



# Elba United Methodist Church

## Mid-Week News

### March 3, 2010



**Mission Statement:** To make disciples for Jesus Christ through our witness, worship, and work.

**Our Vision:** To become a vigorous, flourishing congregation for Jesus Christ.

**Our Plan:**

1. To become an inviting and welcoming church.
2. To become a church for all of God's children.
3. To find new ways of reaching out for Jesus Christ in our community.
4. To become a mission-minded church by becoming actively involved in missions, disaster work teams, and hands-on mission projects.

**TONIGHT'S SCHEDULE**

5:30 - Supper  
 5:45 - "Super Kids"  
 6:00 - Adult Bible Study  
 7:00 - Chancel Choir

**This Sunday 3/7/10**

9:00 - Sunday School  
 10:00 - Morning Worship/  
 Communion and "Can-Do" Sun-  
 day  
 5:00 - Children's Program/  
 Elaine Martin/snacks  
 6:00 - Evening Worship  
 6:00 - UMYF/snack supper/  
 Kevin Allen/program: Karen  
 Davis

**Next Sunday 3/14/10**

9:00 - Sunday School  
 10:00 - Morning Worship  
 5:00 - Children's Program/Carol  
 Jackson/snacks  
 6:00 - Evening Worship  
 6:00 - UMYF/Colton Vaughan/  
 snack supper/program: Melinda  
 Vaughan

**NURSERY WORKERS**

March 7 - Connie Moseley  
 March 14 - Sara Smith  
 March 21 - Sue Boggan  
 March 28 - Jenny Allen

**PRAYER REQUESTS**

Dot Baker	William Rufus Pope
Henry Bara	Nancy Powell
Sabrina Byrd	Helen Robertson
Barbara Cagle	Anna Williamson
Bob Cannon	Mike Williams
Eugene DeVane	Herbie Wise
Pete Dorsey	Military Personnel
Martha Easters	Police Officers
Larry Gilmore	Firefighters
Michelle Grimes	Earthquake Victims
Gary Guthrie	<u>Elba Nursing Home</u>
Dodd Hawthorne	Mavis Hanchey
Amorette Helms	Vivian Lee
Myrtie Hickman	Gwen Marsh
Jon & Renae Horton	Alma Morrow
Dave Jennings	Maxine Prescott
Kilbie Johnson	Helen Rainer
Martha Johnson	Doris Taylor
Susie Johnson	<u>Enterprise Nursing Home</u>
Bo Lovvorn	Annie Helms
Myrtle Marler	
Dan Morrow	

**Love and sympathy** to the families of Renee Owens (sister-in-law of Laura and Joe Lassiter) and Stewart Robertson (brother of Norman Robertson)

**REMINDERS**

A volunteer is needed to place flowers in church on March 28th and April 18th. A clean-up volunteer is needed for the 3rd week of April (19th-24th).

**GREETERS**

March 7 - Lee & Harriette Boyd  
 March 14 - Robbie & Debbie Curran  
 March 21 - Mary Brunson & Carolyn Stokes  
 March 28 - Charlotte Hobson & Sue Boggan

**CHILDREN'S PROGRAM**  
**SNACKS**

March 7 - Elaine Martin  
 March 14 - Carol Jackson  
 March 21 - Jean Helms  
 March 28 - Karen Davis

**UP-COMING EVENTS**

March 6 - Elba Lions Club pancake  
 breakfast  
 March 7 - Communion and "Can-Do"  
 Sunday  
 March 9 - Frazer Lunch  
 March 10 - Wednesday night activities  
 March 14 - Daylight Saving Time

**UMYF SNACK SUPPER**

March 7 - Kevin Allen  
 March 14 - Colton Vaughan  
 March 21 - Merrill Curran  
 March 28 - UMYF will not meet.  
 They will attend the Holy Week  
 Revival Service.

**KITCHEN HELP**

Tonight: Laura Lassiter  
 March 10 - Donna Stokes  
 March 17 - Freddie Pearce  
 March 24 - Kerry Rodriguez  
 March 31 - Heddy Cox

## **PROJECT ABC**

Please remember to participate in "Project ABC" on the third Sunday of each month. Many school children do not have the supplies they need for school. Supplies needed are: Crayola Crayons, pencils, Elmer's School Glue, Fiskar scissors, notebook paper, and composition books.

## **LENTEN SEASON**

The Lenten Season began February 17th, Ash Wednesday. Be sure to pick up your Lenten devotionals, "*Where In The World Is God?*" They are located in the narthex and in the office foyer.

## **"RELAY-FOR-LIFE"**

"Relay-for-Life" 2010 will be Friday night, May 14th, at the Enterprise-Ozark Community College. We plan to have a church team (please join) and take the church bus to "Relay." We expect "Relay", as usual, to be a time of good fellowship, good food, good remembrances, and celebrations for all survivors and all progress that has been and is being made in fighting cancer, the mean, sneaky enemy.

We will have our "traditional" hamburger and dessert luncheon following morning worship in early spring. The date will be announced later. The cost for this lunch will be a donation to "Relay-for-Life." Please help with the following (if any problems call Janice at 897-6012):

Meat: Men's Club

Buns and Tea: Candlelighters Sunday School Class

Chips: Garrett, Dunaway, Foster Sunday School Class

Baked Beans: Cornerstones Sunday School class

Desserts: Team Members

"The Fixings": Pairs and Spares Sunday School Class

Luminaries to be lighted at "Relay" in honor of survivors and in memory of those who have passed away will be on sale for \$10.00. A notification card will be sent upon request. We also gladly accept donations in any amount.

In Christ,  
Janice

## **GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP**

A "Grief Support Group" will meet for 6 weeks on Thursday nights from 6:00 until 7:30 p.m. in the fellowship hall of the Elba United Methodist Church. The sessions will begin March 25th and end April 29th. Whether your loss has occurred recently or not so recent, you are invited to come to share the experiences of others who have "been there." For more information, call Janice Phillips at 897-6012 or the church office at 897-2219.