



# First Pres Kids

April 2007

Matthew 19:14 - but Jesus said, "Let the children come to me, and do not hinder them; for to such belongs the kingdom of heaven."

## Mission Fest 2007



Randi Ryan talks with Nancy Lindeman, representative from the Thornwell School for Children, during the 2007 Mission Sunday.

## Voices of Angels



Sunday, April 1, the Pioneer Clubs Choirs grades 1-5 will sing at both worship services. For the 8:30 service, please plan to arrive at 8:25 a.m. and have children sit in the first two pews in front of the sanctuary. For the 11:00 service, we will robe the children at the end of Sunday school and move to the sanctuary. After the *Message for Young Disciples* the children will exit the Sanctuary to remove their robes. Please mark your calendars – we need everyone to participate at both services!

## EASTER EGG HUNT



On Sunday, April 1<sup>st</sup>, our annual Easter Egg Hunt will once again be held at the home of Alva and Ida Whitehead- 175 West Pocket Road. The hunt will be begin at 3:30 p.m. There will be games, crafts, refreshments, and lots and lots of eggs. So bring your Easter basket and join us for a fun afternoon.

### Directions to the Whitehead's

To get to the Whitehead's; take Irby Street north toward the City-County Building, continue over Highway 52 (Lucas Street). At a certain point Irby Street becomes TV Road. Go all the way to the end of TV Road passing under I-95. TV Road ends at Pocket Road. Take a left onto Pocket Road and the Whitehead's are the third driveway on the right. Turn into the driveway and park in the pasture field on the right.

## APRIL MEMORY VERSES THE APOSTLES' CREED

**April 1<sup>st</sup>** - I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy Catholic Church; the communion of saints;

**April 8<sup>th</sup>** - the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

### Memory Challenge

Remember on Easter Sunday, the children will have the opportunity to recite the entire Apostles' Creed ...for a reward!! Please help us to teach these children what it is that we believe.

## THE LORD'S PRAYER

**April 15<sup>th</sup>** - Our Father, who art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

**April 22<sup>nd</sup>** - Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive our debts as we forgive our debtors.

**April 29<sup>th</sup>** - And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen."

## APRIL CHAPTER CHALLENGE

**April 1<sup>st</sup> – Mark 15**

**April 8<sup>th</sup> – Mark 16**

**April 15<sup>th</sup> – Matthew 6**

**April 22<sup>nd</sup> – Matthew 7**

**April 29<sup>th</sup> – Matthew 8**

## First Presbyterian Basketball Teams



**Eight and under team:** 1<sup>st</sup> row: Ellen Grace Marechal, Carrigan Spearman, Randi Ryan, Annie Abernathy, Patrick Morgan, Worth Player, Richard Shurman, Lee Gandy, Wilson Josey, Elizabeth Spruill. 2<sup>nd</sup> row: Coach Joni Pittman, Hunter Morgan, David Porter, Tyler Jackson, Chase Pittman, Matt Marechal, and Coach Shelley Gandy.



**Ten and under team.** 1<sup>st</sup> row: Parker Roycroft, Adam Frederick, Palmer Jones, Sarah Wheeler, Joe McLean. 2<sup>nd</sup> row: Bennett Roycroft, William Jones, Drew Knudsen, Bryan Spearman, and Coach John Scott.

## One Great Hour of Sharing

Over the past five weeks, our children have had the opportunity to participate in One Great Hour of Sharing. This ministry supports three programs: Presbyterian Hunger Program, Presbyterian Disaster Assistance and Self-Development of People. On Sunday, April 8<sup>th</sup>, we will be collecting the fish banks during the Sunday School hour.

### Pioneer Clubs

April 4th and 11th there will be NO Wednesday night programs due to Holy Week and Spring Break. We will resume on Wednesday, April 18th with a special event for the children on April 25th and an end of the year program on May 2nd.

### M&M Ministry

Due to the Easter Egg Hunt and Easter Sunday, this month M&M Ministry will meet on Sunday, April 15<sup>th</sup> from 3:00 – 4:30 p.m.

## CAMP PEE DEE

Camp Pee Dee is gearing up for the summer season. This year they are offering Day or Mini Camps, Beginner and Pioneer Camps, Horse Camps, Bike, Explorer, M.A.D., or Sports Camp. If you are interested in any of these camps or would like more information about Camp Pee Dee, please contact Kelly Boone or visit their website at [www.newharmoniypres.org/camppeedee](http://www.newharmoniypres.org/camppeedee).

### VBS 2007 Volunteers Needed

Vacation Bible School will be held June 18-21 from 9 a.m. – 12 noon daily. Our theme this year will be “Avalanche Ranch – A Wild Ride Through God’s Word”. We need you to help make our VBS successful. Volunteers are needed to work with children in several areas, serve snacks, bring teacher refreshments, etc. We will find a place for you! A nursery is provided for VBS volunteers that have young children. Contact Kelly Boone at 662-2583.

## Upcoming April Events

### Pioneer Clubs Choir:

Sunday, April 1<sup>st</sup>, 8:30 & 11:00 a.m.

### Easter Egg Hunt:

Sunday, April 1<sup>st</sup> 3:30 p.m.

### Children’s Subcommittee Meeting:

Tuesday, April 3<sup>rd</sup> 5:00 p.m.



### No Pioneer Clubs:

April 4<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup>

### Easter Sunday:

April 8<sup>th</sup>

### M & M Ministry:

Sunday, April 15<sup>th</sup> 3:00 p.m.