

WORSHIP SERVICES: Saturdays at 5:30 PM in the Chapel
Sundays at 8:30, 9:45, and 11:00 AM in the Sanctuary

Sunday, January 29

9:30 AM Coffee & Conversation (HH)
9:45 AM Sunday School (All ages)
10:45 AM Coffee & Conversation (HH)
11:00 AM Korean Church (C/C1/FH)
11:00 AM Korean Church Youth (AH)
2:30 PM Praise Band Rehearsal (S)
5:00 PM UMYF (HH)
7:00 PM Financial Peace Class (H9)
7:00 PM Sundays @ 7 (Lib)
7:00 PM BSA-OA Team Practice (C1)
7:30 PM Football & Faith Group @ Glory Days

Monday, January 30

8:00 AM Pavilion Planning Meeting (Lib)
7:00 PM Monday Night Bible Study (H9)
7:00 PM Bible Study @ Sparlin's
7:30 PM Troop 1518 Camping Prep (C1/C2)
8:30 PM AA Meeting (FH)

Tuesday, January 31

10:00 AM Staff Meeting (H8)
10:30 AM Korean Ladies Group (FH)
5:00 PM Troop 1853 Court of Honor (S)
7:00 PM Stephen Ministry Training (HH)
7:00 PM Lay Leaders Meeting (Lib)

Wednesday, February 1

8:30 AM TOT Preschool & Lunch Bunch (S3-8/GR)
9:15 AM Companions in Christ (AH)
9:30 AM Martha's Table (HH)
6:00 PM Kidz Choir (MR)
7:00 PM Jubilate Ringers (H4)
7:00 PM 1853 Den 4 (FH)
7:15 PM Stephen Ministry (HH)
8:00 PM Korean Prayer & Study (C1)

Thursday, February 2

8:30 AM TOT Preschool & Lunch Bunch (S3-8/GR)
9:20 AM Pastor's Bible Study (HH)
5:45 PM Worzzhip Youth Ensemble (MR)
6:30 PM Daisy Troop 2547 (AH)
7:00 PM 1853 Den 2 (H9)
7:30 PM Chancel Choir (MR/Lib)
8:30 PM AA Meeting (FH)

Friday, February 3

8:30 AM TOT Preschool (S3-8/GR)
7:00 PM UMYF Game Night (HH)
7:00 PM Korean Prayer Meeting (C/C1)
8:00 PM AA Meeting (FH)
9:00 PM Korean Band Practice (C)

Saturday, February 4

7:00 AM Men's Bible Study (Lib)

Sunday, February 5

8:00 AM Blood Drive (HH)

No Coffee & Conversation (HH)
9:45 AM Sunday School (All ages)
11:00 AM Korean Church (C/C1/FH)
11:00 AM Korean Church Youth (AH)
2:00 PM College Care Packages (HH)
2:30 PM Praise Band Rehearsal (S)
5:00 PM Pack 1853 Comm. Meeting (H9)
7:30 PM Football & Faith Group @ Glory Days

KEY:

S = Sanctuary or Sanctuary building classrooms
GR = Great Room (below Sanctuary)
HH = Hottle Hall or Hottle Hall classrooms
C = Chapel or Chapel building classrooms
FH = Fellowship Hall (lower level Chapel building)
NC = Nursery Care

G = Grove
Lib = Library
MR = Music Room
AH = Agape House
N = Narthex
CC = Childcare

January 28 & 29, 2012

TWAS: *This Week at Sydenstricker*

Handel's Messiah—This year, the Chancel Choir will be presenting portions of Handel's Messiah on Palm Sunday (April 1) and Easter Sunday (April 8). Rehearsals are Thursday evenings at 7:30 pm in the choir room. We will begin rehearsing this music, Thursday, Feb. 2. If you would like to join us in singing this great masterpiece, please contact David Smith.

All the Hell You Can Handle—Classes will begin Wednesday, February 29 at 7 p.m. in the library. In 2011, evangelical pastor Rob Bell explored understandings about judgment and salvation. His thoughts about the nature of God and what we understand about Hell, including who is going and who isn't, raised quite a stir in some circles. His questions raise good food for thought and an opportunity to look at our own understanding of these issues of eternity. Join us as Pastor Garey leads our look at our beliefs about the nature of God, Hell and salvation, as we read Bell's provocative bestseller, *Love Wins*, and draw upon scripture and other resources including authors like United Methodist Bishop Will Willimon and the great Christian author, C.S. Lewis. Sign-up on the attendance sheet, the bulletin board or call the church office at 703-451-8223.

Night Lock-Up Volunteers—We are looking for a couple of additional volunteers to do night lock up for the church. This entails a walk through the church checking that the lights are off, no water is running and that the inside and outside doors are secure. Your term as a lock up person is nightly for one week, Sunday through Saturday. Doesn't take very long and is generally done around 9:00 pm. If you are interested in volunteering one or two times a year please let contact Claudia Hamblin-Katnik. Training, such as it is, can be provided.

Bakers Needed—It is that time of the year when we remind our college students that we are thinking of them. We are looking for volunteers who will bake cookies, bars and other goodies. Please bring your contributions to the kitchen on Sunday, Feb. 5 during any worship service. We will gather to assemble our Valentine Love Packages at 2 pm and we should be done by no later than 3:30 pm. You are invited to help us not just by contributing but also with your time. Many hands make for fast work. If you are not a baker, we accept store bought snacks such as hot chocolate mixes, breakfast bars, chocolates, cracker snack packs and anything else that is good to 'eat'! If you have not yet signed up

your college student, please do so ASAP as we need to buy boxes and materials. Thank you as always for your participation. Myrna Meling, Higher Education Committee.

Need a Ride?—Anyone needing transportation to church or to church activities please contact the church office at 703-451-8223.

Snow Cancellation—Monday through Friday, the church follows the Fairfax County Public School schedule for closings or delayed openings. **On the weekend**, listen to the main church telephone greeting (703-451-8223) or consult our facebook page for information on cancellations.



- January 29** Six-Week Series **DOCTOR, DOCTOR**
Topic is "**Others First**"
Hottle Hall, 5-7:15 p.m.
- February 3** **Game Night**, Hottle Hall, 7 p.m.
- February 5** No UMYF Tonight!
- February 12** Six-Week Series **DOCTOR, DOCTOR**
Topic is "**Seeing With God's Eyes**"
Hottle Hall, 5-7:15 p.m.

Questions to Dave Stewart, Youth Director
youth@sumcdisciples.org, or call 703-451-8223, ext. 104.

PACKAGES TO OUR WARRIORS



We will send packages to our Warriors on President's Weekend. If you care to contribute, here is a list of recommended items:

Canned Meats	Slim Jims	Ground Coffee
Tea	Hard Candy	Hot Sauces
Protein Bars	Propel singles	Trail Mix
Dental Floss	Toothpaste	Tooth Brushes
Mouthwash	Chap Stick	Mints
Shampoo	Soap	
Crossword Puzzles	Write in the rain notebooks	

WE WILL PLACE OUT A COLLECTION BOX STARTING SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5 IN THE NARTHEX.



Please sign up to give blood on **Sunday, February 5**. Your gift of life-saving blood is critical! See Ron Edwards in the Narthex on Sundays to make an appointment, or go online and make your own. **It's easy! Go to inova.org/donateblood.** Click on Donate Blood 2 times and enter sponsor code 0384. Call Blanche Powell with questions. Thanks to ALL our faithful donors.

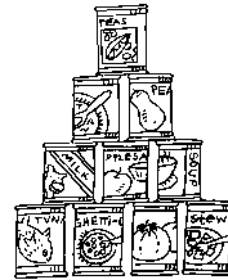
Prayer Sermon Series Continues

We all know we are supposed to pray. What we don't know is how to pray to get the kind of results we expect or hope for.

How To Get Your Prayers Answered!

January 15	Communicating with God
January 22	What Does It Mean to Ask In Jesus Name?
January 29	What About Unanswered Prayer?
February 5	Panic Button Prayers!
February 12	The Power of Intercession
February 19	Biblical Prayer Directions

ECHO



FOOD DRIVE

Our congregation is signed up to help restock ECHO's shelves with a food drive for the month of January. As usual, there are grocery bags available outside Hottle Hall to fill and return. Staped to these bags is a list of urgent needs, based on the current food inventory at ECHO, but all nonperishable foods are accepted. Donations can be brought back in these bags and placed outside Hottle Hall **inside** the ECHO containers thru Tuesday, January 31. Again, thanks for supporting this mission that assists so many neighbors in our very own community. You are making a difference!

Lorton Community Action Coat Drive & Distribution



We are looking for donations of any clean gently used coats or jackets (don't all have to be for winter) for babies, children, and adults. There are many people who don't have a coat! They are also taking scarves and gloves.

Donations of hats need to be either new, or just well washed. Please put them in or on the Lorton box, in Hottle Hall, or give them to Jennifer or Rich Riordan.

DEADLINE is Monday, January 30 by noon.

Thank you!

Sweetheart Dinner

Saturday, February 11, 2012

Mark your calendar for the annual Sydenstricker Sweetheart Dinner.

Doors open at 6:30 with dinner at 7:00.

The theme this year is "Rock & Roll."

Menu

Barbeque Pork—Chopped

Barbeques Brisket of Beef

Texas Corn Pudding

Vegetarian Lasagna

Traditional Potato Salad

Lemonade, Iced Tea & Coffee

Pulled Barbeque Chicken

Barbequed Baked Beans

Macaroni & Cheese

Homemade Coleslaw

Potato Split Rolls

The cost per person is \$15. Tickets will go on sale beginning January 21 through Feb. 5 in Hottle Hall after each of the Sunday services and in the Chapel after Saturday services.

Please let us know if childcare is required. Questions?

Contact Bobby Chin. .

Call for Entertainers!

To the youth and adults of the Sydenstricker family, you are being offered an opportunity to show off your theatrical skills – whether music, standup comedy, or skit – **at this year's**

Sweetheart Dinner

If you are interested, please contact Bobby Chin.



Martha's Table

WEDNESDAY,

FEBRUARY 1

9:30 AM IN HOTTLE HALL

We will begin collecting peeled hardboiled eggs, **Sunday, January 29.** Please place your donations in the cooler provided on the Bishop's Walk. Everyone is welcomed and encouraged to help with this wonderful and important hunger ministry.

