

UNIVERSITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Newsletter for church members
and friends

March 2017

CONTACT

Mike's Memo

Sometime in mid-February I dropped by a store where one of our flood shelter residents was working. Despite it being quite a busy day, she made a point to announce me to her co-workers as her pastor. It was a very touching moment. However, I was quickly reminded that even though I carry the official title of pastor, technically she has many pastors at UPC. In case you forgot, YOU are listed as a minister of this church. In small print on the front of every Sunday bulletin are those words: "ministers – the people of this church." You are called to care for one another as the Holy Spirit gives you the ability.

The word minister has Latin roots with the word servant, as one who humbly attends to the needs of another. Certainly this is part of the calling of the whole Christian church, and a calling that UPC has taken seriously for its 75 years. Our role, as followers of Christ, is to embody God's boundless love to one another in all circumstances. I imagine most of us have a story of someone at this church who has embodied this love to us by serving our needs.

In her February Contact letter, Patti invited us to savor the time we have together here during her sabbatical time. We will certainly wish for her to do the same as we keep her in prayer these next four months. As we savor one another's gifts, perhaps we will be surprised in finding some of our own gifts for ministry. Perhaps this season of Lent can be a time we can reflect on these gifts and how we can offer them to one another in new ways.

I am very excited to see what emerges from you, UPC ministers, over these next four months. We will have deep conversations in small group settings. We will have opportunities to serve meals to Hospitality Hall guests. We will have opportunities to serve our larger community. We will have so much to share with Patti when she returns from sabbatical.

Until then, may we live more deeply into our calling to serve the needs of one another. Perhaps the next time we see one of our fellow UPC'ers in public, we too can exclaim, "Hey, everyone, this is my minister!"

Mike



MARCH CALENDAR OF EVENTS

1 ASH WEDNESDAY

- 9:30 a.m. Day School Chapel
- Noon Staff Meeting
- Noon UPC Fun Club - BJ's Restaurant - Mall of Louisiana
- 6:00 p.m. Taizé - Sanctuary (*imposition of ashes*)
- 7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal - Choir Room

5 1st Sunday in Lent - *Mike Watson preaching*

- 8:30 a.m. Worship
- 9:45 a.m. Church School
- 10:30 a.m. Choir Rehearsal
- 11:00 a.m. Worship
- Noon VBS Planning - Conference Room

- 6 11:30 a.m. Membership Committee - Conference Room
- 7:00 p.m. Huntington's Walk Coordinating Mtg. - Conference Room

- 7 8:30 a.m. Nurture Committee - Conference Room

- 10:00 a.m. Day Circle - Parks Wilson Room
- Noon AIAnon - Dorm Living Area
- 5:30 p.m. University Outreach Committee - Library
- 6:30 p.m. Fellowship Committee - Conference Room
- 7:30 p.m. UPC Book Group - 2285 Cedardale

- 8 9:30 a.m. Day School Chapel
- Noon Staff Meeting
- Noon UPC Fun Club - BJ's Restaurant - Mall of Louisiana

- 6:00 p.m. Taizé - Sanctuary
- 7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal - Choir Room

- 9 Noon Widows Support Group - Parks Wilson Room
- 6:00 p.m. Hospitality Community Dinner - Fellowship Hall

- 10 - 11 Youth Retreat @ Feliciana Retreat Center

12 2nd Sunday in Lent - *Rick Pitcher preaching*

- 8:30 a.m. Worship
- 9:45 a.m. Church School
- 10:30 a.m. Choir Rehearsal
- 11:00 a.m. Worship
- Noon Stewardship & Finance Committee - Conference Room

- 13 7:00 p.m. Huntington's Disease Support Group - Conference Room

- 14 Noon AI-Anon - Sr. High Room
- 6:00 p.m. Mission & Peacemaking Com. - City Club, 355 North Blvd.
- 7:00 p.m. NAMI - Conference Room & Library

- 15 9:30 a.m. Day School Chapel
- Noon Staff Meeting
- Noon UPC Fun Club - BJ's Restaurant - Mall of Louisiana

- 6:00 p.m. Taizé - Sanctuary
- 7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal - Choir Room

- 16 6:00 p.m. Hospitality Community Dinner - Fellowship Hall

- 18 11:00 a.m. Nancy McCracken Memorial Service - Sanctuary

19 3rd Sunday in Lent - *Rick Pitcher preaching*

- 8:30 a.m. Worship
- 9:45 a.m. Church School
- 10:30 a.m. Choir Rehearsal
- 11:00 a.m. Worship
- 4:00 p.m. Middle & High School Youth Groups
- 6:30 p.m. Session Meeting - Conference Room

20 APRIL EDITION CONTACT ARTICLES DUE

- 21 9:30 a.m. Helping Hands - Conference Room
- Noon AI-Anon - Parks Wilson Room
- 12:30 p.m. Sabbatical Planning Meeting - Library
- 22 9:30 a.m. Day School Chapel
- 10:30 a.m. Baton Rouge Philharmonic Club Recital - Sanctuary, PW Room
- Noon Staff Meeting
- Noon UPC Fun Club - BJ's Restaurant - Mall of Louisiana
- 6:00 p.m. Taizé - Sanctuary



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OFFICE NOTES



PRAYER LIST.....

Please contact the church office if you have a prayer request you would like printed in the Sunday bulletin. Also, please remember to update your prayer concerns.

WHAT'S THAT YOU SAID?.....

Hearing assistance devices are available in the hall outside the Sanctuary. Please feel free to borrow one if you have a difficult time hearing in church and return the device to the table when the service is over.

SUNDAY FLOWER DONATIONS

Memorial Flower Donation envelopes for 2017 are available in the pews for you to fill out to reserve flowers for 2017 Sunday Services. Available dates for donation can be found in the Sunday bulletins or by contacting the church office. Place your completed envelope in the offering plate, and we will take care of the rest. Thank you for making Sunday services so beautiful.

CONGRATULATIONS.....

On February 5 during the Congregational Meeting, an election for representatives to the Congregational Nominating Committee for 2017 was held. The following people were elected and agreed to serve:

Gaines Foster
Joe Skillen
Karen Foote
Melanie Driscoll
Alexander Campbell

These individuals will be joined by two representatives from the Session and one from the Diaconate in selecting the slate of officer nominees for the Class of 2020.

**APRIL
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MARCH 20**

MARCH CALENDAR *continued*

	7:00 p.m.	Choir Rehearsal - Choir Room
23	6:00 p.m.	Hospitality Community Dinner - Fellowship Hall
24	6:00 p.m.	Open Tables - Curbside Burgers, Government St.
26	4th Sunday in Lent - <i>Youth Sunday</i>	
	8:30 a.m.	Worship
	9:45 a.m.	Church School
	10:00 a.m.	Visitors Brunch - TBA
	10:30 a.m.	Choir Rehearsal
	11:00 a.m.	Worship
	Noon	Caregivers Support Group - Parks Wilson Room
27	Noon	Al-Anon - Parks Wilson Room
	7:00 p.m.	NAMI - Conference Room & Library
29	9:30 a.m.	Day School Chapel
	Noon	Staff Meeting
	Noon	UPC Fun Club - BJ's Restaurant - Mall of Louisiana
	6:00 p.m.	Taizé - Sanctuary
	7:00 p.m.	Choir Rehearsal - Choir Room
30	6:00 p.m.	Hospitality Community Dinner - Fellowship Hall

This Month in Hospitality Hall...

March 4-11 Shenandoah Presbytery, Virginia
March 12-17 Chinquapin Prep School
March 19-25 John Calvin Presbyterian Church and PDA YAVs
March 26-April 1 Westminster Presbyterian Church, Nashville, TN
Due to Taizé services being held on Wednesdays during Lent, The Hospitality Community Dinners will be held on Thursdays at 6:00 p.m. If you can bring a dish and stay for dinner, please sign up on the sheet in the Welcome Area.

Day Circle

PW will welcome Claire Coulon as guest speaker at the Day Circle meeting on March 7, Parks Wilson Room, 10:00 a.m. Claire, the director of Adult Faith Formation at Sacred Heart Church, and Ellen Morgan will discuss the tradition and spiritual role of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, as we continue our study of Jesus through a Different Lens. All are welcome.

Widows Support Group

Our Widows Support group will meet on Thursday, March 9, at noon in the Parks Wilson Room. Feel free to bring a brown bag lunch. This is a relaxed time of conversation that flows with whatever is needed. If you have any questions, please call Peggy Carroll (726-7856).

Open Tables

The UPC Fellowship Committee is pleased to announce our next Open Tables event at Curbside Burgers (<http://curbside-burgers.com/>) on Friday, March 24, at 6:00 p.m. Curbside is located at 4158 Government, St. (Mid-City's Capital Heights neighborhood, next to Calandros) and the phone number is 225-478-8349.

Welcome Visitors!

Have you visited UPC and would like to get to know more about our church? Please join the membership committee and several members of University Presbyterian for brunch and some friendly conversation. We will meet on Sunday, March 26, at 10:00 am. There should be plenty of time to visit and ask questions about our faith, our church and our missions. Hope to see you on the 26th! Room TBA.

STAFF INFORMATION WHILE PATTI IS AWAY

Church Office	(225)383-0345
Caralyn Durham	8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. M-F cdurham@upcbr.org
Donna Thrasher	Noon - 4:00 p.m. M-F dthrasher@upcbr.org
Pastoral Staff	
Mike Watson	Day off - Monday mwatson@upcbr.org Cell no. (706)825-7051
Rick Pitcher	Day off - Friday rpitcher@upcbr.org Cell no. (225)938-0679

For pastoral emergencies outside office hours, please contact Mike Watson or Rick Pitcher via their cell phones. Please respect designated days off by not calling that particular pastor.

While Patti is Away...

As you know, Patti Snyder will be on a Lilly Foundation funded sabbatical from March 1 to July 1. She will be visiting a number of congregations and other groups engaging in innovative forms of hospitality, travelling in Europe where she will be the recipient of the hospitality of the Taizé community, those along a portion of the Camino de Santiago, and family in Rome, and spending time welcoming colleagues, friends, and family in New Mexico. Throughout her time away she will be engaged in reflection, prayer, reading, writing, and other endeavors to nourish and nurture her soul. During this time the congregation will also be engaged in activities related to Hospitality, many of which are detailed throughout this edition of Contact.

You may be wondering about some of the details of everyday life at UPC while Patti is gone. Mike, of course, will continue to work with his usual committees and will continue to visit and offer pastoral care. In addition he will be moderating the session, touching base with the committees Patti normally staffs, and providing pastor's discretionary assistance on Wednesday mornings when assistance is available. Rick Pitcher has agreed to join the staff on a temporary basis and will be handling much of Patti's preaching responsibilities, assisting in pastoral care and visitation, attending staff meeting, and serving as head of staff in the interim. Please note contact information above for pastoral needs.

While she is gone, Patti will not be in contact with the congregation. (Although if you see her at the grocery store, please say "hello!") This time is meant as a time of respite and renewal. While she will be holding us in prayer and learning/experiencing much that she will share with us when she returns, please do not try to contact her while she's gone. In case of deaths or significant trauma in the life of the congregation Mike will make sure that Patti is aware. **Her regular UPC e-mail will not be in use and e-mails sent there between March 1 and July 1 will not be available to Patti either before or after the sabbatical.** Committees and other groups are being asked to prepare a short summary of their work for her to read upon her return. Any personal and confidential information that you would like to make sure that Patti knows about may be sent to after.sabbatical.patti@gmail.com. Patti will read e-mail at this address early in July.

Most importantly, during this time, the leadership and energy of the congregation is of the utmost importance. Please do what you can to make this a seamless and fruitful time!

Christian Education at UPC

Pre-K and Kindergarten (*Ages 4 - Kindergarten*) Room 105
Godly Play helps our children to explore their faith through story, to gain religious language, and to enhance their spiritual experience through wonder and play. Join us on Sundays as we play together.

Teachers: Pat Strain, Griff Campbell, Betty Shelton, Linda Green

Elementary (*Grades 1-5*) Room 208

Feasting on the Word for children is a lectionary-based curriculum that connects with the church's lectionary cycle. Once a month, this class will focus directly on worship and music. This class will help connect the worship experience in a meaningful way with what is going on in church school. *Teacher: Betsy Wilks*

Shepherds: Linda Walker, Mary Mikell, Maggie Richardson

Middle School (*Grades 6-8*) Room 206

We will be using a new service-learning-based approach that will combine lessons from church school into youth group activities, which will occur monthly. The Middle School offering will be used in conjunction with the service learning projects. We will use the Faith Practices curriculum produced by the United Church of Christ.

Teachers: Kelly Kerr, Jill Clemmons

Senior High (*Grades 9-12*) *Gather in Welcome Center*

The Senior High church school class continues its tradition of faith conversation walks to a caffeinated holy place (Highland Coffees). We will be following the Feasting on the Word lectionary cycle Bible studies along with periodical topical conversations.

Teachers: Kurt Ozier, Kelley Massengale, Ed Peterson, Cynthia Peterson

Adult Bible Study Class *Conference Room (122)*

During Lent, this group will be exploring Making Room: Recovering Hospitality as a Christian Tradition by Christine D. Pohl. Breakfast will be provided as we dive in to our conversations about hospitality.

Adult Parks Wilson Class *Parks Wilson Room (108)*

"Making Room" in action (March through May)

The final series for the Parks Wilson class this year will be discussions related to Patti's sabbatical theme. We will unpack the depth of hospitality through narratives of people whose vocations are involved with making room for others. Themes will include monasticism, urban farming, homeless services, refugees, border policy, and more!

Youth Group

Youth Sunday is around the corner! As always, it takes a lot of time to plan and practice the worship service. However, the results are always so wonderful when our youth show off their gifts and creativity. We'll start planning at our RETREAT! Contact Mike if you would like to join us!

Upcoming Events

March 5, no youth group scheduled

March 10-12, Youth Retreat at Feliciana (Youth Sunday Planning)

March 19, 4-6 p.m., Youth Sunday Planning

March 26, Youth Sunday!



Join us this Lenten season as we unpack the meaning of hospitality together through worship, prayer, and discussion. As we make space for God, we will make space for one another. Let this time of self-reflection and room-making be a time to experience new ways God may be speaking to you this year.

Taizé 6:00 p.m., Wednesdays *March 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, April 5*

Lenten Small Groups (*Week of March 5 - Holy Week*)

Small groups are a great way to meet new people and deepen our relationships with God and one another. All groups will be exploring Making Room: Recovering Hospitality as a Christian Tradition by Christine D. Pohl. Sign-ups are available in the welcome center and books will be available at this table. You can also sign up for a group by e-mailing Mike Watson at mwatson@upcbr.org.

• **Sundays during 9:45 a.m. Church School** (*UPC conference room*)

Group Leader: Peggy Carroll

Come join the Breakfast Club in the conference room during the church school hour! Breakfast will be provided as we dive in to our conversations about hospitality.

• **Sundays after the 11:00 a.m. Service** (*UPC, room TBD*)

Group Leaders: Lori Tucker and Jim Wilcox

Right after church - what could be more convenient? Feel free to bring your own lunch. We'll also have snacks if you prefer lighter fare while we explore the many different aspects of hospitality. You'll have an opportunity for both Group-building Activity as well as Personal Experience and Application as our Study Guide suggests. We look forward to seeing you!

• **Monday Evenings at 7:00 p.m.** (*Leslie's House: 1724 Myrtdale Ave.*)

Group Leader: Leslie Green

Are we too isolated as a society to practice Christian hospitality? Let's explore our role in creating a welcoming world to ourselves and to strangers. Come on over to my house and enjoy the company while we discuss this amazing time in our own lives and in the life of our church. We'll meet for about an hour and a half; tea, wine, and light snacks provided.

• **Thursday Evenings at 5:30 p.m.** (*Corporate Brew and Draft: 2531 Citiplace Court*)

Group Leader: Mike Watson

Happy hospitality hour! Come join us for discussion at our favorite bier garden. Snacks will be provided each week.

Palm Sunday April 9

Maundy Thursday Service 7:30 p.m., April 13

A Service of Word and Sacrament centered on the events of this sacred evening

Good Friday Service 7:30 p.m., April 14

The Service of Tenebrae (the extinguishing of lights)

Easter Sunday April 16

A Service of Word and Sacrament - Join us for this celebration of resurrection life and commitment! The One Great Hour of Sharing collection will be taken at both services. The choir will sing at both services. Everyone is encouraged to bring flowers to add to the cross. An Easter potluck brunch will be held at 9:45 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Members of the congregation are encouraged to bring their favorite brunch items to share! During the brunch, the children will gather for our annual Easter Egg hunt.



The **UPC Book Club** meets the first Tuesday of every month at 7:30 p.m.
2285 Cedardale

March 7

Daunted Courage: A Family's Bicycle Adventure on the Lewis and Clark Trail

by Stephen E. Ambrose

April 4

Dead Wake by Erik Larsen

EXPERIENCE
the stillness
the music
the prayer
for a whole new season



Taizé
Sung Prayers
in the form of the ecumenical prayer community in Taizé, France

Taizé services are held every Wednesday during Lent at 6:00 p.m. in the sanctuary. Make Taizé a part of your Lenten preparation.

SAVE THE DATE!!

Blood Drive

Our next blood drive will be held Sunday, May 21, 8:30 - 12:30 in the Bloodmobile. Please contact Beth Paskoff if you are interested in donating.



Vacation Bible School 2017

Save the date! Our intergenerational VBS will be in the evenings, starting Sunday, June 11, and running through Tuesday, June 13.

Holy Grill

Once again we will be serving lunch at the Holy Grill the week of June 12-16. Please watch your bulletins and the June/July edition of Contact for information on how to sign up to volunteer.

NEED A RIDE TO CHURCH?.....

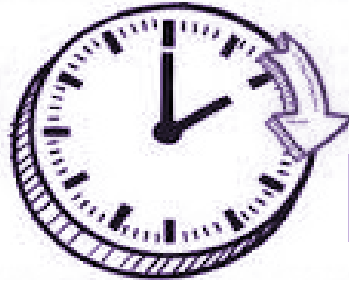
Rides to Church is a program of UPC sponsored by the Nurture Committee. Its primary purpose is to provide transportation for those who require assistance in getting to and from church services and church functions. Volunteers working with program coordinator Patti Meredith will give rides when requested. If you would like a ride to church or if you would like to volunteer to give rides, please contact Patti at 901-201-9864 or pfmeredith@aol.com.



The Pastor's Discretionary Account is currently low on funds. Please consider a donation.

Pastor's Discretionary funds, when available, will be disbursed by Mike during Patti's sabbatical.

Don't forget to...



SPRING FORWARD!

In the USA, at 2 a.m. on 12 March 2017, clocks will be forwarded one hour, marking the beginning of Daylight Saving Time

Hidden Figures Screening and Discussion at LSU

The UPC Outreach Committee is launching an initiative of taking church members to LSU campus events of particular significance. We will begin on March 17 with a viewing of the movie *Hidden Figures* at the LSU Union Theatre, followed by a panel discussion on "Women in Science." Admission is free and the event is open to LSU students, faculty, staff, and the community. If you are interested, please contact Cynthia Peterson (cbpeterson@lsu.edu or 223-4025). We will conclude the semester with a "Masterworks Concert," also at the LSU Union Theatre, on April 28, featuring Paul Groves (one of the leading tenors of our time) and the LSU A Cappella Choir in works by Leonard Bernstein and Hector Berlioz. Tickets are \$17. If you are interested, please contact Andreas Giger (agiger1@lsu.edu). There will also be sign up sheets in the Welcome Center about two Sundays prior to each event.



RSVP online at www.ifedgbr.com or call 225-267-5600 for more information.

Listening Posts with Art

Date: Wednesdays, March 1, 8, 15, 22, 3:00 p.m.

Location: East Baton Rouge Main Library, 7711 Goodwood

Information: You don't have to be an artist to participate. Experience how art opens new ways of listening to yourself and others.

Holy Grill 30th Anniversary Celebration

Date: Thursday, March 16, 2017, 11:30 a.m. program followed by lunch at noon

Location: Cadillac St. Park (BREC), 6117 Cadillac St.

Information: Holy Grill began on March 16, 1987, in Zion City at Jordan United Methodist Church. Hot lunches continue to be served Monday - Friday at Cadillac St. Park (BREC) in Zion City. Over 20 congregations serve the food each year.

Listening Post: Crossing Racial Lines

Date: Wednesday, March 29, 2017, 3:00 p.m.

Location: East Baton Rouge Main Library, 7711 Goodwood

Information: This event is designed for representatives of black and white congregations who are engaged in cross-racial partnerships.

Prayer Requests

To add a name, remove a name, or update information on our prayer list, please contact the church office by noon on Thursday at cdurham@upcbr.org.

- Ruth Bivins • Tristyn Bemis • Tabitha Lewis • Don Snyder
- Gerri Ward • Val and Dan Johns • Betty Campbell • Gerard Klein
- Kent Walker • Joyce Kuyper • Cathy Laufer • Pat Kennedy
- Dorothy Bankston • Judy Eubanks • Charles Granier • Bettye Burford
- Ronnie Fenasci, husband of Betty Armstrong, recovering from rotator cuff surgery
- Janie McElwee-Smith, pastor at Highland Presbyterian Church, hospitalized with complications in her pregnancy with twins
- The parents of former UPC member Patricia Brown as they experience declining health
- Lee Wirth, brother of Karen Paterson, in Florida with returning lymphoma
- Barbara Gant, friend of Dianne Garton, with bone cancer
- John Harrison Doucet, 20-year-old distant cousin of Anne Miller, who was electrocuted and is in the burn hospital in Augusta, GA
- Joellen Hawkins, Aunt of Emily Cogburn, with Alzheimer's
- Jitte Vanhaelen, cousin of Christine Kooi, with bone cancer
- Talia Daigre, struggling with mental health issues
- Melanie Driscoll, with chronic Lyme Disease
- Bill Mathews, friend of Robbie Phillabaum
- Alan Williams, brother of Virginia Davis, with Parkinson's
- Michelle Sager, mother-in-law of Katie New, in Rocky Mount, NC
- Lois Liggett, mother of Sarah Kennedy
- Marla Kerr-Lawson, Kelly Kerr's sister
- Edna Faust and her son Gregory, friends of Kay Lindsey
- Beth Whelen, friend of Debbie Abernathy
- Nic and Rachel Ciraldo, friends of Griff Campbell, and their son, Luca, who has kidney cancer
- Danny Farris and his family, friends of Robbie Phillabaum. Danny continues to recover from extensive reconstructive surgery.
- Paige Christian, cousin of Mike Watson
- Kyle Craig, cousin of Melody Watson
- Cathy Paterson, who has Huntington's Disease; Karen Paterson, her mother; and all H.D. families
- Kristi Hammatt, friend of Katie New, and her daughter dealing with serious heart and lung problems
- Broadmoor and Scotlandville Presbyterian, as they move through pastoral transitions
- all hospice patients and their families
- Those with seasonal affective disorder
- All those who suffer with mental illness and emotional disorders
- Oncology patients of Debbie Abernathy
- Men and women serving in the armed forces
- Those who are going through separation or divorce
- Those who are affected by domestic violence
- Those who are affected by alcoholism and addiction
- Our partner church, La Iglesia Presbiteriana, in San José de los Ramos, Cuba, and La Pastora, Leticia Ramos Portieles, serving as its interim pastor
- Rebuilding Together Baton Rouge (www.RTBR), The Ginger Ford Northshore Fuller Center for Housing (gingerfordnorthshore.org), First Presbyterian Church Hammond, and First Presbyterian Church of Lafayette - the other hosts sites and work site coordinators rebuilding our cities after Flood 2016.



HOSPITAL VISITS BY UPC OFFICERS

- 1 Chris Whittington
- 2 Marissa Baham
- 3 Meredith Veldman
- 4 Ed Green
- 5 OPEN
- 6 OPEN
- 7 Jerry Trahan
- 8 OPEN
- 9 Gus Rowland
- 10 Jane Smith
- 11 Pat Ho
- 12 Carl Motsenbocker
- 13 Alicia Lewis
- 14 Andreas Giger
- 15 Nan Patt
- 16 Daniel Burch
- 17 Michael Strain
- 18 Cordell Haymon
- 19 June Klimash
- 20 Susan Ourso
- 21 Robin Patty & David Hall
- 22 Lee Jenkins
- 23 Kelley Massengale
- 24 Kelly Kerr
- 25 Patti Meredith
- 26 Barbara Gray
- 27 Edward Peterson
- 28 Bizza Britton
- 29 Leslie Green
- 30 Bunny Heroman
- 31 Kathy Poché

On your chosen date, please remember to contact the church office to check for people to visit!



Check out UPC on Facebook!

www.facebook.com/universitypresbyterian


MARCH BIRTHDAYS

- | | | | |
|--|---|---|--|
| 1 Nicholas Paubel | 9 Katheryn Barry | 21 Adam Howell
Andy Maverick | 26 Gus Britton
Samantha Guidry
Phil Quartararo |
| 2 Marissa Baham
Kevin Black
Elizabeth Howe | 10 John Mazoch | 22 Faimon Roberts II
Aden Rowland | 29 Cameron Motsenbocker
Emory Wright |
| 4 Alisa Gambrell | 16 Claire Gellrich
Debbie Serra | 23 Mary Collier Wilks | |
| 5 Johnny Cook | 17 John Tyler | 24 Katie Strain New
Rachel Sheffield
Jack Watson
Mike Watson | |
| 6 Molly Hoffstetter
Gabi Perry
Heather Richbourg | 18 Linda Babin | 25 Chadwick Chapman | |
| 8 Brandon Reeves
Chris Richardson | 20 George Armstrong
Josie Costello
Adam Knapp
Terry Miller | | |

****Please remember to contact the church office if your contact information changes.****

The Greater Baton Rouge Food Bank needs your help!

Please place your contribution in any of the orange barrels located around UPC or bring it to the front of the sanctuary during service.




Please remember that the parking spaces in front of the education building and behind the Parks Wilson Room are for persons who are handicapped. If you are dropping something off, please do so quickly; then move your vehicle so those who need the space can park.

Mission Statement

In response to God's grace, University Presbyterian Church of Baton Rouge seeks creatively – through nurture, education, worship and community outreach – to sustain an inclusive, compassionate family of faith; it seeks to promote spiritual growth by awakening souls to God's infinite mercy embodied in the reconciling love of Christ.

--Adopted by the Session
December 1995



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Change Service Requested