



SCHREIBER MEMORIAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SCHREIBER SENTINEL

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Our Mission:

We serve God by reaching out to all people, nurturing each other in our spiritual journey, and serving others by reflecting God's love.

Our Sunday Schedule:

SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:15 AM

WORSHIP SERVICE

10:30 AM

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Memorial Gifts to Schreiber - March 2010

In Memory of Elvin Appleby

Jim Brockman
Wallis and Virginia Head

In Memory of Barbara Henry

*All Undesignated Memorials will be given to the Family Life Center Fund
as directed by the family of Barbara Henry*

Bonnie Arnett
Jena Davenport
Barbara Gill
Raymond and Betty Hattaway

Leonard and Gretchen Clegg
Kathleen H. Duffey
Michael Hattaway
Wallis and Virginia Head

In Memory of Brainerd Malone

Father of Pat Malone

Lowrance and Marilyn Hodge

In Memory of Roscoe Rann

Father of Gary Sage

Lee and Val White

In Memory of Les Walters

Jim and Betty Damm

In Memory of Wilma Zentner

Mother of Gretchen Clegg

Bob and Harriett Abel
Jim and Betty Damm
Ken and Leatha Feagins
Hank Henry
Christi O'Connor

Special Prayers Request

Just a reminder for persons who want special prayers that are personal and/or confidential, there are prayer request cards available on the table in the Narthex by the Prayer Box or you can give your prayer request to The Pastor.



April Birthdays

4-4 Jennifer Mays
4-10 Nancy Austin
4-17 Jill Goyne

4-7 Julie Strong
4-10 Lyn Harvey

April Anniversaries

4-3 Mike & Teri Estes



Did you know that every Friday NDSM gives a mixture of food items, including milk and eggs, valued at \$300,000 per year, to 300 seniors and disabled adults on fixed incomes averaging \$800 monthly? These individuals complete no application, do not wait to be served, may return as often as they wish, and may reside in any sector of the Dallas area.

Anyone interested in helping or donating can contact Barbara or Judy at NDSM 214-358-8700 or Rick at 214-288-1202.

Schreiber members and friends spend money at Tom Thumb this earns Schreiber free money. Our number is **1955** for those who shop at Tom Thumb but have not signed up. All you have to do is go to Customer Service and tell the clerk you want to add this number to your Reward Card. For every dollar you spend at Tom Thumb, we get a percentage of it.

PRAYER LIST

Bill & Laura Gall
Gretchen Clegg
Charlotte Rhea
Mitchell Droz
Betty Hanzl
Lillian English
Lillian Flohr

SHUT-INS

Bill & Laura Gall
Lillian English
Betty Hanzl
Essamary Abrahamson
Pat Clay
June Everett
Lillian Flohr
Bob Spencer
Cecil Fullen

Please read the Prayer Concerns in the bulletin each week for members, friends, and family that are going through hard times and need your prayers.

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SCHREIBER TO BE REPRESENTED AT WOMEN'S ASSEMBLY

More than 6000 women will be present when the United Methodist Women's quadrennial Assembly convenes this April in St. Louis. The gathering of women from all around the world for worship, fellowship and celebration has been a tradition that has taken place every four years since 1942.

In December, a call was issued to UMW members requesting that each UMW unit create a prayer shawl that would be displayed at the assembly. As of this date, over 3300 shawls have been donated. These shawls will be distributed to health-related organizations, institutions and prison ministries that impact the well-being of women, children and youth - a focus of the United Methodist Women.

The women of Schreiber have now formed a prayer shawl ministry, and we say thank you to **Penny Eisen** who completed the beautiful shawl that has been sent to the 2010 Women's Assembly.

Pastor David Howeth is planning a dedication service to be held during worship in the near future that will bless the shawls that will be distributed to members of our congregation.

The Schreiber Prayer Shawl Ministry gathers every fourth Tuesday at 10:00 a.m. If you have any questions about this ministry and would like to support it in any way, please call Betty Damm at 972-241-6391.

(Some of the information for this article was taken from the March 26th edition of THE UNITED METHODIST REPORTER.)



PENNY EISEN AND HER PRAYER SHAWL

SCHREIBER UNITED METHODIST WOMEN
ANNUAL GARAGE SALE
SAVE THE DATE July 5-10



Set up July 5, 6, 7
Sale Days July 8, 9, 10

Save Your Treasures

Housewares	Furniture
Clothes—all sizes of jeans, children's & infant's clothes	
Shoes,	Purses
Books	Electronics
Linens	Decorations

Any Questions?

Harriett Abel	Martha Aufricht
972-241-2387	972-243-8647

The April program for the morning group of Schreiber UMW will be given by Judy Rorrie, the Executive Director of North Dallas Shared Ministries. The meeting will begin at 10:00 a.m. on April 6 at the home of Val White, 14812 Le Grande Drive in Addison. Judy will be sharing information regarding all the services offered at NDSM, and we will be sharing canned goods with her! Each person attending is asked to bring at least one canned or non-perishable food item for the "shower". We hope everyone in the church who is interested in learning more about NDSM will make a special effort to attend. Even if you cannot attend, just ask a member of UMW to bring your donations, and she will be happy to do it.

Plans are being made for the May luncheon on May 1. The theme is "May Day", and Dave Tanner will present a musical program in the Sanctuary followed by a delicious lunch in the Family Life Center. Watch for tickets to go on sale early in April. The cost will be \$20, a real bargain for wonderful entertainment, fellowship, lovely decorations and a scrumptious meal, so please invite your friends and mark your calendars today!

Marilyn Hodge, President, Schreiber UMW

More UMW News

Please mark you calendars for the UMW May Day Spring Luncheon on May 1! There will be a wonderful musical program by Dave Tanner featuring Broadway Musical Tunes, a delicious luncheon in the Family Life Center, beautiful decorations and a superb opportunity for fellowship. Everyone in the Church and your friends are invited to attend. Tickets will be a bargain at \$20 each and will go on sale early in April. So, go ahead and invite your friends and neighbors NOW. Only eighty tickets will be sold, so you will want to get yours early. This is a great opportunity to showcase our church at its best.

Please call Marilyn Hodge at 972-233-4898 for more information.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sanctuary & Administration Offices

Every Monday night at 7:30 p.m. Scouts meet in Fellowship Hall
Every Tuesday morning at 7:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study in the Library
Every Tuesday night at 7:00 p.m. Disciple I in Fellowship Hall;
Disciple IV at Hodge's home on Willow
Every Wednesday night Choir Practice

Monday April 5	7:00 p.m.	Trustees in the Parlor
Tuesday April 6	10:00 p.m.	Morning UMW at Val White's (bring "shower" gifts for NDSM)
Thursday April 8	7:00 p.m.	Staff-Parish Relations Committee in the Library
Tuesday April 13	11:30 a.m.	SOS to Tour Cowboy Stadium
	7:00 p.m.	Finance
Tuesday April 27	10:00 a.m.	Prayer Shawl Ministry at Betty Damm's
Thursday April 29	7:00 p.m.	Church Council Meeting

Family Life Center

Every Monday and Thursday evening 5-9 p.m. Basketball Practice

Sunday, April 11	Kidz Kingdom Rehearsal
Sunday, April 18	Kidz Kingdom Rehearsal
Sunday, April 25	Kidz Kingdom
Friday, April 30	UMW setting up for Spring Fling Luncheon

ATTENDANCE

Traditional Service

March 7 90 March 14 109 March 21 90 March 28 133

UPCOMING SERMONS

(Traditional Worship Service in the Sanctuary)

April 4 - Easter

"Looking with Easter Eyes"

Luke 24:1-12; Acts 10:34-43

April 11 - Second Sunday of Easter

"James. . . Take Five"

Rev. Sarah Squires will be guest Pastor

April 18 - Third Sunday of Easter

"The Lord of Second Chances"

Acts 9:1-20; John 21:1-19

April 25 - Fourth Sunday of Easter

"The Plain Truth"

Psalm 23; Revelation 7:9-17; John 10:22-30

May 2 - Fifth Sunday of Easter

"The Password"

John 13:31-35

Lay Led Service

March 7 12 March 14 10 March 21 12 March 28 16

The Worship Gathering
(Lay-Led Service in the Family Life Center)

*"A teaching ministry - teaching God's
truths through word and contemporary music"*

Upcoming Sermons

April 4

Guest Preacher - Mike Estes

April 11

"Do Not Boast"

Jeremiah 9:23-24

April 18

"The Testimony of a Woman"

John 4:27-42

April 25

"God Glorified"

John 9:1-13

May 2

"Why Can't We See the Truth?"

John 9:13-41

"Orphan" Pillowcases make great Dresses for Africa

A friend of mine is collecting any orphan pillowcases that you don't need anymore, or ones you don't use or don't like anymore. She will be using these pillowcases to make dresses for little African girls who otherwise wouldn't have anything nice to wear. Apparently little African girls are at the bottom of the totem pole when it comes to getting new clothes.

I have included the website for your information.

<http://www.littledressesforafrica.org/blog/>

If you have pillowcases to donate, just let me know and I will coordinate getting them to my friend. Please pass this along to your friends as well.

Many Thanks,
Julie Clegg
cleggja@hotmail.com

Lay Readers Schedule

April 4	Lowrance Hodge
April 11	Marilyn Brusilow
April 18	Chris Logan
April 25	Renee Domhoff

Ushers Schedule

April 4	Ken Whitson, Tom Brown, Stacy Adams, John Paine
April 11	Jeff Ryan, Bill Aufricht, Bob Crim, Jenny Whitson
April 18	Hank Henry, Wallis Head, Jennifer Wilkicki, Ken Feagins
April 25	Jim Brockman, Bob Smith, Leigh Martin, Christi O'Connor

Acolyte Schedule

April 4	Nicole Domhoff and Georgia Estes
April 11	Justin Gregg and Julia Gregg
April 18	Amanda McVay and Paris Estes
April 25	Ashlynn Goyne and Jewell Sterling

The Seniors of Schreiber (SOS)

The SOS group is taking a One hour and 15 minute tour of the new Cowboys Stadium, the largest domed structure in the world, on **Tuesday, April 13th**. If you are interested in going on this tour, please let Virginia Wallace in the church office know by Friday, April 9th . We have a Group rate of \$9.00 for seniors and \$12.00 for adults under 65. Please give Virginia either cash or check for this amount and if paying by check, please make it payable to Lee White as he has secured this rate by his payment. If you signed up to go on the tour at the last SOS meeting, it is not necessary to call Virginia, we already have you down to take the tour.

We will meet at 9:00 a.m. in the Church's west parking lot and will car pool to the Stadium in Arlington. Wheel chairs will be available at the stadium for 'no charge'. We will have our own group and will be able to take several short breaks during the tour.

We will be going to the Cattleman's Steak House in Fort Worth for lunch which is less than a 30 minute drive from the stadium. If you would like to do this as well, let Virginia know when you give her your money for the tour.

Our sincere thanks to all of our Schreiber friends for your prayers, good wishes, visits, food, gifts and support during my time of surgery and recuperation. We will never forget your many kindnesses because we couldn't have done it without you! It is a privilege to be a part of the caring Schreiber family and we love you all.

Thank you,

Gretchen and Leonard Clegg



Schreiber Methodist Preschool

Carol Ann Stewart

It is exciting to run outside in the fresh air and green grass. You pause a minute when your child discovers a beautiful flower that wasn't there yesterday. The trees are budding to give cool shade during the hot summer months. These new signs of growth in nature bring a time to reflect about the growth of each child. Individual expectations and development are clearly recognized when we remember the challenges in September. We achieved these goals with involved parents and a superb staff who gives love, acceptance, and guidance. The end of the school year is approaching. Let us realize the joy of experiencing a year of growth with our children.

We had our Validation Visit by the National Accreditation Commission (NAC) and will be expecting their accreditation decision this month. It is important to keep high standards and goals for the Schreiber Preschool and PDO staff to nurture and educate both parents and children.

Earth Day is April 22. We incorporate activities into our curriculum which bring awareness of recycling, littering, and various ways to help keep our planet clean and green. During this week, each child will plant a seed(s) in a cup to grow at school or home. Everyone will also participate in rejuvenating our garden on the playground and planting vegetables. The focus will be how we can beautify our world. Maybe you have an idea how to celebrate this special day?!

Schreiber Summer Fun is available to help you reduce "boredom" during June and July! There will be 6 one week sessions, each with a different theme and activities. You may sign up for one week or all six. Children ages 1-5 are invited to attend. Information and registration forms are available on the table outside the Preschool office.

May your springtime be filled with wonderful new beginnings.

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The Knots Prayer

--Author known to God

Dear God,

Please untie the knots that are in my mind, my heart and my life. Remove the 'have-nots', the 'cannots' and the 'do-nots' that I have in my mind.

Erase the 'will-nots', the 'may-nots' and the 'might-nots' that may find a home in my heart.

Release me from the 'could-nots', the 'would-nots' and the 'should-nots' that obstruct my life.

And most of all, dear God, I ask that you remove from my mind, my heart and my life all of the 'am-nots' that I have allowed to hold me back, especially the thought that I am not good enough.

Amen