Kelley Williams

Rt. 2 Cathy & Jeff Davis

Monday, April 1

Cooks

Peggy Brady Rebecca Starling Amanda Milam

Drivers

Rt. 1 Luke Dove & **Bob Hardin**

Rt. 2 Keith Davis & Michael Grantham

Wednesday, April 17

Cooks

Jan Stewart Amy Moremen Kathryn Davis

Drivers

Rt. 1 Suzan & Tommy Thames

Beverly Raddin & Rt. 2 Taylor Pedigo

THIS MONTH/WEEK IN ACTION



-DEACON OF THE WEEK—

March 10-16

Anne Guidry

March 17-23

Elizabeth Boone

March 24-30

Joe D. Rankin

March 31-April 6

Mary Ellen Stancill

CAREGIVING -

CAREGIVING CHAIR FOR MARCH

Susan O'Mara

CAREGIVING COORDINATOR FOR MARCH

Steve Godbold

CAREGIVER(S) OF THE WEEK

March 10-16

Marty Harper

March 17-23

Jean Welsh

March 24-30

Sunny Fowler

March 31-April 6

Melissa & Steve Godbold

LITURGIST FOR MARCH

Joe D. Rankin

FLOWERS FOR MARCH

Becky Frame Kandy Sims Geri Smith Lisa Kelly

USHER CAPTAIN FOR MARCH

Nancy Smith

AUDIO/VIDEO FOR MARCH

Bill Thompson Steve Cook

PASTORAL CARE NUMBER

601-980-1002

Scott and Lesley are both away from the office this week, so we are grateful that Marty Harper is serving as our on-call minister this week.

YOUTH NEWS

Youth Sunday School

Join us at 9:15 a.m. There will be donuts and good conversation.

Sunday Nights at the Youth House

We will meet at 5:00 p.m. for a shared meal, games, lessons, prayer and fellowship

Youth Lake Trip

The youth group (this includes rising 7th graders) will travel to Smith Lake, AL June 10-13. The cost of the trip is \$150. To sign up please contact Dabbs at dabbs@northminsterbaptist.org and pay a \$50 deposit online or you can pay by cash or check to the church office. If writing a check please reference "youth lake trip" in the memo line.

Passport

The youth will travel to Passport Youth camp at Converse University in Spartanburg, SC. Rising 7th graders can go to PassportKids OR Passport Youth. Deposit is \$100 due by April 1 and the total cost is \$450 due by May 1. Please contact Dabbs at dabbs@northminsterbaptist.org to reserve your spot.

Meals on Wheels needs volunteers

Meals on Wheels needs substitute drivers. Your participation will be greatly appreciated.

If you are interested, please contact Steve Bass at 601-209-2436

Children's Birthday **Gathering**

Tuesday, March 19 3:00-5:00 p.m.

Children who have a birthday in March are invited to stop by the Northminster Great Hall to enjoy an ice cream treat with Lesley.

PARENTS' NIGHT OUT

Friday, March 22 6:00-10:00 p.m. ~ NCC

You can make a reservation for your children (infant-6th grade) by calling the church office, 601-982-4703, by Wednesday, March 20.

Please feed your children before they arrive, or provide a brown-bag supper.

Brumfield House

March 14

Elizabeth Boone

March 21

Dabbs Massey

The church office will be closed Monday, April 1. Caregiving will meet Tuesday, April 2 at 8:30 a.m.

> For pastoral care needs, please call 601-980-1002.

Easter Lilies

If you would like to order an Easter lily for the sanctuary on Easter Sunday as a memorial or in honor of someone, please fill out the information form inside the bulletin and drop off at the church office or e-mail neely@northminsterbaptist.org.

The names will be listed in the order of worship on Easter Sunday, March 31. The cost per lily is \$10. Please submit all names by Monday, March 18.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Wednesday, March 13

7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, March 14

Youth return from trip

Sunday, March 17 8:30 a.m. Ch

Chapel Communion

9:15 a.m. Sunday School

10:30 a.m. Worship

Preschool & Elementary 5:00 p.m.

Atrium and Four5Six, NCC

5:00 p.m. Youth, YH

Adult Studies, GH 5:30 p.m.

6:45 p.m. Dea Monday, March 18 Deacons' Meeting, L/CR

8:30 a.m. Caregiving, L/CR

Tuesday, March 19

12:00 p.m. Lunch & Learn, GH

3:00 p.m. Children's Birthday Gathering, GH

4:30 p.m. Cancer Support, L/CR

Wednesday, March 20

7:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study, L/CR

9:00 a.m. Palm Cross Making, GH 9:00 a.m. Enneagram, Adult Ed. Bldg.

10:00 a.m. Meals on Wheels

5:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m. Wednesday Night Supper, GH

Choir Rehearsal

Friday, March 22

Parents' Night Out

6:00 p.m. Parer Saturday, March 23

9:00° a.m. Choir Practice

Sunday, March 24

Chapel Communion 8:30 a.m.

9:15 a.m. Sunday School

10:00 a.m. Children gather for Palm

Sunday Processional, NCC

10:30 a.m. Worship

Children's Ministries Cmte., 11:30 a.m. NCC

5:00 p.m. Preschool & Elementary Atrium and Four5Six, NCC

5:00 p.m. Youth, YH

5:30 p.m. Palm Sunday Choir

Presentation

Monday, March 25 8:30 a.m. Holy

Holy Week Meditation

8:30 a.m. Caregiving, L/CR

10:00 a.m. Meals on Wheels

12:00 p.m. Communion, Sanctuary

Wider Net Cmte., L/CŘ

5:30 p.m. Wid Tuesday, March 26

Holy Week Meditation 8:30 a.m.

12:00 p.m. 5:30 p.m. Communion, Sanctuary

Building Maintenance Cmte.,

L/CR

Wednesday, March 27

7:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study, L/CR

8:30 a.m. Holy Week Meditation

12:00 p.m. Comr 7:00 p.m. Choir **Thursday, March 28** Communion, Sanctuary

Choir Rehearsal

8:30 a.m. Holy Week Meditation

Maundy Thursday Service

7:00 p.m. M Friday, March 29 8:30 a.m. H

Holy Week Meditation

Good Friday Tenebrae 7:00 p.m.

Sunday, March 31

8:00 a.m. Worship

8:30 a.m. Chapel Communion

9:15 a.m. Easter Breakfast

Worship 10:30 a.m.

Monday, April 1

Church Office Closed

10:00 a.m. Meals on Wheels NORTHMINSTER BAPTIST CHURCH 3955 Ridgewood Road Jackson, MS 39211 601-982-4703 601-982-4705 FAX www.northminsterbaptist.org

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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

A Lenten Offering

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The Worship and Music Committee offers this year's edition of "A Lenten Journey" as a gift to our congregation. We hope that the creative expressions and offerings by members and friends of Northminster will encourage and enhance meaningful daily worship and meditation throughout this season of preparation. Copies are available throughout the church for you to take and share.

Palm Cross Making and the Palm Sunday Processional

On March 20 at 9:00 a.m., anyone who would like to help make Palm Crosses is invited to join the Flower Committee in the Great Hall. Bring a pair of scissors. No previous experience required!

On March 24, children are invited to participate in waving palms for the processional at the 10:30 worship service. Please meet in the children's area by 10:15 to line up!

ADULT STUDIES

5:30-6:30 p.m. in the Great Hall

Practices of the People

March 17

In this series we explored a variety of Christian spiritual practices from our own faith tradition. This final session will be led by members of the congregation who will share spiritual practices that have been meaningful to them.

Interfaith Spiritual Practices

April 7, April 14 & April 21

In this three part series, interfaith friends from our community will come and share the spiritual practices that make their faith meaningful.

Adult Studies will also be livestreamed. Please contact Lesley for the link at lesley@northminsterbaptist.org.