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River Road Church, Baptist

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## Ministers of the Church

Every member of River Road Church, Baptist, like every disciple of Christ, is commissioned to participate in Christian ministry. The following persons have been called by this congregation to serve as enablers in such ministry:

Michael J. Clingenpeel  
*Pastor*

E. Carl Freeman  
*Music*

Robert L. Dibble  
*Adults*

Barbara J. Massey  
*Children*

Ka'thy Gore Chappell  
*College Students*

Rachel L. Hoffman  
*Youth*

Margaret S. Collins  
*Preschool Director*

## FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

January 28, 2007  
11:00 a.m. Worship Service  
Sanctuary

Sermon by Dr. Michael J. Clingenpeel  
Anthems by the Carol, Crusader, and Chancel Choirs

Reception in the Fellowship Hall following  
the worship service hosted by the deacons



## WEDNESDAY DINNER PROGRAM

January 31, 2007  
5:30 p.m. Dinner    6:30 p.m. Program

## Annual Church Business Meeting

Several important matters will be considered at the annual business meeting of River Road Church. The Board of Administration brings to the congregation for approval the 2007 final budget. Also, the boards, councils and committees of the church have submitted for consideration their annual reports.



## A Very Good Year

This time last year I wrote a column for *The Spire* indicating that projected receipts for 2006 would fall far below budget requests, and that valued ministries would need to be chopped from the budget. I listed items the Finance Committee said would need to be cut. You may recall last January's business meeting when the congregation reluctantly agreed to these necessary measures.

In this week's column I am pleased to announce that 2006 turned out to be a very good year. We ended 2006 with more receipts than expenditures—approximately \$190,000 more, in fact!

Two factors account for this surprising scenario. First, our expenses were about \$80,000 below our budget. Over \$50,000 of this was the result of staff vacancies during the year. We did not have a Minister to Youth for seven months and several secretaries during November and December. Second, unpledged gifts far exceeded previous years. This happened because members made gifts over and above their pledges, and new members made contributions that could not be anticipated.

What is the practical effect of this surplus?

It means that when the Finance Committee makes its 2007 budget recommendation to the Board of Administration on Sunday, January 28, they will ask for the adoption of a fully-funded budget, something they could not do this time last year. If approved, you will receive

their recommendation at our annual church business meeting on Wednesday, January 31. Changes, of course, may be made by the BOA and at the business meeting.

Happily, an additional \$90,000 in "carry-over" can be allocated to a variety of ministries, some of which have been unfunded or underfunded for some years. Under the Finance Committee's proposal, more than a tithe of this will go to the Board of Missions to support 2007 ministries created by unanticipated crises. Hurricane Katrina was such a crisis, and River Road Church sent two teams to the Gulf Coast last year in response to this situation. Some will go into operational expenses to replenish building, painting and vehicle reserves underfunded in last year's budget. Some will create a reserve fund for new initiatives, most likely those recommended by the Strategy Planning Team. Some will be used for salaries.

Are there any deeper messages here? Perhaps.

It may mean that this was a good year economically for our members.

It also may mean that our members are growing in our giving. This year an important principle of giving has been our emphasis—we offer our gifts out of our need to give, not just because the church needs the money. Does the church need your gifts to operate? Of course. But to grow as Christians we need to give to support God's work. When that happens, we are able to do even more.

I also hope it means that you believe in what God is doing in and through River Road Church, Baptist.

Blessings,  
Mike

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# CHILDREN'S MINISTRY NEWS

## COMING EVENTS:

**VALENTINE'S EVENT**—February 9—7:00-9:00—for elementary children of parents who attend the Valentine's Dinner and Dance. Preschool childcare is also available that evening, by reservation.

**PARENT/CHILD BOOK AND MOVIE #2**—The book and movie for this time is *Charlotte's Web*. See the movie if you can, and definitely read the book for the next parent/child book club meeting. Each parent and child, grades 1-5, should read the book before coming to the *Charlotte's Web* fun book club meeting on Friday, March 16. Watch for more details about the event coming soon. Any questions? Call **Barbara Massey**, 288-1131, or **Marge Rusher**, 285-2087.

**PASSPORTkids!**—We still have space for third through fifth graders who want to attend PASSPORTkids! at Eagle Eyrie. The dates are June 30-July 3. Call **Barbara Massey**, 288-1131, for more information.

**Small Toiletry Items Needed:** The children in "The Way of the Child" are making toiletry bags for a project for the homeless. If you have any small travel-sized toiletries you are willing to donate for this project, please bring them to Barbara Massey's office, by February 2.

# Sunday Responsibilities

**January 28:**

**Acolyte:** Emily Cothran

**Deacon Coffee:**

Martha Lou Green, captain;  
Harper Alford, Laura Lee  
Chandler, Scott Rooney

**Flower Distribution:**

Donna Ooghe, Liz Seward

**Greeters:**

Cliff Shelton, anchor; Austin  
Clark, Tom Ligon, Ed Pruden,  
Mark Simonton

**Sound:** Tom Ahl

**Tellers:** Mary Ellen Berry, chair;  
Harper Alford, Frances Cloe,  
Brenda and Henry Holland, Beth  
Hooker

**Ushers:** Steve Bailey, Ethan  
Butterworth, Richard Cloe,  
Chuck Myers

## Minister On Call

January 27-28

**Carl Freeman**  
360-5848 home  
347-4060 cell

## ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS

*Formations* Sunday School literature concludes its four-week unit of study entitled *The Servant of the Lord*. After the fall of Jerusalem, the Israelites suffered the loss of their homeland, the destruction of their temple, and separation from their families. Many gave up believing in any possibility of salvation or restoration of their land. In these years of despair, God gave a word of hope, a light to the nations, a word of encouragement to the weary, and righteousness to the sinner. In the last half of Isaiah, the prophet uses four special "Servant Songs" to proclaim this message of hope. Each song gives a different picture of the same servant, the identity of whom scholars still debate. But these songs communicate that God cares about hurting people, God sees our oppression and confusion, and God comforts us in our griefs. The result is God's intervention in our lives through humble servants who bring restoration and encouragement. Today, we are called to be servants who also bring justice to the oppressed, light to the nations, and strength to the weary. This week's lesson, entitled *The Servant as Savior*, is based on Isaiah 52:13-53:12 and will be studied in the following classes:

**Discovery Class** will be taught by **Chester** and **Margaret Phelps**. Super Bowl Party at **Buddy** and **Emily Sumner's** home, February 4. CARITAS responsibilities are Monday, February 19; **Chester Phelps** and **Buddy Sumner** will spend the night.

**Fellowship Class** will be taught by **Don Powell**.

**Friendship Class** will be taught by **Connie Showalter**.

**Lydia Class** will be taught by **Spencer Price**.

**Phoenix Class** will continue its discussion of Philip Yancey's book, *The Jesus I Never Knew*, taught by **George Davis**.

**Reuben Alley Class** will be taught by **John Oliver**.

**Seekers Class** will be taught by **Linda Schreiner**. The class will host dinner at the Freedom House (Hull Street Shelter) on Friday, March 2. More details will be shared in upcoming classes.

**College Class** will be taught by **Ka'thy Gore Chappell**.

**Discussion Class** will be led by Leslie and Matt Straw in a presentation entitled, *Building a New Nest: Setting and Keeping Proper Boundaries with Your Family*.

**Explorers Class**—The class will continue its discussion of Joseph Campbell's *Power of Myth* video. **John West** will facilitate the discussion.

**Journey Class** will be taught by **Lynne Hughes**.

**Life Class**—The class continues its Winter Bible Study, *Surviving the Tensions of Life*, based on 1 & 2 Samuel. **Scott Leake** will lead the discussion of chapter 3, *Surviving Relational Tension*, based on 1 Samuel 16:1-13.

**Robert Smart Class**—**Mark Pounders** will lead the class discussion. "Emergency Bags" are due this Sunday if you plan to participate. Contact **Christy Sutton** with any questions.

**Shepherd-Simpson Bible Study Class** will be taught by **Bob Shepherd**. The class continues its study of the ministry of Jesus this Sunday, beginning with Mark 6:45.

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## MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST

Our next monthly Men's Prayer Breakfast for men of all ages (in school, retired, or working professionals) is **Thursday, January 25, 7:00 a.m.** This breakfast group features great fellowship and intentional intercessory prayer for needs of every kind, especially for the City of Richmond as we partner with Metro Richmond at Prayer. Free breakfast is offered and we meet in the Reception Room. Plan to join us.

Friday—26th  
Ann Marie  
Geisler  
Ken Lantz  
Jane Morris  
Ed Ralston



Saturday—27th  
Ray Baugham  
Adam Clark  
Collier Phillips  
Olen Stewart  
Kemp West

Sunday—28th  
Sidney Glasco  
Tim Gohman  
Cindy Harris  
Maxine Rogers  
Sandy Rooney  
Elizabeth Seymour  
Jane Thompson

Monday—29th  
Jody Gordon  
Erika Martin  
Lawson Pankey  
Anne Rusher

Tuesday—30th  
Sue Baldwin  
Jim Ladd  
Sam Phillips  
David Wilson

Wednesday—31st  
Margaret Almond  
Connie Blunt  
Harrison Holmes  
Charlotte Ladd  
Kyle Payne  
Becky VanAusdall  
Joe Womack

Thursday—1st  
Amanda Burger  
Charles Higgins  
Claire Marsh  
Randy Milligan

Friday—26th  
Ed and Sandy  
Thornton—55  
years



Monday—29th  
David and Patricia Hooker—24  
years

Wednesday—31st  
Robert and Erica Kirwan—3 years

AT HOME: Bea Adkins, Ron Benton, Bill Bingham, E. J. Bowen, Mary Ann Brandt, Donald Bunn, Jay Clark, Helen Clarke, Clyde Glasco, Jim Hughes, Izzy Humbert, Edith Scott, Nancy Gayle Smith

CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY is expressed to **Chuck and Laurie Ursiny** upon the death of his sister, Evelyn Layton, of Amarillo, Texas, on January 17.

CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY is expressed to **Barbara and Don Robertson** upon the death of her father, A. Woodrow Laine, of Richmond, on January 18.

CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY is expressed to **Mike and Susan Rucker** upon the death of his father, Ambrose A. Rucker, of Bedford, on January 21.

CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY is expressed to **Scott and Gini Street** upon the death of his step-father, **Ed Robbins**, of Richmond, on January 22.

CONGRATULATIONS is expressed to **Patrick and Kristina Barbier** upon the birth of their daughter, Ella Grace, on January 10.

CONGRATULATIONS is expressed to **Andy and Anita McAllister** upon the birth of their daughter, Claire Havens, on January 17.

CONGRATULATIONS is expressed to **Todd and Katherine Hawks** upon the birth of their daughter, Tessa Grace, on January 19, in Dillon, Colorado. Mac and Joan Hines are her grandparents.

IN OUR PRAYERS: David Kinsey (**Barbara Kinsey's** son) deployed in Iraq.

## Thank You, FIXERS

The House and Grounds Committee would like to thank **FIXERS Miller Alvis, George Davis, Mac Hines, Doug Pace, Don Powell, and Bill Smith**, who came for breakfast and fellowship last Thursday and then worked on projects around the church. They repaired a leaky faucet, changed ballasts in two light fixtures, replaced and cleaned the filters on the refrigerator and freezer, replaced ceiling tiles, checked the microphone jacks in Fellowship Hall, and worked on the ice makers in the commons areas.



## LOOKING FOR SOME FUN? EVENING BRIDGE IS THE PLACE TO BE!

We're always looking for more folks who like to have a good time playing bridge. The next gathering will be on **Tuesday, February 6, 7:30 p.m., in the Reception Room**. Call **Dean and Carol Decker, 282-1631, or Sam and Peggy Measell, 360-3635**.

## THE BOOK LOVERS' GROUPS

Book Lovers II will meet on Thursday, February 1, at 10:00 a.m., in the Reception Room to discuss *March* by Geraldine Brooks. This 2006 winner of the Pulitzer Prize tells of the imaginary Civil War experiences of Mr. March, the absent father in *Little Women*. **Judy Morris** and **Kitty Davis** will review the book. Last summer, Judy was privileged to hear Ms. Brooks talk about the writing of this novel. For more information, call **Kitty Davis, 285-9782**. Both groups meet in the Reception Room. Everyone is welcome to attend!

# Valentine's Dinner & Dance

*Friday, February 9*  
*7:00 - 10:00 p.m.*  
*Fellowship Hall*



River Road Church members and their guests are invited to enjoy an evening of music, dinner and dancing. **Will Rollins**, a local DJ, will provide the best variety of music to make our dance like it truly is the only event in town.

River Road member, **Nancy Anderson** will cater the dinner. Cost for the meal is \$15 per person. A special addition to this year's festivities will be a grand prize drawing for a romantic dinner for two at Azzurro's restaurant, owned by River Road Church members, **David and Catherine Arrington Both** (a \$120 value; you are automatically entered when you purchase a ticket).

**Preschool childcare is available by reservation only. Again this year tickets are being sold. You may purchase them on Sundays and Wednesdays, beginning January 14, or at the church office during the week.**

**The WMU Evening Group, Connectors,** is excited to announce the creation of a second River Road cookbook. The first edition, *The Calico Cook*, was compiled by the Doubles Class in 1974. The new cookbook project welcomes recipes from members of all ages. The **Connectors** have been invited to bring their favorite cakes, cookies, or appetizers to the Deacons' Coffee on Sunday, January 28, for "tasting" and sharing. Please join us! This cookbook will become a legacy of recipes and favorite memories of the people who have become a part of our extended River Road family.

—Wyatt Heisler and Peggy Pruden, co-chairs



## FIRST ISH LOCAL MISSIONS CAMPAIGN OF 2007: Emergency Duffel Bags      January 1-31, 2007

Having emergency duffel bags on hand to assist children who are rescued from abusive families in Henrico County is an ongoing need of Interfaith Services of Henrico (ISH). Unlike other projects, this project has an urgent and immediate need. When the court orders the rescue of a child from an abusive family—and that happens more often than we might imagine—the child needs an emergency supply of clothes, toiletries, etc. to use until a safe place can be found for the child. A county social worker and a county policeman race for an age-appropriate emergency duffel bag in the ISH storage closet to take to the child. A child is thus provided with basic needs at a critical time from persons unknown whose kindness in itself is a source of care and support.

In 2007, the campaign will focus on infants and children aged birth to five years. Sadly, that is the age of children who presently seem most likely to be abused. The breakdown will be birth-3 months, 3-6 months, 6-9 months, and 9-12 months. Also, ages 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 years. You may choose whichever age child and gender of child you prefer. A list of sizes and items needed for each age boy and girl, and a sign-up list, will also be available. A duffel bag filled with nice, clean clothes from local thrift shops, new underwear and socks, and toiletries from local dollar shops can be completed at a cost of about \$30-40.

Throughout January, the Shepherd-Simpson Bible Study Class will offer free duffel bags to any church family who would be willing to supply the necessary items. If you would like to participate, but don't have the time or energy to shop, you may telephone **Charlotte** and **Bill Simpson** at 285-3185 and they will shop for you.

## CARITAS

February 17-23, 2007

CARITAS stands for Congregations Around Richmond Involved to Assure Shelter.  
We will be hosting 40 men and women.

### Needs list:

- Preparing bagged lunches—assemble them in our church kitchen. The food is provided. Time is flexible.
- Making dinners—church members who want to help in this area will be teamed together.
- Helping serve meals, usually 7:00-9:00 p.m.
- Spending the night—9:00 p.m.-7:00 a.m. Does require making coffee, setting out continental breakfast in the morning, and handing out lunches.
- Spending time in evening with CARITAS members—anytime in the evening; playing cards, checkers, games, etc.
- Offering of special services/talents you may have. Examples include giving haircuts, assisting with laundry at church, mending and sewing, etc.
- Making cookies—80 cookies/day brought to the church in ziploc bags (2 cookies/bag).
- Setting up cots on Saturday February 17. Usually in the morning. The exact time will be confirmed at a later date.
- Taking down cots on Saturday February 24. Usually in the morning. The exact time will be confirmed at a later date.

**Toiletry Items Needed for CARITAS:** If you would like to donate items for these special care packages, there will be a basket on the missions table in the lower level commons area for them.

You can learn more about CARITAS at [www.caritasshelter.org](http://www.caritasshelter.org)  
Please contact **Brantley Holmes** at 754-1579, by email at [holmesby@comcast.net](mailto:holmesby@comcast.net),  
or at the deacon coffee following worship if you would like to help.

# MORE

## SECOND ISH LOCAL MISSIONS CAMPAIGN OF 2007: We've Got You Covered February 1-28, 2007



For more than five years, we've made good on our commitment to provide diapers for infants, toddlers, and older adults whose families and caregivers are served by Henrico County Department of Social Services. Through the efforts of River Road Church members, more than 21,000 diapers have been given to Interfaith Services of Henrico (ISH) since we launched our first diaper drive in 2000.

The brainchild of Henrico County Department of Social Services social worker Alice Matthews, ISH was founded in 1983 as a public private partnership between the Henrico County Department of Social Services and interfaith and secular organizations in Henrico County. Social Services absorbs all administrative costs of ISH, stores and distributes the resources gathered by ISH partners, and provides case management services to recipients, improving their prospects for the future. The public-private partnership helps to make the most of precious resources for our friends and neighbors in difficult circumstances.

Throughout the month of February 2007, the Shepherd-Simpson Bible Study Class will be spearheading the 2007 diaper drive. Please consider this announcement your invitation to participate by purchasing diapers for infants, toddlers, and older adults. You may bring your gifts to the Shepherd-Simpson Bible Study classroom on Sunday mornings or to the church office during week days. **So, the next time you are out shopping, put a little Luvs in your cart.** If you'd like to participate, but do not have time to shop, give **Malcolm and Carolyn Briggs** a call at 400-0406. They will be glad to shop for you.

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### CAMP ALKULANA

The long awaited dining hall expansion project at Camp Alkulana is moving ahead at a fast pace. The building is up, with the roof on it. In order to let other crews, like the insulators and wall board crew, proceed with their work, we need to rough in the electrical portion. Therefore, we are organizing a day trip up to Camp Alkulana on February 3. We plan to leave Saturday, at 6:30 a.m., in the church bus. A vast knowledge of electrical work is not required. Please let **Bill Rusher** know if you want to go. You may call him at 285-1087, or email him at wrusher@reynolds.edu.

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## FROM THE HISTORY COMMITTEE

### **Attention: Committee and Board Chairs**

Please forward to the Archives the accumulated files of your committee. This material is needed to complete the record of activity and provide an adequate source of information for future researchers. Please include minutes, correspondence, reports and working papers of the committee or board as well as that of subgroups. Previous years' documents that may be needed for reference during the upcoming year by the new chair may be duplicated and retained and the original sent to the Archives. Archived documents are always accessible at any time. We appreciate your cooperation in our efforts to keep the Archives up to date and useful.

### **Attention: All church members**

- Please remember the Archives as you sort through your own papers, especially old papers that may be stored in attics and closets. (You may have the missing Deacons' minutes from three decades ago!)
- Also, we would like clippings of magazine or newspaper articles that feature our members. Make sure the date of the clipping is visible.
- Photographs of events and people are always welcome. Please identify the people in the photo as well as the date, if known. We especially would like old photos.

### **Attention: Authors of books and articles**

The Archives announces the inauguration of a new collection that will feature the works of the many authors in our congregation. We invite those who have published works to donate a copy of your book, article or pamphlet to the church to become part of a permanent collection in the Church Archives. The published work may be fiction, poetry, essays or scholarly works. Your name on it is the important fact.

# THE RIVER'S EDGE

*student ministry at river road church, baptist*

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR!**

- January 28**     **Rec night: Bowling, 5:00-6:45 p.m.**  
Bring money for dinner (at the bowling alley) and bowling
- January 31**     **Small groups**  
Led by Stacey Rooney & Rachel Hoffman
- February 4**     current  
Worship: Sam Hays & Dexter Gulick  
Message: Deb Gray
- February 7**     **Small groups**  
Led by Stacey Rooney & Rachel Hoffman
- February 9**     **Church wide Valentines Dinner & Dance**
- February 10**    **Mission Day, 12:00-4:00 p.m.**  
Come do construction on the Student Center @ VCU!!  
Led by Bill Rusher
- February 11**    **Valentines Vespers (Bring \$5)**  
Guest band: Littleman  
Message: Rachel Hoffman

## **SUNDAY NIGHT:** Current

Starting in January youth Sunday night youth programs will be changing! Middle and high school students will join together for Current youth worship in the chapel. At Current students will encounter God through music, Scripture and interactive worship elements.

### **January 28: Bowling**

bring money for dinner out & bowling  
The bus will leave at 5:05 p.m. so don't be late! We will return to church between 6:45 and 7:00 p.m. for choir.

<b>5:00-5:30</b>	<b>Dinner</b>
<b>5:30-6:45</b>	<b>Current</b>
<b>6:45-7:30</b>	<b>Choir practice</b>

## **WEDNESDAY NIGHT:** Small groups

Wednesday nights we offer two small group Bible studies: one for middle school and one for high school students. This will be a forum for students to discuss Scripture, current events and what is going on in their lives.

**6:30-7:30 p.m. In the youth area**

## **MISSION DAYS**

This coming year we will be offering several mission opportunities in the community. Dates are listed below, keep reading the *Spire* for times and locations!

February 10  
May 12

## **High School Spring Retreat**

**April 20-22 @ Lake Anna**

With guest speaker/ worship leader Jonathan Davis	<b>Cost: \$80</b> <b>\$40 Deposit due</b> <b>February 11</b>
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## **valentines Vespers**

**Featuring the littleman band**

Valentines dinner and worship in the chapel hall

Time: 5:00-6:45 p.m.     Cost: \$5

## **Summer 2007**

**Passport: Boston, MA**  
July 14-21

**Tour: Greenville, SC**  
June 23-30

# COLLEGE STUDENT MINISTRY NEWS

## *Antiphony*

(an-tif'o-ne)—conversations about things that matter

### **More River Road Church, Baptist Student Responses to *Antiphony***

*"The openness and honesty in the discussion groups and break-out sessions at Antiphony was refreshing, and it has inspired me to start similar discussions among my friends and church family. God was and still is working through these conversations and I'm excited to see where God will take them."*

**--Erin Rourke, University of Mary Washington**

*"As a current student at Baptist Theological Seminary at Richmond, Antiphony was a wonderful opportunity not only to reflect on my call and my options for future ministry, but also to participate in focused discussion on the issues with which I will certainly be confronted in that ministry. The most powerful moment of my Antiphony experience came late in the conference, resulting from a "Chat Room" session about one of today's most controversial issues: homosexuality. This discussion, attended by a large group, was wrought with emotion and even tears as members voiced opposing opinions and beliefs. My moment came later, however, when I saw two of the most opposed discussion members in the hallway. They were standing in a heartfelt embrace, together as brother and sister in Christ.*

*This, in my eyes, was the spirit of Antiphony: willingness, even eagerness, to embrace those who are not like us, knowing that not one of us is redeemed by our own worthiness, but by the Love and Grace of God alone. This was the thing that I carried home with me. This will be a permanent part of my life and ministry."*

**--Drew Collier, Baptist Theological Seminary at Richmond**



# January~February

# UPCOMING EVENTS

Wednesday, January 24	<b>Stephen Ministry Supervision</b> , 4:30 p.m., Church Parlor and Archives <b>Finance Committee</b> , 7:30 p.m., Church Parlor <b>Music Committee</b> , 7:30 p.m., Archives
Thursday, January 25	<b>Men's Prayer Breakfast</b> , 7:00 a.m., Reception Room <b>Ballroom Dancing</b> , 6:30 p.m., Fellowship Hall <b>Book Lovers</b> , 7:30 p.m., Reception Room
Friday, January 26	<b>Men's Basketball</b> , 6:15 p.m., Byrd Middle School
Sunday, January 28	<b>Arts Committee</b> , 12:15 p.m., Church Parlor <b>Board of Administration</b> , 7:00 p.m., Assembly Room
Monday, January 29	<b>EFM</b> , 6:30 p.m., Archives Room
Tuesday, January 30	<b>Men's Basketball</b> , 7:00 p.m., Byrd Middle School <b>Yoga</b> , 7:30 p.m., Chapel Hall
Wednesday, January 31	<b>Annual Church Business Meeting</b> , 6:30 p.m., Fellowship Hall
Thursday, February 1	<b>Book Lovers II</b> , 10:00 a.m., Reception Room <b>Ballroom Dancing</b> , 6:30 p.m., Fellowship Hall
Friday, February 2	<b>Board of Christian Education Retreat</b> , Roslyn Conference Center
Saturday, February 3	<b>Board of Christian Education Retreat</b> , Roslyn Conference Center



## WEDNESDAY'S DINNER MENU

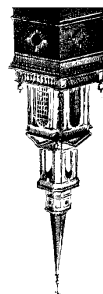
The adults and children will have spaghetti, green beans, apple sauce, salad bar, rolls, and cookies. For dinner reservations, call the church office at 288-1131. The reservation deadline is Tuesday, at noon.

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