

## Prayer and Praise

- **We want to keep in our prayers**—**Helen Young** (recovering from hip replacement surgery)...**Terry Kite** (undergoing radiation treatments)...**Susan Giboney** (undergoing radiation treatments and dealing with the lingering side effects of chemotherapy).
- **Family and friends of our church family with health concerns**—**June Ferguson** (Tiffany Ferguson’s mother)...**Hank Gamboa** (undergoing chemotherapy for leukemia)...**Lou Archer** (recovering from the adverse side effects of chemotherapy)...**Randy Sullivan** (Sue Gamboa’s nephew)...**Char Luggar** (Robin Kite’s mother)...**Steve Hewgley** (recovering from brain surgery)...**Paul Lane** (Sara Gifford’s father)...**Quinn Kelly** (infant friend of Heather Miller)...**Odessa Chesnutt** (Randy Chesnutt’s mother)...**Reese Elmstedt** (Sue Gamboa’s granddaughter)...**J.D. Clanton** (Caleb Clanton’s father)...**Mary Drehsel** (in Heidelberg)...**Betty Wommack** (Carrie Birmingham’s mother)...and **Noah Hurney**.
- **Also—our missionaries**, **Martha Rivera** (Honduras), **Joel Petty** (Russia), **Mark Long** (Uganda), **Joseph Dzamesi** (Ghana), **The Dimas Family** (San Felipe), **Sunset International Bible Institute** (Korea), and China workers and new Christians.
- **And our expectant families**—**the Fishers and the Lemleys**.

## Family Matters

### Baby Shower for the Fishers

Your family is invited to attend a baby shower celebration for Kim, Brian, and Evelyn Fisher today, January 10, 2010, following worship at the home of Becca and Thomas Fitzpatrick (24358 Baxter Drive). Lunch will be served. The Fishers are expecting a baby girl and are registered at Babies R Us and Target. If you have any questions or wish to contribute to a group gift, contact Becca Fitzpatrick (shoefitz99@yahoo.com) or Regan Schaffer (regan.schaffer@pepperdine.edu). Please plan to join us!

One and All are invited to a brunch at the home of John and Claudette Wilson, 24410 Tiner Court, following worship on January 31, 2010, to celebrate the marriage of **Nate Highfield and Kaelie Retts**. The couple is registered at Target and Bed, Bath and Beyond or you are welcome to contact Nancy Shatzer to contribute to a group gift.

The popular “**Preparing for Marriage**” class will begin again this semester on Sunday, January 17, at 9:00am in AC 280. All seriously dating, engaged, or newly married couples are welcome to attend. Contact Susan Giboney at (310) 506-4959 for details.

**Nominations for Preaching Minister:** The Preacher Screening Committee has begun the process of identifying potential candidates to serve as the next preaching minister of the University Church of Christ. The committee invites members of the University Church to submit nominations by forwarding names and contact information to the chair of the committee at timothy.perrin@pepperdine.edu.

## Coming Events

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|----------------|--|
| January 10     | Fisher Baby Shower   |
| January 14     | Standing on Stone (SOS) - Feeding the Homeless at Webster School |
| January 17     | Family Circles   |
| January 22-24  | Campus Ministry Spring Retreat                                   |
| January 31     | Highfield/Retts Wedding Shower                                   |
| February 7     | Manna Conejo Valley Food Bank Donation Day                       |
| February 14    | Family Circles   |
| February 26-28 | Youth Winter Retreat in Big Bear                                 |

## Spring Worship Schedule

beginning January 17 - April 25, 2010

|                     |         |   |
|---------------------|---------|---|
| Bible Classes       | 9:00am  | Appleby Center (AC), Joslyn Plaza Annex (JPA), Pendleton Learning Center (PLC), Hahn Fireside Room, Tyler Campus Center (TCC) |
| Worship             | 10:15am | Elkins Auditorium   |
| Student-Led Worship | 8:00pm  | Stauffer Chapel   |

### A Series of Lessons for the New Year

Beginning January 17, 2010, the University Church of Christ will feature a series of messages at the 10:15am worship service in Elkins Auditorium entitled “Things That Matter.” Speakers will be sharing their insights about a number of “Things that Matter” including: Hearing the Word, Jesus, Discipleship, Confession (Evangelism), Vocation, Conversion, Community, Justice, Prayer, Sincerity, Courage, Resurrection, Forgiveness, and Faith.

## Adult Sunday Classes

beginning Sunday, January 17, 2010

### Heart of a Sojourner: A Study of First Peter in Light of Contemporary Culture

Coordinators: Ron Highfield and Darryl Tippens  
Location: AC 263

### Mark’s Portrait of Jesus

Teachers: John Wilson and Randy Chesnutt  
Location: JPA 190

### Parenting with a Purpose

Teachers: Hung and Corinne Le  
Location: Cafeteria, Tyler Campus Center

### Preparing for Marriage

Teachers: Susan Giboney and guests  
Location: AC 280

### Renewing our Promises: Marriage as Sacrament

Teachers: Stuart and D’Esta Love  
Location: AC 270

### College Class - Fighting Off the Demons: A Look at The Screwtape Letters

Teachers: Thomas Fitzpatrick and Linda Truschke  
Location: Hahn Fireside Room, Tyler Campus Center

## Children’s Worship & Nursery

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| Attended Nursery for Infants to Active Walkers | JPA 191 |
| Unattended Cry Room                            | JPA 190 |
| Preschool Worship                              | JPA 188 |
| School Age Worship (1st - 5th Graders)         | JPA 189 |

## Contribution

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|----------------|------------|
| December 13    | \$9,582.95 |
| December 20    | \$9,814.10 |
| December 27    | \$9,423.42 |
| January 3      | \$7,189.50 |
| Weekly Average | \$7,189.50 |
| Weekly Need    | \$8,442.31 |

## Attendance

|             |     |
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| December 13 | 315 |
| December 20 | 194 |
| December 27 | 147 |
| January 3   | 208 |

*University Church of Christ*  
*Order of Worship*  
*January 10, 2010*  
*Elkins Auditorium, 11:00 AM*

\*Ancient Words (v. 1)  
\*Here I Am to Worship

**Zach Love**

**Welcome and Family Events**

**Thomas Fitzpatrick**

**Prayer of Petition and The Lord's Prayer**

**Caleb and Sophia Clanton**

**Call to Worship: Matthew 4:23**

**D'Esta Love**

\*Ancient Words

*(Children 3 years through 5th grade are invited to Children's Worship)*

**Hearing the Word: "And he taught them saying..."**

**Kim Fisher, Brad Griffin, Henry Price, D'Esta Love**

Open My Eyes, That I May See

**Hearing the Word: "Listen and understand..."**

**Kim Fisher, Brad Griffin, Henry Price, D'Esta Love**

Lord, Speak to Me

**Hearing the Word: "And he healed many of their diseases..."**

**Kim Fisher, Brad Griffin, Henry Price, D'Esta Love**

O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee

**The Lord's Supper**

**Prayer of Blessing for the Bread**

**Mason Marshall**

Just As I Am (v. 1)

**Prayer of Blessing for the Cup**

**Mason Marshall**

Just As I Am (v. 2)

**Offering**

**Dedication of Our Offering**

**Mason Marshall**

Just As I Am (vv. 3-4)  
\*Thy Word

**\*Call to Ministry and Benediction**

**Ron Highfield**

\*indicates congregation is standing

Next Sunday: "The Awakening of Faith: Listening Intently with our Hearts to the Word of Christ"