

**Thank You**

Dear First Presbyterian Church,

Christians Concerned sincerely thanks you for your generous donations throughout 2013. Thank you so much for thinking of us and for helping us to help others in our community.

Sincerely,

Barbara Armitstead, Executive Director

**Thank You**

Dear First Presbyterian Church,

Thank you for your kind support of \$100.00. We truly couldn't do this without you. Thanks for standing with Goodland and making a difference in the lives of these children.

In Christ,

David L. Dearing, President & CEO

**Thank You**

Dear Fellow Partners in Mission,

It's hard to believe that we are standing at the threshold of a new year. Indeed, as John testified in the Book of Revelation, God is "making all things new" (Rev. 21: 5)

As we begin a new year, I'm writing on behalf of Presbyterian World Mission to express our appreciation to you, your pastor, session, and congregation for your gracious and faithful support of our mission co-workers. On December 18, 2013, we received your gift of \$383.33 for Leslie & Cynthia Morgan.

Yours in Christ, Chris Roseland, Church Support Associate

**Thank You**

Dear First Presbyterian Church,

It is with great sense of personal joy that I say thank you for your generous gift to Dwight Mission.

With sincere gratitude,

Peter Newbury, Executive Director

LET US REMEMBER THOSE UNABLE TO ATTEND WORSHIP SERVICE WITH US.



DORA KIRK  
JACK MUNN  
AUDREY WAGGONER  
RACHEL LIVINGSTON



"Slice & Dice"

Don't Miss Out!

Mark your calendar for Saturday morning March 1<sup>st</sup> for our annual

"Slice & Dice" Party!



We will be cutting, slicing, dicing and bagging hams for the Spud Lunch again this year. Bring a cutting board and electric knife if you plan to dice- not needed if you plan to bag. We will start at 8AM and should be finished by Noon. Sign up sheet will be in the narthex soon.

Submitted by Lonnie McCain

**PRAYER CORNER**

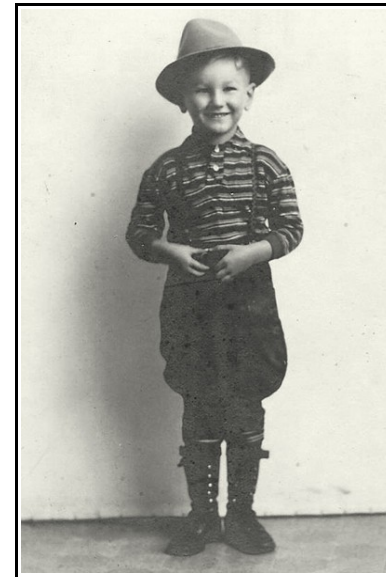
Let us keep our family and friends

in our prayers

- Lu Morgan
- Ron Twelves
- Pat & Colleen Winn
- Mary Cearley
- J.W. Newton
- Nita Dees
- Cindy Newton
- Sally Barthell
- Don Moody
- Ralph Gordon
- Robert Cowan
- Pat Hale
- Fallis Beall
- LaJuan Fleming

**Guess Who?**

Can you guess which member of your congregation this is?



If you have a photo of you or your spouse that you would like to submit for the guess who piece please bring it by the church office. Answer to this months photo will be printed in March F-A-W.

**Youth Food Harvest**

The "Food or Item of the Month" is

"Unfrozen Canned/Bottled Juice"

Each month will have a new food or item. Please bring your donation to the church on the **third Sunday of each month** to be delivered to Christians Concerned.



**Happy February Birthday!**

Let's Pray Prayers of Joy for These People on Their Special Day!



02/01 Marlin Holtmyer

02/03 Robert Bentley

02/11 Lois Harris

02/12 Vicki Zimmerman

02/18 Jack Frost

02/21 Robin Caldwell

02/21 Jeanne Perkins

02/21 Steve Reasor

02/23 Dale Pollock

02/27 Rachel Livingston

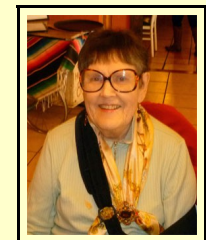


If we missed your Birthday, please let us know.

A lunch honoring February Birthdays will be held at El Palacio at noon on Wednesday, February 19th. Everyone is welcome.

Please call or email me your plans to attend and I'll contact the restaurant with our reservation each month. Thank you, Sally Telephone (580) 736-3910 or Email salsroom@jimbarthell.com

**A Very Happy January Un-Birthday!**



No one celebrating a birthday showed up in January - But luckily January 15 was everyone's un-Birthday! So, like Alice in Wonderland, we all celebrated! When is your un-Birthday? Please share it with us in February!



It's A Party & You're Invited !

Hillcrest Presbyterian Church OKC

Ann Frye will celebrate her 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday March 15 from

6600 S. Penn

11-2:00

\*\*No gifts please



**OFFICERS OF FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
DUNCAN, OKLAHOMA**

**ELDERS**

<u>Class of 2014</u> Joan Drake Steve Reasor	<u>Class of 2015</u> Pat Hale Bill McQuain	<u>Class of 2016</u> Robin Caldwell
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**DIACONATE**

<u>Class of 2014</u> Nancy Grantham Mike Stiels	<u>Class of 2015</u> Chip Woods Charles Coker	<u>Class of 2016</u> Martha Coker Charlotte Utley
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February 2014

**Clerks Corner**

Session met on January 14, 2014. Present were session members, Joan Drake, Pat Hale, Bill McQuain and Steve Reasor; Vicki Zimmerman, class of 2013; and new member Robin Caldwell, who will be installed on Feb 2nd. Also in attendance was moderator, Rev. Aaron Carland, Sue Gibbons, financial secretary, Bennie Drake, PNC and Personnel Chair, and Nancy Grantham, diaconate representative.

With installation on February 2nd in mind, the following officers attended and were examined by session: Robin Caldwell, session, Martha Coker and Charlotte Utley, diaconate. Mike Steil, who will be replacing Peggy Gilchrist and completing her diaconate term, was not available. Session will have a called meeting on Feb 2nd at 10:30 in order to examine Mike prior to installation during worship.

Session has been most grateful to the diaconate for all their help during the past year and for their offer of help with property and maintenance during the coming year. As the chair of property and maintenance, I started the new year with a 4 page list of mostly minor repairs that the safety inspector for our insurance company (Church Mutual) had sent to us. I gave the list to Nancy, she took it up with the diaconate and they are off and running. Thank you so much, guys! We don't want the diaconate to get bored. Ha!

While on the subject of property and maintenance, I have asked for three estimates (from Davis, Climate Control and Sellers) for a new a/c and heating unit for the sanctuary. This unit evidently also covers the narthex and some of the rooms upstairs. This will be quite an undertaking and not a cheap one. We were under the impression that we had a donor for this but that was not the case. We also asked for bids for new flooring which we need desperately. We can't do both so will need to get creative in raising some money for the flooring. It will be a challenge. Presbyterian Women will be starting their project in the kitchen instead of the ladies room. We decided the kitchen and fellowship hall would be seen by more people. The PW Council is meeting on the 20th and will come up with a start date and some kind of schedule.

Joan Drake was elected for a second term as clerk and Bill McQuain for a second term as treasurer. Session also had to designate two elders to serve on the nominating committee but only one needs to be currently serving on session. Bill McQuain will serve as chair and Vicki Zimmerman will serve as the other member needed. Vicki was also appointed as commissioner to Presbytery with Rosella serving as alternate. Pat Hale was appointed as the session member to personnel. We accepted with regret the resignation of Sue Beall as a member of session. Fallis needs her right now and she didn't feel that she could serve until he is on the mend. We are praying that he has a speedy recovery and that his pain will subside soon. Meanwhile, we will be beating the bushes for a candidate for session. It should not be that hard to find someone willing to serve.

We voted to have the annual meeting the 2<sup>nd</sup> of March. I am happy to report that I have all the committee reports. I appreciate that so much.

I would like to thank our Boy Scouts for taking down and putting away the large Christmas trees in the sanctuary. You don't know what an enormous help that was. Thank you so much!!

Until next time..... Blessings from your session!

*Submitted by Joan Drake*



We will be celebrating the Lord's Supper on **February 02, 2014** during the worship service.

**DEADLINE FOR NEXT FAW ENTRY IS  
February 21, 2014**

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