



Focus

For Members & Friends of Dale Heights Presbyterian Church

March 2011

Pastor Marilyn's Monthly Musings

As I'm writing this month's *Musings* the eyes of the nation and the world are on the political protests being staged at the Wisconsin state capitol here in Madison, watching to see who will prevail in a government showdown over labor unions' collective bargaining rights. As persons of faith, why should we care what's happening at our state capitol? According to Psalm 24 the earth and all it contains belong to God. What that means is every single aspect of human life is of concern to God, and therefore is of concern to us as persons of faith. As such, I invite and encourage you to not only express your political views to the governor and legislators about these issues, but also to keep both our elected leaders and those who are protesting in your prayers. And if you would like to learn about Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) policy statements on labor issues, the 207th General Assembly in 1995 issued one called "God's Work in our Hands: Employment, Community and Christian Vocation," which is cited in a resolution adopted by John Knox Presbytery during its quarterly meeting February 19, 2011.

Turning to activities at Dale Heights in March, our new transformation team continues to be hard at work in launching our participation in the Presbytery's transformation process. With the beginning of Lent, the team will be leading us in a church-wide Bible study, offering several opportunities to participate. The goal is 100 percent of our church family participating in this Bible study. You can read more about it elsewhere in this month's *Focus*.

With the beginning of Lent we will also begin a new cultural emphasis, learning about Hispanic/Latino Lent and Easter traditions, especially those in Chile. Also in conjunction with our Hispanic/Latino theme our Outreach and Mission Committee is hosting guest speakers who will talk to us about mission endeavors in Guatemala. I'm looking forward to learning more about each of these Spanish-speaking neighbors.

As it does every year, Lent begins on Ash Wednesday, which this year is March 9. Instead of an evening service, this year we will observe Ash Wednesday during a noon service and Bible study that will include voluntary imposition of ashes.

I'm also looking forward to our church sharing worship and supper at Pres House on March 27. These are always a wonderful experience, but I'm particularly looking forward to our own Ndazona Holland presenting second chance crosses from the 219th General Assembly to the Pres House worshippers.

See you in church and serving in our Madison/Middleton area community!

Shalom in Christ Jesus, Marilyn

March Worship Messages

March 6, 2011 - Transfiguration of the Lord/Carnival Sunday - "Touching the World" -
Matthew 17:1-9 - Communion

March 9, 2011 - 12 Noon - Ash Wednesday Daily Prayer Service and Study
with Voluntary Imposition of Ashes

March 13, 2011 - 1st Sunday in Lent - "Caring for the Earth:
The Beginning of God's Dream" - Genesis 2:15-17; 3:1-7

March 20, 2011 - 2nd Sunday in Lent - "Faithfully Going Where God Sends:
Embodying God's Dream" - Genesis 12:1-4a

March 27, 2011 - 3rd Sunday in Lent - "Trusting God's Presence and Providence:
Testing God's Dream" - Exodus 17:1-7

Ushers for March

Mar. 6 Communion Servers
Mar. 13 Sunday School
Mar. 20 Vreni Straubhaar and
Otty Schaefer
Mar. 27 Gale Oakes and Dale Buske

Liturgists for February

Mar. 6 Tom Jones
Mar. 13 Caroline Pope
Mar. 20 Sandy Weigt
Mar. 27 Otty Schaefer



Dale Heights Carnival/ Mardi Gras Celebration Sunday, March 6

On Sunday, March 6 we will celebrate Mardi Gras and learn about the Winter Carnival in Quebec from our own Sophie Jakovich during worship and our morning fellowship. Please also see information about Winter Carnival elsewhere in this month's *Focus*.

Where observed, these celebrations of varying lengths precede the beginning of Lent on Ash Wednesday, which this year is March 9.

As part of our celebration, we will again enjoy King Cake for Mardi Gras as well as some Quebec Winter Carnival goodies during the fellowship time after worship. Bring and wear your Mardi Gras beads and masks as part of the fun!

Ash Wednesday Daily Prayer Service and Study with Voluntary Imposition of Ashes March 9 at 12 Noon

This year instead of an Ash Wednesday evening service, the Session has approved a daytime observance in conjunction with the weekly Lunch & Learn study.

The service of Daily Prayer will begin at 12 Noon in the Lounge and will include Scripture reading, the conclusion of the *Blood Done Sign My Name* study, and voluntary imposition of ashes.

See you there!

Hispanic/Latino Lent and Easter

This year's Lent and Easter cultural emphasis will be Hispanic/Latino, learning during worship and fellowship particularly about Chilean traditions and foods during these seasons of reflecting upon Jesus' crucifixion and resurrection. Also in conjunction with this theme, the Outreach and Mission Committee is hosting speakers talking about Guatemalan mission activities on March 13.

Happy Birthday!

March 23 Don Weigt

March 28 Elizabeth Holland

Aaron Lembcke (2010)

Happy Anniversary!

March 1 Vreni and Willy Straubhaar

March 19 Kris and Jim Tracey

Dale Heights Church-wide Lenten Bible Study Beginning Sunday, March 13 and Wednesday, March 16

At the request of our Transformation Team the Session has approved a church-wide Bible study titled *Behold: There is a New Creation* as part of our Dale Heights transformation journey during the six weeks of Lent, beginning Sunday, March 13 and Wednesday, March 16 and concluding during Holy Week in April. This is the first of four anticipated church-wide studies during our three-year transformation journey.

According to materials in the Transformation Team's *Journey of the People of God* process manual, "The Bible is a living voice through which the Holy Spirit calls the church to discover and discern God's mission and sends it to participate in God's mission. Consequently, the Bible is an indispensable source of learning for the church and for the church's transformation journey."

In addition to the Sunday morning adult Church School and Wednesday Lunch & Learn classes, plans include offering a Wednesday evening class before choir, and some Saturday morning breakfast classes, with a request that all adult members and attendees endeavor to participate in one of these opportunities. Other opportunities may be added if there's a need, which may be made known to Transformation Team co-chairs Rick Shannon or Sandy Weigt.

MOM Top Ten List

Hearty Soups (chili, beef stew)
100% Fruit Juice
Boxed Cereal
Spaghetti Sauce/Pasta
Canned meats (turkey/chicken/tuna)
Canned Fruit
Toilet Paper
Diapers-- Size 4, 5 and 6
Towels and sheets
Blankets and pillows

***Blood Done Sign My Name* Wednesday Lunch & Learn Class Concluding on Ash Wednesday**

We will conclude reading from the book *Blood Done Sign My Name: A True Story* by former University of Wisconsin professor Timothy B. Tyson on Wednesday, March 9.

Join us when and as you are able at 11:45 a.m. Wednesdays!

Weekly Children's Church School

Our weekly Sunday School continues to meet every Sunday. The 2-7 year-old class meets from 9:15 a.m. to 9:45 a.m. in the Sunday School Wing. Join us as we share the stories of our faith as you and your children are able to participate. Thanks to our Children's Sunday School teachers!

Nursery Available

Children at Dale Heights are always welcome and encouraged to attend and participate in Sunday worship. The nursery is available when parents have a need to take their children out of church for whatever reason, but it is not staffed.

Fill the Robes!

On Sunday, March 6, the choir will be hosting Fill the Robes Sunday! On this day, everyone is invited to come sing a simple anthem with the choir! If you wish to participate in this fun event, please let Maggie know, and come to rehearsal on **March 3rd** at 7:30 pm.



Crown of Thorns Lenten Wreath

The Lenten season is a time of spiritual reflection for the Christian family. The roughness of the Lenten wreath symbolizes the suffering and scorn Jesus underwent for us. Each week a candle on the wreath is snuffed out as we move ever closer to the darkness of Good Friday.

During our Lenten journey, we make special sacrifices to remind us of Christ's suffering and sacrifice on the cross. Through our Lenten prayer and practices, we prepare to accept God's gift of purifying and transforming our souls to receive the new life of the Risen Christ at Easter.

Lenten Wreath

Readers and Candle Snuffers

The first Sunday in Lent is March 13. Families and individuals willing to lead the Lenten wreath portion of Sunday morning worship are needed. Please let Marcia Holman know of your willingness to help, or sign up on the sheet that will be in the Concourse.

Outreach & Mission Potluck & Program on Guatemala Sunday, March 13

Covenant Presbyterian members Helen Madsen and her friend, Ginger, will present a program on their congregation's mission and trips to Guatemala at 11:30 a.m. Sunday, March 13. Come and hear about Covenant's clean water and school projects in Guatemala!

Dale Heights Serving Pres House Supper March 27

Our Dale Heights family will once again be sharing food and fellowship with the Pres House college students Sunday, March 27. Worship is at 4:30 p.m., followed by the supper provided by Dale Heights. Hope to see you there!

Ndazona Holland will present Second Chance Crosses from the 219th General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) to the Pres House worshipers during their service on March 27.

Maundy Thursday Drama coming April 21!

We will soon be recruiting actors and actresses to be in our Maundy Thursday dramatic presentation *Beneath the Upper Room* on April 21. The drama looks at Jesus' Last Supper with his disciples from the perspective of those who prepared the meal.

Tentative plans are to present the program in the Dale Heights kitchen and fellowship hall in and around a shared Maundy Thursday meal.

Please let Pastor Marilyn or Maggie Rogers know of your interest in being in the drama.

February New Beginnings

The February New Beginnings Lunch will be Tuesday, March 15 at 11:30 at Sofra Family Bistro, 7457 Elmwood Ave in Middleton.

Please call or e-mail Mary Towne for reservations at 831-6635 or marytowne@chorus.net

Super Souper Bowl Thank You

A huge thank you to all who contributed to a very successful Souper Bowl. Your generosity raised \$550 which will go directly to Middleton Outreach Ministry.

Then the icing on the cake was that the Packers won. It was a good day overall.

Invitation to be on the Prayer Tree

The power of prayer is remarkable. Someone notifies Pastor Marilyn of a prayer concern and she passes it on by e-mail. Those who do not have e-mail will be called with the prayer concern. Your responsibility is to keep the individual in your prayers. If you are not on the list and wish to be on the prayer tree, please let Sandy Weigt know by phone (238-9402) or e-mail d_weigt@sbcglobal.net.

CHURCH WOMEN UNITED



Barbara Fleishman and Ellie Metzloff attended the CWU Forum on Feb. 4. Tom Brown spoke on "Vital Issues Before the UN Now." We learned that there is a new funded agency for women. Also, a major issue is nuclear proliferation. The UN settled 35 million refugees and provided 90 million people with daily food last year.

Sunday, March 7 will be the Celebration for World Day of Prayer at St. Joseph Catholic Church (1905 W. Beltline Hwy.) at 3 pm. The topic of the worship service is "How Many Loaves Have You?" All are welcome!

Winter Weather Cancellation Policy

When Pastor Marilyn has to cancel worship, she will do the following: send an email, put a cancellation notice on the website, and change the answering machine by 8:00 a.m. on Sunday morning to indicate the cancellation.

If you are at all unsure about whether or not to come to church, please check your e-mail, check the website or call the church. **Above all, play it safe.**

Dale Heights Knitters & Crocheters on Temporary Hiatus

Due to various medical and other reasons, our Dale Heights crocheting and knitting ministry to work together on knitting or crocheting projects for mission - such as "healing shawls" and skull caps for soldiers' helmets is on a temporary hiatus.

We plan to resume when folks are recovered and have fewer schedule conflicts.

Le Carnaval de Québec, the largest Winter Carnival in the World!

Ever since 1894, just before Lent, there is a winter celebration that has warmed up the hearts of the French colony during winter's hardship. In 1893, the economy was slowing down in Québec city and the owner of the Québec Daily Telegraph launched the idea of a carnival. In 1954, le "Bonhomme carnaval" was born and a magical ice palace was built for him. Traditional events include canoe races, ice sculptures, night parade, dog sled races, and crowning of the Queen of the carnival.

Other traditions that I have tried are the sip of "caribou", playing the long red trumpet and sliding on the Great Ice Slide! I am so lucky to have been at the Québec Winter Carnival, one of the top Carnivals like Rio and New Orleans! Bon Carnaval!

Sophie Jakovich

Question: "What evidences have you seen of God at work in your life this week?"

Meet Our New Transformation Coordinating Coach!

You were introduced to the Transformational Team last month. Every team needs a coach and our team has Clara Thompson as our coach. Clara is a familiar face around Dale Heights. She has worshipped with us and filled our pulpit on occasion. She introduces herself to us in her own words below...

Having served my entire ministry of 30 years at the First Presbyterian Church in Oregon, WI, I became "honorably retired" in July of 2009. Since then I have enjoyed learning a variety of things, some typical and some not-so-typical ... quilting, crocheting, and knitting, as well as rock climbing and learning to fly my husband's seaplane. Sandy Weigt can fill you in on my recent experience of sewing a clown costume for our 19 year old son ... Can you guess who sewed the legs together, not just once, but *twice*?! And they call this a "Simplicity" pattern?

I'm excited about serving as Dale Heights' "Coach" during the Transformation Journey. So far, it's gone much better than the clown costume! What I like most about Dale Heights, and the Coordinating Team in particular, is its ability to think creatively and to jump in with both feet even when it doesn't seem like a "Simplicity" pattern. I look forward to getting to know more of you as we go on this wonderful Journey together ... holding on to that which makes Dale Heights so wonderfully unique while still exploring the possibilities of where God might be calling you as a congregation. We're on a wonderful Journey as the people of God, and I look forward to traveling with you!

Clara Thompson, Coach

One Great Hour of Sharing

**Sharing resources,
changing lives**



Since 1949, Presbyterians have joined with millions of other Christians through One Great Hour of Sharing to share God's love with people experiencing need. Our gifts support ministries of disaster response, refugee assistance and resettlement, and community development that help people find safe refuge, start new lives and work together to strengthen their families and communities.

Recognizing that the hope we have in Christ is lived out in our hope for one another, we respond with gifts that help our sisters and brothers around the world find the hope for a brighter future.

Where does the money go?

The Presbyterian Hunger Program receives 36 percent of undesignated One Great Hour of Sharing gifts, while the Self-Development of People and Presbyterian Disaster Assistance each receive 32 percent.

When is the offering received?

Dale Heights is receiving the offering throughout Lent, and dedicating it on Easter Sunday.

Inquiring Into Membership Conversations

Persons interested in becoming members of Dale Heights are invited to make an appointment with Pastor Marilyn at a mutually convenient time throughout the month.

Perspectives of Abrahamic Religions : Family

Resources and Wisdoms within the Abrahamic Traditions

Religion plays a significant role in nurturing families and this event will serve as a platform to share wisdoms according to different religious traditions.

- ❖ Our faith traditions that makes us to love one another in the context of family
- ❖ Strains that modern life puts on the family
- ❖ Positive role models and a good family atmosphere
- ❖ Good qualities of an ideal family in our faith traditions
- ❖ Nurturing the family: practices in our religions



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Promoting Global Fellowship.

Session Meeting Highlights – February 17, 2011

- Signed up for 2011 Committees and Ministry Teams
- Approved the January 25, 2011 Session meeting and January 30, 2011 Annual Congregation/Corporation meeting minutes
- During the Property and Finance Committee report, received a brief report on the January monthly and year-to-date financials; and learned the broken tile in the newer fellowship hall had been replaced
- Received the monthly Pastor's report, which included news that the General Assembly Permanent Judicial Commission trial has been set for July 29; and approved Pastor Marilyn's 2011 Vacation and Study Leave weeks
- During the Christian Education Ministry Team report, heard reports on the Church School classes; heard an update on the Lunch & Learn study; and learned that there are plans for an Easter skit by the children on a too-be-determined date
- During the Personnel Committee report, learned that background checks for all employees and volunteers are current
- During the Transformation Coordinating Team report heard that the team continues meeting weekly; approved a request for a church-wide six-week Bible study during Lent; approved replacing regular Sunday Church School and Worship with a congregational Conference on the Past May 1; and learned that there will be a transformation training for the Session on April 2 at Westminster Presbyterian Church in Madison
- During the Outreach and Mission Committee report, learned about upcoming informational potluck plans, including programs by Boy Scouts, on Guatemala mission trips, on Habitat for Humanity, and Safe Families; that the Souper Bowl raised \$550 for the Middleton Outreach Ministry Food Pantry; and that we will serve the Pres House Supper March 27
- During the Worship and Music Committee report, heard about plans to have a French-Canadian Carnival/Mardi Gras and Fill the Robe choir on March 6; a Hispanic/Latino emphasis for Lent and Easter; that Dale Heights will not participate in a planned Madison Area Presbyterian Good Friday service; that we will do a drama called *Beneath the Upper Room* on Maundy Thursday; and decided instead of an evening Ash Wednesday service to do it in conjunction with the Wednesday Lunch & Learn study that day
- The next meeting will be March 15, 2011 with Barb Fleishman leading devotions.

Worship and Music Committee Meeting Highlights – January 30, 2011

> Decided not to participate in the joint Good Friday service with Covenant, Christ, Parkside, Pres House and Westminster.

> Heard that March 6 is “Fill the Robes” Sunday; an opportunity for the congregation to participate in the choir. There will also be information about Mardi Gras/Carnival from Sophie Jakovich. The Transformation Team will do a “kick-off” presentation. Home communion will be provided as requested.

> Participated in a discussion about having a service on Ash Wednesday (March 9), since the Ash Wednesday services in the past have been sparsely attended. The conversation will be presented to Session for a decision. Approved Pastor Marilyn obtaining a script for a drama entitled “Beneath the Upper Room” which portrays the Last Supper as viewed by those who served the meal.

> Approved recommending to Session a request by the Transformation Team to hold a congregational “conference on the past” in place of all Sunday morning activities May 1, which needs to be completed before the next training event on May 14.

> Due to Pastor Marilyn’s vacation to attend Jackie’s college graduation, pulpit supply to be arranged for May 8—Mother’s Day.

> Discussed Lent/Palm Sunday/Easter arrangements. Small loaves of unleavened bread needed for April 3 & 21. Use of multi or bi-lingual bulletin covers for cultural emphasis was discussed. Input from Janice Krall and Frank Rodriguez is being sought for suggestions.

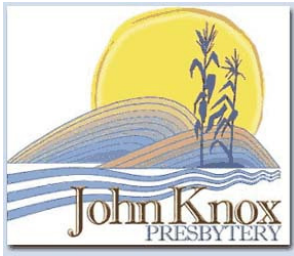
> June services include a hymn festival & a trying to schedule a joint service with Sah-lang with picnic following the service on Pentecost June 12.

> Heard that liturgists are scheduled through February & needed for March & April. A sign-up sheet for Lenten Candle snuffers/readers is available in the concourse.

> Learned that the usher schedule is working fairly well & that choir members will be asked to help with ushering in the summer.

Property & Finance Committee Meeting Highlights – February 8, 2011

- Sound system extension to the concourse is being worked on—no action yet on sound system extension to the nursery.
- Heat tape for roof sections still under consideration—watching for specific problem areas after the most recent heavy snowfall and melting.
- Discussion of faucet replacement, especially for the upstairs men’s restroom.
- Preventing break-ins at white garage will be worked on when weather improves.
- Financial reports received. As of January 31, 2011, year-to-date actual income was \$20,152 (higher than usual because of some prepaid pledges); year-to-date budgeted expense is \$13,868 leaving net income of \$6,284. Still to be paid are Presbyterian per capita and the first ¼ of the Unified Mission Pledge.
- Next meeting will be Tuesday March 8 at 7:00 pm.



John Knox Presbytery Meeting Highlights

Here are some highlights from the February 19 John Knox Presbytery Meeting:

- Experienced a “missional” worship led by incoming Moderator Dale Chapin that included three missional presentations, news that up to 75 percent of upcoming Presbytery meetings will feature and celebrate ways God’s mission is at work in the Presbytery; and sharing portions of the proposed Belhar Confession
- Installed as 2011 Moderator the Rev. Dale Chapin and as Vice Moderator Elder Bonnie Sue Lewis
- Received the Committee on Ministry report, during which Rev. Marilyn Gamm shared about a redesign of the committee’s meeting into a “worshipful work” format; approved having the Stated Clerk request the Presbytery of Detroit to dismiss the Rev. Jessica Nylund Salt, East Iowa Presbytery to dismiss the Rev. Connie Peake, and New Brunswick Presbytery to dismiss the Rev. Iliana Wood and enrolling each of them as an active member of John Knox Presbytery; moving the Rev. Lin Grace Rohr to the Member at Large roll effective December 9, 2010; that the Committee on Ministry be appointed as an Administrative Commission of John Knox Presbytery with authority to act regularly on behalf of the Presbytery to appoint moderators to sessions of churches without pastors, to authorize specific elders to administer or preside at the Lord’s Supper, and to act on matters related to and to grant the status of honorably retired to those ministers requesting it, reporting all these actions to the next stated meeting of the Presbytery as actions of the Administrative Commission; and to change the Manual of Operations to set minimum honorarium at \$125 per worship service for pulpit supply, plus IRS allowable rate for mileage
- Received the Presbytery Council report, during which Rev. Craig Howard talked about various fund transfers and other decisions to facilitate the Presbytery becoming more “missional” in various ways; heard Rev. Gary Catterson talk about the new partnership with Portugal and plans to send two representatives from John Knox to Portugal in 2012; and heard Rev. David Hankins make a report on plans for Presbytery Day at the Circus World Museum in Baraboo, Wisconsin June 18, 2011.
- Received the Moderator, Executive Presbyter, Treasurer, and Stated Clerk’s reports. The Executive Presbyter reported included news that 14 of the Presbytery’s churches are participating in the new transformation process through the Center for Parish Development. And during the Stated Clerk’s report approved the Administrative Commission report on ordaining Hosung Cho December 19, 2010; approved the reports of the number of resident ministers and elder commissioners for 2011, the roster names of the Permanent Judicial Commission whose terms have expired, the summary of the 2010 Annual Statistical Reports of the Presbytery for the General Assembly, and the statistics of sessions in the Presbytery recorded by the OGA on February 23 be recorded in the permanent record; and approved an exemption from having both women and men as elders on the Andrew, Iowa church session
- Received the final report of the Wadena Presbyterian Church Administrative Commission
- Elected Elder Susan Paddock to a three-year term on the Committee on Ministry
- Approved a resolution calling upon Wisconsin Governor Scott Walker and Wisconsin’s other elected representatives to enter into good-faith negotiations with Wisconsin’s public employee unions to deal with Wisconsin’s current budget issues and to respect the rights of all workers to collectively bargain for wages and benefits, encouraging peaceful dialogue and discussion to reach consensus for the benefit of all the people of Wisconsin, and calling upon Presbyterians to continue to monitor the state budget process in Madison and to join with other Christians of good will in advocating and praying for a just resolution to Wisconsin’s current budget issues. The Stated Clerk is directed to send the resolution with its accompanying text to the governor, other elected representatives, and the Wisconsin State Journal
- Received the Bills and Overtures Committee report, during which the following proposed amendments to the Book of Order were approved via a consent agenda: 10-B, 10-C, 10-D, 10-E, 10-G, 10-H, 10-I, 10-J, 10-K, 10-L, 10-M, 10-N, and 10-O; disapproved proposed amendment 10-F; approved proposed amendment 10-A by a vote of 60-19; approved the new Foundations of Presbyterian Polity and Form of Government; and approved the Confession of Belhar. A majority of the 173 presbyteries must approve all except the Belhar for the amendments to be approved, with the Belhar Confession requiring approval by two-thirds of the 173 presbyteries
- The next meeting will be May 17, 2011

Read through the Bible in 1 Year!

Some Tips for reading through the Bible:

READ...the passage for the day, listening closely for what God is saying.

EXPLORE...what the Bible has to say by asking questions.

ACT...on the truth by finding one thing you can DO.

PRAY... the verses you have just read back to God

Desert wanderings

March-1 Deuteronomy 1-2

March-2 Deuteronomy 3-4

March-3 Deuteronomy 5-7

March-4 Deut.8-10

March-5 Deut. 11-13

March-6 Deut. 14-16

March-7 Deut. 17-20

March-8 Deut. 21-23

March-9 Deut. 24-27

March-10 Deuteronomy 28

March-11 Deut. 29-31

March-12 Deut.32-34



The promised land!

March-13 Joshua 1-3

March-14 Joshua 4-6

March-15 Joshua 7-8

March-16 Joshua 9-10

March-17 Joshua 11-13

March-18 Joshua 14-16

March-19 Joshua 17-19

March-20 Joshua 20-21

March-21 Joshua 22-24

March-22 Judges 1-2

March-23 Judges 3-5

March-24 Judges 6-7

March-25 Judges 8-9

March-26 Judges 10-11

March-27 Judges 12-14

March-28 Judges 15-17

March-29 Judges 18-19

March-30 Judges 20-21

March-31 Ruth 1-4

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2 Lunch & Learn 11:45 am; NO choir tonight; Transformation Team 7 pm	3 Choir rehearsal 7:30pm (Fill the Robes rehearsal)	4 World Day of Prayer	5
6 Mardi Gras/Carnival Sunday; Fill the Robes Sunday	7	8 Property & Finance Committee 7 pm	9 Ash Wednesday Service 12 Noon with Lunch & Learn 11:45 am; Choir 7:30pm	10 Pastor Marilyn to COM	11	12 Lenten Bible Study Begins; Men's Breakfast 8 am
13 1 st Sunday in Lent Lenten Bible Study Begins; Outreach Potluck 11:30 am Daylight Savings Time	14	15 Monthly Lunch 11:30 am; Session 7 pm	16 Lenten Bible Study Begins; Lunch & Learn 11:45 am; No Choir tonight; Bosom Buddies 6:45 pm	17 St. Patrick's Day	18	19
20 2 nd Sunday in Lent Spring Begins	21	22 Niagara Foundation Dinner 6 pm	23 Lunch & Learn 11:45 am; Choir 7:30pm	24	25	26
27 3 rd Sunday in Lent Pres House Worship 4:30 pm; Supper 5:30 pm	28	29	30 Lunch & Learn 11:45 am; Choir 7:30pm	31		

Community Activities Held At Dale Heights

Madison Sah-lang (Agape) Church

We are the nesting site for this evangelical church belonging to Presbyterian Church in America.

Furniture Loan for International Students:

Call Madison Friends of International Students office at 238-1046 for an appointment.

Breast Cancer Support Group:

Third Wednesday of the month, 6:45 p.m. in the lounge.

Wisconsin Tibetan Association:

Saturdays, 10:00 a.m. in the lounge.

Girl Scouts and Cub Scouts:

There is a Girl Scouts and a Cub Scouts troops meeting at various times

Spring Harbor Neighborhood Association:

There are various committees meeting at various times

Dale Heights Mission Statement:

*Our open-minded congregation affirms and celebrates God's gifts of love and grace.
We seek to share God's love by inviting others to join us in following Jesus
and by serving those in need in our community and world.*

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Sunday Schedule

9:00 a.m.

Christian Education

for all ages

September-May

10:00 a.m.

Worship

Child care provided

11:00 a.m.

Fellowship