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What has Pirates, Food, Games, Music and an Auctioneer?

This year's Youth Mission Trip Fundraiser!

WHEN? Sunday, April 13th at 11:30

WHERE? The Pirate's Cove (Baxter Hall)



Join your friends and family for an afternoon of good food and good fun -
All for a good cause!!

We still need lots of treasures to auction off.

Non-edible items should be brought to the church no later than Friday, April 11th.

Yummy edibles can be delivered to church on Saturday, April 12 by 2pm.

Questions? Call the church office. For more details . . . see page 5.

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From Our Pastor's Desk...

I LOVE Easter! The whole season that goes from Easter Sunday to Pentecost seems filled with the promise of God's love and grace. It doesn't hurt that spring is emerging everywhere - I saw a flowering tree while I was going to the hospital yesterday, and my first robin not long after that! But Easter is so much more than spring flowers and bunnies and egg hunts.

Years ago I came to the realization that Easter is really a verb. Let me explain! I think that Easter is not so much an event as it is God's action. When Jesus had been arrested, tried, crucified and buried, God "Eastered" him - God raised him to life eternal. Through that act, we all came to know that God's will for us is life - life abundant and life eternal. The resurrection of Jesus Christ has shown us that new life is possible - even when we are quite sure that it isn't.

At one of our Sunday evening services recently, as we were reflecting on the journey through Holy Week, Susan Chesley remarked that it is all too easy for us to get stuck on Good Friday. I think she's right. It's easy to list all the things that are wrong in our lives. It's easy to recall all the things that make us frightened or angry or indifferent, all the ways that people and institutions disappoint us. We all have those Good Friday feelings of despair and helplessness.

But we are not Good Friday people! We are Easter people. And yet, I think it is very hard for us to remember and name the ways that God's Easter love, God's resurrection love, is at work in our lives and in our world. And it is!

I don't know how you see resurrection in your life, but in my own life, I know this Eastering God every time I sit with one of my grandchildren and read to them or rock them to sleep. I know God's Eastering love when I sit alone in our sanctuary and let prayer wash through my soul. I know God's Eastering love when I wake up in the morning and hear the birds singing. I know God's Eastering love when I watch new possibilities emerge for people here at Edwards who are struggling. I know God's Eastering love when a woman, an African American, and a former prisoner of war can all be running for President. I know God's Eastering love every time someone plays the free rice game at church, giving rice to hungry people all around the world.

Look around! Life isn't perfect. The world is full of difficulties. But God is at work in us and through us and among us. God is Eastering us into new life.

(ps: The computer is quite sure that Easter is NOT a verb, and has suggested several alternatives to the word "eastering" - including pestering and festering! I'm enjoying the thought of God's resurrection love "festering" in my life, as well as the image of God "pestering" us to live as Easter people in the world! May this Easter God fill you with new life!)

April Scriptures

April 6

Acts 2:14a, 36-41
Psalm 116:1-4, 12-19
1 Peter 1:17-23
Luke 24:13-35



April 13

Acts 2:42-47
Psalm 223
1 Peter 2:19-25
John 10:1-10



April 20

Acts 7:55-60
Psalm 31:1-5, 15-16
1 Peter 2:2-10
John 14:1-14



April 27

Acts 17:22-31
Psalm 66:8-20
1 Peter 3:13-22
John 14:15-21



The Gathering

Because of the many upcoming Sunday afternoon events, the Sunday evening service will begin summer schedule early this year. Beginning in April, we will meet on the **THIRD SUNDAY** of each month at 5:30 pm. That will be April 20th! Worship will include communion, and there will be a potluck afterward. Join us as we sing praises to God's power and love. Join us as the roots of our faith grow deeper in prayer and fellowship. Join us as we welcome one another into the presence of the Living God. We promise you will leave uplifted!

Ecclesiastical Council

Plan to be here on April 6th at 3:00 pm as Edwards hosts Timoth Sylvia's Ecclesiastical Council. On that day, the Eastern Association of the Iowa Conference will gather here to examine Timoth and make the final decision about his ordination. His ordination paper is complete and there are copies of it in the church office for anyone who would like to read it. For the most part, the questions in the Council will relate to what he has written in his paper.

For those of you who do not know Timoth, he was our first Youth Minister and he left for seminary at Bangor Theological Seminary, in Bangor Maine, six years ago. It's been a long journey and this is the home stretch! Plan to be here to cheer him on.



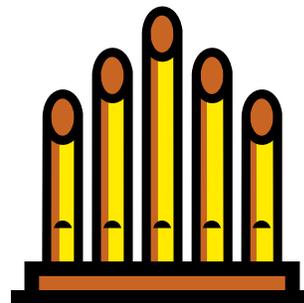
CALLING ALL MUSICIANS!!!

SUMMER APPROACHES!! And the various musical talents of this congregation must emerge! The weekly and monthly musicians are taking a break and we need your help!

Do you have music you have been wanting to hear at church and you can play or sing it? Is there someone you would enjoy making music with? That's how PROMISED LAND got started - four men who wanted to sing gospel music came together and sang for a Summer Sunday Special Music offering...and now they have arranged their own music, given a concert, raised money for the church, and soon they will have a CD of that concert!

So . . . we need Special Music for Sunday mornings. Be creative! Find someone new to enjoy - or sing or play a favorite solo. Bring back a group you have played music with before. Ask your siblings, parent, grandchild or child to come home to Edwards for a Sunday morning and bring some music in tow - playing or singing with you as well! It's always wonderful to hear folks share the music of their hearts with loved ones and friends in worship.

Please sign up on the weekly announcement sheet indicating the number of musicians and their instrument as well as which dates you CANNOT be available. Or you can call the office and leave a message with Jean at extension 13. We'll put together the list and let you know! The congregation thanks you for your musical offering! Jean



Special Music in April

- 6th Vicki Langfeldt, Organist and Alleluia Ringers, Sandy Reinders, Director
- 27th Alleluia Ringers, Sandy Reinders, Director



PRAISE SONG COMPETITION

Remember the Praise Song Competition of the United Church of Christ last year? We are proud to announce that Friends In Faith Band members Robert Riedesel, Lyle Stratton, and Cathy Wetzal made the first cut! More songs are being solicited. See Jean Norton for information.



TGIF

Friday, April 11th, 5:30-7:00, children are invited for supper and an evening of arts and crafts. We will be making items to sell at the Youth Auction on Sunday, April 13th.

Free Rice

The **FreeRice** computer game is set up in Baxter Hall each Sunday after church. Players answer vocabulary questions and for every right answer 20 grains of rice are donated to impoverished areas around the world. So far we have donated over 10,000 grains of rice! One cup of rice is about 7,000 grains. Our goal is to reach 100 cups of rice or 700,000 grains by Homecoming Sunday in September! Stop by the **FreeRice** table after worship or play at home (**FreeRice.com**) and bring in your numbers to be counted in our total.

Rainforest Adventure V.B.S.

June 16-20, 5:00-7:30 We are "going green" this year with a tree top trip into the rainforest! Kids will take an adventure into God's Word for a faith-filled week with a stewardship theme that will have them taking care of God's wondrous creation and each other, too! Children ages 3 through 12 are invited, with older kids welcomed to serve as trip guides!



Family Tutoring Program

Volunteers meet every Monday at the Central Community Circle Community Center from 6:00-7:30 to work with children and families. If you would like to volunteer for this exciting new program, please contact Susan Chesley @332-2300 or leave your name and number in the church office.

SUMMER CAMP AT PILGRIM HEIGHTS!

Make church camp a part of your children's memories. Whether they are only ready for an overnight away from home or eager for a week of camping, Pilgrim Heights has a program just right for any child. Stop by the Summer Camp display in Baxter Hall for more information. Let this year be your children's year to build Pilgrim Heights memories!

Youth News

Yarrrrh Matey's, the Pirates are coming! No, not real pirates...it's the Pirates of Edwards!

This year for the Mission trip fundraiser, the Youth have decided to throw a Pirate's Party. The date for the fundraiser is April 13th at the Pirate's Cove, AKA Baxter Hall immediately following the worship service. See the cover of this newsletter for more information.

The Youth will be gathering Saturday, April 12 at 10am to decorate Baxter Hall and organize for the little pirate area, AKA younger children.

We will resume the Our Whole Lives Program on April 20th & 27th from 7-9pm.

Looking ahead

May 4th - We have reserved the ropes course at Camp Abe Lincoln and will have our end-of-year party on that day. Look for more information in the mail.

Thank you all for your support!

Biloxi or Bust! Again!

The Mission Board has scheduled another trip to Back Bay Mission in Biloxi, Miss., to help with the post-Katrina reconstruction. Much work still remains to be done, particularly since there are many people still living in FEMA trailers which have recently been condemned because of formaldehyde contamination. Our trip is scheduled for September 20th thru September 29th. This year we are seeking 14 volunteers. We will again be occupying one of the Back Bay Mission volunteer trailers which houses 14 people and will be able to do our own meal planning and preparation. If you are interested in being part of this group of volunteers, give your name to the church office or Dick Werner.

Mission Trip Fundraiser

Tom Kenneke is taking part in a 24-hour marathon in May. He is seeking sponsorship, the proceeds of which will go to the adult and youth trips. See Tom if you wish to sponsor him.



Walk in the Shoes of Poverty

As we continue our "walk in the shoes" of someone living in poverty, the Edwards Social Justice Board will be hosting a lunch-and-learn forum the fourth Sunday of this month. We will review the issues related to poverty, share impressions, dialogue and ideas. With the help of our discussion facilitator, Mollie Conrad, we will discuss how we can move from **awareness to action**—what can we do individually and/or collectively. Please plan to join us **April 27 (11:30-12:30)** in the library. A healthy sack lunch will be provided by the Social Justice Board.

Women & Children's Shelter Donations

The Mission Board continues to sponsor the collection of personal items needed by the women and children who find themselves without the daily supplies needed to live. We appreciate the many donations that are coming in to be shared with residents at the Winnie's Place. It is important to continue these gifts as many homeless are housed, counseled, and encouraged to find a new way of living on their own. Please refer to the bright yellow handouts mailed in the January newsletter and available again in the Narthex. We also can use basic household items/furniture which could be used as these women and children leave the shelter to set up apartments. For assistance with pick-up of larger items, call Marilyn Hamilton 386-1958.

Items MOST NEEDED this month:

Baby hair/body wash

Baby Wipes

Diapers (sizes 3, 4, 5)

Diaper Rash ointment

Used cell phones

Pillows

Umbrellas

Hair Brushes

Ziploc Freezer Bags (Qt & Gal)

Garbage Bags (13 & 30 gal)

All items are appreciated - Thank you for your gifts!

WQAD & Oprah's Big Give - Quad Cities

Have you seen the new ABC show "Oprah's Big Give?" ABC and Oprah have given WQAD \$10,000 to do a "Big Give" in the Quad Cities. Your Mission Board has applied to receive one of five gifts to be given locally to help others. A plan was developed to benefit Winnie's Place. By the time you receive this newsletter we will know if we received an award. Call any member of the Mission Board to learn more!!!

KEEP IN OUR PRAYERS

- ❖ **Joel and Sacha Boon**, as Joel begins a new job in Bismarck, North Dakota
- ❖ **The Hart Family**, in the death of Carol's mother, Leona Davis
- ❖ **JoAnn Hobbes**, recovering from angioplasty
- ❖ **Jack King**, recovering from quintuple bypass surgery
- ❖ **Melissa King**, as she returns to work after battling cancer
- ❖ **Chris Medina**, recovering from double knee replacement
- ❖ **Laurel Ogden's family**, as they grieve her death
- ❖ **Dorothy Paulson**, continuing cancer follow-up
- ❖ **Sandi Russell**, continuing cancer follow-up
- ❖ **Pat Schroeder**, recovering from internal injuries
- ❖ **Virginia Seifert**, recovering from a broken hip
- ❖ **Carol Stratton**, continuing chemotherapy
- ❖ **Ned Walling**, recovering from angioplasty
- ❖ **Norma Wren**, continuing to recover from back surgery
- ❖ **Phyllis Yike's daughters**, Sue Chiddester and Pam Hansen, as they grieve her death

NEW PHONE DIRECTORY COMING

Our church family is growing and we need to update our phone directory and church database. Please take the time to complete and return the update form. Accurate database information, as well as current email addresses, is very important and saves the church money by eliminating various paper and postage costs. If you have any questions, please contact Geri Dulaney at 359-0331 or 323-2145.



LOOKING FOR A CHURCH HOME?

Rev. Katherine Mulhern will lead a Newcomer's Inquiry Class on Sunday, April 20, at 11:30 a.m. in the church parlor / library. Learn more about Edwards, the United Church of Christ, and the programming at Edwards. A brunch will be served. Childcare is available. Contact Geri Dulaney at 359-0331 or 323-2145.

WOMEN'S NIGHT OUT

Join us Thursday, April 17th at 6:00 pm at Ruby Tuesday's for food, fun and fellowship.

MEN OF EDWARDS

The next meeting is Saturday, April 5th at 8am in the church parlor. Come out and enjoy the men's fellowship as we continue to discuss the DVD "Living the Questions." In addition to talking about faith issues, the men's group is active in service activities for the church and is currently involved in a moving project for Greg Moore as part of church mission fundraising activities. Please feel welcome to join us!

Trivia Night is Back!

Clear your calendar for the Weekday Boards 2nd Annual Trivia Night on Saturday, May 17th. We will again be enjoying the fun and exciting competition to raise money for our Weekday program. Doors open at 6 pm and the playing begins at 6:30. There will be food and great prizes! \$10 per person, 8 people per team. If you'd prefer to donate a prize (\$20-\$30) please contact Janet Sedgwick (449-8455) or Dee Hillyer (381-1071)

Your Opportunities to Make a Difference . . .

CAREGIVERS IN NEED OF HELP!

The church CareGivers group is seeking new volunteers to join in showing Christ's love by visiting and following up with those church members in need. The time commitment is just one meeting per month and being "on call" for one week of the month for visiting by telephone or in person as your time permits. CareGiver volunteers are "blessed to be a blessing" in showing Christ's love. To borrow a favorite quote from Sarah Vortriedt, regarding the power of giving: "One of life's greatest laws is that you cannot hold a torch to light another's path without brightening your own." Come help brighten everyone's path by joining CareGivers! Contact Lyle Stratton, CareGiver Coordinator at the church Mondays from 9am -12 noon, or call the church and leave a message about your interest and Lyle will contact you.

Meeting Help Needed

Looking for assistance in the kitchen before, during and after Timoth's Ecclesiastical council. We're also looking for folks to donate finger food (cookies, bars, or fruit). Please call Sandy Reinders, 332-2637, to sign up to serve or bring goodies. Thanks!

Parking

We need your help! If you are able to walk from the back of the parking lot, please park there. By doing so, the spaces closer to the building can be used by those who have difficulty walking, those who are carrying small children, or those who have heavy packages to carry. If you need to park right next to a door, there are spaces available by both the south and north doors. Thank You!

Spring Clean-Up at Church

April 25th beginning at 4:00 pm and

April 26th beginning at 8:00 am.

Please bring work gloves and trimmers if you have them.

Save the date and sign-up to help!!

ALL-CHURCH GARAGE SALE #19

The 19th All-Church Garage Sale is scheduled for Saturday, May 3rd. The event is a mission project although the mission board is not directly responsible. The Non-Committee that organizes and operates the project is everybody, and some of us have been involved since its beginning. All of the funds raised go directly to the World Wide Mission Fund, supplementing the amount given by our church. You will not receive any money for your contribution, but if you need a receipt for IRS reasons, we are prepared to give you one. There are so many things contributed that we fill Baxter Hall, using all the tables available here in the church, and sometimes borrowed tables.

We use the week of April 28 to May 2 getting ready for the sale. We start about 9:00 am, and finish about 4:00 pm, but you do not need to be here all day. Come when you can, work as long as you can, and leave when necessary. But I warn you, once you are involved in the spirit of this project, you may want to linger. And once you are involved in the project, you will be involved forever.

So, as you clean your home this spring, don't throw those items with value away. Bring them to the sale! Just about everything is wanted by someone else. Clean used clothing, garage items, tools, furniture, lamps, clean carpeting, pots and pans, dishes . . . almost everything will sell. But please, no tires. We have to pay to dispose of those. If you have an appliance, talk to the non-committee before you transport them to the church. So start bringing in your treasures on April 21.

It's a fellowship project. It's a mission project, and it's an outreach project. Non-committee member, Richard Jirus



Thank You, Thank You, Thank You !!

Audrey Dugan, Cathie Miller, Tracy Miller, Marilyn Riedesel, Steve and Sharon Wildemuth, Brad Miller, Bob Hamilton and Amanda Loughead for their leadership in the Maundy Thursday service.

Michael Fessler for beginning the spring lawn work.

Angela Elliott for helping in the office

Sandy Reinders and Julie Henke for leading CPR classes.

Brian Dugan for teaching the adult Sunday School class when Katherine was called away to an emergency.

To all who donated to One Great Hour of Sharing! We raised \$1,254.00 toward disaster and refugee relief.

Marilyn Riedesel for her donation of Busy Bag activity books.

Kay Stiles and Lyle Stratton for bringing their healing stories to the church school children.

Emily Kenneke and Blaine Chesley for serving as Spiritual Companions in church school.

Julie Henke, Mila Smith, Susan Chesley, Dick Dulaney, Ruth Hefferman, Chris Fessler, Dorothy Hammond, Amanda Loughead and Jilly McWhorter for tutoring in March.

Cathy Wetzel for continued service as a TouchStones teacher and Children's Chapel leader.

Tom Kenneke for finding and installing the new door closers in Baxter Hall.

Sally Egly for designing and making our new name tags.

Geri & Dick Dulaney, John & Dorothy Hammond, Curly Curl and Martha Jirus for assembling the March newsletter.

To all the folks that helped with the funerals for **Laurel Ogden** and **Phyllis Yike**. The salads and desserts were delicious and the help in the kitchen was greatly appreciated.

Special Musicians in March: **Mona Terry** and **John Chesley**, percussion, **Kailan Lafrenz**, flute, Liturgical Dancers - **Kathy Lafrenz**, director, Alleluia Ringers, **Sandy Reinders**, director.

The Worship Board for all their Easter decorating in the sanctuary.

The 28 musicians who offered music at Easter Sunday morning worship! To the Alleluia Ringers, Sandy Reinders, Director. The Chancel Choir, with special members Kailan Lafrenz, Michelle Hukvari, Kaela Swarts and Josh Weiss. The Instrumental Ensemble: Bob Riedesel - trumpet, Austin Langfeldt - trumpet, Michelle Hukvari - clarinet, Chris Zippe - alto saxophone / Director, Amanda Loughead - baritone, Dick Werner - trombone.

The March Coffee hour hosts: **Elisabeth & Sam Norwood, Gilly & Don Miller** and **Cathie Miller**. Thanks to the Membership and Worship boards for helping with the March potluck.

Marilyn Riedesel, Joyce Paustian and Susan Chesley for the Easter Sunday refreshments.

From the Mailbag. . .

Katherine ~ Thank you so much for the support and prayers and for visiting Brian's mom in her final days. Peace, Brian and Audrey Dugan

Dear Katherine ~ Thank you for the comfort given to me and my family on the loss of my mom, and for the visits to my mom to give her communion. Both of us appreciated those visits. The love and kindness show to my family will never be forgotten. Carol Hart (daughter of Leona Davis)

Dear Edwards ~ Thank you all for the love and support you showed us during this sorrowful time in our lives. You all made us feel welcome and comforted. Thank you as well for the delicious lunch. You are very generous and thoughtful. It comforts us to know Laurel was so loved! Thanks again, Brian & Dona Ogden & kids

Thank you so much for your generous donation of clothing, household items, personal care items and food. As you know, we have an on-going need for everything you gave us. The Staff at Winnie's Place

Dear Edwards~ Special thanks to caregiver Lyle Stratton for his visits to the hospital and bringing me a prayer shawl knit by Kay Stiles; Ruth Bowers and Sharon Wildemuth for their visit to the hospital; Sandy Reinders for her visit to my home and bringing me her great chicken soup and biscuits; to all who called and sent well wishes, and most especially to Katherine for her visits to the hospital and for encouragement as I took my difficult and painful first steps after surgery. Edwards is truly a caring church! Hugs, Nancy Stenger

Thank you to all who held Pat Schroeder in their prayers during his hospital stay from his work accident. He is home and recovering. We appreciate all the cards and meals sent. The prayer shawl that was knitted by loving hands was so comforting. I am so grateful for the fellowship at Edwards UCC! We are truly blessed! Much gratitude, Erica & Pat Schroeder



Beyond Our Walls. . .

Eastern Association News

The congregations of the Eastern Association of the Iowa Conference will gather for the Spring Business Meeting at 3:00 on SUNDAY, APRIL 27 at First Congregational UCC in Cedar Rapids. Dinner will be served after the meeting, so we need your reservations by April 20th! Please let Kathy Bowerman know if you are interested in representing Edwards.

Live with Lincoln

Live Worship Concert with Lincoln Brewster at Harvest Bible Chapel Davenport on Thursday, April 10th at 7:00 pm. Tickets are \$15 in advance/\$20 at the door. Purchase tickets online at www.harvestdavenport.org.

Who. . . What. . . When. . . Where. . .

	April 6	April 13	April 20	April 27
Preacher	Katherine Mulhern	Katherine Mulhern	Katherine Mulhern	Katherine Mulhern
Chancel Set-up	Amanda Loughead Deena Miller	Brian Dugan	Pam Edmond Chris Zippe	Audrey Dugan
Scripture Reader	Bill Coker	Brian Dugan	Mary Hein	Erica Schroeder
Communion Servers	Deena Miller, Kathy Lafrenz, Clyde Durrah, Dave Wymore, Pat Rosberg, Amanda Loughead			
Visitor Guides	Membership Board	Membership Board	Membership Board	Membership Board
Nursery 10:15 am	Chris Zippe			
Coffee Hour Hosts - AM		Youth Fundraiser		Pat Sterk Dee Hillyer
Greeters	Ardis Kasper Chris Kenneke Bob & Teresa King	Jack & Vonnie King Cathy & Amanda Loughead	Terry & Kay McGee Don & Gilly Miller	Chris Medina Tracy Miller Jean Neavor Evona Petherick
Ushers	Clyde Durrah Dave Wymore Pat Rosberg Milo Smith	Mary Hein Judy Collins Steve Wildemuth Tim Mandell	Oliver Gallaher Joe Hall Eric Crawford Steve Knoche	Russ Dircks Emily Kenneke Dick Dulaney Curly Curl
Sound System	Dave VanDerKamp			
Lock-up	Michael Fessler	Tom Kenneke		Woody Perkins
CareGivers On Call	Kay Stiles Ruth Bowers	Sandy Reinders Lois Larew	Jean Neavor Martha Jirus	Sharon Wildemuth Lyle Stratton

April Birthdays

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| 1 Robert Ripple | 15 Leeta Stuhler | 28 Bill Anderson |
| 5 Mila Smith | 15 Rich Wellman | 28 Susan Curl |
| 6 Peggy Olsen | 15 Angie Opsal | 28 Sandy Reinders |
| 7 Rich Fuller | 17 Carol Ashbacher | |
| 7 Parker Sedgwick | 17 Eric Knudson | |
| 7 Madelyn Dye | 17 Justin Simmons | |
| 7 Donovan Buzzell | 18 Susan Chesley | |
| 8 Ethan Springer | 19 Edith Egli | |
| 9 Ruth Hefferman | 19 Sue Harrington | |
| 9 Bob Hamilton | 23 Jenny Wilbricht | |
| 9 Dawn Johnson | 23 Emily Springer | |
| 11 Tom Kenneke | 23 Ethan Vordtriede | |
| 11 Benjamin Nabb | 24 Robert King | |
| 12 Darrell Busch | 25 Audrey Dugan | |
| 14 Don Miller | 26 Jody Bailey | |



APRIL 2008

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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