



Opportunities for Learning about the Faith ~ If you missed the insert last week for the renewed opportunities for learning here at MPC, pick up a copy in the Narthex.

- The **Deacons' Outreach** welcomes yarn for knitting projects for an expectant mom who comes to the weekly outreach program. Another client does beautiful knitting and is making blankets and clothing for the baby. Pastel colors will be especially appreciated. Please drop off knitting wool at Eidsath House during the week. Daphne Beard will also gladly accept yarn and deliver it to the "knitter."

- From Debbie Anderson: A gentle reminder...

Christmas is coming (again, already??!!)...



You may want to participate in Samaritan's Purse's "Operation Christmas Child" campaign by donating a shoebox full of enjoyment for a less fortunate child somewhere far off in the world. Our congregation has been very generous in past years and has had lots of fun preparing the gift boxes. So... while you are shopping leisurely this fall, keep on the lookout for goods you may want to include in your gift box: toys, school supplies, hygiene items, etc. Printed boxes will again be available if you have trouble finding a shoe box. We will collect boxes third week in November this year, and send them off to Ukiah and beyond. More information will be coming soon.

- A BIG photo op! The previous pictorial directory of MPC is several years old, which means that the children in the directory look a whole lot differently today. (Adult members, of course, have retained their youthful glow). We've been approached by Lifetouch Directories and Portraits who has an early December opening. If you are interested in coordinating the behind-the-scenes needs of such an endeavor please contact the office, 937-5441. Eventually it would be beneficial and nice to have an up-to-date pictorial directory and whether that is in two months or later depends on volunteer help.

News & Notes

MENDOCINO PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
September 22, 2013



September/October Birthdays 29 Emmanuel Wotila, 30 Spring Wells;
October 3 Patricia Lacey, 6 Jeannie Stickel, 8 Fred Lemin, 9 Steve Gray,
14 Jeremiah Wotila, 15 Gayle Christofferson, 16 Michael Matthews,
17 Carol Loomis, 21 Wilma Tucker, 24 Otto Graham

Weekly Schedule:

Sundays 9 a.m. Adult Sunday School in the Ronn Garton Library, Preston Hall

Sundays 10 a.m. Sunday Worship Service in the Sanctuary

Sundays 10 a.m. Children's Sunday School and Childcare during Worship Service

Sundays 7 p.m. 3 Cups of tea Bible Study @ Dale & Lois Leister's home, 961-5457

1st Sundays Communion 10 a.m.

1st Mondays 5 p.m. Worship Committee meeting

2nd Mondays 6:30 p.m. Session Meets, Alma Mendosa Room, Eidsath House

Tuesdays 9-12 a.m. Deacon's Outreach Program, including food and showers.

Tuesdays 9:15 a.m. Women's Bible Study, Library, Preston Hall

Wednesdays 2:30 p.m. Christian Spirituality Study, Library, Preston Hall

3rd Wednesday 5:30 p.m. Taize Worship Service

Last Wednesday Evenings of Month, 5 p.m. Soul Food outreach dinner, Preston Hall


Thursdays 9:15 a.m. Men's Bible Study, Alma Mendosa Room, Eidsath House

Thursdays 6:30 p.m. Choir Practice, Alma Mendosa Room, Eidsath House

3rd Thursdays 4 p.m. Deacon's Meeting, Preston Hall

Fridays 5 p.m. Ringing of our bell, honoring the week's war casualties

Thursdays & Fridays, counseling sessions with Kathy Mooney, available by appointment, 937-5441.

Note:  CD's of sermons available for check open hours of the Library or weekdays in the office.



Audio/Podcasts of sermons are made available each week on the church website.

MENDOCINO PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Dr. Donald McCullough, Pastor

44831 Main Street / P.O. Box 105 • Mendocino, CA 95460

(707) 937-5441 • website: www.mendopres.org • email: don@mendopres.org

Office Hours: Mon-Fri, 9am to 4pm • email: charlie@mendopres.org