

Ladies Group



Soup 'r' Supper
 Tuesday, March 21st
 Dinner at the Flame
 @ 6:00 p.m

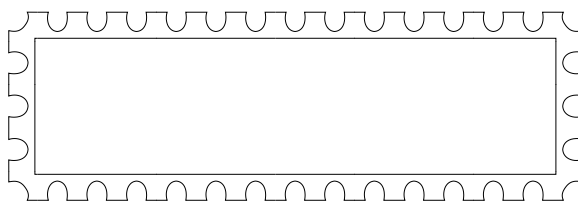
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 CORNED BEEF & CABBAGE
 LUNCHEON

WEDNESDAY, MARCH
 15TH, 11:30 A.M.

COST IS \$5.00 PER
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SIGN UP BY MARCH
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Student Ministries
 Spaghetti Dinner
 Friday, March 3rd
 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

UNIVERSITY BAPTIST CHURCH

SPAGHETTI DINNER

STUDENT MINISTRIES

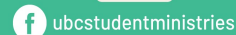
Reserve your spot
 RSVP by 2/28/23

March 3, 2023

Come join us for our FREE
 Mid-term Spaghetti dinner

4 PM-7 PM

University Baptist Church
 700 S Oakland, Carbondale
 ubcstudentministries@gmail.com



RSVP HERE

MENU

- Spaghetti
- Vegetarian Spaghetti
- Garlic Bread
- Salad
- Beverages
- + dessert

The Builder



NEWSLETTER OF THE UNIVERSITY BAPTIST CHURCH - MARCH 1, 2023 VOL. 60 NO. 3



It seems like I have been spending a lot of time lately expressing my thanks to all of you at UBC who have worked so hard to keep things going when I was not around. I did not anticipate that 2023 would start off the way it did following a tough Christmas. But, we all have experienced times when things did not go as planned or expected. It is in times like these that we learn to allow ourselves to accept the help and support of others. I am learning that depending on others is really a key part of the Christian community. I am thankful for the many who have demonstrated that they are a Christian community to me and my family in recent weeks.

I am getting stronger day by day but have been cautioned by my doctors to be patient with the healing process. As I discovered Sunday it takes a little while to get the air I need to do the simple things like talking more than a sentence or two in a conversation. But, that comes with simply doing a little bit more day by day.

But we now turn our attention to the coming days. We are in the season of Lent. We will spend a few weeks examining our walk with the Christ and confess when we have failed to be faithful but depend upon others to support us in our times of weakness. We rehearse the journey of Jesus toward Jerusalem where he will face the fierce resistance of many even those within the religious community of which He was a part. I have wondered from time to time how much Jesus might have found comfort in the community of faith I alluded to in my opening paragraph if they would have responded differently. The same questions come to my mind when we see how others respond to our weakness or honest differences of opinion within the community of faith. I am reminded of the statement, *"They will know we are Christians by our love."*

It is God's love for us that is the message of this season and it is our love for each other that comes because He has first loved us.

Pastor John

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"Our purpose at University Baptist Church is to show Christ's love to the local and global community through worship, fellowship & ministry."

Thank You, Thank You, Thank You!

A Special Thank You to all those who stepped up and helped with worship services while Pastor was hospitalized and home recuperating! We couldn't have managed without you!

Thank You, Thank You, Thank You!

Sunday Morning Worship @ 10:45 a.m.

Lively but traditional! Join us in person or on facebook

www.facebook.com/UBC.Carbondale

Sunday Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. service

March 5, 2023

Dick Cannon –Greeter
Jessica Edmond -Invocation
Amilia Estrada - Scripture
Jaleel Edmond - Sound
Mike Morgan - Building Lock-up

March 12, 2023

Dick Cannon –Greeter
Harry Treece -Invocation
Jan Treece -Scripture
Mike Morgan - Sound
Dick Cannon - Building Lock-up

March 19, 2023

Dick Cannon –Greeter
Suzanne Corzine -Invocation/Scripture
Jaleel Edmond - Sound
Karen Zelten - Building Lock-up

March 26, 2023

Dick Cannon –Greeter
Karen Zelten -Invocation/Scripture
Mike Morgan - Sound
Mike Morgan - Building Lock-up



Deacon on Call the
month of March is
Harry Treece

*Wednesday Night Bible Study is on
hiatus until further notice.*



Annie Armstrong
Easter Offering
FOR NORTH AMERICAN MISSIONS



North American
Mission Board

Week of Prayer for North American Missions March 5th - 12th, 2023

Annie Armstrong (1850-1938) was a bold advocate for missionaries and their work. She championed missions support among Southern Baptist churches and helped create a rich legacy of people awakened and responding to God's call to pray, give and go. Since 1895, the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering has empowered Southern Baptists' missional work to reach the U.S., Canada and their territories. Generation after generation, we've united to reach people born on our shores and the nations who come here to make a new home.

This Month at University Baptist

Friday, March 3rd

Food Pantry ~ Clothes Closet
UBC Student Ministries
9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Monday, March 6th

Food Pantry ~ Clothes Closet
UBC Student Ministries
9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Friday, March 10th

Food Pantry ~ Clothes Closet
UBC Student Ministries
9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Monday, March 13th

Food Pantry ~ Clothes Closet
UBC Student Ministries
9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Wednesday, March 15th

KEYS Corned Beef & Cabbage Lunch

Friday, March 17th

Food Pantry ~ Clothes Closet
UBC Student Ministries
9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Monday, March 20th

Food Pantry ~ Clothes Closet
UBC Student Ministries
9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Tuesday, March 21st

Soup 'R' Supper
Dinner at the Flamd @ 6:00 p.m

Friday, March 24th

Food Pantry ~ Clothes Closet
UBC Student Ministries
9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Monday, March 27th

Food Pantry ~ Clothes Closet
UBC Student Ministries
9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Friday, March 31st

Food Pantry ~ Clothes Closet
UBC Student Ministries
9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Our Prayer List...Brent Zelten (emergency heart surgery), Patricia Tucker, Pam Gee and the family of her husband, Jeff (neighbor of Jan & Harry), Chesney Gholson (12 year old granddaughter of Suzanne's dentist. Stage 4 aggressive brain tumor) Rita Cannon, Glenn Winstead, Jean Cauble, John & Marilyn Annable, Karen & Larry Martin and our world.

Interfaith Council:

Week of March 5th: First Christian Church

Week of March 12th: First Presbyterian Church

Week of March 19th: First United Methodist Church

Week of March 26th: Islamic Center of Carbondale

**"Give all your worries to Him because
He cares about you." 1 Peter 5:7**

Mission Report

We have collected \$225.00 for
the Good Samaritan Food Pantry and
\$155.00 for the Carbondale Warming Center

Community Ministry Opportunities

- The Warming Center needs financial assistance
- Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church is already fundraising for the annual "Back to School Drive!" You might consider tucking a little aside from now until July to help with this ministry.
- Winter coats are on clearance at your local Walmart. You might consider buying a few today that we can distribute in the fall. At \$5, \$8 & \$10, you can't beat those prices!



DAY 1

KAY BENNETT
New Orleans, Louisiana

Human trafficking emergencies don't happen on schedule, so there's no such thing as an "average day" for Kay Bennett, director of Send Relief's Baptist Friendship House.

"The doorbell or phone can ring and change my whole day," says Kay. Chances are that day was already filled with serving meals to those experiencing homelessness, handing out hygiene supplies, leading Bible study, managing training programs and more.

It's this loosely controlled ministry chaos that's most familiar to Kay.



DAY 2

VERGIL & KELSEY BROWN
Portland, Oregon

Oregon is one of the least-churched states in the nation. It's where Vergil and Kelsey Brown planted one successful church in Portland and after 10 years, felt God's call to leave it in the hands of a new pastor and plant again.

The family moved to a part of the city that might as well have been another world away—especially for the couple's kids. For people in the Brown's community, Christians are an oddity.



DAY 3

SAM & JOANNA CHOI
Minneapolis, Minnesota

The Twin Cities area has the largest Somali population outside of Somalia. It is home to the largest Hmong population in the United States, and the Hispanic population has grown by 38% in a decade.

"Although you have different ethnicities and backgrounds in our city, they're all pocketed and avoid each other," says church planting missionary Sam Choi of All Peoples Church. But All Peoples Church sets a different example—unity from diversity.



DAY 4

PHILIP & ANDI COLEMAN
Anchorage, Alaska

Alaska has a rugged, forbidding environment. That's also true for churches. Thirty percent of Alaskan Southern Baptist churches have died in the last six years.

Philip and Andi Coleman uprooted their lives in Kentucky and moved to Anchorage determined to change that statistic.

After taking the helm of church plant True North Church, Philip learned about an older church that was dying. It had a building and little else, but the remaining members wanted a new start. So, the young community of True North Church and the older congregants of Muldoon Road Baptist Church merged to serve their community as one.



DAY 5

EMANUEL & IOANA GROZEA
Ridgewood, New York

Emanuel Grozea was born in communist Romania to a family of smugglers—Bible smugglers. As a teenager, Emanuel felt God calling him into ministry. He pastored for almost a decade in Romania before God moved him and his family to lead a Romanian Baptist church on the verge of closing in New York City. In the Ridgewood community, about half of the neighborhood speaks a language other than English and once was heavily populated with Romanian immigrants.



DAY 6

MATT & AMANDA HADDEN
Porcupine, South Dakota

When Matt went to the Pine Ridge Reservation, home of the Oglala Lakota tribe, for a short-term, construction mission trip, his plan to be an international missionary changed.

"I looked around and saw tremendous need," says Matt. "I could hear people speaking a different language. I had entered a different culture and was in the middle of a different people group right here in my own country. These people had been forgotten and I knew God was calling me here."



DAY 7

MATTHEW & RUTH LAHEY
St. John's, Newfoundland

More than a hundred years before Matthew and Ruth Lahey came here as church planters, the last church in the Kilbride neighborhood of St. John's burned to the ground and was never rebuilt.

"For many Newfoundlanders, the idea of church is bound up in a building: church is something you go to, not what you are," says Matthew. So, when the building was destroyed, so was the church.



DAY 8

ANGEL & VANESA VIVEROS
Lincoln, Nebraska

The Viveros family had no plans to leave Mexico City where Angel was a local pastor. Then they heard about the great need in the U.S. Midwest. Angel and Vanesa felt God calling them more than 1,700 miles away to minister to immigrants—in Lincoln, Nebraska.

"The impulse in our hearts is to be missionaries, and the Midwest is greatly lacking in ministry to Hispanics" says Angel.

The Viveros family is planting Cosecha Iglesia Biblica in a vibrant, multicultural community. Angel says it's a place that needs the true gospel in the face of a growing prosperity gospel presence.



March



| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| | | | 1 | 2 | 3 Food Pantry & Clothes Closet 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Student Ministries Spaghetti Dinner 4-7pm | 4 |
| 5 week of Prayer Worship at 10:45 a.m. Lent week 2 | 6 Food Pantry & Clothes Closet Student Ministries 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 Food Pantry & Clothes Closet Student Ministries 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. | 11 Dracen Samples Birthday |
| 12 Worship at 10:45 a.m. Lent week 3 Mike Morgan Birthday | 13 Food Pantry & Clothes Closet Student Ministries 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. | 14 | 15 KEYS Annual Corned Beef & Cabbage Luncheon 11:30 a.m. | 16 Megan Samples Birthday | 17 Food Pantry & Clothes Closet Student Ministries 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. | 18 |
| 19 Worship at 10:45 a.m. Lent week 4 | 20 Food Pantry & Clothes Closet Student Ministries 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. | 21 Soup 'r ' Supper Dinner at the Flame @ 6:00 p.m. | 22 | 23 | 24 Food Pantry & Clothes Closet Student Ministries 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. | 25 |
| 26 Worship at 10:45 a.m. Lent week 5 | 27 Food Pantry & Clothes Closet Student Ministries 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. | 28 Jessica Edmond Birthday | 29 Mike & Karen Zelten Anniversary | 30 | 31 Food Pantry & Clothes Closet Student Ministries 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. | Deacon on Call for the Month is Harry Treece |