



The Outreach

February 2010—Milford, NH

Urgent need for Health Kits for Haiti

This is an open invitation to all members and friends of MUMC and the community-at-large to join together in the effort to gather needed supplies to make up Health Kits for the Haitian people. Simply drop off any of the supplies listed below in the Haiti Relief drop box, located in our lobby. If you would like to take part in assembling the kits, add your name and contact info to the list posted by the box, and you will be notified of assembly dates. All completed kits will be delivered to UMCOR relief drop locations in batches for speedy delivery. Donations of money made out to MUMC, with the memo line: Health Kits, are being accepted to pay the \$2/kit processing cost and later addition of toothpaste, or to buy missing items for the kits.

UMCOR (United Methodist Committee on Relief) has an established presence in Haiti and has already rapidly responded to the crisis there. 100% of all your material and financial donations will go directly to help the needy people. The need in Haiti is desperate, and UMCOR has a proven track record of getting health kits and support directly to the people, quickly and efficiently.

Items in the Health kit must be brand new and are strictly limited to the following items: 1 hand towel (15"X25" up to 17"X27"-no kitchen towels), 1 washcloth, 1 comb (large and sturdy, not pocket sized), 1 nail file or fingernail clippers (no emery boards or toe clippers), 1 bath-size bar of soap (3 oz. and up), 1 toothbrush (single brushes only in original wrapper, no child size brushes), 6 adhesive plastic strip sterile bandages, 1-gallon plastic bag to hold the above items. Any of these items can be dropped off in bulk and we will separate them out to add to the kits. When our drive is completed, all surplus items will be delivered to the UMCOR drop boxes for their further use.

By the time you read this invitation, many members of our congregation will have already responded to the critical need including David Stackpole, Rich Masters, Moxie Roby, and the Youth Group who will have assembled many needed kits, just to name a few. If you have questions contact the church office or Evangelism members: Diane Jaquith at djaquith@safe-mail.net or Lisa Payne at lpayne@kworldb2b.com or any of the people listed above.

Message from the Pastor

Dear Friends,

One of the great things about Lent is the opportunity to take advantage of the many opportunities for reflection, study, and spiritual growth that come our way. The Lenten season this year begins on Ash Wednesday, February 17, and as your pastor, I want to encourage every one of our members and friends to have as a goal for themselves participating in some sort of Lenten observance, whether that be attending a Lenten study or gathering, or being more intentional about our personal devotions. Specifically, I wanted to mention three opportunities for worship and study that I trust will deepen our walk with the Lord.

1. Ash Wednesday worship Start off the Lenten season by gathering with other members and friends, along with our friends from the First Congregational Church of Milford, for Ash Wednesday worship, February 17. The service will begin at 7:00 and includes the imposition of ashes.
2. Join us each Wednesday evening during Lent for a time of reflection, ritual, and activities based on the scripture lessons from the previous Sunday's sermon, including a simple soup and bread supper. Starting on February 24 and continuing through March 24, you and anyone you choose to invite are invited to join us from 6:30-8:00. We will be asking for folks to volunteer to provide soup for these gatherings. The gatherings will be led by Ministry Directory Leslie Coates.
3. I will be leading a weekly Lenten study, based on the book, *Watching the Disciples: Learning from their Mistakes*, by Mary Jane Gorman. This Lenten study looks at the twelve disciples as they tried to follow Jesus and live the challenging life to which

he had called them. Examining the mistakes of the Twelve can help us to assess our own discipleship in order to see where it may need strengthening. During these weeks of Lent, as we join the Twelve in their on-the-job-training to become disciples of Jesus, we hope to find guidance for our pilgrimage. This study will take place on Saturday mornings from 9:00-10:00 starting February 20 and continuing through March 27. To register for the study, please call the church office at 673-2669 or use the sign-up sheet in the foyer.

All are encouraged to participate in these offerings. I hope that many of you will.

Grace and peace,



Pastor Tom

A Word of Thanks

To Our Church Family;

Wendy and I would like to thank our church family for your generosity towards us this past Christmas. Your gifts, cards, and remembrances are greatly appreciated. As always, we thank God for you and for the privilege of serving Christ with you.

Grace and peace,
Pastor Tom

See you in church!

Worship Opportunities

By Vivian Balam

The Worship Committee would like to extend an invitation to all Boy Scouts within our church family to attend the February 7th church services (in uniform) so that they can be recognized.



Bread Loaves on Communion Sunday, February 7th. Remember to bring a loaf of bread (plain or wheat, no specialty breads) to be placed in the basket at the altar on Communion Sunday. The bread loaves are delivered to SHARE, the local food pantry, on Monday morning. Many times their freezer is empty and they are very thankful for our bread delivery. This is one small way we can help others in need.

Guess Who:

This individual is a wife, mom, talented musician and fundraiser who grew up in the Catskill Mountains of New York State. Answer found on page 7.

Choir Notes:

By Sally Landis, choir director

The Chancel Choir is planning to perform an Easter Cantata entitled "How Great Thou Art" by David Clydesdale on Saturday evening April 3rd (the evening before Easter). We are very excited to be presenting this powerful telling of the events of Holy Week through narration, drama, dance, and singing. It is the first time we have chosen a Saturday evening to perform and we are hoping to have a full sanctuary. Please plan to attend and invite friends and family to share this event.

If you would like to join the choir for this cantata, rehearsals will be on Thursday nights from 7-8 pm and Saturdays in February and March from 10-11:30 am. Please check the bulletin board in the music room for more complete information or speak to me.

The choir would also like to thank all the folks who participated in and attended the Christmas Concert this year. We were delighted to finally get to perform it. Playing to a packed house was very gratifying and we hope to have as many people come to our Easter performance.

What Ever Happened To "Good 2 Great?"

Tuesday, February 23rd at 7:00 p.m.

Good 2 Great Round Table Discussion: Ministry Director, Leslie Coates, will be conducting an open discussion on the Good 2 Great process, goals, and next step in our effort to make MUMC a great church. All are welcome and encouraged to attend.

Annual Reports Past Due- Please Submit Immediately

If you were the head of a committee or group here during 2009, please submit your annual report to office@milfordumc.org as soon as possible. The deadline was January 20, 2010. We plan to print no later than February 10th. Thanks in advance for your prompt submission.

Deep within everyone's soul lies a secret place, a hideaway. Where rainbows appear and fantasy runs free. Beyond the limits of age this park expresses fully to every visitor the wonder, the hopes and the dreams that live in childhood and truly remain forever. Story Land invites you to open your heart, to see the world simply and to look at the grandeur of the universe with freshness and the excitement of youth. Here there are smiles and where there are smiles there is joy; and where there is joy there is love; and where there is love; there is the hand of God. Richard Chaput

Donation of Altar Flowers

Would you like to honor or remember a special person in your life or would you like to celebrate a special occasion? Please consider signing up to purchase altar flowers for your special occasion. The flower chart is posted on the wall across from the church office. Contact and payment instructions are on the flower chart. Thanks for helping to beautify the altar and sanctuary for Sunday worship.

Milford Area Seniors

The Senior Activity Center meets at MUMC every Tuesday, 10 am—2 pm. The seniors enjoy speakers on all kinds of topics, games, craft projects, music, health screenings, and of course — Bingo. They would love to have you join the group, volunteer, or plan an activity. This group is open to everyone 55 and older, from anywhere in this region. Invite a friend or neighbor. And don't forget to bring a sack lunch. If you would like more information, please see Claire Place, or Susan Drew.



So...What Do Stephen Ministers Do?

A Stephen Minister gives One-on-One Lay Confidential Christian Care:

- One-on-One: Stephen Ministers meet privately with one care receiver of the same gender.
- Lay: Stephen Ministers are trained and supervised lay volunteers, not professional counselors or therapists, pastors or physicians. Stephen Ministers are not authorized to give legal, medical, financial or any other advice, but Bible-based encouragement.
- Confidential: Stephen Ministers keep personal information confidential. You can feel free to share with your Stephen Minister without worrying that anyone else will know about it. There are rare occasions when a Stephen Minister must share confidential information in order to save a life. Those occasions are suicide, homicide or abuse.
- Christian: Stephen Ministers are Christians who care in the name of Christ. They are willing to talk about spiritual issues, but won't force them.
- Care: Stephen Ministers care by listening, supporting, encouraging, praying, being dependable and trustworthy and maintaining confidentiality in their care-giving.

Who Benefits From Stephen Ministry?

Through a confidential one-on-one caring relationship with a MUMC Stephen Minister, someone experiencing challenging times can receive the love, care and support that they need.

People who need care:

- Receive quality Christ-centered confidential care during their times of hurt and need.
- Find hope, healing, and a new sense of self-worth through the support of a Stephen Minister.
- Know they are remembered and supported by our congregation in times of personal difficulty.
- Receive ongoing care for continuing needs long after the onset of a crisis, when many others may have forgotten about them.

You play an important role in our Stephen Ministry. Here's what you can do.

- Pray for God to bring hope and healing to hurting people through our ministry.
- Accept care from a Stephen Minister during your time of need.
- Tell a hurting friend, neighbor, co-worker or relative about our Stephen Ministry.
- Prayerfully consider becoming a Stephen Minister.

For more info, check out our new MUMC web page or contact any of our Stephen Leaders

Michele Bossie (Referral Coordinator)	672-4556
Rita Lines	673-0398
Pastor Tom Getchell-Lacey	673-2669
Ben Lambert	672-1425

2009 MUMC Christmas Fair Wrap Up

By Barb Reed

What a huge success! The Christmas Fair proceeds totaled \$5,630. It was a wonderful day as we opened our doors to the community to share our gifts, talents and Christmas spirit. It took dedicated individuals to pull this off, so whether you crafted, knitted, decorated, baked, cooked, set up, washed dishes, served food, or cleaned up.... we thank you for all your efforts.

Fair proceeds have been distributed as follows: Anne Marie House, Jaiden's Angels, MUMC Mission Teams, MUMC mission apportionments to the conference.

We will be giving Fair updates throughout the year, so watch the bulletin and Outreach.

The Christmas Fair Donation Bin is located under the coat rack. We accept donations of the following items throughout the year:

Mason/Ball type jars for jams, jellies, relishes
Yarn (pastels colors always needed)
Christmas tins in like-new condition
Jewelry (recycle pieces you no longer wear)

Friday Night Ladies Bible Study

"Beautiful Things Happen When a Woman Trusts God" By: Sheila Walsh

Most Christian women live with a deep sense that they can't seem to get things right, that if only they could be a little better, life would straighten out. Through her own personal hardships, Sheila has learned that the Christian life is not about getting things right or back to "normal". She writes, "Christ comes not to get us out of our difficulties but to live in us through them." She wants to show women that God has a stunningly beautiful moment of redemption for them that leads to a lifetime of peace and joy.

Sheila's book is being released in February. She will also be speaking here in NH at the Calvary Bible Church in Derry, NH on March 26th and March 27th. Several of the women in our congregation plan to attend. See p. 9 for details.

If you would like to join us in this upcoming bible study, starting in March, please contact Rita Lines no later than February 14th so that a book can be ordered on your behalf. The cost of each book is \$15.00. Hope to have you join us for the study and event!

Afternoon Off Training on Saturday morning February 13th **By Carol Brooks**

On Friday's there is a special, caring outreach here at MUMC that serves our community members in a very practical way. Families caring for loved one's with Alzheimer's and other forms of dementia are able to have a few hours to themselves. Trained volunteers here at MUMC care for our guests who enjoy trivia, music, puzzles, snacks, crafts and games during the three hours on Friday afternoons. Volunteers go away feeling rewarded and somehow refreshed knowing that their time was well spent. Family members get a short, but well deserved break from their everyday care giving responsibilities. The next training session for volunteers is planned for Saturday February 13th from 9:00 am until noon. Volunteers need to be available from 11:30-3:30 on Friday's at least once or twice a month. We are especially in need of male volunteers at this time. Contact Carol Brooks if you are interested in volunteering or know of a family who could use a break.

Workshop by Leslie Coates: I Love to Tell the Story Would you like to bring your lay-reading to new heights? Would you like to breathe life into reading the scripture out-loud? Whether a nervous beginner or a seasoned pro, this workshop equips readers with tools for preparation and delivery of Sunday morning readings and other public speaking.

Please sign up for one of the 2 workshop dates. Each workshop is limited to 15 participants max, so that each person will have time to practice at the microphone. We strongly urge anyone wishing to participate in the Maundy Thursday service, to attend one of the following workshops!

Saturday Workshop: March 13, 1:00-3:00 p.m.

Sunday Workshop: March 14, 1:00-3:00 p.m.

Please sign up in the lobby or on-line at djaquith@safe-mail.net. This event is being sponsored by the Evangelism committee, as part of their ongoing commitment to Liturgist training. Please note that this workshop will in no way duplicate what was presented at the Liturgist Training workshop in March 2009. For questions, please speak to Les directly, or call Diane Jaquith at 673-8093.

SHARE Food Pantry **By Carolyn Momonee**

For the month of February, MUMC will be collecting the following items to donate to SHARE: Dental products-toothpaste & brushes, floss as well as brown paper bags and cloth bags. Please place your contributions in the big basket in the lobby.

Guess Who Answer:
Mary Tyler-Wall

Finance Committee By Jake Jaquith

Our collections in December of this year were less than last year's level when 18% of your 2008 budget came in during December. Our regular and Christmas offerings were less than expected. We are current on all bills as of 12/31 except our apportioned Mission Shares. We were only able to meet 10 of the 12 months apportionment this year; being \$4950 short of our full apportionment. In 2007 and 2008 we were able to pay our Mission Shares in full.

MUMC finished the year with a low but positive balance in our general fund. Income in January has been low due to normal winter weather and the state of our economy. The pastor's discretionary fund has reasonable funds and mortgage payments are current.

We will begin our general fund stewardship drive in April finishing in May. The 2010 budget that has been approved has only a 1% increase, due to expenses such as conference apportionments we do not control.

Our goals for 2010 are to conserve cash, seek another reduction in the mortgage rate, and complete the audits of past years that have not yet been done. We are working with the Trustees to develop a financial and operating plan for repair to the parsonage. The Finance Committee is in need of people to assist in the audits.

Financially Speaking

As of December 31, 2009

Income toward Budget accounts	\$24,587.61
Expense-budget accounts	\$34,203.28
Balance in General Fund	\$ 2,502.18
Mortgage Fund Income	\$11,912.00
Outreach and Mission giving	
Mission Shares (2 months)	\$12,378.00
Discretionary Fund	\$ 525.00
Mission and Outreach Fund	\$ 1,940.00
Afternoon Off Program	\$ 625.00
Special Offerings	\$ 677.00
Katrina Mission Trip	\$ 2,328.00
Total	\$18,473.00

2010 Offering Envelopes

The offering envelopes for 2010 have been distributed. However, there are still envelopes available so if you would like a box, please contact Natalie Parker at 654-9493 or leave your request with the office. There are also individual envelopes for the Mortgage Fund only (labeled Rising Above – A Joyful Journey) which can be found at the Welcome and Information table in the foyer.

It continues to be very important that you identify on the memo line of your check or on the envelope how you wish to have your contribution applied. If there is no designation, it is assumed your contribution is intended for general church expenses.

Women's Ministries of Calvary Bible Church, 144 Hamsptead Rd, in Derry
will be hosting its Eighteenth Annual Ladies Day Apart

Again this year it will be a one day event, but held on two consecutive days.

You may come either:
Friday, March 26th
or
Saturday, March 27th

We are thrilled to announce the speaker this year will be

SHEILA WALSH

"Beautiful Things Happen When Women Trust God"

As many of you are aware, Sheila is a featured speaker with "WOMEN OF FAITH" with over 4 million women in attendance. Sheila has a powerful testimony, immense biblical knowledge, is a recording artist gifted with a beautiful voice, an author, and a powerful inspirational communicator.

There is a brochure available to take on the Welcome and Information table in the MUMC narthex. Another copy is available to view on the bulletin board outside of the office. Several ladies from our congregation do plan to attend, so if you are interested in carpooling, please contact Rita Lines. Also see details of the upcoming study by Sheila Walsh with the Friday Night Ladies Bible Study on p. 6 of this newsletter.

LADIES...If you are interested in a ladies group working toward a healthy life style (diet, exercise, recipes, etc) please call Carol Rowlette @ 673-5403 or email carolleero@aol.com and we will schedule a meeting to discuss the development of this group.

Sunday School News

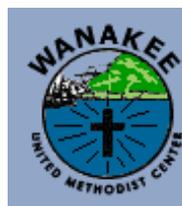
By Shelly Frost

For the months of January & February the children grades pre-k - 6th grade have been learning the stories of Daniel, as the 7th grade - 12th continue the "Claim the Life" series.

Adult Sunday started a new series in January taught by Steve Kimner. If there is anyone interested in teaching Adult Sunday school or have any topics of interest, please contact Deb Mentch or anyone from the Education team.

With the recent devastation in Haiti, the Sunday school children are being asked to help "Tents for Haiti", the children can save money, in their cross banks, and bring in their savings to deposit into the tent, which has been displayed during the opening. The people of Haiti have no homes and very little shelter. The tiny tent is a symbol of hope for people who need shelter until new homes can be rebuilt. Other goods may be collected later, please check the bulletins for more specifics.

Noise Offering will follow each service on the second Sunday of each month. This offering of spare coins will benefit the Wanakee Scholarship Fund that helps youth to participate in our United Methodist summer camp located in Meredith, NH. If you prefer to write a check, make it payable to Milford United Methodist Church with the memo "Wanakee Scholarships."



Wanakee

The Wanakee Concert Series was delayed in starting by one month. Don't miss The Eclectic Classical Woodwind Quintet in concert right here at the Milford United Methodist Church, 327 North River Road, Milford NH on Sunday, February 28 at 3:00 pm. Members of the Quintet include Nancy Tong and Kim Thibodeau.

(Concerts are usually held on the 4th Sunday of each month at 2 pm.) Please note that February 28th is starting at 3:00 p.m.

All concerts are FREE although donations to our scholarship fund are gratefully accepted. The entire family is welcome to attend. Free refreshments will be served after the concert. Come join us for a fun afternoon.

The Wanakee Boosters exist to promote and provide information about the joys of attending summer camp at Wanakee United Methodist Center along the shore of Lake Pemigewasset, in Meredith, New Hampshire. The Wanakee Boosters raise money throughout the year to provide scholarships for those who want to attend summer camp.

Contact Mary Tyler-Wall at 878-0664 or marytw2009@gmail.com for more information.

Youth Group
By Steve Kimner

January was a fun filled month for our middle and high school groups. We have played games and had a great time just hanging out. The middle school group learned a bit about the gospel of Mark by doing a search for answers and sharing those answers with the group. They also played games and went sledding with the high school group. The high school group has had an active outdoor schedule by playing outdoors in the snow and skating. Too bad the bonfire Mr. Knapp started didn't really get going until we had to leave for the night. Better luck next time with getting it started.

If you are looking for something to do on a Sunday evening, come check us out. Bring a friend, and always bring a willing spirit.

Here is what is on tap for February:

- 7th- Senior home visitations
- 14th- Study of Mark for MS, and Mission Trip Prep for HS
- 21st- Vacation- no Youth Group
- 28th- Movie Night- movies to be determined by group members

You can find the complete list of activities on the MUMC web site (www.milfordumc.org) under the ministries header at the top of the page. You can also find the youth group page on Facebook at www.facebook.com and you can ask to join our group.

If you have any questions about what we are doing or who can participate, please contact one of the youth leaders. See you soon!

Youth in Mission Team
By Becky Ladeau

The Youth in Mission Team is pleased to share that our 2010 mission trip plans are underway. We have a record number of youth attending this year's trip to Owego, NY from July 25-31, 2010.

Our group consists of 21 youth from our church and local communities. With record youth comes record fundraising and financial goals, however, as in years past, we know that God is good and we'll reach our \$12,000 fundraising goal.

Please look for our upcoming events and announcements to support our mission team. We would ask for your prayers as we begin to study and plan together. We are excited about the possibilities that await our youth as they work together to discover and share the joy of serving Jesus Christ. Please feel free to contact Becky Ladeau with any questions. Save Saturday, March 6th on your calendar for the Spaghetti Supper. Check the Narthex and bulletins for more information.

Anniversaries and Birthdays

Happy Birthday to:

Suzanne Randlett	Feb 6
Krystal Schmidt	Feb 7
George Driscoll	Feb 8
Katrina Caldwell	Feb 8
Steve Kimner	Feb 9
Zachary Landis	Feb 11
Angela Goff	Feb 12
Wendy Getchell-Lacey	Feb 14
Roberta Randlett	Feb 16
Sean Murphy	Feb 17
Julie Landis Baker	Feb 21
Eric Trabucco	Feb 22
Cameron Randlett	Feb 22
Billy Balzano	Feb 24
Nathan Kimner	Feb 27
Jaiden Schmidt	Feb 28
Deanna Berkebile	Feb 29

No Anniversary's this month If you would like to be included in the birthdays and anniversary list, please contact the church office.

Haiti Giving as of 1/19

Pastor Tom

Thrilled to announce that MUMC members and friends have already donated over \$2,000 towards Haiti earthquake relief. We'll be announcing plans for a church-wide effort to assemble Health Kits soon so keep your eyes open. Keep praying and answering the call for compassionate generosity! As always, I am proud to be your pastor!

Winter Storm Policy Winter has arrived and so has the snow and ice. The winter storm policy is that we do everything humanly possible to have Sunday worship every Sunday. Rarely, though, it might be better to cancel services. In the event of bad weather, Pastor Tom will make the decision by 7:00 am at the latest if we need to cancel so that we can alert WMUR to be included in their list of cancellations. You can watch the list of closing at the bottom of the screen on WMUR (channel 8 for most area residents) or go to WMUR.com.

On Sundays when there is snow on the ground and worship is on, please use your discretion as to whether you should be out and about.

Church Office Hours

Monday's 9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.
Tuesday's and Wednesday's 10:30 am-5 pm
Thursday's from 9:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

Most days there is someone in the office before and/or after these hours, but it would be best to call ahead to check if you need to get into the building.

***Please note that there are no office staff hours on Friday's.**

Church Email addresses

Pastor Tom	pastor@milfordumc.org	
Marian Kopp, Office Support:	office@milfordumc.org	please submit bulletin info
Carol Brooks, Office Manager:	carol@milfordumc.org	please submit newsletter info
Leslie Coates, Ministry Director:	leslie@milfordumc.org	

February 2010 Calendar

	1 7 Cell Group	2 10-2 Milford Area Seniors	3 9:30 White Tops 1 pm Lamp-lighter's Bible Study	4 5:15 Kids bells 6 Adult bells 6:15 Children's Choir 6:40 Youth Choir 7 Cell group 7:30 Chancel choir	5 12-3 pm Afternoon Off 7:30 Praise Team	6 8-4 Kitchen/Narthex Missions Pizza Making 10-11:30 Cantata Rehearsal Sanctuary
7 Boy Scout Sunday 8:30 Contemporary Worship 9:30 Sunday school 10:45 Traditional Worship 4:30 Jr Hi Youth 6 Sr High Youth	8 7 Evangelism 7 Outreach 7 Cell Group	9 10-2 Milford Area Seniors 7 Trustees	10 9:30 White Tops 1 pm Lamp-lighter's Bible Study 7 Master Planning (Trustees) 7 Stephen Ministry Supervision	11 5:15 Kids bells 6 Adult bells 6:15 Children's Choir 6:40 Youth Choir 7 Cell group 7:30 Chancel choir	12 12-3 pm Afternoon Off 7:30 Praise Team	13 9-12 Afternoon Off Training 10-11:30 Cantata Rehearsal Sanctuary
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Worship times

8:30 Contemporary Worship

9:30 Sunday School

10:45 Traditional Worship

Free childcare

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Milford United Methodist Church

Discover the Joy!

Our Mission: The Milford United Methodist Church exists to help people discover the joy of knowing and serving Jesus Christ.

Our Vision: We will help people discover the joy of knowing and serving Jesus Christ by:

- Providing joyful and meaningful worship experiences.
- Establishing and encouraging small groups for study, support, prayer, fellowship and service.
- Empowering people to discover, develop, and deploy their gifts for ministry.
- Reaching out beyond our congregation in Christian love and service.

Our Values: We commit ourselves to:

- Know scripture and live it.
- Act with integrity.
- Be faithful to Jesus Christ, our families, and our church family.
- Strive for excellence in all we do for the Lord.
- Celebrate the ministry of all Christians, lay and ordained.
- Treat all people with respect and sensitivity.
- Encourage people to grow in Christ.
- Care for the spiritual, emotional, and physical needs of all people.