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We know you've got places to go and things to do—but don't forget your church and Sunday School.

## Our Reading Rainforest was a huge success!!!

I would like to extend a personal THANK YOU to everyone who so graciously gave of their time and money to make our Reading Rain Forest Book Fair a HUGE SUCCESS. Due to phenomenal sales totaling over \$3,000.00, Trinity will receive \$2,600.00 in children's reading materials for our summer reading program. Time and time again you stand with us in support of our children and Trinity's growing children's program. Without you, we could not have reached our goal. THANK YOU! THANK YOU! THANK YOU!!!—



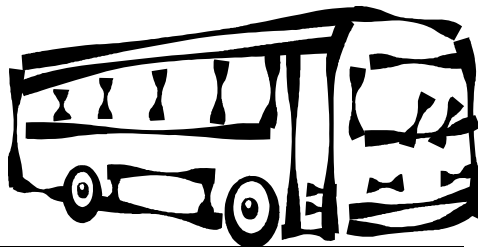
*Amiee Rasnick*

On Saturday, January 20, the Abingdon District United Methodist Men are having a district-wide breakfast for all men of the district churches. The breakfast is being hosted by the Abingdon United Methodist Church on Main Street at 8:00 am. All men are encouraged to attend. In order to be sure they have an adequate portion of food prepared, they need a head count by Saturday, January 6. If you plan to attend, please contact Bob Bailey by that date. Thank you.

## RESURRECTION 2007

For the first time in several years, the youth are packing their bags and heading to Gatlinburg for Resurrection. We will be leaving church on Friday, January 19, at 4:00pm and will return on Sunday afternoon. Our youth have worked hard to earn the privilege of attending. Possible attendees include **Kalin Bailey, Kimberly Crusenberry, Raven Crusenberry, Skyler Crusenberry, Ellie Dennis, Jordan Marsh, and Chelsea Sage.** They are still working hard

to earn enough money to cover all costs of this trip. If you are interested in helping, we are looking for family sponsors that would be willing to prepare and send a meal for them to enjoy. Sponsored meals will help in keeping our expenses manageable. Please contact Aimee Rasnick if you are available to help.



Our youth had to earn stamps on a "Passport to RESURRECTION" by participating and behaving in Sunday School, Worship and Wednesday Family Nights. They are still working toward collecting stamps to attend this event.

SPR

COMMITTEE  
MEETING

JANUARY 28, 2007

SUNDAY

4pm

*This one is required by our DISCIPLINE so please make every effort to attend.*

**KRISPY KREME DONUTS-MMM,MMM,GOOD!!!**

The youth will be taking orders for Krispy Kreme glazed donuts Dec 31 through Jan 10. The cost will be \$5.00 per dozen. The donuts will be delivered to church on Sunday, Jan 14. The youth are selling donuts to raise money for their trip to Resurrection. Please help!!

### Trinity Makes a Difference in our neighborhood



As you know, I make a point to get to know our neighbors that live around Trinity. Last month I learned that our neighborhood was victim to several break in attempts. These attempts happened during September-October months of this year. Deputy Kevin France has approached our church about hosting a organization meeting for a neighborhood watch and our trustees chair, Bob Sharp, has agreed to let the building be used for this event. Therefore, on January 15, @ 6:30pm our church will host this event. Deputy France will distribute flyers throughout the neighborhood.

In the spirit of Biblical hospitality, I'd like to ask our church to participate by providing coffee, tea and baked goods for our guests. There will be a sign up sheet in the narthex. Please participate as we seek to help our neighbors and communicate God's love for them.

Thanks and Blessings —pastor Amy

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Every Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday

Monday, Jan 8,15,22,29-Lectionary Ministers-10:30-Noon  
 Tuesday, Jan 9—10:00 am—Women’s Bible Study  
 Tuesday, Jan 9-Mary Martha Circle—12 Noon  
 Wednesday, Jan 3,10,17,24,31-Family Night-6:00 pm

Special Events

Monday, Jan 15—Neighborhood Watch Meeting 6:30 pm in Fellowship Hall.  
 Tuesday, January 9—Mary Martha Circle will meet (Linda Roberts in charge of luncheon)

We are beginning a new year 2007. Let’s remember our church this year by supporting the church with our attendance, giving, serving and our love for one another. This would be a GOOD new year’s resolution for all of us. - *thoughts from the secretary’s desk*

Serving our Church this month

Scripture Readers

Jan 7— Claudia Jo Beach  
 Jan 14—Raven Crusenberry  
 Jan 21—Skyler Crusenberry  
 Jan 28—Eva Sims

Acolytes

January 7—George Denny  
January 14—Felicity Russell  
January 21—Daniel Rasnick  
January 28—Skyler Crusenberry

Bread Delivery

Nancy Smith

Opportunities to Serve

**January 15**

We need baked goods, tea and coffee for neighborhood watch meeting. Sign up sheet in narthex.

**January 19**

Our youth need meals for the RESURRECTION trip. See Aimee Ranick.

**January 20**

We need men to represent our church at a district Men’s meeting! See Bob Bailey.



**Wednesday Night Menu**

- Jan 3-Pizza & Salad
- Jan 10-Soup & Cornbread
- Jan 17-Manwich Sandwich & Chips
- Jan 24-Bring your own casserole
- Jan 31-Chicken Tenders & Sides

Food Pantry -Jan 10  
 Linda Roberts & Don Hunigan

**Financial Update**

Total pledged toward Promised Land  
 \$189, 314.00  
 Total given toward Promised Land  
 \$67, 222.00  
 Total given toward budget to date  
 \$115.147.00  
 Average per Sunday  
 \$2172.59

Pastor Amy will be out of town Jan 29–31 at Asbury Theological Seminary in Kentucky for continuing education, which is required by our conference. If you have an emergency call 669-1772.

**JANUARY BIRTHDAYS**

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|---------------------|-------------------|------------------------|
| 2—Regina Curtis     | 9—Lynn Roberts    | 20—JoAnn Tolley Larson |
| 2—Leigh Beth Phipps | 10—Mindy Fields   | 20—Sue Sharp           |
| 5- Bob Bailey       | 10—Russ Mahaffey  | 23—Kay Kovacs          |
| 7—Carnel Bays       | 15—David Curtis   | 27—Doris James         |
| 8—”Boomer Daugherty | 17—Jon Rogers     | 27—Gina Ellis          |
| 9—Eliza Bays        | 19—Joey Fields    | 29—Emerald Lauzon      |
| 9—Jane McKamey      | 19—Jean Sparkman  | 30—Whitley Wright      |
|                     | 20—Charles Hurley | 31—Kenny Arnold        |

**JANUARY ANNIVERSARIES**

- 1—Jeff and Lisa Ketron
- 1—Ricky and Kathy Mitchell
- 1- Ernest and Joan Osborne

If we missed your birthday or anniversary, let us know so we can update our files. Call the church office 669-1772 or e-mail trinityoffice@bvunet.net.

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## PRAYER LIST

### MEMBERS

Winnie Hill

Joe Tolley

Georgia Poole

Bruce & Jackie Hamilton

Omah Lee Shaffer

Alma Ruth Hunigan

Coleen Pierce

Kathryn Myers

William "Boomer" Daugherty

Patsy Hudson

### FRIENDS

Kay Ferguson

Billy McDaniel

John Ramsey

Theresa Powers

### SHUT-IN

Betty Hopkins

Jessie Fullen

Names on our prayer list rotate off approximately after six months unless otherwise notified. Please contact the church office to make any changes.

Before you request a name to be placed on the prayer list it is necessary that you obtain the person's consent to have their name placed on the list.