JENKINS CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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LARRY GUIN, PASTOR

HOME 395-2175CELL 668-5236TERESA SHULER, WORSHIP LEADER 8:00 AMJULIE BIRDSONG, CHOIR DIRECTORMARY JO BRYAN, WORSHIP LEADER 10:15 AMMELANIE STAUDT, PIANISTSVETA IATSKAYA, ORGANISTSAM SUDDARTH, SONGLEADERAPRIL 1, 2007SIXTH SUNDAY IN LENT - PALM SUNDAY - PASSION SUNDAYCOLOR: WHITE

Our purpose is to glorify God the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, by sharing Jesus, as Savior and Lord and helping people trust Him through WORSHIP, CHRISTIAN EDUCATION, OUTREACH, FELLOWSHIP, and SERVICE TO OTHERS.

ORDER OF THE SERVICE

PRELUDE

GATHERING IN JESUS NAME "Jerusalem Medley"

(Traditional Jewish Song)

SHARING COMMON CONCERNS

WELCOME & GREETING EACH OTHER

ANNOUNCEMENTS - (See Bulletin Inserts) & Ritual of Registration

Please sign the attendance register and pass it to other people in the pew with you. Please indicate what service you attended.

PRAYER/PRAISE REQUESTS - Write on pew card and place in offering plate to be put in the bulletin.

We Pause for a Moment of Silent Prayer, Preparing Our Hearts for Worshiping GOD.

Use this time to make yourself available to God and His word. Lift up in prayer to His Throne the concerns which have been spoken.

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES - Welcoming Jesus, the light of the world.

OFFERING PRAISE TO GOD				
OPENING - 10:15 am	"Hosanna"	Children's Choir		
PEOPLE : Hosanna in the higher LEADER : Rejoice greatly, O day PEOPLE : Shout aloud, O daug LEADER : Lo, your king comes	vho comes in the name of the Lord. est! aughter of Zion!	<i>I.</i>		
*HYMN	"All Glory, Laud and Honor"	No. 173		
* PRAYER OF PRAISE AND A *THE LORD'S PRAYER	DORATION	UNISON		
=	EXPRESSING OUR FAITH IN GOD I UNISON "The Apostles' Creed"	On Screen and No. 716 On Screen and No. 622		

CONFESSING OUR SIN

Call to Confession: I prayed to the LORD my God and confessed: "O Lord, the great and awesome God, who keeps His covenant of love with all who love Him and obey His commands, we have sinned and done wrong. Daniel 9:4-5a (NIV)

Prayer of Confession: (in unison) Almighty and most merciful Father, we have erred and strayed from you ways like lost sheep. We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts. We have offended against you holy laws. We have left undone those things which we ought to have done; and we have done those things which we ought not to have done; But you, O Lord, have mercy upon us. Spare those, O God, who confess their faults. Restore thou those who are penitent; according to your promises declared unto mankind in Christ Jesus our Lord. And grant, O most merciful Father, for His sake, that we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and sober life, to the glory of thy holy name.

(Continue in silent prayer). Amen

Assurance of Forgiveness: For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith and this not from yourselves, it is the gift of God. Ephesians 2:8 (NIV)

IYMN	"When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"	No. 185
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CELEBRATING THE SACRAMENTS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

WORDS OF INSTUTION INVITATION TO THE TABLE PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING OFFERING THE BREAD & CUP COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

Tom Birchwood

EXPRESSING THANKS TO GOD

"Lenten Supplication"

SPECIAL MUSIC -	10:15 am	"Who Is This Man"	Choir
CHILDREN'S TIME-	10:15 am		Andrea Barnes
	(No Childr	en's Church - Children remain in sanctuary)	

OFFERTORY SENTENCE Matthew 10:39(NIV) Whoever finds his life will lose it, and whoever loses his life for my sake will find it.	er
OFFERTORY MUSIC "El Shaddai"	
*THE DOXOLOGY (No. 625) and PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERING	

HYMN	HEARING GOD'S WORD	NO. 184
SCRIPTURE LESSON	John 12:12-19;	Luke 23:33; 44-49 NIV
SERMON	"Palms or Passion"	Larry Guin, Pastor
COMMITMENT & INVITATION	RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORDS "Hallelujah, What a Savior1"	No.175
	WE GO FORTH SERVING GOD	10.170
BENEDICTION – (Blessing)		
CHORUS - 10:15 am PASSING THE BLESSING	"Lamb of God"	Choir/Congregation
POSTLUDE	"Fling Wide the Gates"	John Strainer

*PLEASE STAND WHERE THIS MARK APPEARS IF ABLE: We have childcare available for Infants to age 2 and Toddlers 2 to 4 during both services INFANT / TODDLER NURSERY: Mandy England & Nancy Suddarth LAST SUNDAY ATTENDANCE: Worship: 8am - 43, 10:15am – 80, Sunday school - 64 DUTY ELDER FOR THIS WEEK: April 1 - April 7 * Teresa Justis DUTY ELDER FOR NEXT WEEK: April 8- April 14 * Melanie Staudt

Week Of April 1, 2007

TODAY	8:00 am & 10:15 am Worship Services - Communion 9:00 am Sunday School		
	11:30 am Children's Choir Practice		
	4:00 pm Good Friday Service Practice		
	5:00 pm Youth meet		
	6:00 pm Cantata - "Then and There, Settled and Done"		
MONDAY	10:00 am Bible Study		
	7:00 pm Aerobics		
TUESDAY	6:00 am Men at Prayer		
	9:00 am Mothers Day Out		
	7:00 pm Women's Exercise Class		
WEDNESDAY	6:00 pm Dinner - (see RSVP)		
	6:45 pm Praise Service - Prayer Stations		
THURSDAY	9:00 am Mothers Day Out		
	6:00 pm - 7:00pm - Maundy Thursday - Communion (come and go)		
	7:00 pm Aerobics		
FRIDAY	6:00 pm Good Friday - Worship Service		
NEXT SUNDAY	EASTER SUNDAY		
	8:00 am & 10:15 am Worship Services		
	9:00 am Sunday School		
SUNDAY APRIL 15 TH - 6:00 pm Session Meets			

HAPPY APRIL BIRTHDAY TO: Joyce Thomas on the 3rd; Casey Duncan on the 3rd; Lewis Justis on the 5th; Bill Green on the 6th; Susan Dornan on the 12th; Jessica Tucker on the 12th; Wade Clemons on the 12th; Carver Hardison on the 13th; Sally Turko on the 15th; Kellie Christian on the 16th; Brendon Winnett on the 18th; April Williams on the 20th; Peggy Donegan on the 22nd; Sharon Gardner on the 22nd; Gary Bomar on the 26th; David Shuler on the 27th; Michael Hofer on the 28th; Allie McArthur and "Kathleen" Foutch on the 29th; Sam Suddarth on the 30th.

HAPPY APRIL WEDDING ANNIVERSARY TO: Steve and Joyce Allemore on the 7th; Gail and John Post Jr. on the 17th; Wendell and Lynda Moses on the 25th.

Thank you to Rev. Bennett for allowing us to enjoy the art work one more Sunday.

OGHS - One Great Hour of Sharing offering is designated 75% for Church World Services, assistance from Louisiana to Sudan and 25% to C.P. Ministries of Compassion.

Our Prayer List: We leave names on for four weeks at a time. If a name has been removed and you wish to add them back on, please feel free to contact the office or fill out a pew card and place it in the offering plate.

3/11 Mary Ward (great niece of David and Linda McWilliams. James Collins (Kristie Mc Arthur's Dad). Saddie Davis - Kidnev Dialvsis. Kimberley Jones -Tumors. (friend of Mike Bryan). David Dew (Bill and Debbie Martin's brother-inlaw). 3/4Rev Billv & Kellv Flv -Pregnancy (friends of Jamie & Susan Groce) Tommy Natcher – Lung Problem (8th grader at St. Edward) Allie McArthur Murray Bartlett - (Becky Bartletts son) Injured during military service. Kathy Little (Jonna Farner's friend) - Last stages of cancer Steve Williams and Family- (bball coach at RHS) - Mother passed away.

Susie Cammuse Nicole Williams - (Jades sister) - biopsy Betty Handley - (Chris Handley's grandmother) back surgery. 4 years old under the care of Katie Oaks. Christian Martvrs-(Sveta) 3/11 Bob Leonard Family of Frances Parker Waller Ronnie Pittenger - Heart by-pass Rose Tidwell - cracked rib. Susie Cammuse 3/18 Yvonne Rose Shiloh Branson - received a heart at Vanderbilt (Heather Cobb) www.shilohbranson.org Janice and Chase Lovell

Lori Bennett (niece of Rebecca Fielder) Brenda Levin - recovery from back surgery 3/21 Family of Steven Brown Rev. Jimmy & Jennifer Byrd Alex Slagle Ludmila (Sveta's Aunt) 2nd Lt. Steven Halev Family of Frances Parker Waller 3/25Family of Geraldine Thomas Danny Ryan Judy Killian (friend of Mary Beth) Taleigha Clayton Elizabeth Guin's new job Joev Umbles Infant Barrett Willis and his family (Amy Bryan) Tom and Sherry Russell -(Kelli Spicer and Kim Hardison's cousin) James Griggs (co-worker of Gary Bomar)

Remember those who are **homebound or in Nursing Homes.** Pray for our troops as they serve around the world, that God will safeguard them and provide for their needs, whether physical, spiritual or emotional.

Events for Jenkins C. P. Youth

Mark Your Calendars - Dates to Note

Today - Evening Service - Cantata - "Then and There, Settled and Done"

A musical worship experience. Your choir has a very special worship experience we would like to share with you! This musical is full of uplifting, diverse musical messages. We have spent a great deal of time working to make this worthy offering. We believe you will be blessed by the experience and hope you will come worship with us Sunday evening at 6:00pm in the sanctuary. See you there! It's settled and done...

April 13 - Grace Works Ministries - Liberty Hall in Franklin - 6:00 p.m.

Tickets are \$60.00 each or \$480.00 for a table of 8. See John Rippy for details.

April 20th & 21st – **GARAGE SALE** -Proceeds will go towards summer and fall mission trip/projects. We will be accepting donations of household goods, furniture, knickknacks, etc. Pick-up available by calling Susan Groce at 599-7394 or church office.

April 28 - 27TH ANNUAL BAR-B-QUE DINNER AND SILENT AUCTION

Mark your calendars for this fun event starting at 3:00 p.m. continuing until 8:00 p.m. This event features home cooked bar-b-que, a bake sale, live music, fun for the kids, and a silent auction. We need your help in making this event a great success. We need **volunteers** to sign up to help. The sign up sheets are posted throughout the building. We need **cakes**, **desserts**, **baked beans** (recipe and pan provided), and silent **auction** items. If you have any questions please see Sherry Windrow.

VBS 2007 AVALANCE RANCH A Wild Ride Through God's Word June 18 - 22 9am - 12pm

Please visit our web site for participant registration, volunteer information and registration, as well as general information regarding this year's program. The VBS website link is located on the Jenkins church website (jenkinscp.org) under "Ministries". Contact Kelli Spicer with any questions.

Sunday, April 1- 5:00 pm Youth Meeting and Dinner Wednesday Night, April 4 - 6:00 pm Dinner / 6:45 pm Praise Service - prayer stations.

JENKINS CHURCH LIBRARY IS OPEN!

There are Bible and Bible Commentaries on the top shelves in the church library. (pastors old office) They do not need to be checked out. Please take one and return it to the library when you are finished. Thank you again for the many book donations. Because of your generosity, our library is growing.

JENKINS COMMUNICATIONS

<u>We now have new emails addresses: you can reach the following staff directly by using the email address listed below.</u>
<u>Pastor, Larry Guin has a new Home Phone Number through Vonage. (615) 395-2175</u>
<u>Pastor, Larry Guin - jenkinspastor@united.net,</u>
<u>Youth Director, Susan Groce - jenkinsyouth@united.net</u>
<u>Jenkins Administrative Office - jenkinsoffice@united.net</u>,
<u>Jenkins Mothers Day Out - jenkinsmdo@united.net</u>

NOLENSVILLE LIBRARY - MS. KAREN'S STORY TIME

Wednesday's at 10:30 a.m. April 4 - Hoppy Easter (Hide Easter eggs in library) April 11 - Birds, Bugs, Bees & Trees

JENKINS MOTHER'S DAY OUT PROGRAM

Jenkins MDO is currently registering students for the 2007-2008 school year. Registration forms are on-line at <u>www.jenkinscp.org</u> under ministries.

Jenkins MDO program is currently seeking to fill the Director position. If you are interested, please contact the office for an application. Please continue to pray for the MDO program in its need for a new director and its continued success.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4, - 6:00 P.M.

*RSVP Dinner will be provided and open to all!!!! (Freewill Offering)

TO PREPARE ENOUGH FOOD, LET US KNOW IF YOU WILL BE ATTENDING THE SUPPER. Scrambled Eggs, bacon/sausage, hash brown casserole, biscuits, gravy, and fruit salad.

ADULTS CHILDREN

SIGN YOUR NAME

PLEASE FILL OUT & PLACE IN THE OFFERING PLATE OR CONTACT SUSAN GROCE

John 12:12-19 (NIV)

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April 2007 Newsletter

From the Pastor:

WORSHIP SERVICES: 8:00 a.m. and 10:15 a.m.

SUNDAY SCHOOL: 9:00 a.m.

COMMUNION SUNDAY: April 1st, both worship services.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS at the call of Chairperson: Christian Education, Building & Grounds, Evangelism & Mission Education Outreach

SESSION MEETING: April 15th @ 6:00 p.m. A reminder to Chair to call all members listed on your committee to let them know date and time.

March Attendance				
	3/04	3/11	3/18	3/25
Sunday School	76	64	56	64
8:00 a.m. Worship	57	54	33	43
10:15 a.m. Worship	111	88	84	80
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Offerings in March

Regular Special Building Offering Offering Fund 3/04 6042.00 437.50 275.00 Yatskyy

3/11 Yatskyy	2660.00	162.50	380.00
3/18 Yatskyy	2624.00	12.50	365.00
3/25	3035.00		165.00

Yatskyy 3312.50

Budget /week 3812.13 612.00 Praise God for your faithfulness in attendance and giving.

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Easter.

Easter. The high point of the Christian Year. More than that, it is the high point of history. God raised Jesus up from death and the grave. He overcame death. He defeated Satan. The price for sin was paid. My sin and your sin. It was paid in full. That happened on Friday when they nailed Jesus to a cross and He died there. By His action there He made it possible for all who will trust Him as their Savior and make Him Lord of their life to experience forgiveness and receive the gift of eternal life with him.

Because Jesus was raised, we too are promised a resurrection. He is the firstfruits of them that sleep in Jesus. The Apostle Paul wrote about this in I Cor. 15:20 and following where it is recorded, "... Christ has indeed been raised from the dead, the firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep. 21For since death came through a man, the resurrection of the dead comes also through a man. 22For as in Adam all die, so in Christ all will be made alive. 23But each in his own turn: Christ, the firstfruits; then, when he comes, those who belong to him.

Thanks be to God!!! Life on this earth is not all that there is to our existence.

Thank you Lord for saving my soul. Thank you Lord for making me whole. Thank you Lord for giving to me, Thy great salvation so rich and free.

And THANK YOU, Lord, for the promise of an eternity in heaven in your very near presence.

EASTER WORSHIP WELCOMING TEAM (the entire congregation)

Attendance at worship on Easter Sunday is normally the high attendance day of the year. We ask our regular members and regular attendees to be aware of needs our guest will have for assistance in finding parking, finding the rest rooms, finding the sanctuary, and the coffee/refreshment table. Need I remind anyone that every guest will need a happy smile and a warm greeting. This may be the only opportunity that we will have to introduce some person to Jesus. Don't let it slip by us without taking advantage of it.

Who will work the parking lot? Just station yourself there and do it.

Who will stand at the entrance doors? Or the gymnasium entrance, etc.?

FINANCES

Charlie Thomas, Church Treasurer has written an article about finances. He said it well. Thank you, Charlie.

FINANCES

I would like to take this occasion to inform you of our Church's financial position. Thanks to you, we are in fair shape, at the moment.

However, our physical structure is much larger than it was two years ago. Therefore the gas, electric, and phone service costs have become a larger part of the budget .Increased activities have caused some departments to spend more than anticipated.

That budget was \$248,876 in 2006 and was modestly increased by \$5,155 in 2007 to \$254,031. We have not increased salaries for a couple of years and have tried to lower costs in other areas. Our insurance program is one area in which we changed providers in an effort to increase coverage and still save money. Nevertheless, we are only in a breakeven position in our monthly cash flow. We have not had the surplus available to be able to build up any kind of rainy day fund. Some months, we are actually spending slightly more than we

take in.

Therefore, I ask you to consider your giving and what part you might be able to play in helping our Church in easing this difficulty.

Thank you. Charlie Thomas

VBS 2007 AVALANCHE RANCH A WILD RIDE THROUGH GOD'S WORD JUNE 18TH – JUNE 22ND

Imagine.....a child hearing about God's love for the first time....kids worshipping in powerful ways....children praying for each other....adults and teens modeling Jesus' love to children....kids in our church sharing Christ with children around the world....children serving each other. This summer, let's transform our church into a wild Rocky Mountain ranch. Be a part of the Vacation Bible School at Jenkins during June 18th – June 22nd. It's our goal to reach [As many as possible] kids with this program! That's [As many as possible] kids who will grow in their relationship with God.

We're praying this awesome VBS program will touch children's hearts and lives with God's love. Help kids in our community discover that:

- God is real,
- God is with us,
- God is strong,
- God is awesome, and
- God is in charge.

As we plan and prepare for Avalanche Ranch, our team would cherish your prayers. Pray that God would give us wisdom in planning. Pray for the right staff members to join our team. And pray that God would begin working in the hearts of the children who will come to Avalanche Ranch!Watch for more information about this exciting ministry event!There is a link to the VBS webpage from Jenkins Webpage, under Ministries, under VBS. "This year we are featuring a web page and online registration for participants and volunteers (anyone interested in volunteering show click on the "view the current volunteer opportunities" icon. We will also be featuring some funfund raising events. Stay tuned. Contact Kelli Spicer with any questions.

YOUTH NEWS

Sundays April 1: 4pm – Good Friday Service Practice April 1, 15, & 22: Youth at 5:00pm (dinner will be provided) April 29 – Youth Sunday

No youth meeting April 8 due to Easter or April 29 due to Youth Sunday.

Wednesday Night Fellowship Meal and Praise Service 6:00pm - Dinner 6:45pm - Praise Service Friday, April 6 @ 6pm- Good Friday Service – youth be present at 4:30pm. Saturday, April 7 @ 4pm – Columbia Presbytery Dinner and Drive-In in Lewisburg. Bring \$5.00 for movie + money for pizza and concessions. Friday and Saturday, April 20-21 – Youth Yard Sale @ Jenkins. Need volunteers to help each day.

Upcoming News: It's Camp Time!

Mini – Camp Saturday, May 19 for K-5th grade. 9am – 4pm

K-5th Graders

Location: Camp Crystal Springs

It's Free!

Join us for a day at camp: boating/fishing, swimming (if weather permits), cabin time, community building, crafts, lesson, music, worship, F.O.B., lunch, and canteen! See Susan Groce or Debra Eckert for more information! **Sr. High Camp** June 3-8 (for those entering 10th-12th grade and recent graduates) Cost: \$135.00 for pre-registration by May 30th. \$145.00 after May 30th or at camp. **Jr. High Camp** June 10-15 (for those entering 7-9th grades)

Cost: \$135.00 for pre-registration by May 30 \$155.00 after May 30th or at camp. Junior Camp June 24-29 (for those entering 4-6th grade Cost: \$135.00 for pre-registration by May 30 \$155.00 after May 30th or at camp.

CPYC –Cumberland Presbyterian Youth Conference @ NaCoMe Conference Center in Pleasantville, TN. July 7-12 (for those entering 10th-12th grade and recent graduates)

Cost: \$300.00 - must pre-register by June 20th See Tommy Clark, Susan Groce, or Elizabeth Guin for any information regarding camp this summer. Registration forms available in the church office. Church pays ¹/₂ of camp fees for those attending Jenkins Church.

Mission Trip 2007 to Bethel College June 25-29 Cost: \$20.00

Pick-up your brochure & registration form from Susan Groce or Tommy Clark.

Summer Retreat to Laguna Beach, FL. July 2-6Cost: \$105.00

Pick-up information & registration form from Susan Groce or Tommy Clark.

JENKINS CHURCH 27TH ANNUAL BBQ – Silent Auction - Music SATURDAY, APRIL 28TH 3:00 – 8:00 PM

Jenkins Cumberland Presbyterian Church York & Nolensville Road Nolensville, Tennessee

BBQ Meal served from 3:00 to 8:00 pm or we run out ©

Barbeque plates available to eat in or to carry out. Adults - \$8.00 **Children (under 10) - \$5.50 (4 & under - free)

Reserve Saturday, April 28th and join us for our 27th Annual Bar-B-Q and Silent Auction. Don't forget to invite family, friends, neighbors, EVERYONE...

This event is one of our big fundraisers for our building fund so bring your appetites and generosity and have a great time as well.

APRIL BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES Happy April Birthdays to:

April Glasscock on the 1st; Joyce Thomas on the 3rd; Casey Duncan and Leah Olivares on the 3rd; Lewis Justis on the 5th; Bill Green on the 6th; Susan Dornan on the 12th; Jessica Tucker and Wade Clemons on the 12th; Carver Hardison on the 13th; Sally Turko on the 15th; Kellie Christian on the 16th; Seth Wynne on the 17th; Brendon Winnett on the 18th; April Williams on the 20th; Peggy Donegan and Sharon Gardner on the 22nd; Gary Bomar on the 26th; David Shuler on the 27th;

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<u>HAPPY APRIL ANNIVERSARIES TO:</u> Steve and Joyce Allemore on the $7^{\text{th.}}$

If your name is not on our birthday or anniversary list or if we have printed an error, please call 776-2339 and let us know.

--HELP WANTED—

Our barbeque on the 28th of April is coming up fast. We are still in need of volunteers for set-up and clean-up. People to cook cakes and desserts. How about helping by cooking a pan of baked beans? We'll provide the pan and the recipe! And how about Silent Auction items. There is always room for more! Let us hear from you!!

-- **THANK YOU** -- Thanks to the Groce family and the Bill Martin family, the north side of the gymnasium is now landscaped.

Jenkins CP Mother's Day Out Program Seeking Director

Jenkins Cumberland Presbyterian Church Mother's Day Out Program in Nolensville is currently seeking someone to fill the position of Director of the program. The hours would be each Tuesday and Thursday from 8:30AM to 2:30PM and working

additional hours as needed for administrative purposes, but working no more than 15 hours/week. The position pays \$11.00/hour. This is an ideal position for a mother looking to work around school hours. The program follows the Williamson County School schedule. If you are interested in applying for the position, please email <u>jenkinsmdo@united.net</u> and request an application or call 615-776-2339. Please continue to pray for the Mother's Day Out program in its need for a new director and its continued success. Thank you, Kristie McArthur

JENKINS MOTHER'S DAY OUT PROGRAM IS CURRENTLY REGISTERING STUDENTS FOR THE 2007- 2008 SCHOOL YEAR. REGISTRATION FORMS ARE ON-LINE @ www.jenkinscp.org under ministries.

CPWM MOTHERS & OTHERS BANQUET

All the ladies of the church are invited to the Mothers and Others Banquet on Saturday, May 12th @ 6:00 p.m. Invite your mothers, sisters, daughters, granddaughters, best friends – all the important women in your life! This year's theme is an Old Fashioned Slumber Party! Pull out your favorite slippers and throw your hair in curlers and get ready for food, fun and maybe a game of Twister! Invitations will be handed out soon and if you have any questions, please call Elizabeth Guin @ 668-5232. Please RSVP by Wednesday, May 9th.

ATTENTION 2007 GRADUATES

Cap and gown time is just around the corner. To help us honor those graduates, please drop a note, e-mail or call the church office with the names of those who are graduating and from what high school, university or any other program this spring. (Also, if you are pursuing further education and where). We would like to compile our list of graduates for this year and do not want to leave anyone out. Thanks.!

GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP OF AMERICA

Would you like to enter the 11^{th} Annual Cumberland Presbyterian Golf Championship of America? It will be at the Glenwood Country Club @ Glenwood, Arkansas. On May 3^{rd} and 4^{th} , 2007. It's hosted by the Cumberland Presbyterian Church of Hot Springs, Arkansas.

Mark Your CALENDARS

CPWM – Please join us for our monthly meeting, Tuesday, April 3^{rd} @ 7:00 P.M. at the Church. All ladies of the church are invited!

RETIREE'S OUTING Wednesday, April 11th. Call Kathleen Waggoner for details.

MEN'S FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST

Will meet at 7:00 a.m. on Saturday, April 21st. All men of the church are invited

CARNIVAL FOR KIDS TEAM: Join our "team" as we work on items for our Carnival For Kids in September. You don't have to be on the Outreach Committee to be on the team, just want to be productive and help the kids. Plant a seed in God's garden and he will bless you with a great harvest.

APRIL 29TH – 5TH SUNDAY ONE SERVICE @ **9:00 A.M. -** "Brunch" will follow. Mark your calendar now so you can worship (once a quarter, both services worship together) and fellowship with Jenkins members and friends.

"GOSPEL FEST"

The Gospel Fest will take place at the College Grove Community Center, Saturday, May 5th beginning at 3:00 p.m with different churches participating. Money raised will go to "Meals on Wheels". Activities for the children and adults from 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Church choirs will begin to perform at 6:00 p.m. concluding with a mass choir.

Mass choir practice is Sunday April 15^{th &} 22nd in the Nolensville United Methodist Church 1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. and on April 29th, at the College Grove Community Center 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. There is a need for at least 10 volunteers from each church. Games - 5 volunteers to supervise, collect tickets, hand out prizes.

Food Servers – 3 volunteers.

Cooks - 2 volunteers to prepare food - hot dogs, chili, nachos Clean up – volunteers, as many as possible. Volunteers to bake cakes. Sign-up sheet posted.

COMMUNION THURSDAY NIGHT 5:00 - 6:00 PM

CELEBRATE CHRIST'S RESURRECTION APRIL STH 8:00 AM & 10:15 AM

Jenkins C.P. Church Larry Guin, Pastor 2501 York Rd., P.O. Box 518 Nolensville, TN 37135

April, 2007

EARLY WORSHIP AT 8:00 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL STARTS AT 9:00 AM MORNING WORSHIP AT 10:15 AM HOPE TO SEE YOU HERE!!

Evangelism & Missions -

God has a plan and it is found in His Son.

Why have we rejected God's plan? Jesus said the problem is with us. "Out of the heart...proceed evil thoughts, adulteries, fornications, murders, thefts, covetousness, wickedness, deceit, lewdness, an evil eye, blasphemy, pride, foolishness" (Mark 7-21-22)

"Well, I'm just a sinner saved by grace," we say as though that somehow excuses and explains away our spastic, flip-floppy behavior-almost holy one moment, completely unholy the next.

As though Christ's coming and dying did nothing more than secure for us a place in heaven.

As though spiritual mediocrity is the best we can hope for here on earth. As though God created us to be captives even though everything in the Bible says we've already been set free.

Do we live in "borderland" as Pastor and author Mark Buchanan describes?...... "People on borderland have grown comfortable with boredom. They have settled for a God "on call", a God available for crises and fiascos, who does a bit of juggling with weather patterns and parking stalls but who otherwise remains unobtrusive as a chambermaid, tidying things up while you're at brunch, leaving a crisp sash of tissue around the lid of the toilet bowl to let you know all is in order. The problem, obviously, is that this god—so kind, so shy, so tame—has nothing whatsoever to do with the God of the Bible. This god resembles not even remotely the GOD whose Spirit broods and dances, the GOD who topples entire empires, sometimes overnight, the GOD who reveals himself in the Christ who looks big men in the eye and says, "Follow me," and then walks away, not waiting for a reply."

This is a God bold enough to call us away from borderland and kind enough to provide a way out. For we have not been left helpless. That is why Christ came.

By His death He provided the way for us to be reconciled to God. Everyone who opens up to Him can have a quality of life that is meaningful, abundant, and fulfilling. He is the only one who can give us life before death as well as life hereafter,

"It is finished." The price for our redemption has been paid. (*Excerpts from Billy Graham, Anne Graham Lotz, Joanna Weaver*) Submitted by: Joyce Allemore

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