







Pam Johnston

Director of Children's & Family Ministries

### **Rock Ranch**

Join the Children's Department as we head over to the Rock Ranch on May 14-15 for a camp-out in covered wagons under the stars. We will cook-out, play games, sing songs, meet an astronomer, go on a scavenger hike and more. Children ages 5 and under must be accompanied by an adult. All families in the church are welcome. Plan to meet at the church at 4 to leave on the bus, and we will return around 11 the next morning.

### **VBS ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING**

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 5**

**4:30 PM**

**CHILDREN'S ASSEMBLY ROOM**

### **VBS**

Time to sign up for VBS! Let Pam know if you are available to teach or help with GALACTIC BLAST the week of June 14-18. This year we'll travel the universe to learn how amazing our God truly is. We'll do cosmic crafts and learn Green Earth Tips too! So come be a part of an awe-inspiring summer space odyssey.

### **Space-Related Decorations Needed**

Sounds strange, but if you have any NASA-related items, or supplies like large cylinders (to make rockets), space blankets, models of planets, or anything we could use to make a "mission control" room, then bring it to church. I really need a good decorating team this year!



This week The Children's Center would like to introduce you to Ms. Lisa Kelly. Lisa has worked for the center for 1 year. She has worked with children for 11 years and has a Bachelor's degree in Psychology. Ms. Lisa was also our employee of the month January 2010.

Ms. Lisa's niece, Emma, has attended The Center since she was 12 weeks old. Emma will turn one Friday, April 23rd. Ms. Lisa loves to play softball in her spare time. She also grew up on a farm and loves animals!

We are so proud to have Ms. Lisa at our center. Her parents always have good things to say about the care and love she gives their children.

Thank you so much Ms. Lisa for all you do!

### **Circle Meeting**

Esther Circle will meet at the Clubhouse at Richland Estates on May 6, 2010 at 12:00 PM. Bring a salad or dessert to share.

### **Young at Heart Luncheon Thursday, May 13, 2010 12:00 p.m. Fellowship Hall Cost: \$6**

Program: Mark Johnston/Haiti  
All adults 55 or older are most welcome. You do not have to be a member of Young at Heart to attend. Call the church office (745-8601) for reservations by Monday, May 10th.



### ***You Always Were MOM's Favorite!***

Have you donated to (Macon Outreach at Mulberry) MOM's 37 Cent Club yet? The Outreach springtime campaign is underway!

As an added bonus, a special Mother's Day insert will be included in the May 9th worship bulletin. To ensure that any gift made in honor or memory of your Mother or Grandmother is included in the list, please make your gift by Wednesday, May 5th.

On behalf of the many families and individuals we serve, thank you for your support.

Love,  
MOM

### ***Macon Outreach Fund***

***In memory of Bonnie Powell***

***by Ashley and Mary Hurt***

***In honor of Dr. Clyde D. Marlow***

***by Dr. John Ferguson***

### **Center for the Arts Academy Wesleyan College June 6-12, 2010**

Rising high school sophomores, juniors, seniors, and graduating seniors can explore a variety of fine arts disciplines with our outstanding faculty during a one-week immersion program. Have fun, explore multiple areas of interest and experience college life. The program is designed specifically for high school students to study, create and perform in studio art, music, or theatre. In addition to advanced study of the arts, you'll experience life at the world's oldest college for women and learn from our world-class faculty. For more information or to register, contact Lisa Sloben, 478-757-5171 or [lsloben@wesleyancollege.edu](mailto:lsloben@wesleyancollege.edu)

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***THIS WEEK AT MULBERRY***

**Sunday, May 2**

9:00 a.m. Worship/Chapel  
 9:45 a.m. Sunday School  
 9:40 a.m. KIDSPRAISE/Children's Assembly Rm  
 11:00 a.m. Worship/Sanctuary  
 5:00 p.m. S.M.A.K./Children's Assembly Rm  
 5:00 p.m. UMYF  
 5:00 p.m. Confirmation Class

**Monday, May 3**

12:00 p.m. Monday Lunch at Mulberry/Parlor  
 12:00 p.m. AGO Luncheon/Fellowship Hall

**Tuesday, May 4**

7:00 a.m. Men's Sermon Starter Group/Bob Lovett's Office  
 8:30 a.m. Prayer Group/Conf Rm  
 9:15 a.m. Chapel/Children's Center  
 10:30 a.m. Staff Meeting/Conf Rm  
 12:00 p.m. Kiwanis Club Lunch/Fellowship Hall  
 5:30 p.m. Wesleyan Heritage Group/Conf Rm

**Wednesday, May 5**

10:30 a.m. Macon Outreach Worship Service/Chapel  
 4:30 p.m. UMW Executive Committee Mtg/Conf Rm  
 5:45 p.m. Wednesday Night Supper/Fellowship Hall  
 7:15 p.m. Ainsworth Choir

**Thursday, May 6**

12:00 p.m. Esther Circle/Richland Estates Clubhouse  
 1:30 p.m. Children's Center Mother's Day Tea/Fellowship Hall

**Friday, May 7**

7:00 a.m. Market Place Men's Ministry/Joshua Cup

**Sunday, May 9**

9:00 a.m. Worship/Chapel  
 9:45 a.m. Sunday School  
 9:40 a.m. KIDSPRAISE/Children's Assembly Rm  
 11:00 a.m. Worship/Sanctuary  
 5:00 p.m. S.M.A.K./Children's Assembly Rm  
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**Ministries Budget Report  
 2010 General Fund**

Month	Gifts	Expense	Net	Net Last Year
Jan	78,132	100,172	(22,040)	(22,001)
Feb	61,541	95,097	(33,556)	(27,104)
Mar	74,029	99,182	(25,153)	(216)
Total YTD	213,702	294,451	(80,749)	(49,321)

**MULBERRY STREET UMC STAFF**

Tommy Martin, Senior Pastor Cile Mitchell, Associate Pastor  
 Bishop C. W. Hancock, Bishop in Residence Dr. William H. Hurdle, Senior Pastor Emeritus  
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 Erin Roberson, Director, Children's Center Betsy Abbott, Director of Hospitality  
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