

Crosswinds

A Congregation of the Presbyterian Church (USA)

News Brief

May 1

2011

The Presbytery of the Grand Canyon and the Presbyterian Board of Pensions presents to the presbytery a One Day Workshop

“Creating a Culture of Generosity in Your Church”

Tuesday May 17th

10 a.m. 3 p.m.

Crosswinds Presbyterian Church
20125 N. 15th Ave

Yes! This Presbytery workshop is being held here at Crosswinds!

As a church ‘Stewardship’ team, you will walk away with materials and ideas on how to foster and increase the spiritual life of your church and members, as it relates to generosity/stewardship.”

Since the workshop will be held at Crosswinds, it would be good if we had a team present! Anyone can come! Speak to Rev. Hartwell for more information.

Welcome New Staff



Kathy Johnson is our new Administrative Assistant. Kathy’s first official week was Holy Week, and she managed it with flying colors! Her office hours are 9:00 am to 1:00 p.m. Monday—Friday. Stop by and introduce yourself!

Christal Gudgell is our new nursery attendant for Sunday mornings.

May Committee Meetings will be held on Wed. the 18th at 7:00 p.m.



~SOMETHING NEW IN MAY~

Children’s Worship Activity

A number of parents have asked for some type of program during worship for younger children. So in May there will be an activity for children fourth grade and younger, following the Children’s Time.

Children are always welcome to stay in worship, but those who would like may go to the activity. Please, once children leave worship, they are expected to stay at the activity until it is finished.

After May, the Word Committee will evaluate whether this program should continue during the Summer or in the Fall.

Congratulations Ron & Betty

Ron Drew & Betty Calvert were married at a private service at Crosswinds on April 23rd! Rev. Hartwell had the honor of officiating the ceremony.



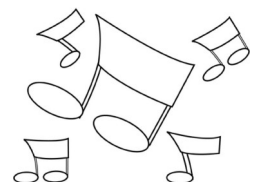
Recognition of Seniors



Douglas Burton, Nicole Campbell and Elizabeth Nelson have completed or will soon complete their senior years in high school. They will be recognized during the service of worship on May 22.

Choir Rehearsals

The choir will rehearse on Sundays at 9:00 am on May 8, 15 and 22. Following that they will take a break for the Summer.



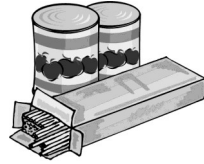
Happy Birthday!



Alyssa Ihling	May 1
Anita McCoy	May 1
Vern Elliott	May 4
Mark Carlberg	May 12
Emogene Horton	May 15
Byron Conrad	May 21
Nita Campbell	May 24
Christi Hartwell	May 24
Richard Souders	May 24
Thea Mercier	May 27
Becky Mercier	May 27

May Food Drive

The food bank had made a special request for Pasta & Sauce. Keep it coming and let's help out our friends at Operation Care Food Bank.



Crosswinds is planning a *Re-modeled Habitat for Humanity Vacation Bible School!* July 11-15



Volunteer Meeting May 17, 7:00 p.m.

The May Treasure Box Deadline Is May 8 and Pick-up will be May 21.

A Treasure Box provides you with high-quality, nutritious food, valued at \$60 to \$80 for only \$32. For the first time they are offering a smaller box called Simply Enough for only \$24.



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Pick up info and registration forms at the church or the camp's website www.montlure.org

Crosswinds is offering \$150 towards camp fees and the Presbytery has up to 50% scholarships available. Apply soon to take advantage of these offers.

Summer Camps for All Age Youth! Register Now!

CAMP	GRADE	DATES
Senior High 1 (7 nights)	9-12	June 4-11
Junior High 1 (6 nights)	6-8	June 11-17
Juniors 1 (5 nights)	4-6	June 17-22
Senior High 2 (7 nights)	9-12	June 25-July 2
Junior High 2 (6 nights)	7-9	July 9-15
Juniors 2 (5 nights)	4-6	July 15-20
Niners (6 nights)	9	July 23-29
Junior High 3 (6 nights)	6-8	July 29-August 4