

**OPPORTUNITIES FOR THIS WEEK**

**SUNDAY April 5**

9:45 am...Church School  
11:00 am...Worship Service

**MONDAY April 6**

8:00 pm...AA/AI Anon/AI Al/teen

**TUESDAY April 7**

7:00 pm...Circle #1 with Lois Fowler

**WEDNESDAY April 8**

6:00 pm...MYF  
6:45 pm...Aldersgate Bible Study  
7:15 pm...Chancel Choir  
8:15 pm...Worship Band

**THURSDAY April 9**

7:00 pm...Maundy Thursday Service-  
In fellowship hall

**FRIDAY April 10**

**SATURDAY April 11**

**SUNDAY April 12**

6:30 am...Sunrise Service and Breakfast  
9:45 am...Church School  
11:00 am...Easter Worship Service

**CHURCH CONTACT INFORMATION**

Church Office .... (336) 299-6330 or (336) 299-2513  
Parsonage..... ..(336) 299-6339  
Pastor's Cell..... ..(336) 681-8804  
Pastor's Email: ... Donna@hinshawumc.org  
Program/Youth Director: jim@hinshawumc.org  
Administrative Assistant: jim@hinshawumc.org  
Church Web Address: hinshawumc.org

**Any time you would like Rev. Smith to visit with you, please contact her and she will be glad to arrange a time to visit with you.**

**RESTROOMS**

The Women's restroom is located on the Sanctuary-level of the Sanctuary Building. Go through the door to the left of the altar and the restroom will be the last door on your left.

The Men's restroom is located on the basement-level of the Sanctuary Building. It is located immediately below the women's restroom.

**NURSERY** The Nursery is located on the second floor of the education building (above the fellowship hall).

**OUR FAITHFULNESS**

**March 29, 2009**

**ATTENDANCE**

**Worship 87**  
**Study Groups 52**  
**(includes Sunday School)**

**Regular Offering**

**\$2,388.74**

**Building Fund**

**\$115.00**

**Easter Lily Mission Fund**

**\$85.00**

**Roof & Steeple**

**\$250.00**

**Singers Fund**

**\$25.00**

**UMCOR—One Great Hour of Sharing**

**\$10.00**

**Greensboro Urban Ministry**

**\$10.00**

**Hunger Pots**

**\$95.00**

**A complete Hinshaw financial update will appear in each Hinshaw Church Newsletter. This newsletter is mailed to the entire congregation and it is also available on-line: [www.hinshawumc.org](http://www.hinshawumc.org)**

**OLD SUNDAY SCHOOL LITERATURE AND DEVOTIONAL MATERIAL.**

Please save your old literature and place it in the box next to the Greensboro Urban Ministry clothing barrels or bring them to the church office. The material will be taken and distributed on ASP 2009.

OUR MINISTRY TEAM	
Ministers.....	The Congregation
Pastor.....	Rev. Donna Smith
Program/Youth Director.....	Mr. Jim Waynick
Choir Director.....	Ms. Lyn Koonce
Church Custodian.....	Mr. Steve Benoit

**TODAY'S**

**WORSHIP ASSOCIATES**

**Hospitality Host**

Warren Haeling

**Ushers**

Wiley Reddick, Mike Hardeman,  
Henry Sadler, Steve Smith

**Greeters**

Ray Grant and Roy Grant

**Nursery**

Bright & Juliana Abonuhi

**Nursery Next Week**

Jim Brentnell & Mary Beth Page

**If you would like to help in the nursery, become a greeter or usher please contact Jim Waynick.**



**Hinshaw United Methodist Church**

*"Sharing the Love of Jesus Christ with All People"*

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*Welcome...*  
...To All who need the Love and the Grace of Our Heavenly Father,  
the Care of Christian Friends, and A Place to Serve God.

**April 5, 2009**

**Eleven O'clock**



**Palm Sunday**  
**COMING TOGETHER TO PRAISE GOD**  
*\*Congregation Stand As You Are Able*

**WELCOME VISITORS!**

Welcome to our fellowship. We thank God you are with us. Please fill out a visitor's card located in the pew rack and place it in the plate during the offering.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**MESSAGE FOR CHILDREN**

Mr. Jim Waynick

**\*THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

Leader: The grace and peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

**People: And also with you.**

*(The Prelude is meant to be a time of quiet reflection as we prepare for worship.)*

**PRELUDE**

"Prelude in C Minor"

Alexander Morovsky

**THE LIGHTING OF THE ALTAR CANDLES**

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: We come to prepare for the holiest of weeks.

**People: We will journey through praise, with joy on our lips;**

**We will travel through betrayal and death, cradling hope deep in our hearts.**

Leader: Jesus leads us through this week, and we will follow, for he is the life we long for,  
He is the Word who sustains us.

\*OPENING SONG OF PRAISE "Rejoice Ye Pure in Heart" 160 UMH\*

PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERING

ANTHEM "Pie Jesu" Gabriel Faure  
Sarah Solomon, soprano

\*THE DOXOLOGY "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" 95 UMH\*

OFFERTORY PRAYER

\*HYMN OF PREPARATION "We Sang Our Glad Hosannas" 2111 FWS\*\*

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

**Lord, open our hearts and minds By the power of your Holy Spirit, That, as the Scriptures are read and your Word proclaimed, We may hear with joy what you say to us today. Amen.**

**LISTENING FOR A MESSAGE FROM GOD**

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE John 12:1-8 Pew Bible, NT page 106

SERMON "What Can We Offer?" Rev. Donna Strickland Smith

SILENT PRAYER

**RESPONDING TO GOD**

\*HYMN OF INVITATION "When Mary Poured a Rich Perfume" (See Insert)

\*DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

\*THE LIGHT OF CHRIST LEADS US INTO THE WORLD

\*BENEDICTION RESPONSE "At the Font We Start Our Journey" 2114 FWS\*\*

\*POSTLUDE "An American Hymn" Robert Lowry

\* **United Methodist Hymnal**

\*\* **The Faith We Sing, hymnal supplement**

***Our Prayer Concerns***

***Rehabilitation***

Edith Simpson Blumenthal Nursing & Rehab Center, Room 311,  
3724 Wireless Dr., Greensboro, NC 27455

***Health Care Facility / Homebound***

Frances Hartmann Heritage Greens, 801 Meadowood St. Room 128,  
Greensboro, N.C. 27409

Becky Johnson Sunnybrook Health Care, 25 Sunnybrook Rd. Rm 7A,  
Raleigh, NC 27610

Jessie Murphy Evergreens Nursing Home, 4007 W. Wendover Ave.,  
Rm 443, Greensboro, NC 27407

Yvonne Naim 811 Meade Dr, Greensboro, NC 27410

Kathleen Neal 4600 Laurel Run Dr., Greensboro, NC 27410 Tel# 286-0231

Joe Patrick #PCW-248, 701 Plantation Estates Drive,  
Mathews, NC 28105

Jack Rymer Rm. 205, Blumenthal Nursing Center,  
3724 Wireless Dr., Greensboro, NC 27455

Christine Suits Heritage Greens 801 Meadowood St., Rm.336,  
Greensboro, NC 27409

Charlotte Shepherd 5442 Pepperbush Ct, Sugar Hill, GA 30518

Marion Thomas Heritage Greens 801 Meadowood St., Rm.307,  
Greensboro, NC 27409

Annie Laura Turner Meadow View Terrace, Room 405, Clarksville, Va. 23927  
Phone:434-374-3972

Steve Wyrick Heartland Living and Rehab. Rm. 321A, 1131 N. Church St.,  
Greensboro, NC 27401

Please send mail to: 903 Eagle Rd, Greensboro, NC 27407

***Special Prayer Requests***

Kylie Bean, Blondell Bowman, Monica Butler, Bobby Coble, Mary Cook, Ray Grant, Evelyn Groome, Lee Hammonds, Kay Holland, Christine Jones, Linda Jones, Jane Kerr, Gene & Sybil Larimore, Jason Marshall, Michael Melvin Jr., Doris Moody, Tim Moody, Cheryl Myers, Sharon & Steve Myers, Jerry Neal, Kathleen Neal, Ruth Nesbitt, Angela Olsen, Jeremy Page, Marietta Roberts, Dennis & Donna Smith, Winston Smith, Bob Simmons, Christine Suits, Eddie Taylor, Doris Warren, Jackie Wilson, Jewel Wilson, Lib Wyrick.

If you wish to submit a name for special prayer or to remove a name, please call the church office, 299-6330.

We extend an extra special word of WELCOME to persons who are worshipping with us for the first time. We hope you will prayerfully consider making Hinshaw Church your church home.

**MISSIONS**

During Lent, please keep in mind our mission emphasis, Faith Action International House. This organization helps refugee families set up apartments to live in and so they are in need of new or gently used items such as bed linens, towels and washcloths, kitchen necessities such as pots and pans, dishes utensils, etc. Diapers and infant or toddler clothes are also needed. You can bring these to church any time through Easter. Leave them in the office or place them on the altar or in the right side transept. Thank you for your support of the mission program at Hinshaw.

We express Christian sympathy to the family of Billie & Ken Baynes. Ken's mother, Gladys Baynes, passed away on March 26th.

**MYRTLE BEACH AND OUTER BANKS TRIP**

On May 11th, we will board our church bus for a 5 day, 4 night trip to Myrtle Beach and the Outer Banks. First day (Monday) and night will be Myrtle Beach and a show. Tuesday we will travel to Morehead City and spend the night. Early Wednesday we will ride the ferry and travel to Okracoke Island and sightsee and in the evening take the ferry to Cape Hatteras. We will spend the third night in Buxton. Thursday we will travel to Kitty Hawk and sightsee and tour the Wright Brothers Memorial. Friday we will return to Greensboro.

The cost of the trip is \$200 per person. This includes bus transportation, four nights in motels and fees for the ferry. **Reservations for the trip are made with a check for \$200 per person payable to Fern Haeling. Cut off date for receiving reservations is April 12th.** Checks can be left at the church office or given to me. Come Join us and bring friends for an enjoyable and fun trip.

If you need further information, call me at 852-0622.

Fern S. Haeling  
4115 Stirrup Dr.  
Greensboro, NC 27407

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of persons: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_



**Our Cluster 2009**

**Lenten Wednesday Schedule**

2009 Lenten Wednesday Worship Schedule

The schedule of Wednesday noon Lenten Services is listed below:

April 8  
Asbury UMC  
2227 Pinecroft Road, Greensboro, NC 27407      12:00 noon Service 12:30 meal

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**EASTER LILY MISSION FUND**

This year the Missions Committee has designated donations to our Easter Lily Mission Fund to Faith Action International House. If you would care to make a donation in memory or in honor, please fill out the form below.

**PLEASE PRINT**

In Memory of \_\_\_\_\_

In Honor of \_\_\_\_\_

Given by \_\_\_\_\_

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Your Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Place your check and the completed form in an offering envelope marked for the lily mission fund and put it in the offering plate or turn it in at the church office. Make checks payable to Hinshaw UMC and mark it "Easter Lily Mission Fund".

**LAST DAY TO MAKE A LILY DONATION AND TURN IN THIS FORM IS MONDAY, APRIL 6TH**

## "WHEN MARY POURED A RICH PERFUME"

Verse 1:

When Mary poured a rich perfume on Jesus' weary feet,  
Her caring filled that humble room; the fragrance there was sweet.  
But full of anger, Judas said, "We could have used this more!  
Why was her gift not sold instead and given to the poor?"

Verse 2:

The Lord replied, "Leave her alone! She bought it for this day.  
This caring love that she has shown is faithful in God's Way.  
The poor will always be with you, but you will not have me."  
He blessed her and he thanked her, too, for giving lavishly.

Verse 3:

O, Christ, what can your people bring to show you thanks and love?  
You need no fragrant offering; for now you reign above.  
Since there will never cease to be the poor throughout the land,  
May we, your church, serve faithfully by offering them our hand.

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Come on Thursday night at 7:00 for a Holy Thursday Service. It will be held in the church fellowship hall. You will not want to miss the special presentation and the service of Holy Communion.

### **Holy Week Services**

—Palm Sunday 11:00 AM

—Maundy Thursday Service 7:00 PM in the fellowship hall

—Easter Sunrise Service 6:30 AM – Breakfast to follow: Please call the Church office by April 9th to reserve seats for breakfast.

—Regular Easter Service 11:00 AM