



Happy Birthday!



APRIL BIRTHDAYS

30 Michelle Bryant

MAY BIRTHDAYS

3 Flora Gordon 3 Katie O'Brien 8 Jackie Ehle 8 Paul Tay
9 Sue Boddy 9 Jacque Shively 10 Don McCullough 11 Ted Johnson
14 Rosalie Scott 21 Danny Nelson 26 Rod Lorimer 26 Jan Littrell
27 Betty Freeman 30 Thelma Gray 31 Wheatley Allen

Weekly Meetings:

Sundays 9:00 a.m. Adult Sunday School in the Ronn Garton Library, Preston Hall
Sundays 10:00 a.m. Sunday Worship Service in the Sanctuary
Sundays 10:00 a.m. Children's Sunday School and Childcare during Worship Service.
Tuesdays 7:30 a.m. Breakfast, Fun, Conversation, Study, Alma Mendosa Room
Tuesdays 9-12 a.m. Deacons' Outreach Program, including food and showers
Tuesdays 9:15 a.m. Women's Bible Study
Wednesdays 3:00 Christian Spirituality Group, Library
Thursdays 9:15 a.m. Men's Bible Study, Alma Mendosa Room, Eidsath House
Thursdays and Fridays, Counseling appointments with Kathy Mooney, Fireside Room
Thursdays 6:30 p.m. Choir Practice, Alma Mendosa Room
Fridays 5:00 p.m. Ringing of our bell, honoring the week's war casualties
First Sundays Communion 10:00 a.m.
First and Third Mondays 5:30-7:30 p.m. Jr/Sr High Youth Group, 12 & up. Preston Hall
Second and Fourth Mondays 5:30-7:30 Jr/Sr High Youth Group, 1st Presby. Fort Bragg
First Mondays 5:00 p.m. Worship Committee Meeting,
Third Mondays 4:00 p.m. Deacons' Meeting, in the Ronn Garton Library
Second Mondays 6:30 p.m. Session Meets Alma Mendosa Room
Last Wednesday Evenings of Month, 5:00 p.m. Soul Food outreach dinner, Preston Hall

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WELCOME THIS MORNING THE REV CATHERINE PUTNAM-NETTO

Please welcome the Rev. Catherine Putnam-Netto again this morning. Catherine is returning to Mendocino again to be with us these first two weeks of Pastor Don's Study Leave. She comes from Salt Lake, where she became acquainted with Don and Shari. We are definitely pleased she is here with us now

TICKETS ON SALE NOW!

"Opera Concert at the Sanctuary"



Tickets are now on sale and available in the church office.

Benefiting the MPC Deacons' Fund

Tuesday, May 22, 2012

Tickets for Dinner at Mendocino Hotel, Opera and Dessert - \$70 (\$20 tax deductible donation)

Tickets for Opera and Dessert - (\$20 tax deductible donation)

Drop by the MPC Office to buy and pick up your tickets

or

Call - 937-5441 to make reservations

Singers Carlos Montané, tenor; Erika Raschke, soprano; Elise Marie Kennedy, soprano; Lei Pan, baritone.

Executive Chef Bernd Liebergesell of the St. Francis Hotel on Union Square will be in the kitchen.

Concert Program is a virtual a World-Wide Tour of the familiar and perhaps not so familiar pieces.

Many Raffle Prizes including:

2 nights at the Sutter Home Victorian Inn

2008 Nickel & Nickel Suscol Merlot

Maple Creek Winery sampler

Dinner for two at the Mendocino Hotel,

Art work and much more.

Raffle tickets are available for:

1 ticket \$3.00

2 tickets \$5.00

10 tickets \$20.00

NEWS & NOTES

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MENDOCINO PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

FOR THE CLINIC IN HAITI



We are collecting old and reading glasses for the clinic in Haiti where John Turnbull has been recently. There is a box at the back of the church where you may place your donations. John will return to Haiti in a few months and take the collection of eye ware with him. Thank you for your help. The people of Haiti have so many needs.



Like Going to the Movies? *You Never Know Who You'll Meet There!*

The new issue of Fuller - Theology, News and Notes is titled "Groanings Too Deep for Words - Engaging the Senses in Worship, Theology, and the Arts".

The issue features an article titled, "Is Reel Spirituality a Real Spirituality", by Robert K Johnston, PhD. Dr. Johnston is a professor of theology and culture at Fuller Theological Seminary.

The article focuses on the question, "Can viewers have deep spiritual experiences while watching movies?" I have had some and maybe you have had some too.

If you would like a copy of Dr. Johnston's article please call Rob Scott at 964-7433.

If you would like to discuss with others what you read in the article you are welcome to do so in an upcoming Christian Spirituality Study session, held on Wednesdays at 3 p.m. in the Ronn Garton Library, Preston Hall.

And, bring your story.



Renée Burnett invites you to her

CD Release Party!

Preston Hall

Saturday May 5th @ 7 PM

Our own %Teacher Renée+at Rainbow School, other wise known as musician and vocalist, Renée Burnett has a brand new CD titled:

Dream Buster

It has a selection of Prophetic Psalms, Songs and Poems for Our Times!

Come meet Renée and celebrate her music!