

SOLES 4 SOULS

Turning shoes and clothing into opportunity

During the Lenten season, March 2nd through April 17th, the mission team will be asking for donations of shoes. We are once again, partnering with Soles4Souls. They transport the shoes to vetted nonprofits who purchase them for an average of \$1 per pair. People start small businesses selling shoes within their local community after training to help provide for their families and communities. Now's the time to go through your closet and donate any used shoes you no longer wear or children's shoes they've outgrown. There will be a basket in the Gathering Space for donated shoes.

There will be a Worship Committee meeting on Monday, March 7 at 6 pm at the church. Please let Jackie Dunsmore know if you are unable to attend.

There will be a meeting for all who are interested in helping with the Community Easter Egg Hunt on Tuesday, March 8 at 6:30 pm at church. If you said you would help last year, please attend this meeting.

Join us for a Bible study on the Gospel of Mark beginning Wednesday, March 9 at 6:30 pm and on Wednesdays during Lent. The study will be led by Pastor Dan.

Men's Prayer Breakfast will be held on Saturday,
March 19 at 8 am. All men in the church are
encouraged to join us for breakfast and then a
time of prayer and fellowship. Questions? Con-

tact Eddie Moyer at canesfinsfan@aol.com or 540-294-6616.

We need donations of candy for our Community Easter Egg Hunt which will be held on Saturday, April 16 from 10:30 am - 12 pm. Individually wrapped candies and small toys that will fit into eggs can be left in the basket in the foyer.

As we begin to think "SPRING" and warmer weather, we think about blooming flowers, budding trees and growing lawns! The Trustees are thinking ahead and asking for volunteers to take a month at a time to mow the church

lawn. We need volunteers from April through October (August has already been taken!). The church has a zero-turn mower and you will be reimbursed for your gas. You can mow at any time, any day of the week. If you would be willing to take a month, please contact Cindy in the church office or Scott Williams. We will also need fill-in volunteers from time to time. Help us keep our church lawn beautiful and inviting all summer long!

There will be a Finance Committee meeting on Monday, March 21 at 6:30 pm at the church.

There will be a Church Council meeting on Tuesday, March 22 at 6:30 pm at the church. All church officers and committee chairs are encouraged to attend. All others are invited to attend. If you have something you would like placed on the agenda, please contact Elizabeth Williams or Cindy Kite.



A BIG THANK YOU goes out to all who contributed items for the Ash Wednesday Voice of the Martyrs action packs. And to those who brought food for the meal! You are all awesome!!

Sunday's Sermon: Introduction to Lent Scripture: Mark 1:9-15

Please be in Prayer for ...

Members: Gary Ruleman, Nancy Colvin & family, Carolyn Swartz & family, Abe Smith & family

Extended Family: Richard Thompson - cousin of Carolyn Swartz, Sid Grove - father of Kelly Herron

Happy Birthday to ...

3rd - Jan Gorden

5th - Ken Elkins

7th - Becky McCarty

9th - Marguerite McDonald & Amanda Hughes

10th - Bobbie Meek & Lindsay Williams