



Seaside Tidings

St. Matthews By-the-Sea United Methodist Church

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From the Pastor's Desk

It hardly seems possible to me that a new decade is about to dawn. January 1 will not only see us turn the page on an old year, but also on an old decade. I came to St. Matthews By-the-Sea in the summer of 1999. So we will be into our third decade together by the time 2010 arrives.

Before it does, however, we'll be visited by Christmas, the season, as the advertisers like to say, of giving. Translated, the season of shopping. But two events recently made me realize all over again what a giving congregation the people of St. Matthews By-the-Sea really are.

A few weeks ago, some of our ladies felt inspired to stitch together tote bags with the idea of filling them with food and personal care items and then seeing to it that they got into the hands of people who will be spending their holiday seasons on the streets. The original goal was to stitch and stuff 20 bags. Then somebody thought, "Naw, we can do 75!"

The idea caught on, and by the time the sewing machines had ceased their purring, we had 120 bags. At that point, the sewers turned to the church for assistance. Rich Evans and I asked the people of Bayside Chapel and St. Matthews By-the-Sea to bring in the needed items to fill the bags, and, boy, did they respond! The Meeting Room next to the church office looked like a warehouse! The Sunset Circle set aside their meeting time on November 19, rolled up their sleeves and got to work. The end result is that life for at least 120 homeless people in and around Salisbury got a little brighter last week.

This outpouring of giving reminded me again of something that I have come to take for granted in the last ten plus years. When the people of our church are presented with a challenge, when they are acquainted with a situation where people are in need, we respond in a big way.

Our giving spirit was also illustrated at the "Ministries Bazaar" on November 22. Worshippers who stopped by after the morning services were amazed to see that 32 of our church ministries and organizations had displays about their work and information on how newcomers could become involved with them. Once again, the generosity of our people was open for all to see, in this case, people who are giving their time to help meet the physical and spiritual needs of our congregation and those beyond it.

The "Ministries Bazaar" was a great success. We are going to repeat it after the services of January 31. If you missed it the first time, make sure to catch it the second time around. Find a ministry or organization that you would enjoy being a part of and give yourself to it.

Witnessing the bags for the homeless project and the "Ministries Bazaar" gave me a renewed appreciation for the spirit of giving at St. Matthews By-the-Sea, a spirit that is not confined to a few weeks late in a retreating year, but one that permeates our church life every day, every week, every month of every year.

Christmas Blessings,

Bruce



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Church Conference Approves Budget, Reviews Priorities for Year

Rev. Boyd Etter, Dover District Superintendent, presided at St. Matthews' annual church conference on December 3. At the conference, members unanimously approved a balanced 2010 budget of \$421,710.

The approved budget represents a substantial reduction from the previous year's budget of \$510,678. To balance the budget in tough economic times, no staff received salary increases for 2010. In addition, funding for many church programs was reduced. The church maintained its strong financial commitment to Bayside Chapel although general support funding was reduced from \$55,000 to \$36,000. Full copies of the budget are available from the church office.

In another action, members voted unanimously to recommend Debra Thornton as a candidate for the Order of Deacons. After completing the educational process required to become a Deacon, Deb can serve in a number of types of special ministry within the Methodist church.

In its Ministry Covenant Plan submitted by church leadership, the following goals were presented for 2010.

- **Continue to support** robustly the growth and ministry of **Bayside Chapel**.
- **Empower the laity** to take leadership positions in ministry independent from the work of the pastors.
- Place a **greater emphasis on Christian Education** for both adults and children.
- **Scrutinize church finances** more frequently and by more church members.

In his own report to the conference, Rev. Miller cited three goals: 1) Determine if we want to remain a church comprised almost entirely of retired persons or seek to attract more families and children. 2) Invigorate our Christian education programs. 3) Do more to reach out to those who do not know Christ as their Savior.

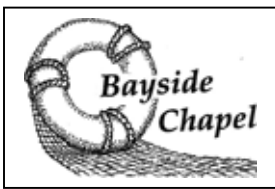
Schedule of Sunday Services

St. Matthews

Worship Services – 8:30 and 10:45 a.m.
Sunday School – 9:30 a.m.

Bayside Chapel

Worship Services – 10:45 a.m.
Sunday School – 9:30 a.m.



A Year of Gifts for Bayside Chapel

As we complete the Christmas season and begin a new year, I wish to reflect on a few of the gifts which have been received throughout 2009.



The **first gift** was to see Bayside Chapel complete its first year of public ministry. For our first year celebration, Bishop Peggy Johnson came to affirm the persons of St. Matthews By-The-Sea and Bayside Chapel for their discipleship commitment to lead and set the example for future ministry and growth within the Peninsula Delaware Conference. I was so proud to brag on St. Matthews By-The-Sea to the Bishop and even more so for those who have stepped out from the cozy comfort of established ministry into the raw risky waters of creating new places for people to experience Jesus.

A **second gift** came when God's peace reigned supreme over the fear which challenged faithful giving. While the economy sent many congregations searching for the safest place to stand during the economic storm, our congregations stood fast on the promise of God's word instructing us to give thanks in all things. In faith, like our parent church, St. Matthews, Bayside Chapel has learned not to falter in our missions pledges. Through sacrificial giving and good stewardship practices, Bayside Chapel will wind up 2009 with enough to meet the fiscal projections and remain on target to become a chartered church in 2013. This continued progress could not have been the case without faithful partners like yourself who gave for others to truly live.

The **third and greatest gift** came as I witnessed lives being transformed by Christ's love through Bayside Chapel, lives which may not have been touched otherwise. We have had so many people through the year rededicate their lives to renewed Christian discipleship and others who are experiencing the living Christ for the first time in their lives.

We thank God for our partners in ministry, especially the people of St. Matthews By-The-Sea and other partner congregations without whose support Bayside Chapel would not exist. Their commitment to this new church continues to be one of self-sacrifice, setting the example of Christ who gave all in order that some might be saved.

Bayside Chapel, simply put, continues to embrace your prayers and presence as together we do the work Jesus has called us to until He comes again, not as a little baby in a manger, but as King of King and Lord of Lords.

May you, too, experience the greatest gift of all found in the reality that the baby Jesus is truly Emmanuel, God with us.

Peace,

Pastor Rich

Sunday Afternoon Concerts at Bayside

Bayside Chapel is hosting Sunday afternoon concerts once a month. Mark your calendar for the third Sunday and plan to enjoy an afternoon of great music.

The next concert is scheduled for Sunday January 17 at 2 p.m. **Two Mile Road**, a Southern gospel group, will be performing.

Check the Bayside website, www.baysidechapel.org for information on



UMW Celebrates a Successful Year; Looks Ahead to 2010

Meetings Schedule:

- * **Unit** meets the second Tuesday of each month at 12:30 p.m.
- * **Sunset Circle** meets the third Thursday of each month at 6:30 p.m.
- * **Atlantic Shore Nursing Home** visitation on the third Thursday of each month at 9:30 a.m.

SMBTS Unit Receives Top Honors

The SMBTS unit of the United Methodist Women has received top honors from the Peninsula-Delaware Conference. The UMW completed 2009 Mission Today Criteria Items necessary to receive a Gold Certificate and earned a Five Star Unit award in Mission Giving.

2009 Christmas Bazaar Defies Weather To Raise \$2,682 for Missions

Not even the wind, rain, and flooding of the November nor'easter could keep the customers away from our 2009 Annual Christmas Bazaar. Our profits of \$2,682 will be used to improve the lives of women and children locally and around the world. Thanks to everyone who helped with this event.

The Crafts Group is considering extending next year's Bazaar to Friday evening. This way we might get a jump on all the other groups holding their bazaars on Saturday. We would appreciate your feedback on the idea. Send your comments to Dee Granger at dgranger02@comcast.net.

Six Members Receive UMW Reading Awards

Rose Marie Oruc reports that the following individuals received a Dover District certificate for completing the 2009 UMW Reading Program.

PLAN 1: (at least 4 books from UMW Reading List)

Bonnie Miller
Velma Sanford
Ida R. Saymon

PLAN 2: (at least 10 books from UMW Reading List)

Jacquie Christman
Dee Granger
Ruth L. Sheaffer

Sunset Circle Sets Plans for Winter

We are currently scheduling some interesting winter programs:

- Healthy eating and exercise presented by Katie Heronemus Miller
- Aromas of the Bible presented by Corinne Webster
- Women of the Bible presented by Bonnie Miller/Dee Granger

Missions of the month may include baby food donations for the Pyle Center and paperback Christian books for the women's prison. We are always open to suggestions for missions or programs and encourage all women of the church to join us at our meetings.

New Slate of Officers for 2010

President: Jacquie Christman
Vice President: Sue Rhue
Sunset Circle Director: Wendy Yelton
Secretary: Janet Hess
Treasurer: Carol Hahn
Mission Coordinator for Spiritual Growth: Ruth Sheaffer
Secretary of Program Resource: Rose Marie Oruc
Mission Coordinator for Social Action: Gerri Phillips and Karen Knight
Mission Coordinator for Education and Interpretation: Anita Angeny
Nominating Committee: Marian Boettiger and Barbara Lewis

Jacquie Christman, Unit President

See pages 8 and 9 for information on UMW Christmas projects to help others.



In Memory of Reg Roberts



Reg Roberts pictured while providing home repair service

Reg Roberts passes on but leaves a legend of service for humanity in all walks of life. Serving as President of our United Methodist Men, he provided Christian leadership for the members, the church and the greater community. His focus on charity was for those who were in difficult times with extreme needs.

Thanks To Ralph Lewis

Ralph Lewis has followed in Reg's UMM foot steps, enabling growth in membership and Christian leadership. Ralph has served as the President of the organization for the last two years. He has elected to step down as President but promises to continue supporting the UMM organization.

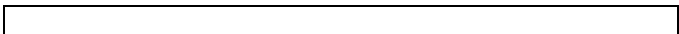
Our hats go off in **THANKS** to Ralph for his many hours of devotion and successful service as President of the United Methodist Men.



through actions, through prayers, through caring for others.

New Year, New Opportunities

The year 2010 is about to open it's doors to all with new opportunities to serve, to extend the hands of Christian men to others and to bring the message of salvation to those we touch



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All men are invited and encouraged to join the mission of U
United Methodist Men meet at SMBTS the 3rd Thursday of e
6:30 pm. We do not meet in the months of June, July and Au

Look for further program announcements

2010 Meeting Schedule

January 21 February
18 March 18
April 15 May 20
 September 16
October 21 November
18 December 17
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St. Matthews Support for Blankets+ Is Overwhelming

In November, St. Matthews members contributed \$7,222 to Church World Service. This will provide many blankets or sewing machines or village wells where they are needed. The blankets will keep many warm after their community has suffered a disaster. The sewing machines will allow mothers to support their families. Best of all, members of communities can gather around wells which will supply clean water for years to come.

Thanks St. Matthews for abundantly supporting this crucial ministry. May He bless all the givers and their gifts to be used in the name of our Lord and savior, Jesus Christ.

Velma Sanford, Missions Chair

Shepherd Ministry News - 2010

A New Year's resolution to volunteer and serve the Lord can brighten winter's doldrums and provide friendship and soul nourishment to a fellow church member. The Shepherd Ministry is looking for people with warm compassionate hearts to visit, write, call and care for others. There is a place for you in this ministry. If you have any interest in serving, join us for the following brief meetings

Wednesday, January 13, 2010 at 7 p.m.

Wednesday, March 24, 2010 at 7 p.m.

Both are being held in the Meeting Room.

Please call Deb Thornton @ (302)539-1726 or email smbtsshep@gmail.com

**Joys and Blessings for the New Year to All.
Deb Thornton, Shepherd Ministry Coordinator**

Prayer Connects Us to God

The Prayer Group meets every Monday morning year round at **9 a.m.** in the Baker Parlor. Come Join Us. You can also take a prayer slip from one of the baskets on the church doors and focus your prayers on that

person throughout the week. To put someone on the prayer list or to receive a copy of our list, contact

Dot Tebo – (302)436-1701 or

Shirley Loveland -- (302) 436-2840.

Samaritan Thrift Shop Is Lending a Helping Hand To Many in the Area

At the end of 2009, the Samaritan Thrift Shop reported a volunteer staff of more than 40 men and women of different faiths and backgrounds. They have given over 3,000 hours of time to help provide low-cost clothing and household items. Funds from sales in turn can be used to

provide emergency and supplemental food assistance. The shop has also donated many items to other thrift shops in the area. I feel the shop is a great expression of Christian witness.

Nancy Scheffey, Volunteer Coordinator

Quilting Group Meetings for Quarter

Faith, Hope, Love Quilters will meet on **January 18, February 15, March 15 and 29** at St. Matthews. Help is always needed. No experience is required! If you can tie a knot, we can use you.

Shirley Loveland, Coordinator, 436-2840

Board of Trustees Keeps SMBTS in Tip-Top Shape

Fall quarter continued to be busy for the Board of Trustees as they addressed many important projects. Items on the agenda included church insurance matters, enclosing the church steeple to prevent future leaks into the chancel area, getting additional lighting for the choir loft, trimming the shrubbery around the property and, scraping and recoating the metal frames on all exterior doors.

One major improvement was the installation of a new fabricated container enclosing a wheeled cart to facilitate easier removal of trash from the kitchen area. The new bin resulted from the skilled craftsmanship of an anonymous friend of the church.

As the year ends unfortunately we are saying goodbye to three members of the board whose

terms will be completed at the end of December. **Merle Dimeler, Ed Granger and Donna Umbel** have served our congregation extremely well in carrying out their assigned responsibilities and in working to maintain and improve the appearance of the church property. As chairperson and on behalf of the congregation, I thank these three as well as the other members of the Trustees for their time, effort and accomplishments during the past year.

New trustees who will join the Board in January include: **Robert Beresh, Marjorie Bushong and Rich Robinson.**

The Trustees would like to wish all members of our congregation a blessed Christmas and good health as we embark on a bright new year.

Shawl Ministry Works Hard To Meet Continuing High Demand

Since its inception several years ago, the Shawl Ministry has knitted and crocheted many shawls and lap robes for those who are sick or in need of comfort in difficult times.

We use our time together to share patterns and finally to bless each shawl or lap robe that has been brought to the meeting. We also read countless notes from recipients of our work. Each note touches our hearts to know that we have given comfort to someone.

Our next meeting is scheduled for **Tuesday, January 12 at 6:30 p.m.** in the Baker Parlor. We will also meet again this quarter on **Tuesday March 9** at the same time and location. We would be glad to have any new members join our ministry. If you would like to participate but

cannot come to the meetings, we appreciate receiving any shawl or lap robe donation. If you would like more information or have a request for a shawl or lap robe, please contact me at knightka@comcast.net or leave a note in the mailbox at church.

Karen Knight
Shawl Ministry Coordinator

"I can't tell you how touched I was to receive the beautiful prayer shawl. I can't tell you how my prayer warriors have gotten me through this very difficult journey. What do people do without the Lord at times like this?"

From one prayer shawl recipient

Church Web Site Offers More Information To Keep You Abreast of SBMTS News

Have you visited www.smbts.org lately? Pages have been updated and are current, and many pictures have been added. The announcements from the Sunday bulletin are being added to the church website each week, so if you aren't there or forget your bulletin, get the information from the web site.

Site features include calendars of church activities, committee listings and information on annual church event. To stay up-to-date on what's going on currently at SMBTS, the web site is a good way to find out!



What a whirlwind the past few months has been. The Chancel and Bell Choirs have been busy with weekly rehearsals, Sunday worship services, special worship services and the Christmas Cantata. On Sunday, December 13 we presented the cantata, *The Glorious Impossible*, at Bayside Chapel and on Sunday, December 20 we presented the cantata at St. Matthews. What a joy it was to present two performances for our expanded church family.

The New Year brings many opportunities to make a joyful noise. The **Ocean City Bell Festival** will be held **March 12-13**. This is a wonderful opportunity for bell ringers to gather and make music. If you are interested in ringing in the Festival, please let me know and I will make sure you are included in our group of ringers. Not interested in ringing? Then mark your calendars for the concert at **4:00 p.m.** on **Saturday, March 13** at the Ocean City Convention Center. If you've never heard a mass ringing, then you're in for a treat. The

music created by hundreds of bells us amazing to hear!!

On **Sunday, March 28**, the Chancel Choir will offer an Easter Cantata in worship. All singers are welcome. Rehearsals for the Cantata will begin on Wednesday, January 20 from 6:45 to 7:30 p.m..

If one of your New Year's resolutions is to use your musical gifts in worship, then consider joining either the Bells of St. Matthews or the Chancel Choir. The Bells practice Friday mornings from 9:00 to 10:30 a.m. and play about once per month. The Chancel Choir meets on Wednesday evenings from 7:00 to 8:45 p.m. and sings at the 10:45 a.m. service three Sundays a month and at the 8:30 a.m. service one Sunday a month. All levels of experience are welcome.

Cindi Mather
Music Director
matherclm@comcast.net

Important Dates To Remember

Wednesday Evenings – 7:00 to 8:45 p.m. -- Chancel Choir
Friday Mornings - 9:00 to 10:30 a.m. – Handbell Choir
January 20– 6:45 to 7:30 p.m. – Easter Cantata Rehearsals begin
March 13 – 4:00 p.m. – Ocean City Bell Festival Concert
March 28– 8:30 and 10:45 a.m. Services – Easter Cantata

Valentine's E



The next Checkerboard activity is a **Valentine Ball** scheduled for **Sunday, February 14** at 2 p.m. in Clendaniel Hall. Circle this date if you would like to join us for a fun-filled afternoon.

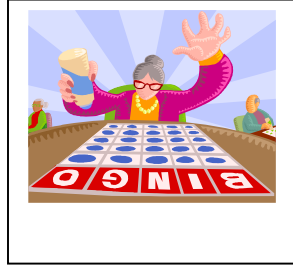
The Checkerboard group had a great time on November 22 at Old Pro Golf on 68th Street with Herb Schoellkopf as our host. They played indoor miniature golf, arcade games, and skee ball, and they thoroughly enjoyed the fellowship with one another for the afternoon. Following golf, they visited the Winterfest of Lights in Ocean City to get into the Christmas spirit. This group truly has a wonderful time when they get together.

Vicki Daisey, Coordinator

Whatever the Season, It's Loads of Fun for the Single Seniors

The Single Seniors are always on the go with many creative and fun-filled adventures and are planning another quarter of entertaining activities. Here are the plans.

Friday, January 15 – It's time for the Annual Birthday Bingo Party. The event begins with a noon pot luck lunch in Clendaniel Hall. Everyone brings a wrapped "white elephant" birthday gift, used for bingo prizes. This is an event all the group says they look forward to because they are blessed to celebrate another birthday.



Friday, February 19 -- Easy Chair Exercises may be our focal point at the Pot Luck Luncheon in Clendaniel Hall. We all need to exercise!

Friday, March 19 -- We hope to visit our own Fenwick Shell Shop Discover Museum and go out to lunch.

And, just to alert you, The Back Bay Strummers will be entertaining us again on **Friday, April 16**.

During the past quarter, we welcomed several new members including **Garnet Fowler, Ron Lindblade, Avanelle Roberts and Dot Tebo**. If you are single and haven't given us a try, we'd love to have you join us.

Watch the bulletin for more details on Single Senior events.

Halloween Party Features Many Creative Costumes!



You've never seen some of our members dressed like they were at the October 30 Single Senior event.



Karen Knight is a witch who will travel.

We knew you would never guess Velma Sanford.



Santa Claus (aka Bob Meyer) gets a hug from bat girl Ginny Lakin.

Guess who?
Give up? See bottom of the page.





Birthdays This Quarter

JANUARY

1 Herb Chapman
2 Carolyn Nicely
Thomas Smith
3 Lina Nickle
6 Vernon Ittner
7 Ali Ambrose
Mary Pat Kyle
8 Ron McLain
Shari Robinson
9 Robert Norton
10 Amy Coy
11 George Brown
12 Regina Smith
13 Virginia Davidson
Carol Hahn
Charles Whitall
19 Jean James
20 Richard Bauermeister
21 Carl Fopma
Carol West
22 Tim Munro
24 Pam Rimkis
27 Betty Nagel
31 Aubree Gilland
George Reynolds
Phyllis Stecker
Betty White

FEBRUARY

1 Jesse Marden
Don Yelton
2 Bob Clower
Rich Evans
4 Jenny Logan
Shirley Loveland
5 Elmer Evans
Kelsey Korrell
8 Jeanne Fohl

8 Merrick Stecker
9 Sandy Argo
Jesse Sheppard
11 Mick Singer
12 Cathy Bowden
19 Nancy Hargis
Bob Jones
Juanita McDonald
20 Suzanne McCabe
24 Bob Ball
25 Iline Slody
26 Anthony Fulco
27 Robert Meyer III
Joe Rimkis
28 Paul Daisey
Joyce Grimm
29 Ron Schaefer

MARCH

1 Suzanne Barnes
Carol McCloud
3 John Folta
5 Danielle Blanchard
Hope Evans
Lorraine Van Wagner
Susan Yocum
6 Anita Louizes
Jennifer Marsiglia
7 Rollin Otto
8 Thad Carpenter
9 Anita Angeny
Vivian Savage
10 Bernice Brigham
Don Herr
Sheryl Law
Ron Nagers
11 Norma Lewis
Ethel Woodward

12 Mildred Herr
Gary Law
13 El Barrett
Frank Evans
Charlotte Hawkins
16 Rich Robinson
18 Bob Nickle
19 Oliver Cropper
20 Emma Phillips
Ida Saymon
21 Judy Schoellkopf
24 Charles Dobbs
25 Sean Hubley
30 Nanci Byrne
Cheryl Loveland
Blanche Phillips
31 Dave Whitney

Welcome

New Members

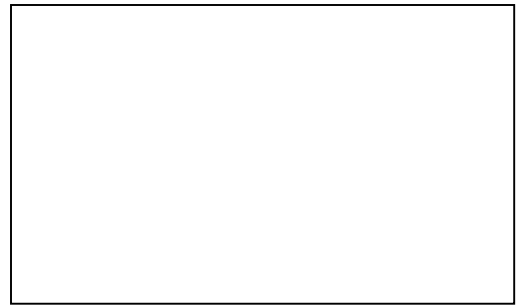
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Jenny Logan
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In Memorium

Kitty Lyons 10/5/09
Reg Roberts 10/12/09
Rev. David Baker 10/20/09
Jay Coleman 12/8/09

JANUARY



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1	2 9:00am – NA Mtg
3 Epiphany Sunday	4 9am-Prayer Group 7pm-AA Mtg 7pm-AL Anon	5 3-7pm – Weight Watchers 8pm-AA Mtg	6 7–8:45pm Choir Rehearsal	7	8 6pm – Family Fun Night	9 9:00am – NA Mtg
10 “Lights of Home” at both services 11:45am – Admin. Council Mtg.	11 9am-Prayer Group 7pm-AA Mtg 7pm-AL Anon	12 9am-Crafts 12:30pm-UMW 3-7pm – Weight Watchers 6:30pm-Prayer Shawl Mtg. 8pm-AA Mtg.	13 7–8:45pm Choir Rehearsal 7pm – Shepherds Mtg.	14	15 12pm -Single Seniors	16 9:00am – NA Mtg
17 11:45 am Trustees Mtg. Bayside Concert	18 9am-Prayer Group 10am Quilting 7pm-AA Mtg 7pm-AL Anon	19 9am-Crafts 3-7pm – Weight Watchers 8pm-AA Mtg.	20 7–8:45pm Choir Rehearsal	21 9:30am UMW @ Atlantic Shores 6:30pm – UMM & UMW (Sunset Circle)	22 9am – Bell Choir	23 9:00am – NA Mtg
24 31 Praise & Testimony Sunday Ministries Bazaar	25 9am-Prayer Group 7pm-AA Mtg 7pm-AL Anon	26 9am-Crafts 3-7pm – Weight Watchers 8pm-AA Mtg.	27 7–8:45pm Choir Rehearsal	28	29	30 9:00am – NA Mtg



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7 11:45 am Trustees Mtg.	8 9am-Prayer Group 7pm-AA Mtg 7pm-AL Anon	9 9am-Crafts 12:30pm-UMW 3-7pm – Weight Watchers 6:30 pm- Prayer Shawl Mtg. 8pm-AA Mtg	10 7–8:45pm Choir Rehearsal	11	12 9-10:30am Bell Practice 6:00pm – Family Fun Night	13 9:00am – NA Mtg 6pm – Social Committee Play
14 11:45 Ad Council Mtg.	15 9am-Prayer Group 10am Quilting 7pm-AA Mtg 7pm-AL Anon	16 9am-Crafts 3-7pm – Weight Watchers 8pm-AA Mtg.	17	18 9:30am UMW @ Atlantic Shores 6:30pm – UMM & UMW (Sunset Circle)	19 9-10:30am Bell Practice	20 9:00am – NA Mtg
21	22 9am-Prayer Group 7pm-AA Mtg 7pm-AL Anon	23 9am-Crafts 3-7pm – Weight Watchers 8pm-AA Mtg.	24 7–8:45pm Choir Rehearsal 7pm – Shepherds Mtg.	25	26 9-10:30am Bell Practice	27 9:00am – NA Mtg
28 Palm Sunday Easter Cantata at both services	29 9am-Prayer Group 10am Quilting 7pm-AA Mtg 7pm-AL Anon	30	31			