



***United in Christ's love, we glorify God through worship, nurture, and service to all people.***

## Dimes for Hunger

*"Kindness to the poor is an act of worship" Proverbs 14:31*

Sunday, October 5, is the formal conclusion of the Dimes for Hunger Campaign. Please bring your dimes, or contribution, to worship. There will be a time for you to give your donation. Also, be in prayer for those people locally and world-wide who are concerned about where their next meal will come from.

## Work Day October 4

Unity's fall workday is Saturday October 4 and we sure could use everyone's help. We'll start at 8 am and work until we're done (probably before 1pm). If you can't stay the whole time that's ok too; come for what you can! We plan to prune hedges and trees, spread pine needles, replenish sand box sand, and any other items that are added between now and then. If you have noticed something that needs attention, please contact Jeff Hall at [jeffhall@hallmarine.com](mailto:jeffhall@hallmarine.com). *Supplies needed:* hedge trimmers, limb cutter, ladders, wheelbarrows, favorite weeding tool, string trimmers, work gloves, and anything else you can think of. We look forward to seeing YOU!

## IHN

Thirteen churches in York County provide food and shelter for homeless families through a program called Interfaith Hospitality Network (IHN). Each church serves as the host church on a rotating basis. Unity will serve as host the week of October 5 – 12. IHN is a low cost program that serves temporarily homeless families from York County. The program proves that "many hands make light work." Unity will have over 50 volunteer positions during the week that we serve the guest families (up to four families). Each volunteer position requires only a few hours of your time. **Volunteer positions are still available for Overnight Hosts, Morning and Evening Transportation Hosts, and for Setting up the Classrooms.** If you are able to volunteer for one of these positions to assist in this worthwhile program, please contact Anne Weeks (802-0571) or Robin Morris (547-2915).

## Hunger Matters - 31st Annual York County CROP Walk



31st York County CROP Walk  
Sunday, October 26, 2008  
Dinkins Student Center  
Winthrop University  
Walk begins at 3:00 pm



Join us again this year as we walk to help alleviate hunger in our community and in our world. Help us meet our goal! Let's make Unity Presbyterian the #1 church giver this year! Please plan to walk or sponsor one of Unity's walkers. It's good for the SOLES!

## Sunday Mornings

8:45 am	Worship Service
9:50 am	Church School for all ages
11:00 am	Worship Service

## Upcoming Music Events

**Oct. 12:** Chancel Choir sings at 8:45 am; Junior Choir sings at 11:00 am

**Oct. 19:** Joyful Ringers play both services

**Oct. 26:** Norm Ballmer sings at 8:45 am

**Nov. 2:** Junior Choir sings with the Chancel Choir at 11:00 am

## Peanut Butter & Jelly

Sunday, October 5 is Peanut Butter and Jelly Sunday for the Fort Mill Care Center, sponsored by the YANSY Circle. Everyone is encouraged to bring a jar of peanut butter and/or jelly to the collection boxes located in the Narthex and the Fellowship Hall.

## Prayer Shawl Team

**Tuesday, October 14**

**10 am**

**Fellowship Hall Parlor**

Join us in the Fellowship Hall Parlor for this fun and important ministry. Previous experience is NOT required!

## Halloween Carnival

Sunday, October 26

Kids and parents, mark your calendars! Unity's Senior High Youth Group will host its annual Halloween Carnival on Sunday, October 26 at 5 pm. Children age newborn to 6th grade and their parents are invited to join in the Halloween fun. Check back soon for more details!

## International Dinner

Sunday, November 16

The Junior High Youth Group's *International Dinner* is planned for Sunday, November 16. Please mark your calendar now and plan to join us for this annual event. More details will be announced very soon.

## Mail Call

To my church family at Unity, I want to thank everyone at Unity for their prayers while I was in the hospital in August. Thank you also for the cards, phone calls, and visits. I especially appreciate the food that different people brought to me. It was such a blessing and so thoughtful of so many people. I thank each of you from the bottom of my heart. I have really felt blessed ever since I joined the church in October 2007 when I moved here. Thank you to Jeannie for her visits when I was in the hospital. God Bless each of you!

In Christ's love,

*Millie C. Williams*

## Congregational Dinner

Wednesday, October 8

6 pm

## Fellowship Hall

*Please join us for a delicious meal and fellowship!*

Please make reservations by completing a yellow pew card and placing it in

Menu: Baked Spaghetti w/meatballs	Cost:	\$5.00 for adults
Caesar salad		\$3.00 for children
English Peas		under age 10
Corn		\$20.00 maximum per
Garlic Bread		family unit
Banana Pudding		
Iced tea/lemonade		

the offering plate, using the form on-line at [www.unityfortmill.org](http://www.unityfortmill.org), or by calling the church office by noon on Monday, October 6.

*We hope to see YOU there!*

## Providence Presbytery Updates

*Presbyterian College has a new website*

Visit the new Presbyterian College website: [www.presby.edu](http://www.presby.edu). The PC web site has a new design aimed at better connection with future students as well as current students, friends, and supporters—helping everyone explore all the marvelous opportunities for learning and growth available at Presbyterian College.

*Christian 20-somethings Group Organizing*

Looking for something fun to do on Wednesday nights? Join a Christian social gathering of 20-something for coffee, music, and meaningful conversation from 8 to 10 pm every Wednesday at Durango Bagel in Rock Hill. The organizers of this gathering are members of Allison Creek, Oakland Avenue and the staff from Bethelwoods, but all are invited.

*PDA responds to disasters in wake of Hurricanes*

Presbyterians are aiding recovery from Hurricanes Faye, Gustav, Hanna, and Ike. Presbyterian Disaster Assistance (PDA) is aiding survivors in the United States and the Caribbean who have experienced loss because of recent hurricanes. Updates and opportunities for contributing to the recovery effort are available at <http://www.pcusa.org/pda/response/usa/gustav-index.htm>.

## Operation Christmas Child

The Charlotte processing Center has seasonal employment opportunities. Positions are available beginning in mid-November through December. Positions listed are: Data Entry Keyers, Cash Processors, Mail Processors, Team Leaders, Forklift Operators, and Dock/Warehouse Workers. Contact Meredith Ellisor at (704) 712-8601, or via email at [occjobschar@samaritan.org](mailto:occjobschar@samaritan.org).

For more information about Operation Christmas Child and Samaritan's Purse, visit the web site [www.samaritanpurse.org](http://www.samaritanpurse.org)

## Sunday Morning Service October 5, 2008

### Nursery Coordinator: Linda Bunge

8:45 am  
 Infants Cynthia Keenum  
 2's & 3's Denise Fox  
 11:00 am  
 Infants Freda Garver, Jeff Shouse  
 2's & 3's Karen Wright, Maggie Grace Wright

### Children in Worship

8:45 am  
 4's Michelle Kuhn, Cindy Keenum  
 K & 1st Gr Michelle Kuhn  
 11:00  
 4's Lynn Ringley, Kim Anderson  
 K & 1st Gr Tammie Welch, Shawn Coleman, Caroline Welch

### Greeters

8:45 am Vera Reid  
 11:00 am Betty Carter

### Ushers

8:45 am Alex Groot, Roger Nelson, Jan Nelson,  
 Murray White, Joyce White  
 11:00 am Kearns Little, Bobby Martin, Craig Evans,  
 Senior High Youth Group

### Welcome Center

8:45 am TBA  
 11:00 am Mike Mistler

## Happy Birthday!

Oct.	14	Dalton Helms, Walker Hobson, Dorothy Lower, Lauren Meyer, John Turner
	15	Doris Dunn
	16	Beth Eddens, Bill Fenton, Gretchen Whitesell, Lauren Woodson
	17	Gary Boetsch, Cheri Gall, Lindsey Hawkins, Kristen Lais, Karen Lee, Pat McCabe, Alexandra Seay, Scott Watson
	18	Willem Groot, Joyce Sullivan
	19	David Campbell, Sam Hooper, John Paris
	20	Emma Sutton, Maggie Thomasson, Lynn Young



## Extended Nursing Care

Ethel Clarke — Alterra Sterling House, Rock Hill  
 Anne Elliott — Laurel Crest, West Columbia  
 Dot Hill — Westminster, Rock Hill  
 Pug & Dot Hollis — Presbyterian Communities of SC- Clinton  
 Alice Horten — Presbyterian Communities of SC- Clinton  
 Sis Moredock — Presbyterian Communities of SC- Summerville  
 Trudie Robertson — Presbyterian Communities of SC- Clinton

### Newsletter Publication

**Deadline: Sunday, Oct. 5 at 6 pm**  
**for Issue Date: Thurs., Oct. 9**

Submit information to:  
 Brynne Fisher via email at:  
**brynne@yourcardsolution.com.**

Note the next deadlines:  
**Deadline: Sun. Oct. 12 at 6 pm**  
**for Issue date: Oct. 16**  
**Deadline: Sun. Oct. 19 at 6 pm**  
**for Issue date: Oct. 23**

### Attendance & Offering September 28, 2008

8:45 am:	139
11:00 am:	213
Unity Hall:	0
Total Worship Attendance:	352
Sunday School: Total:	198
Regular Offering:	\$16,082.25
Building Fund:	\$7,245.00

*Unity has no debt as of October 10, 2007.*

### Prayers of Concern

- Linda Turner

*Please continue to remember those with special needs.*

## Building Fund Memorial

<u>In Memory of:</u>	<u>Given By:</u>
Betty Bennett	Dannie Vaughn
Jeff Kimbrell	Dannie Vaughn
Jean Royal	Dannie Vaughn
Joyce Lineberger	Dannie Vaughn

## Pine Needles Are NOT Coming!

Due to concerns with what we feel was the sub-standard quality of last spring's needles and the continued effects of the drought on the quality of this year's needles, we have decided NOT to have a Pine Needle Sale this year. We are negotiating and researching to find a high quality product to sell in the spring. We feel that selling a lesser quality pine needle was not good stewardship, so we are CANCELLING the October 4 Pine Needle Sale. Thank you for your understanding and patience. We hope to see you in the spring.

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Visit our web site  
[www.unityfortmill.org](http://www.unityfortmill.org)

*Return Service Requested*

**October 2, 2008**

*Dear Friends,*

Sunday, October 5, is World Communion Sunday, the day Christians around the world celebrate their unity by sharing the sacrament of the Lord's Supper on the same day. We will also be taking communion to shut-in members next week so they can be a part of this experience with us.



*Rev. Dr. Dan Holloway*

We will also receive our Dimes for Hunger Offering this week as a part of worship. I hope you're planning to be a part of this special effort to meet the needs of hungry people both locally and abroad. As you've been hearing in worship in recent weeks, the need is greater than ever and even the smallest gift makes a difference. Thanks for sharing!

*In Christ's Service,  
Dan*