



The Plumbline

Newsletter of the Wilmore Free Methodist Church

March / April 2011



Palm Saturday

Did we really say Palm "Saturday?" On Saturday, April 16, we will have our Palm Saturday event for the Sunday School and CLC children. There will be crafts, activities and a Holy Walk. The 4-year-olds through 2nd grade will come from 9:00 a.m. - 12:15 p.m., and the children in grades 3-5 will come

from 12:15 - 3:30 p.m. Mark your calendar and look for more information to come through Sunday School and CLC. Registration will begin very soon!

MARK YOUR
CALENDAR



Catch a wave and join us at SonSurf Beach Bash. We need lots of lifeguards and beach patrol to lead our silly seals and wacky whales throughout the week. If you would like to be one of our helpers, fill out the form in church on March 13 or contact Cheryl Schell at cschell@wfmc.net.

Adult Education Elective: "The Minister and His/Her Relationships"

Sunday, March 13
The Minister and His/Her Spouse
Daryl and Annette Diddle
Don and Robbie Joy

Sunday, March 20
The Minister and His/Her People
Wayne Goodwin and Brian Kidwell

Sunday, March 27
The Minister and His/Her Children
Cathy Stonehouse and JD VanValin

9:40 - 10:30 a.m.
Sanctuary Overflow



Ladies' Spring Tea "If Their Tea Cups Could Talk" Dr. Bette Crouse

Thursday, May 12, 6:30 - 8:00 pm
Christian Ministries Center

Bring a mother, a daughter, or invite a friend.
We'll enjoy a wonderful evening together.



From the Pastor's Pen

Pastor Daryl Diddle

There are buildings named after E. Stanley Jones here in Wilmore – this great missionary to India. Some consider him to be the “Billy Graham of India.” May I share a couple truths he’s reinforced in me recently?

First of all, to live a joyful, peaceful Christian life, we must want to be different. To have the Holy Spirit truly work transforming miracles in us, we must consciously recognize that there is some-

thing amiss in us, and that something has to do with a deep problem within us.

Just as salvation can only come to a repentant person—a person who honestly recognizes their need for forgiveness, so does God’s sanctifying work only occur in that person who truly wants to be something other than the sinful self he or she is.

Jones, when he was asked what the conditions were for a person to join his Ashram (Spiritual growth group), he answered, “We have one qualification and only one—do you want to be different? If you want to be different, then come on. But if you don’t want to be different, then we can do nothing for you.”

The true desire to change is needed—the desire to be something other than what we are. Family counseling, marriage counseling, financial counseling—all of it is for naught if a person, in his or her heart, does not truly want to be different.

In my spiritual life, in my relationships, in my family and marriage, do I truly want to be different? Are we asking God (or His church) to do something for us or in us that we don’t really want Him to do? God can do little with someone like that.

A second profound truth from Jones’ observation is that all of our problems—every problem known to the human condition—has its root in self-centeredness and its remedy in self-surrender.

After hearing and observing Jones for some time, a woman said to him, “I’ve found you out! In all your teaching you have only one remedy—self-surrender.” Jones laughed and said, “I’m glad you found me out, for I had found myself out. I’ve found that I cannot go down any road with anybody on any problem without running into the necessity of self-surrender.”

This issue of self-centeredness is what stops us from wanting to be different. We don’t want to surrender our wants, our preferences, our rights and perceived needs, and so we may want our relationship to be different, but we don’t want to change so, in effect, we are demanding someone else to change to meet our demands.

There is no hope or victory in this because it causes our joy to be based in the performance of others.

Jones says, “To try to cultivate the spiritual life (and I would add, any kind of relationship) around an unsundered self is like trying to keep healthy around a malignant cancer.” It simply can’t be done. In order to be healthy, one must remove the cancer to keep it from spreading. This is the achievement of self-surrender, and only God can make it so. Solve the problem of the unsundered self, and you usually solve all the problems down the line.

God wants us to have joy and peace. The path to these things is in we, ourselves, wanting to be different than we are, and this comes through self-surrender to God, to His Lordship, to His will and ways. Only when the self is surrendered can a person cultivate his or her spiritual life around a new center—Christ. It is only then that the things and circumstances of life, and our response to them, begin to fall into place.

Pop psychology is very concerned about self-esteem issues—who we are. The real problem is not who we are, but whose we are. Are we our own selves, or do we belong to Christ? Have we surrendered ourselves to Him?

Jones, E. Stanley. 1968. *A song of ascents*. Nashville, TN: Abingdon Press

WFMC Music Ministries: Take "Note"

The music ministry at WFMC would like to make you aware of the following upcoming musical presentations. Please mark these dates and times on your calendar and plan now to attend!

- March 6th:** **8:30 & 10:50A.M. Services** - Heaven's Harmony will present a musical entitled "The Backyard Bunch," about a clubhouse of friends working together to share God's Word.
- May 2nd:** **7:30 p.m.—Spring Ring VIII: Ring and Rejoice!** - Please come join us for 8th annual special evening of bell and chime music, featuring all bell choirs at WFMC.
- May 9th:** **6:00p.m.—Singing Celebration VII** - The Sanctuary* and Youth Choirs, plus Heaven's Harmony will lead this special service of music, celebrating God's gift of song to us and the ways we give it back to Him.

***Short-term Choir Opportunities!**

Are you interested in joining the Sanctuary Choir but just don't have the time right now to commit on a long-term basis? We have just the opportunity for you! We invite any and all adult singers (post-high school and up) to join the Sanctuary Choir as we prepare music for Easter Sunday. Join us for rehearsals starting Sunday, March 27th at 5:00 p.m. We also invite you to join us in preparation for the Singing Celebration service taking place on May 8th. Please be sure to check the weekly worship folder and listen for further announcements regarding rehearsal schedules. Questions? Contact Rose Evans.

Please contact Mark Schell or Rose Evans if you have any questions regarding the music ministry at WFMC or if you are interested in being a soloist for music ministry, on a music team for worship services, or in a music ensemble. Let's continue to "sing and make music to our Lord!"

Upcoming Saturday Seminars

"RENEWING OUR MINDS, HEALING OUR SOULS – PART 2"

March 26, 10:00 a.m. - Noon, Room 133; Linda Henson, Leader

In our January meeting on this topic, a key area identified was dealing with the stress we face from daily living and life events, as well as reacting to stress-provoking experiences, combating our ANTs (automatic negative thoughts, as Dr. Daniel Amen calls them), among other topics. In this second meeting on the topic, we will address more specifics on dealing with stress and our thought processes.

Come be with us as we further explore ways of renewing our minds and building our faith. Whether or not you attended the January seminar on this topic, plan to join us.

"MAINTAINING A HEALTHY BRAIN — AT ANY AGE"

April 30, 10:00 a.m. Noon, Room 133; Panel Lead

The news is mixed: Some types of dementia or memory disorders may be preventable or...not. More studies and research are revealing that we may take certain steps to maintain healthy brains. Researchers and health professionals have much to say about the positive and negative influences of nutrition, chemical and hormonal imbalances, diet, exercise, social interaction, mental and intellectual involvement for a growing/learning brain at any age, genetics, head injuries/trauma, smoking and arterial issues, toxicity, pollution, stress, and other factors on the brain--from early to late in life.

During this time together, we will review and discuss some research findings and comments on this important topic. We will explore strategies and our own action plans for maintaining healthy brains.

A panel will guide our discussion of these topics and discuss research findings, indications and practical applications. A key resource will be Dr. Daniel Amen's book *A Magnificent Mind at Any Age*.

TO REGISTER FOR EITHER SEMINAR:

CONTACT SEMINAR COORDINATOR, LINDA HENSON AT LINSHENSON@JUNO.COM.

Steven and Mandi Lane and their two boys have been attending WPMC since July 2009 when they moved to Wilmore for Steven to enroll in Asbury Seminary. Since he had attended here during his last two years at Asbury University, it was an easy choice.

As a PK (preacher's kid) in the United Methodist Church, Steven grew up "all over the place." One of those places was Terre Haute IN, where he met Mandi when he was in sixth grade and she was in fifth. Mandi's brother was one of Steven's friends. After college, Steven and Mandi were married in Terre Haute in 2007. They have two sons, Isaac: age 3, and Aiden, 1 1/2. Since Steven grew up hearing the Word and loving Jesus, he cannot pinpoint the exact time of his conversion. "It was probably at age five or six," he says.

After college, Steven went to law school for two years before "God changed my mind" and he answered the call to attend seminary and prepare for the ministry. He doesn't consider those two years wasted but says he learned some

valuable lessons from the experience. In addition to pursuing master's degrees in Theological Studies and Biblical Studies, he works in the seminary archives and has begun the ordination process through our church. He's also considering a Ph.D. in Theology and is open to God's leading, whether to pastoral ministry, teaching, or a combination of the two.

Mandi is a hair stylist and works out of their home. She participates in playgroups with other moms and toddlers, attends the Mom-2-Mom group at church, and helps in the church nursery. She and Steven attend the Café Berea class taught by Dr. Fred Long. She doesn't have much time for hobbies, but enjoys date nights with Steven when they get a sitter for the boys and go out for dinner. Steven likes watching "any kind of sport that makes it to TV," and enjoys playing "every sport ever thought of."

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Emmanuel and Justina Bithfya
Jemimah, Peniel, Ephraim

Emmanuel Bithfya came to Asbury Seminary in August 2010 to pursue an M.Div. degree and began attending WPMC right away. He joined the church in November and participates in the Wrestling With Truth class.

Emmanuel grew up in a pastor's family in southern Kaduna state in Nigeria. Having "heard the gospel from the cradle," he committed his life to Christ at age 12. His early ambition was to study law, but he sensed God calling him to be a pastor. Knowing the difficulties he would face, it was hard to say yes, but he yielded to

God and studied at ECWA Seminary in Igbaja and ECWA Theological Seminary in Jos. ECWA is an acronym for "Evangelical Church Winning All," formerly known as the Evangelical Church of West Africa. The name change reflects the church's wider mission beyond West Africa.

In 1996 he moved to Zaria in the north to pastor an ECWA church in a strongly Muslim area. At a denominational youth conference that he attended as a pastor, he was impressed with one of the youth leaders, a young lady named Justina. Inquiring about her, he heard good things and lost no time pursuing the possibility of marriage.

Emmanuel and Justina were married in 1997 and have three children: daughter Jemimah, 12, and sons Peniel, 6, and Ephraim, nine months. They are still in Zaria, but he hopes to have them join him in Wilmore.

Justina, the firstborn in her family, worked after secondary school for a company that manufactures electrical meters and studied at a polytechnic institute. Now she's studying to become a teacher. She will graduate from the College of Education this May.

Emmanuel would appreciate prayer for his family in Northern Nigeria where violence against Christians has flared up frequently since 2002. Their home is near a mosque, and in order not to offend the Muslim worshipers, they must be very careful not to enter their house until after the 2:00 p.m. prayers are finished.

Getting to Know You



Steven and Mandi Lane
Isaac and Aiden

Foundation, Faith, Future

As we enter the last year of our three-year Foundation, Faith, Future capital campaign, we are entering uncharted territory in many ways. Let me name a few:

First, we have never before planned for or built a facility of this size or expense. This is a huge undertaking we've...uh, undertaken. The new facility would be our largest campus building and the most complex. The latest cost estimates that we just received from one contractor peg the cost at \$3.2 million—the same estimate we were given back in 2008.

Second, we have never seen, in our nation, an economy like this before...most of us anyway. Unless you've lived through the Great Depression, which means, unless you're over 85 or so, you've not experienced a recession like the present one.

Third, we have never raised this much money for a building before. As I write this, our cash in hand, just over \$1.2 million, now exceeds the original pledged amount of the campaign, and FFF offerings continue to average around \$3,000 per week. Surely many are giving sacrificially to this aspect of our kingdom work and responsibility.

Fourth, we have never been this large of a church before. Our worship and education average attendances for 2010 were up significantly from 2009. A few Sundays ago, we had 148 children in Sunday school...29 children in the nursery. Yikes!

Fifth, we have never invested so heavily in outreach and missions before. For the year 2010, we gave 26% of our operating income to these ends. We are on our way to 50%, remember, and we're ahead of schedule.

Sixth, we have never needed more space so badly...and not just one kind of space—every kind of space: Nursery, classrooms, gathering, worship, office, clerical, youth and fellowship. We're space-limited on nearly every side.

Seventh, we have never welcomed as many new people at one time as we have in the past four months. Nearly 25 new families are now calling WFMC their church home.

Eighth, because of our highly mobile culture, we have never before so badly needed new systems and facilities for breaking down our church into groups where people can know and be known by others.

Ninth, we have never had more hope for the future than we have today. I believe that we, as a people, are as serious as we've ever been:

- about following Jesus,
- about showing our community the love of Christ,
- about helping our neighbors in tangible ways,
- about living holy lives,
- about exhibiting the character of God in all we do as individuals, families and as a local church.

Tenth, our world has always needed the gospel and the church, but never more than today. The church is not the building, but our buildings have served us, and our community, well these past 10 years. The Lord and our community are calling us still to do more Kingdom work, but we need adequate facilities in which to do it.

Please keep praying for the FFF project.

Pray for the Lord's timing in construction.

Pray for the proper mixture of patience, trust and faith for all involved.

Pray for the integrity of our investments and savings.

Pray for new pledges and continued strong giving toward FFF.

Pray that FFF does not take over our focus of ministry, but that the Lord would be glorified in all we do in our efforts to work with Him in expanding His kingdom.

The Lord has done great things in our midst these past two years in so many ways, and He has even more plans for us in the days ahead. Our only goal is to follow Him faithfully.

Campbell's Soup Labels for Oakdale Christian Academy


Please bring your Campbell's Soup Labels to the Library



The funds raised are of great help

HELP NEEDED! The Parking Team, in operation since last September, is in need of volunteers. The work is important to guide our traffic, and we need your help! It's a great way to get involved without a major commitment. You don't even need to commit, just come try it once to see how it works for you. Please contact John Crow at 327-5809.

March 2011

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p>6 B—Betty Tullar No Children's Worship for 4 yr - 3rd grade Children's Musical in morning worship</p>	<p>7 B—Katie Diddle Ezra Boileau Micah Sherry 6p—Grandparents Who Pray</p>	<p>8 A—David & Patti McPeake</p>	<p>9 B-Abram Sweetser Maquel Sarantakos ASH WEDNESDAY 7 p—Community Ash Wednesday Service - WFMC</p>	<p>10 B—Lyle Van Horn Robert Simpson Mildred Campbell</p>	<p>11 B—Myrna Hale Emily Underwood Ken Proctor, Jr. Olivia Proctor Bible Quiz</p>	<p>12 B—Joy Branan Kera Allex Shirley Hamilton Jose Prochina Henry Proctor Bible Quiz</p>
<p>13 B-Nadara Welling Daylight Savings Time Begins No children's music rehearsal 6p-Healing Service</p>	<p>14 B—Charlie Fiskeaux AU Spring Break</p>	<p>15 B—Ron Koteskey AU Spring Break</p>	<p>16 B—Alice Crouse Cindy Simpson No children's music rehearsal AU Spring Break</p>	<p>17 B—Nancy Johns Darlene Anderson 7p Ladies' Night Out 6p—Grandparents Who Pray AU Spring Break</p>	<p>18 B—Thane Ury Youth Spring Retreat at Eagle Ridge AU Spring Break</p>	<p>19 8a—Roy Lauter, Men's Ministry Breakfast</p>
<p>20 B—Spencer Hall Joseph Redmon Melanie Kierstead Sunday Night Social</p>	<p>21 B—Chris Wittenberg Davis Tillson Camille Grow Kelsey Tullar</p>	<p>22</p>	<p>23 B—Duane Cassidy</p>	<p>24 B—Lisa Sidler Bryce Ury</p>	<p>25 B—Jacob Cook Chris Bauer A—Wes & Susan Folsom 10a—Sr Adult trip to Underground Railroad Museum</p>	<p>26 B—Margie Swaim Cooper Swaim</p>
<p>27 B—Kristy Tullar Sara Tippey Debra Cooper Jimmy Taylor</p>	<p>28 B—Nicholas Zabilka Jon Lewis Edna Northern Lois Jones</p>	<p>29 B—Larry Moore</p>	<p>30 B—Levi Cook</p>	 <p>Wilmore Free Methodist Church 1200 Lexington Road Wilmore, KY 40390</p>		

April 2011

Sun

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3
B—Don Weinstein
Annie Yoder

4 B—Daria Kidwell
Thad Salmon
**6P - Grandparents
Who Pray**
**ATS Reading Week
Spring Break—Public
Schools**

5 B—Cheryl Schell
Matt Cooper
Kelly Tillson
**ATS Reading Week
Spring Break—
Public Schools**

6
Joyce Underwood
Silas Halcomb
**ATS Reading Week
Spring Break—
Public Schools**

7 B—Mattie Stinnett
Kim Barnard
**ATS Reading Week
Spring Break—
Public Schools**

8 B—Gary Hogue,
Charlie Denger, David
Lee, Kathleen Demaray,
Bonnie Descoteaux
**ATS Rdg Wk; Spr
Break—Pub Schls /
Bible Quiz/Annual Conf**

9 B—Kyle Lovell
**Plumbline Deadline
Bible Quiz
Annual Conference
in Bowling Green**

10

11
B—Renne Riffell
Amanda Lewis

12
B—Hannah Kappler
Dexter Cannon

13
A—Ron & Nancy
Johns

14
B—Paul Roher, Jr.
Eden Cook
**7p - Ladies' Night
Out**

15
B—Jay Dargan,
Levi Branan, Bill
Weigle, Austin Tullar,
Kyle Miller, Isaac
Madill, Steven Lane

16 A—Bob & Norma
Jean Emy
**10:30a—Fred Long
Men's Ministry at AU
Palm Saturday for
Children**

17
B—Bettie Cook

18
B—Jen Skaggs
Conchita Prochina

19
B—Neil Anderson
Sarah Blankenship

20 B—Pam Pepper
Micah Kidwell, April
Sherry, Warren Brude
A-Peter & Amy Cooper
**No Activities at WFMC
6P - Grandparents
Who Pray**

21
B—Tim Bickert
**7p - Maundy
Thursday Service**

22B—Grace Yoder
John Hundley
Andrew Wittenberg
Melyssa Wittenberg
Rachel Wittenberg
**7p - Good Friday
Service**

23
B—Caleb Blanken-
ship

**6p - Community Ho-
mily Week Services
ATS**

24 B—Bob Moody
A—Ray & Nancy Fel-
lows
**EASTER
No Children's Wor-
ship (4-3rd grade) or
Music Rehearsals**

25
B—Aubrianna Skaggs
Stephen Wright

26
B—Neil Anderson
Sarah Blankenship

27
B—Keith Madill

28
B—Chase Padgett

29
**Conference Ladies'
Retreat**

30
B—Steve Liversedge
**9a-12 noon
Membership Class
Prom Alternative**

In His Presence

WFMC Prayer Team

**ARE YOU INTERESTED IN DEVELOPING A DEEPER PRAYER LIFE?
DO YOU WONDER WHAT ISSUES IN YOUR LIFE EITHER HINDER OR FACILITATE THE WAY INTO HIS PRESENCE?
HERE IS DIRECTION FOR THE WAY GIVEN US BY GOD.**

LOVE GOD/OTHERS

"If you ask Me anything in My name, I will do it. If you love Me, you will keep My commandments. John 14:14-16
"A new command I give you: Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another." John 13:34

HAVE FAITH / TRUST IN GOD

"And without faith it is impossible to please Him, for he who comes to God must believe that He is and that He is a rewarder of those who seek Him. Hebrews 11:6
"If any of you lacks wisdom, he should ask God, Who gives generously to all without finding fault, and it will be given to him. But when he asks, he must believe and not doubt, because he who doubts is like a wave of the sea, blown and tossed by the wind. That man should not think he will receive anything from the Lord; he is a double-minded man, unstable in all he does." James 1:5-8

RIGHT MOTIVES

"When you ask, you do not receive, because you ask with wrong motives." James 4:3
"Behold, you fast for contention and strife and to strike with a wicked fist. You do not fast like you do today to make your voice heard on high. Isaiah 58:4

CHRIST, LORD OF YOUR INNER BEING

"Son of man, these men have set up idols in their hearts and put wicked stumbling blocks before their faces. Should I let them inquire of me at all?" Ezekiel 12:3
"But an hour is coming, and now is, when the true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and truth; for such people the Father seeks to be His worshipers. John 4:23

SURRENDERED WILL

"Search me, O God, and know my heart; test me and know my anxious thoughts. See if there is any offensive way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting." Psalm 139:23-24

ACKNOWLEDGE GOD'S SOVEREIGNTY

"Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Your name. Your kingdom come, Your will be done." Matt. 6:9-10

BE TRANSPARENT WITH GOD AND OTHERS / CONFESS SIN

"Behold, You desire truth in the innermost being, And in the hidden part You will make me know wisdom. Psalm 51:6
"If I regard wickedness in my heart, the Lord will not hear" Psalm 66:18
"Therefore, confess your sins one to another, so that you may be healed." James 5:16
"If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness."
I John 1:9

FORGIVE OTHERS

"Whenever you stand praying, forgive, if you have anything against anyone, so that your Father who is in heaven will also forgive you your transgressions. Mark 11:25
"Lord, how many times shall I forgive my brother when he sins against me? Up to seven times?" Jesus answered, "Not seven times, but seventy-seven times." Matthew 18:22

LIVE IN OBEDIENCE

"I prayed to the LORD my God and confessed and said, "...O Lord, the great and awesome God, who keeps His covenant and lovingkindness for those who love Him and keep His commandments," Daniel 9:4
"Dear friends, if our hearts do not condemn us, we have confidence before God and receive from Him anything we ask, because we obey His commands and do what pleases Him." I John 3:21-23.

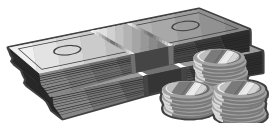
Grandparents Who Pray

Impact the history of your children and grandchildren's lives through united intercessions. Join other grandparents to pray regularly in community.

Pot Luck begins at 6:00 p.m.,
a short devotional at 7:00 p.m., with general sharing.
Then small groups are formed to intercede
for each child and grandchild.

Dates & Devotional Leaders

Monday, March 7 - Shirley McMillen
Thursday, March 17 - Cathi Blankenship
Monday, April 4 - Bob Erny
Thursday, April 21 - Dick Barber
Monday, May 2 - Don Joy
Meeting in Jay & Margaret Dargan's home at
301 Corbitt Drive, Wilmore



PERSONAL FINANCE

By Don Butterworth, Financial Peace University (FPU) Coordinator

Winter Cleaning

Is the cold, inclement winter weather keeping you housebound? Why not take the time to get those financial papers organized? Here is a list of documents that you should keep or throw away. It is not comprehensive.

Keep It Forever

Ideally this set of documents should be kept in a fireproof file or a safe-deposit box: birth certificates, death certificates, medical records, marriage certificate, divorce settlement, adoption papers, social security cards. Investors should keep in their working files: year end brokerage statements, year end 401k statements, and confirmation statements for purchases and sales.

Keep What's Current

Keep these documents in a very safe place also: deeds, trusts, wills, powers of attorney, car titles, contracts, and insurance policies. In your working files keep: terms and conditions for credit card accounts, terms and conditions for other loans, instructions, repair records and guarantees. Be sure to keep receipts for any item you might need to return or that is needed to validate your guarantee. Receipts for major purchases should be kept for insurance valuation. Receipts for major home improvements should be kept for tax purposes when you sell your home.

Pitch It

Unless you need it for tax deduction purposes, you can throw out cancelled checks and receipts for routine purchases such as food, clothing, gasoline, and utilities. After you have verified them on your monthly statement, get rid of bank deposit slips, ATM receipts, credit card receipts, and paid bills. Throw out old annual reports, old insurance policies, old estate documents, old Social Security statements, advertisements and promotional literature.

Taxes

It is my understanding that tax returns and supporting documents should be kept for seven years, and after that, supporting documents can be disposed of, but the return itself should be kept. But don't take my word for it! I am not an attorney or an accountant.

Opt Out

Stop the flow of junk to your mailbox and telephone. Stop credit card offers at OptOutPrescreen.com (<https://www.optoutprescreen.com>). Find out how to stop other junk mail at Eco-cycle (<http://www.ecocycle.org/junkmail/index.cfm>) Register at the National Do Not Call Registry (<https://www.donotcall.gov/>) to stop telemarketing calls.

Library News and Reviews

New Books for the Library

Library books may be checked out for THREE weeks.

For Preschoolers:

We Believe in Christmas
Thanksgiving: New Friends in a New Land
The Shepherd Who Searched
The Statue of Liberty
Petunia Pepper's Perfect Picture Day

For Grades 1 - 5:

Christy Miller Collection - Volume 4
The Magical Coach
 From Grandma's Attic Series:
Treasures from Grandma
A School of Her Own
Storm's Fury and Other Horse Stories
 StoryKeepers Series;
Sink or Swim
Starlight Escape
Roar in the Night
Trapped!

For Adults:

The Church in China: One Lord Two Systems
This is My God
For Women Only
For Men Only
Surviving An Affair
Old Testament Theology by Dennis Kinlaw
The Redemption of Sarah Cain
Autumn's Promise
Rivers of Gold
 Firstborn Series: (Karen Kingsbury)
Family
Forever
Return
Reunion

Please Renew Items Promptly

If you need to renew any items, please check with the librarian, Bonnie Koteskey, at 858-3436. It is important to return the materials when they are due so that others can check them out.

Books Reviews



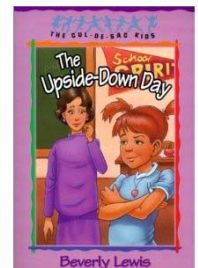
Pickle Pizza - Beverly Lewis
 (The Cul-De-Sac Kids series)

This book is about a boy named Eric who wanted to make a Father's Day present for his grandpa because his dad had died a long time ago. Along the way, the Cul-De-Sac kids encouraged him to make a bird statue because his grandpa liked birds, but Eric wasn't able to finish it in time. He was really sad until he thought of making a pickle pizza because his grandpa really like pickles. (He even likes pickles on apple pie!). His friends tasted the pizza and said it was disgusting. The next day he worried that his grandpa wouldn't like it, but when he tasted it, he said it was wonderful! This is a good book because it taught me that it is the thought that counts when you give someone a present.

Samuel Maynard - Age 7

The Upside-Down Day - Beverly Lewis

In this story, Abby, Shawn, Carly, Eric, Jimmy, Stacy, Dunkum, and DeeDee are having a School Spirit Day. There is a new girl at school that day as well. When they meet her, she says she has a secret that they have to figure out by the end of the day. So, School Spirit Day turns into a mystery day. Read the book to find out what that mystery is.



Jackie Wiggam - Age 9

New DVDs in the Library

Berenstain Bears: Adventure and Fun for Everyone
Thomas and Friends: Misty Island Rescue
Clifford the Big Red Dog: Big Fun in the Sun
Baby Neptune: Discovering Water
God Made Me
God Made Animals
Buss and Poppy the Friendly Forest Rangers
Letters to God
The Prince of Egypt

Wilmore Free Methodist Youth



WFMY Christmas Party
 Complete with snacks, open mic and
 storyteller Mr. Ed Bryson
 And a tacky sweater contest...



New South Conference
 Spring Youth Retreat



March 18-10, 2011
 Cost: \$30

Location: Eagle Ridge Retreat Center
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Handbell Choirs

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May 2, 2011

7:30 PM

Does the hope of Spring bring a smile to your face?

Come and celebrate its arrival with the Wilmore Free Methodist Handbell Choirs as they present the 8th annual

Spring Ring: Ring and Rejoice Concert

Choirs are working on fun and whimsical pieces, as well as challenging ones!

Mark your calendars now and plan to join us on Monday, May 2, 2011 at 7:30 pm!