

## Finance Snapshot through 1/10/2010

Week 2 of CPC's fiscal year

Total Giving for the Week: \$10,761

Attendance—9:00—151 11:00—314

Sunday School—126

Time and Talents Received to Date: 173

### Stewardship mission statement

- In grateful response to God's grace, goodness,
- and gifts, our stewardship reflects how we can
- best serve as disciples of Christ.

### Stewardship Moment—*Be a Steward of God's Word.*

Jesus has commanded us to share our faith and make disciples of others.

*Share the Good News.* Spread the Good News of salvation. Let others know what a difference God has made in your life.

*Be an example.* The best way to show the benefits of a Christian life is to live a Christian life.

*Be active.* Worship regularly with your family and friends. Help with serves, and take part in church affairs.

*"Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the son and of the Holy Spirit."* Matthew 28:19

### Answer Man!

**Have Questions?** Each week we look forward to answering your questions and giving readers a snapshot of how CPC is doing. Please email your questions to [jjohnson7190@nc.rr.com](mailto:jjohnson7190@nc.rr.com).

**Question:** As I read our local paper I rarely see news of CPC. Why is it that a church as active as ours doesn't make the newspaper more often? Asks J. H.

**Answer:** The Membership Ministry is basically in charge of getting out Good News. Recently two new members, Katharina Stephan and Bertie Henry have agreed to be point persons for news of CPC. It is the responsibility of the various ministries each headed by an elder, to get news to these two people. All members can help by contacting Katharina and/or Bertie (420-2538 or [stephanhenry@nc.rr.com](mailto:stephanhenry@nc.rr.com)) with CPC news items.

### Ministers — The Congregation Staff

**Rod Stone**  
Pastor, Head of Staff, ext. 12

**Jim Ewing**  
Associate Pastor, ext. 13

**Homer Phifer**  
Parish Associate

**Betty Pope**  
Director of Christian  
PAWS and Youth, ext. 19

**Terri Sinclair**  
Music Director  
690-7217

**Betty Upchurch**  
Music Associate  
690-5080

**Sally Raynor**  
Office Manager  
Ext. 14

**Davina Kuhn**  
Financial Secretary  
Ext. 11

**Margie Nick**  
Office Assistant, Trumpet Editor &  
Facilities Coordinator, ext. 10

**Mary Watts**  
Church Custodian

**Al Davis**  
Sexton

**Gerlene Cotton**  
Nursery Attendant

January 17, 2010

**Welcome Visitors!** It is our privilege to have you worship with us today and we sincerely hope that you receive a blessing from the services.

Please sign the Ritual of Friendship pad in your pew and also complete a Visitor Information card so that we can follow up with your visit.

We invite you to introduce yourself to a minister at the end of the service. If our church staff can serve you in any way, please call the church office.

### Services for the Lord's Day

9:00 Worship in the Sanctuary  
10:00 Education for all ages  
11:00 Worship in Fellowship Hall

### Lectionary Readings for January 24, 2010

Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10; Psalm 19;  
I Corinthians 12:12-31a; Luke 4:14-21  
Online at [www.pcusa.org/devotions/lectionary/](http://www.pcusa.org/devotions/lectionary/)

### CPC Mission Statement

- We exist not for ourselves but to love God and make God's love known.

### CPC Vision Statement

- We are called to be a community intentional about making disciples of Christ.

### WE ARE A STEPHEN MINISTRY CHURCH.

Feeling alone with your problems and feelings? Perhaps a Stephen Minister is the answer. We have caring people trained to listen and pledged to confidence. Contact Rev. Rod Stone 295-6848, Trudy Koeze 295-3076 or Sheila Van Dyke 215-8738.

**Please call the church office (295-6848) if you are scheduled for a hospital procedure. If there is an emergency after office hours, you may contact Rev. Rod Stone at 255-6063 or Jim Ewing at 691-4165.**

# HAPPENINGS IN COMMUNITY

### Community Presbyterian Church

PO Box 1449, Pinehurst, NC 28370

#### OFFICE HOURS:

8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday –Thursday

8:30 a.m. to 1:00 Friday

Church office # 910-295-6848 Fax: 910-295-7339

[www.cpcpinehurst.org](http://www.cpcpinehurst.org)

Presbytery of Coastal Carolina: [www.presbycc.org](http://www.presbycc.org)

**Rooms Assigned**

A—Abraham CCR—Chancel Choir Room  
 CR—Conference Room EH—Everette House  
 FGP—Fannie Gray Parlor FH—Fellowship Hall  
 S—Sanctuary SC—Sarah Classroom  
 SP—Simpson Parlor VV—Victory Village  
 L—Library N—Nursery

**Weekly Calendar**

**January 17, 2010—January 23, 2010**

**Sunday:** 12:30 Fifty Plus Out to Lunch Bunch  
 3:00 Den 4/VV  
 4:30 Youth Fellowship  
**6:00 Caregivers/Ormsby's**  
**Monday:** 9:00 Red Cross Training/SC  
 2:00 Brownie Troop 195/CR  
**3:30 OGDOS/FGP**  
 5:15 Designing Women/EH  
**7:00 Session/FGP**  
**Tuesday:** 7:00 Men's Prayer Breakfast/Off Campus  
 8:30 Classical Conversations/A/S/CR/VV  
 9:00 Red Cross Training/SC  
**10:00 Staff Meeting/EH**  
 2:00 Prayer Ministry/SP  
 3:00 CALL/FH  
 4:15 CALL Language/VV/N  
 7:00 Disciple/EH  
**Wed.:** 9:00 MOPS/FGP/N/VV/SP  
 9:30 WOW/EH  
 12:30 Disciple/CR  
 7:00 Disciple/EH  
 7:00 Scouts Troop 7/FH  
**Thurs.:** 9:00 CALL Language/N/VV  
 9:00 Red Cross Training/SC  
 2:45 PAWS/EH/CCR/EH  
 5:30 Adult Choir/FH  
 6:00 Disciple/CR  
 6:00 Adult Education/FGP  
**Friday:** 9:00 CHES/SC  
 9:00 Red Cross Training/CR

**Fifty-plus – Out-to-Lunch Bunch**

Will meet **TODAY**

@ 12:30 @ the Ironwood Café

Please join us every 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of each month for fun, lunch and fellowship.

**Caregivers support group** will meet tonight at 6:00 p.m. at the Ormsby's. Call Kaye or Ed at 215-9810 to RSVP.

**"Making Space for God"**—January 21<sup>st</sup> @ 6p.m. in Fannie B. Gray. In these hectic times, we long to create space for God in our lives. This series will offer you a way to live gratefully in the presence of God. We hope to explore the depths of our own relationships to God. Come and be with us on Thursday from 6-7p.

The **Faith Seekers class** is starting the study of a new book, *In The Grip of Grace* by Max Lucado. The book jacket says, "This is what we want to know. Does God love us forever? Not just on Sunday when our shoes are shined and our hair is fixed. We want to know (deep within, don't we really want to know?) how does God feel about me when I'm a jerk. When I snap at anything that moves; when my thoughts are gutter-level; when my tongue is sharp enough to slice a rock. How does he feel about me then?" In the class we are fond of saying that we learn from one another in our joyful free flowing discussion atmosphere created by Leader Rick Lewis, Sandhills Community College's Dean of Humanities, who challenges us with his keen insights and questions. All are welcome to join and books are available in the classroom. We usually read and discuss a chapter a week.

**Youth HOT**—will begin on February 4<sup>th</sup> in 2010. Mid-Highs will meet from 6-7p in the loft room upstairs above the sanctuary. See you then.  
**Change for Youth Sunday**—January 31<sup>st</sup>, help the youth with bringing in your change. Money goes to reduce the costs of conference trips and mission trips. Thank you for your support. Coin cans are on the table in the Welcome center.

**Victory Village will study Elisha for January.** Children shadow Elisha's ministry of compassion and care as he resurrects the woman's son, multiplies the widow's oil, and cures Naaman of his leprosy, always giving God the glory. A special "regenerative" recipe shows children how a little can go a long way when they add the ingredient compassion. They learn how putting their own expectations aside allows God to work miracles. All our elementary are in for a treat studying this prophet of the Old Testament. Join us in the village @10a.m. See you there.



**Winter Picnic on February 12**

Come thaw out at the Winter Picnic with fun for all ages! Hosted by CPC's family ministry team, we promise frolicking—a polar bear plunge, seal relay, and the ever popular snowball fight— that will get the whole family warmed up. There will

be activities for even the smallest children and fun crafts for all. CPC's brand-new bounce house is making its debut at the picnic, too!

One of the goals of family ministry is to provide fellowship among different generations. So if smacking down your opponent with a "snowball" isn't your thing, join us anyway to cheer on your favorite team, eat a picnic dinner, and get to know new friends you may not otherwise meet.

We would love if every family invited another family to join them for this evening of fellowship. This is a chance to show our friends what is so special about CPC and its members.

Mark your calendars for **Friday, February 12 at 6 p.m.** in the Fellowship Hall. **Please note this is a date change from a previous announcement.** To help us plan for food, RSVP to the church office at 295-6948 or complete one of the Universal Response forms by **Monday, February 8.**

**Mission Opportunity: Sock Collection for Winter Picnic**



Family ministry is collecting white socks— any size, either gender— for the snowball fight at the winter picnic. After the event, the socks will be donated to the Coalition. Please drop your donations in the collection bin in the welcome center by Monday, February 8.

**Looking ahead** A seminar for busy people who want more balance in their lives will be held **January 29, 30 and 31st.**

**The Balanced Love Life: Managing Your Life So That You Have Time For The Things That Really Matter.** Teacher: The Reverend Keith Brown, retired pastor of First Presbyterian Church Bethlehem PA

- A balanced love life will help
- Deepen your relationship with God
  - Enrich your marriage
  - Be a better parent
  - Find time for friends
  - Avoid the burnout, breakdown and breakaway caused by too much stress
  - Balance challenging work with restorative rest
  - Experience more joy and pleasure in your daily life.

**Friday, January 29th**

6:00 p.m. Covered Dish Dinner  
 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p. m. Session 1

**Saturday, January 30<sup>th</sup>**

8:30 a. m. – 12 noon Session 2

**Sunday, January 31<sup>st</sup>**

9 & 11 a.m. worship Keith Brown preaching

Childcare provided, please call the office (295-6848) to let us know your needs. Please complete the CPC Universal Registration Form.

**CPC Finance Report as of 12/31/2009**

	<b>Actual YTD</b>	<b>Budget YTD</b>
Operating Income	\$816,015	\$800,429
Operating Expenses	\$750,045	\$794,285

December income was not as good as expected; however, we ended 2009 in good financial condition due to good giving by our membership and good management of expenses by ministry areas. Thanks to all who helped CPC have a good year. We have lots to be thankful for. If you have any questions, contact Richard Byrd or a member of the Finance Ministry.