



THE BROOKSIDE CHRONICLE

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Room to Grow, Room to Serve, Room for You
An Open and Affirming Congregation

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***H.S. Group Invites You to a
Pancake Breakfast***

Saturday, Feb. 2, 7-10 am

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***Join Us on Ash Wednesday,
February 13:***

- 6:15 soup supper

- 7:00 worship



LENT BEGINS

***Our Theme: Travelers on the
Road to Jerusalem***

***"Prepared to Serve" Offers
Workshops Galore
at Pembroke Academy
on Saturday, February 23***

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From Dawn's Desk

Travelers on the Road to Jerusalem Lenten Offerings

Fifteen of us will be traveling to Israel on April 20-29, 3 from Temple Adath Yeshurun and 12 from Brookside. Until February 18, we have room for 2 more. The cost is \$3,810.45 inclusive of land and air travel and airport taxes. In preparation for the trip, the group has been meeting together to learn about the geography and history of Israel.



As a church, you, too, have been part of the travel theme in Advent and now in Lent, *Travelers on the Road to Jerusalem*. We will focus on some of the people and some of the human characteristics of people who traveled, and travel, to Jerusalem so there will be a spot on the Lenten itinerary for YOU!

Sunday worship will carry this theme, and also the Wednesday Lenten opportunities of 6:15 pm soup and bread supper, 7 pm Chapel Service, and 7:30 pm Study Group. On Wednesday evenings you may participate in all or some of what is offered, depending on your schedule. The study group will focus on the following biblical travelers: Abraham and Isaac, the widow and religious leaders, Judas, Peter, and Pilate. What are their stories? What do they teach us about ourselves? What do they show us about faith? These are some of the questions we will explore in our time together.

Do you know how far it is from Manchester to Jerusalem? 5,510 miles! And as a church, there is another Lenten offering where you participate on your own time schedule of adding to the miles needed to travel to Jerusalem. In this *Chronicle* (pg. 3-4, for tear-out) and in the narthex of the church are Lenten leaflets, *Travelers on the Road to Jerusalem*, that offer a health and wellness way of observing Lent. With attention to mind, body, and spirit, there are ways for each participant to “earn miles” by doing such things as walking a mile, attending worship, or choosing a healthy snack over a delectable sugary one (okay, you know what I like!). Each week the total number of miles earned is submitted in a common basket for your pastor to add together to see if we can earn what is needed to reach Jerusalem and maybe return! Results will be posted each week in the bulletin and the Bridge.

Another Lenten offering, sponsored by the Mission Ministry, is to bring a canned good every time you come to the church building. These offerings will go to New Horizons and make a big difference in helping to feed our neighbors. One Great Hour of Sharing, a special mission offering that reaches out in emergencies all over the world, including the United States, is received during Lent.

Why do we do extra during Lent when our lives are busy enough? Because: Lent has historically been a period for the preparation of people who wanted to be baptized into the faith and family of Jesus Christ. It has also been a time for the baptized to commit themselves to growing in faith and discipleship by practicing spiritual disciplines, e.g., biblical study, prayer, fasting, and concerted outreach to help others. The sacrifice of time is in response to the great sacrifice of Christ for us and our salvation. So, how are you observing Lent? Come and join the *Travelers on the Road to Jerusalem*.

Grace and peace, *Pastor Dawn*



Update on Pastor Dawn's Treatment Schedule

I have completed chemotherapy and began radiation on January 31. My visits to the Payson Center in Concord will be 5 days a week for 6 and a half weeks. I am scheduled for 8:45 in the morning, then I will head to work, arriving about 9:30 am. The most notable side effect will be fatigue that is cumulative toward the last weeks. I am finishing a week before Holy Week so I will be ready for the more intense schedule of Holy Week. Thank you for your cards, prayers, and support.

Travelers on the Road to Jerusalem

Welcome to the Journey!

This is a way of observing the Lenten Season. The idea is to promote spiritual, mental, and physical growth by counting miles walked, activities accomplished, and time spent in prayer. These activities can be converted into miles. Together as Brookside, we combine our activity miles and travel the 5,510 miles between Manchester and Jerusalem.

The Journey begins with the start of Lent on **Ash Wednesday, February 13**, and ends on **Easter, March 31**. During these next 7 weeks, record and submit your walking, activity, and/or prayer miles. The progress of the church will be kept on a world map. It will be fun to see how the church progresses together across the globe.

There are various possibilities to contribute miles to the church journey. You can walk, jog, pray, worship, contribute to a mission, or choose healthy foods.

Tracking your Travels

This leaflet is a travel guide for you. It contains devotionals, a travel log, information on mileage conversions, and a place for reflections to help you along your journey. Feel free to place the leaflet in a convenient place, like on the front of your refrigerator, to record your mileage each day. You may then submit your mileage for the week either by: emailing pastor@brooksidecc.org or leaving your mileage in the basket in the narthex.

Week One: Motivation

“I can do all things through Christ who gives me strength.” (Philippians 4:13)

Prayer: Say the Lord’s Prayer, a prayer that motivates you, or a spontaneous prayer.

Soul Exercise: 1. Come up with a motivation routine, either a phrase, a verse, an action that inspires you to get going. Do this routine every time you start your journey to get yourself excited for the trip ahead. 2. List all the excuses you can think of that will keep you from completing your journey. Turn these into positives.

Week Two: Community

“Now you are the body of Christ, and each one of you is part of it.” (1 Corinthians 12:27)

Prayer: Pray for someone that you know is going through hard times.

Soul Exercise: 1. Commit a random act of kindness today. If you enjoy it, do it again! 2. What community are you a part of? What do you like and not like about your community? What role do you play in your community? 3. Get to know someone in the church: write a letter, make a phone call, meet for lunch, take a walk together, etc...

Week Three: Respecting Yourself

“Do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit, who is in you, whom you have received from God? You are not your own; you were bought at a price. Therefore honor God with your body.” (1 Corinthians 6:19)

Prayer: Pray in thanksgiving for your health.

Soul Exercise: 1. Change your negative thoughts into positive thoughts. 2. Make a list of healthy things to do for yourself each day. 3. Describe what it means to you to be a child of God.

Week Four: Joy

“You have made known to me the path of life; you will fill me with joy in your presence, with eternal pleasures at your right hand.” (Psalm 16:11)

Prayer: Dear God, help me to find joy in my daily life.

Soul Exercise: 1. Read, watch or listen to something that makes you laugh, then share it with a loved one. 2. Make a list of what makes you feel grateful.

Week Five: Trust

“The LORD is my strength and my shield; my heart trusts him, and I am helped. My heart leaps for joy and I will give thanks to him in song.” (Psalm 28:7)

Prayer: God, give us grace to accept with serenity the things that cannot be changed, courage to change the things that should be changed and the wisdom to know the difference.

Soul Exercise: 1. Allow someone from your community to help when you need help. 2. What worries you? Make a list and decide which worries you can let go of, which you can act on, and which you give to God.

Week Six: Love

“And then these three things remain: faith, hope, and love. And the greatest of these is love” (1 Corinthians 13:13)

Prayer: Dear God, help me to remember to do everything with love.

Soul Exercise: 1. Who are the people that you love? How much of your day do you spend with the people you love? 2. Try to spend some extra time this week with the people you love. Don't forget to tell them you love them!

Week Seven: Sacrifice

“Here is a boy with five small barley loaves and two small fish, but how far will they go among so many?” (John 6:9)

Prayer: Jesus, I give you what I have and what I want to keep for myself, so that You may share it among others.

Soul Exercise: 1. Am I willing to commit out of the ordinary, intentional acts of selfless sacrifice so that God can turn my offering to God's glory? 2. Did you give up anything for Lent? What has this small sacrifice taught you?

Congratulations, you have completed the journey!

Mileage Conversion

25 minutes of slow walking OR 20 minutes of moderate walking = 1 mile

15 minutes of fast walking OR 10 minutes of jogging/running = 1 mile

15 minutes of aerobic exercise = 1 mile (This can include biking, swimming, vacuuming or heavy cleaning etc.)

2000 steps = 1 mile

20 minutes of Prayer/Bible Study/Adoration/Meditation = 1 mile

60 minutes of Worship = 3 miles

Making a healthy food choice = 1 mile

Choosing a fruit or vegetable instead of a cookie or chip = 1 mile

Drinking an extra glass of water = 1 mile

Keeping a Doctor's appointment = 2 miles

Changing a negative thought or action into a positive one = 1 mile

For every thought or mental exercise you do = 1 mile

Pay a compliment or tell someone you love them = 1 mile

Each act of kindness = 5 miles

Donating a food item = 1 mile

Serving in a mission, e.g. New Horizons = 5 miles

Donating to One Great Hour of Sharing = 10 miles

Personal Miles Log

Week 1 = _____

Week 4 = _____

Week 7 = _____

Week 2 = _____

Week 5 = _____

Week 3 = _____

Week 6 = _____

TOTAL = _____



Israel Travel Group Continues Preparations for April Trip

The Travelers to Israel will gather at Brookside, in the Manning House Parlor on **Monday, February 4**, 7-8:30 pm, to see a DVD on Jerusalem. On **Monday, February 11** from 7-8:30 pm (also in the Parlor) we'll meet with Inbar Kerin, an Israeli Shlichah, who will teach us some traveling Hebrew. Remember: final payments are due on **February 19**, our reservation number is **5697**. Call *Pastor Dawn* (**669-2807**) by February 15 if you have any questions about payments.

Wednesday Evenings in Lent

Join us for Lenten Supper at 6:15, Chapel Services at 7 pm and Study Group at 7:30 pm, "Travelers to Jerusalem"

- **February 13** – Ash Wednesday with the imposition of ashes, a 45 minute service, no study group this evening.
- **February 20** – Abraham and Isaac, followed by Mt. Moriah and the Jerusalem connection with Rabbi Beth Davidson.
- **February 27** – the widow and religious leaders, followed by Jerusalem and the Temple with Rabbi Beth Davidson.
- **March 6** - Judas
- **March 13** – Peter
- **March 20** – Pilate

Musical Exclamations from Music Director/Organist Kim Whitehead

Well, 2013 is off to an exciting start at Brookside! Thanks to Rod Leavell, the Chancel Choir had the wonderful opportunity to sing *God Bless America* at the Manchester Monarchs on January 20th. In fact, several of our choir members unknowingly had friends also attending the game who said we sounded great, and I totally agree! Many thanks to each member of the choir who was able to participate.

Don't forget, we are always seeking new members to any one of our choirs, including our new hand-bell choir, and now is a great time to join as we gear up for Lent and Easter! Hope to see you at one of our rehearsals soon!

Finally, if you were not in church when I announced the BIG news, I'm so excited to share that we are expecting our third child in June! It's a dream come true, and I'm truly looking forward to experiencing this special time in my life with my Brookside family!

Prepared to Serve Offers Mid-Winter Learning Opportunities

Saturday, February 23 at Pembroke Academy – This is an annual training event designed for all church members in the New Hampshire Conference United Church of Christ! This year's event offers a well-balanced workshop track, including Christian Education, Church Leadership, Caring Ministries and Service and Global Missions.

With over 70 workshops to choose from, there's sure to be something for everyone. For more information and to register (**February 15 deadline**), click on <http://www.cvent.com/events/prepared-to-serve-2013/event-summary-a3c6032a63e4438d93a8e4bb454425f8.aspx>. From there, you can register online, as well as link to the brochure listing the available workshops.



Keeping Tabs on Our Church School Program

February 3 is the last week that our workshops will focus on Heifer Project International. The workshops for this unit have been: *Hunger and the Bible* taught by Ann Auger; *Animals* taught by Amy Woloski; *People and Their Needs*, taught by Karen Horsch and Scott Milne; *Land and the Environment* taught by Ellen Tourigny; and one multi-age workshop, *Passing on the Gift*, taught by Fran Hakenson. Although the workshops will no longer focus on Heifer Project, we will be collecting money for a water buffalo until Easter.

Our next Unit will begin **February 10** and go to Easter, **March 31**. In this unit the children will be learning about Jesus calling the disciples. Jesus called disciples long ago and Jesus calls us to follow him today. The children will experience ways they can follow Jesus, and share Jesus' story with others.

Through February, March, April and May there are two vacation weeks with two Sundays each and a long weekend; on these Sundays we will have multi-age workshops. There will be no workshops on Easter. Vacations and long weekends and Easter fall in such an order this year that we only have two regular weekends between them. For these 2-week periods we will divide the children into two classes instead of four, and they will have regular workshops.

Brookside Nursery Keeps Little Ones Safe and Sound

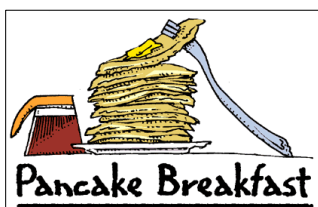
The Brookside Nursery is available every Sunday morning from 9:45 to the end of the church service, attended by a weekly volunteer and Junior Youth Group helper. If the Nursery is not needed by the beginning of the church service, the volunteer will be sitting in the back of the Sanctuary to assist any parents in need of Nursery care.

Volunteers for February are: Amy Waszeciak Feb. 3, Cindy Migliori Feb. 10 & 17 and Sally Sederquist Feb. 24. Any questions or volunteer opportunities may be directed to Fran Hakenson at franfce@brooksidecc.org or Sally Sederquist at gramX6@comcast.net.

Thank you, Sally Sederquist

Looking Ahead

On **Easter Sunday, March 31**, after worship at 11:30 we will have an Easter Egg Hunt for children 2nd grade and under. Watch the next *Chronicle* and Bulletins for more information on this event.



Come One, Come All to a Bountiful Brookside Breakfast!

On **Saturday, February 2**, start your day right at the Pancake Breakfast being put on by the Youth Group with help from Kerry Richardson. Anytime between 7-10 am, you can pay \$5 and have not only pancakes, but bacon & eggs, muffins, toast... the works! We hope you can come, whether before or after checking for groundhog shadows.

Summer Camp Is Back on Track – Check It Out!

We are excited that Horton Center will be back in operation this year, and Pastor Dawn will be a Dean for Grades 4-5-6 from July 31 to August 3! To learn more about camping opportunities, go to <http://www.hortoncenter.org/>.



Middle School 30-Hour Famine

The weekend of January 12 & 13, our Middle School Youth shared experiences of community service at Family Outfitters and learning about hunger throughout the world. They learned about the lives of young people in Afghanistan struggling with hunger, disease, crippling injuries, and limited opportunity for education – and about how to survive with limited access to water. They also learned about ways that they, and we, can help by supporting organizations like World Vision. This year a small group of girls raised \$305 to continue to help families feed hungry children and overcome poverty and injustice through the 30-Hour Famine.



Lenten Loaves and Fishes

During this time of economic difficulties those within our community who live on the edge are significantly impacted. In a recent letter of thanks for our monthly support of New Horizons, Mary Silva, Food Service Manager, shared that within the past year they have seen an increase of 32% in NH shelter usage and a 24% increase in those coming in for a hot dinner meal. As in past years, Mission Ministry asks that we of Brookside use this period of Lent to attend to these needs by bringing non-perishable food items each/every time you come to church.

Beginning on Ash Wednesday, February 13, through Easter Sunday, March 31, whether it be for worship, a study or discussion group, meeting, organizational gathering, or for any other reason, please remember those in need by bringing a donation of food.

56 Bags of Food – PLUS...

Between the events in December and the early January *Loaves & Fishes* collection, a total of 56 bags of groceries were delivered to New Horizons. Warm mittens, scarves and hats, and children's books were made available to families who received holiday food baskets, with leftovers donated to the Thrift Shop. A large box of fresh potatoes and carrots was delivered to Webster House. Thanks to all who contributed during the Christmas season.

Pictured are some of the volunteers from Brookside Church who helped out at New Horizons for our Day of Service on January 21. See related picture and "thanks" on the next page.





Faithful Stewards Corner

Our thanks to the following folks who helped out at our Day of Service on January 21. The first group listed below went to New Horizons and worked in the food pantry, peeled potatoes, made salads for the daily meal, cleaned, arranged flowers, etc.

- *Heath Auger, Dawn & Greg Berry, Bob & Sis Dunn, Jeff Fletcher, Denise & Joe Forest, Gail Goodman, Fran Hakenson, Anne Lachance, Rod Leavell, Pete Lovejoy, Nancy Popp, Laura & Roger Sevigny, Dale Trombley, Cilva Tanguay, Amy Waszeciak, and Melody Whitcher.*
- Thanks also to the youth group members who participated in Brookside's Day of Service by working at Families in Transition (FIT), sorting, hanging and pricing clothing for the Outfitters store. Our youth were: *Meg and Andrew Cleary, Rejoice and Thoko Dhliwayo, Matt Dube, Alex and Aaron Kivikoski, Kate and Sarah Stantial. Tom Cleary and Kathleen Dube* also helped out. It was a good turnout, and they really appreciated our help!

In other areas, we appreciate:

- *Sally Sederquist*, for helping coordinate nursery care for Sunday mornings.
- *Compassionate Friends*, for sprucing up the Youth Lounge (Room C) with two couches and one chair to replace some of the older, "tired" furniture.

If any ministry member has someone to mention for the "Faithful Stewards Corner," send their names to Pastor Dawn by the 15th of each month for the Chronicle.



Holy Communion

The sacrament of Communion will be celebrated on **Sunday, February 3**, served by: *Jeff Fletcher, Denise Forest, Chris Taylor, Megan Brockett, Judy Foley, and Scott Milne.*

Interested in Membership?

New members will be received into the congregation on **Sunday, April 14**. If you would like to be included in that group of folks who are becoming covenant members, please speak with *Pastor Dawn* (669-2807, ext. 101 or pastor@brooksidecc.org).

If You Would Like to Schedule a Baptism

Please speak with *Pastor Dawn* (see contact info. above) to make arrangements for Baptism.

There's Room for You in 'Called to Care'

Over the past year, 50 volunteers from our church community have sent cards, made a meal for a new parent or someone recovering from surgery or illness, visited shut-ins, knitted prayer shawls, and sent care packages to our college students. Thank you to all who have made this ministry so fruitful, a tangible way that we can show God's love to each other. Our special thanks to Becky Boisvert and Connie Jowdy for leading the card ministry, Rosemary Hoysradt for leading the Prayer Shawl ministry, and Sis Dunn for coordinating meals. If you have not been involved, we need you to help grow and expand this ministry. If you would like to assist with one of our established ministries or have ideas about how Called to Care can be responsive to the needs of our congregation, we want to hear from you. Please speak with Martha Cushing or Sarah Duffley at church or call Martha at 669-8368 or email Sarah at duffleytaylor@gmail.com.



Card Shower Bathed Her in Love...

I want to thank everyone for the lovely cards and greetings that I received for my 85th birthday just before Christmas – they were a wonderful surprise! I feel very blessed to be part of such a caring and friendly community.

Ethelda Chamberlain

Women's Union Still on Hiatus

Remember, we won't meet in February... but plan to come to our next meeting on **Thursday, March 21** (note change of date) for our famous corned beef dinner and program, *Murder Mystery with the "Silver Stars."* Details will be in Sunday bulletins and the *March Chronicle*.



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Please submit all items for the March *Chronicle* by **Friday, February 15**. You can deliver them in person, send them by mail, or e-mail them to: nicoleg@brooksidecc.org. Thank you.



To Your Health!

The Parish Nurse has hours here every week, on Thursdays from 10:00 to 11:30 am in Room D. Avail yourself of free nurse consultation, blood pressure checks, health information, referrals and more. Be sure to check out the Parish Nurse bulletin board across from Room E to learn about events throughout Manchester!

Weather Policy: when Manchester Schools are closed due to inclement weather, the Parish Nurse Office will be closed – and the nurse will not be here.

If You're Hospitalized...

Remember to call the church office (669-2807) if you want the pastor to know that you're in the hospital. Due to federal law, hospitals are not permitted to provide us with this information.



Worship and Bible Readings for February

Each issue of the *Chronicle* features monthly Bible readings, so that you can read and reflect on your own, at a time that suits you best. Following is the worship outline for February.



February 3

Christian Testament Luke 9:28-43a

☞ Sermon: "Astounding Hope and Crippling Powerlessness on the Way"

February 17 – Lent 1

Hebrew Scriptures Psalm 91:1-2, 9-16
Christian Testament Luke 4:1-13

☞ Sermon: "Defining Self: Jesus in the Wilderness"

February 10

Christian Testament 1 Corinthians 13:1-3

☞ Sermon: "The Greatest of These"

February 24 – Lent 2

Hebrew Scriptures Psalm 27
Christian Testament Luke 13:31-35

☞ Sermon: "Prophets"



DEACONS OF THE WEEK

February 3

Jeff Fletcher
Chris Taylor

February 10

Debi Rapson
Scott Milne

February 17

Scott Milne
Megan Brockett

February 24

Megan Brockett
Judy Foley

DOORPERSON

February 3

Cayer Family

February 10

Stantial Family

February 17

Gary Traham

February 24

Tourigny Family

USHERS

February 3

Greg Berry
Erin LaPorte
Ashtyn Milling
David Gates

February 10

Pete Lovejoy
Dawn Brockett
Don Waldrup
Rejoice Dhliwayo

February 17

Richard Rodman
Bill Hoysradt
Rosemary Hoysradt
Rand Cayer

February 24

Kathleen Dube
Bob Howard
Donna Howard
Roger Sevigny

ACOLYTES

February 3

Sam Boisvert

February 10

Derrick Dixon

February 17

Sarah Stantial

February 24

Andrew Auger

READERS

February 3

Jason Davison

February 10

Heath Auger

February 17

Herb Pence

February 24

Denise Forest

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

The objective of *The Brookside Chronicle* is to disperse church news; inspire people to a new awareness; and interpret the ministry of our church. We will be faithful to the truth, honest and caring, and strive for accuracy.

The *Chronicle* staff appreciates and welcomes input from all organizations, boards, officers, members and friends of Brookside Congregational Church. We reserve the right to edit, cut or leave out articles according to available space, timeliness and priority.

Fellowship Hour Schedule

Members of Christian Formation set up weekly. Clean-up schedule is as follows:

- **Feb:** Officers/At Large
- **Mar:** Stewardship Ministry
- **Apr:** Mission Ministry



A Look at Finances

Any questions regarding the detail of the treasurer's report below may be directed to *Gail Goodman* at **656-9038**, or e-mail her at ggoodman@elliott-hs.org.

TREASURER'S REPORT

For the period ending December 31, 2012

Actual vs. Budget

Month	Actual	Budget	Var.
Total Income	36,375	34,353	2,022
Total Expenses	41,495	33,571	7,923
Net Gain (Loss)	(5,120)	782	(5,902)
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Year-to-date	Actual	Budget	Var.
Total Income	338,773	338,089	684
Total Expenses	335,178	342,641	(7,463)
Net Gain (Loss)	3,595	(4,552)	8,147
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Total YTD Pledges	Actual	Pledges	Var.
	165,667	168,228	(4552)

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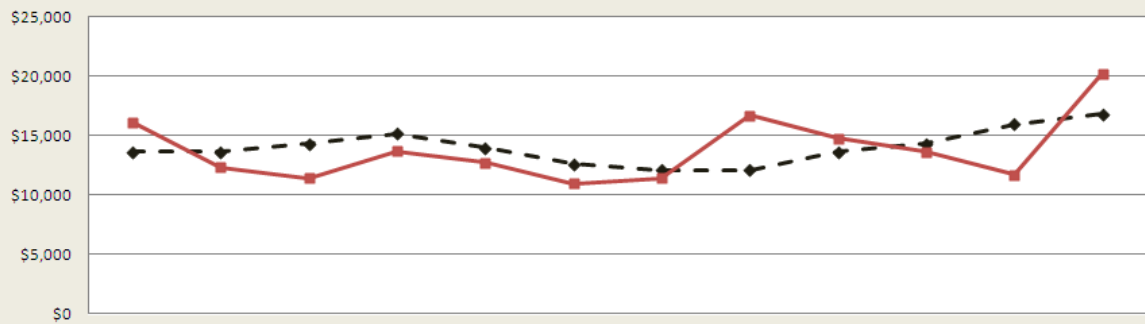
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Please remember that the pastor is frequently called away, or may have other commitments during the day. It is best to call first if you need to speak with her.

Thank you for walking with Brookside. The gift of your time, talent, and treasure helps miracles happen! Please consider a pledge if you have not yet done so. A pledge form may be downloaded from our website, www.brooksidecc.org.



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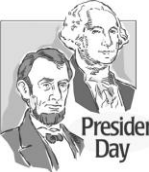
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Thanks to all who serve in so many capacities.

February, 2013	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>→ <i>Note: Generally, only church-related activities are listed here; however, be aware that many outside groups use space in our facility on a regular basis, as well.</i></p> <p><i>A full calendar of events is available on our website, www.brooksidecc.org; click to any page and find the link on the left side.</i></p>					1 <i>Pastor's Day Off (PDO)</i>	2 7-10 am Pancake Breakfast 9:00 am Thrift Shop
 <p><i>N.B. Fran Hakenson will be away Feb. 19-25.</i></p>						
3 9:00 am Chancel Choir Rehearsal 9:00 am H.S. Youth Group 10:00 am Worship (Communion; <i>Loaves & Fishes</i>) 11:15 am Junior Choir Rehearsal 11:30 am <i>Ones in Friendship</i> Group	4 Noon "Hearts & Hands" craft group 1:30 pm Worship, Evergreen Place 7:00 pm Israel Trip Class	5 6:30 pm Christian Formation	6 6:00 pm Handbell Choir 7:30 pm Chancel Choir	7 9:00 am Thrift Shop 10:00 am Parish Nurse	8 <i>PDO</i>	9 9:00 am Thrift Shop
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