

Greenmont-Oak Park
Community Church
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Graduates recognized—June 10, @ 10:45 worship

Ruth Fulmer Retirement Celebration—Sun. 2 PM

WORSHIP LEADER:

June 10 — Jane Simmons

June 17— Youth group

GREETER:

June — Anna Slaidins

Office Hours

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Youth Leader: Sheri Parrett

Admin. Chairperson:
Brad Medlin

Choir Director:
Rob Duerr

Organists:
Jacque Fisher
Mary Jane McBride
Shelley Outlaw

Chapel Worship: 8:45 AM
Morning Worship: 10:45 AM
Sunday School: 9:30 AM
Bible Adventure: 10:45 AM

Ushers:

8:45 AM	10:45 AM
Gary Etter	Jerry Archer
Arlene Uldrich	Bob Karl
Charlene Brown	

Search committee update

I would like to thank the members of the search committee for all of their hard work, and the congregation for their patience during this process. The process is moving along nicely and on time. This may not be visible to members of the congregation but please be rest assured that the committee is working very hard. I would encourage the church to support and encourage this process as I feel it will only make us a stronger better church in the future. The search committee reports to the board from time to time on their progress. I have requested that the minutes from all board meetings be posted on the bulletin board outside of the pastors office so that members of this church can see what the board and all committees are doing. I hope this will help people stay informed and know that the board and the committees are all moving forward with this process. I would ask anyone with any questions to please contact me and not anyone from the search committee. I can be reached at 416-6285 or bradleymedlin@sbcglobal.net. GOD bless Brad

And the winner is....

The winner is Pentecost and by a landslide at that. The early church picked it as one of the big three celebrations of the year, alongside Christmas and Easter. A major reason is its special importance.

There was, of course, no shortage of events the early church could have chosen to single out as very special occasions. Consider, for example, Jesus' ascending to God (Ascension Sunday), or the calling of the disciples (disciples Sunday), or Jesus curing people's infirmities (Healing Sunday).

Pentecost won out, I think, because it celebrates the outcome of Christmas and Easter. Jesus came to suffer, die and rise from the dead so that we might have life through him. The gift of God's presence with us, the gift of the Holy Spirit, is the beginning of that life. It means being included and accepted into God's family and is the foretaste of all things wonderful from the God who loves us deeply. No wonder Pentecost is one of the "big three" events the early church chose to celebrate with special joy and recognition. - J Beiesemeier, Lexinton, MO (shared from the Newsletter, Newsletter)

Rev. Smitley's Health Update

On Monday, June 4, Rev. Smitley had a Cardiac Cath. Procedure. They found two blockages and were able to offer care by improving the blockages with a balloon procedure and a stint procedure. His recovery is going well, and he will be back to work by the end of the week. He appreciates the many prayers that have been offered for him.

Attendance May 27, June 3 2012

8:45 — 22, 26
10:45 — 63, 75
Sunday school —

Offering—operating income

(Monthly budget need is \$14,958)

	Income rec'd	+/- Amt.
Dec. '11	- \$ 32,991	+ \$18,033
Jan. '12	- \$12,947	-\$2,011
Feb. '12	- 10, 593	-\$4,365
Mar. '12	- \$11,348	-3,610
Apr. '12	- \$13,679	- 1,279



Happy Birthday

"D" Slaidins—June 8
Mary Walker—June 8
Phil Brown—June 9
Colleen Karl—June 9
Sheri Parrett—June 10
Brian Parrett—June 11
Niles Jay—June 11
Ben Hager—June 12
Robert Jay—June 12
Doris Alexander—June 13
Nikki Taylor—June 15

In Our Prayers

Glenda Boddie	Angie Brooks
Ron Brown	John Butts
Jim Coleman	
Michelle Conn	DeAnn Decker
Cletta Dicks	CeCe (Cobb) Cole
Jerry Edwards	Jamie Geswein
Beverly Guffey	Jeanie Guffey
David Goldberg	Ken Hambrick
Chris Heine	

Vern Hine	Bill Hine
Carol Hildebrecht	Ruth Ingles
Mollie Huggins	Nova Kigar
Don Keltner	Dustin Knowlton
Erik Landing	Mary Lehman
Nancy Lyttle	Bob McCray
Lauren McClure	Marcella Miller
Nancy Meyer	Karolina O'Donnell
Harriet Shawhan	Cindy Ramano
Calire Riccos	Herb Schafer
Tom Scheit	Rev. Bob Smitley
Wayne Stolich	Paul Stutz
Danny Tomaz	Gloria Van Camp
Flo Warner	Evelyn Wheeler
Mary Willett	Paul White
Pat White	Emily Wilson

Those in Nursing Care

Ginny Breckler—Trinity Home
Mary Lou Chaney – Bethany Vlg.
Margaret Cobb – Walnut Creek
Margaret Dill – Masonic Home
Marion Farren—Trinity Home
Ginny Hambrick—Walnut Creek
Lottie Jaeger – The Oaks, West Kett
Lena Patterson – Liberty Woods
Charles Warren – East Moline, IL
Vera Westfall—Elm Croft, Washington
Tnsp.

Military

Ian Bader - USA, (Brown's grandson)
Scott Certain – USA
(Jo Anne Jay's son-in-law)
John Meyer - Afghanistan
(Nancy Meyer son)
Nathanial Nicholas—Afghanistan
Brian Nicholas—USA (Nicholas family sons)
Adam Reeves—USA (Edna's grandson)
Sam Rogers—USA (Jen Roger's son)
Casey Ryan - USA (Weyrauch son-in-law)
Kevin Stites—USA (S Stites grandsons)
Ryan Stites - Afghanistan

SeaSide Escape



*Where Women Bask in
God's Presence*

*Need a day at the beach? A time to
slow down, wiggle your toes in the sand,
and bask in the warmth of God's pres-
ence? Join us at SeaSide Escape. This
beach-themed retreat you won't want
to miss!*



*Location: WINGS Women's Retreat
GOPCC- Hilty Room*

Date: July 14, 2012, 9 AM to 4PM

*Cost: \$25 per person (includes light
breakfast and lunch as well as some
fun surprises)*



*Registration starts Sunday, June 10th
thru Sunday, June 24. Partial payment
of \$10 can be made at registration with
the remainder due the day of the re-
treat.*

*Contact Diana Knowlton with
any questions 938-5246*



We're Looking for a Rocking Chair

If anyone has a rocking chair they no longer use, we could use one for the Hilty room,. - Barbara Richards

Hello from Across the Miles

We want to say hello to everybody at Greenmont– Oak Park Church and we miss you. You will best remember me as Tina (Ono) Silcox. We enjoy reading the Chimes and staying in touch.

- Hugh & Tina Silcox

(if anyone wishes to write a note to Tina her address is:)

17507 Parkvalle Pl.
Cerritos, CA 90703



Check out the Church website
www.greenmontoakpark.com



Honoring Ruth Fulmer

Upon Her Retirement— June 10

Greenmont –Oak Park Community Church & Green-Oak Preschool invite you to share in a Recognition service and Reception for Ruth on Sunday, June 10 at 2 PM.

Please come thank Ruth for her 35+ years of service to our Preschool and send her well wishes for her retirement.

Congratulations Graduates !

Our Graduates will be recognized— June 10th at 10:45 AM worship

3rd Graders: Julia Medlin, Anna Landing High School:

Adam Donovan, Zakk Donovan,
Alyssa Erbes, Tim Keltner, Jacob Roalef, Molly Hayden

College:

Kathleen & Carl Chapman, Jamie Fisher, Katie Goodner, Steven Keltner, Gregory King, Kristen King, Jon Roalef

Youth to lead our

Father's Day Service - June 17

Our church youth wanted to honor our Father's just as they honored our Mother's . A photo presentation will be a part of their service. If you want to include a photo of your father for them to share in their presentation, please get a copy to the church office or scan a photo and email it to the church:

office@greenmontoakpark.com

The youth are working to make this a special service. –Sheri Parrett

We Can JOIN the NEW Kroger Reward Program Now

We have worked out enrolling Greenmont-Oak Park Community church in the New Kroger Community Rewards Program.

The next step is to have members (you) who want to participate in the program, go online and register your Kroger Plus Card Number and to designate our church as the program organization to support. The new program works through using the Kroger Plus Card. This new process is all done on-line.

You can go to krogercommunityrewards.com to register your Kroger Plus Card. If you don't have a Kroger Plus Card account, click on SIGN UP TODAY, in the 'New Customer?' box. Once you have an account set up and confirmed you will select our church as the organization to support. Our NPO # is 80028. , then select the name of our church, then confirm.

Within 7 to 10 business days of successfully enrolling your Kroger Plus Card, you will see at the bottom of your Kroger receipt: "At your request, Kroger is donating to "GOPCC"

I have written instructions from Krogers on the process available in the church office, and can assist any church members who do not have computer access. If you would like to participate and need assistance registering, please contact me. - Nova Kigar, 252-6705, ext 0.

We're Getting Ready for VBS



**June 25—29, in the evening
6—8:30 PM**

Sky VBS is an uplifting discovery of TRUSTING GOD. Everything is possible!

Please see the sign-up lists for volunteers , and for snacks items or craft items to donate on the bulletin board across from the office.

If you have any questions—please contact Sue Smitley.

REGISTER KIDS NOW

Call the church office to register your children and grandchildren age 3 to 5th grade. 252-6705



Summer Special Music Needed

With the choir taking a rest for the summer months, we ask for volunteers to share their musical talents with us. There is a calendar schedule list posted on the bulletin board across from the church office. We ask for special music at the 10:45 service only. If you require accompaniment , please indicate so when you sign up. - Music Committee, Toni Bailey

**Chimes Article Deadlines are:
June 18, July 2**



**Summer Sunday School Plans
"If you could put some of the Bible people on trial who would it be?"**

Beginning June 3, 2012 we will be combining the confirmation , high School and adult classes to do just that. Join us at 9:30, coffee and tea are served also.

- June 10—John the Baptist, Frank T.
- June 17—Jonah, Dave Roalef
- June 24—Nebuchadnezzar, Bob C.
- July 1— Judas, Rev. Smitley
- July 8— Pilate, Tom Wheeler

Food Pantry Donations Needed

We are currently low on:

- SOUPS
- TUNA
- CANNED FRUIT
- JELLO/PUDDING MIXES
- JIFFY/ MUFFIN MIXES
- SPAGHETTI SAUCE
- BATH BAR SOAP



In May we served 170 families.
430 Individuals

Any and all donations are appreciated. You can drop off donations to the wooden chest in the Gathering Place. Thank you for caring and sharing.

We have Received Many Thanks

Dear Greenmont-Oak Park Community Church,

On Behalf of the House of Bread, I would like to thank you for your recent donation.

Our mission is so simple yet so beautiful: We serve a hot nutritious lunchtime meal to anyone who enters our doors, and we are open every day so no one has to go hungry. We are even open on all holidays, as everyone deserves to spend special days with family and friends.

The House of Bread also has an ongoing commitment to preventing childhood hunger. We provide a nutritious meal on weekdays to over 300 children in after-school programs in our neighborhood.

On behalf of the staff and guests of the house of Bread, thank you for your generosity.

- Melodie Bennett

Dear Friends,

Thank you very much for your recent donation to Pine Mountain Settlement School. With your support, we are able to continue our mission of providing cultural and environmental education and being a source for community service.

Feel welcome to stop in anytime you are in our area.

- Debra Callahan

Dear Greenmont-Oak Park Community Church,

Peru, Timor-Lests and India may sound far away and remote, but to the hardworking program participants in these countries, your congregations' gift is changing lives.

With this gift, World Neighbors can give communities the knowledge they need to meet basic needs—such as clean water and health services. You are helping families increase in self-sufficiency.

Again thank you so much for your generosity in creating opportunities for the poorest people in the world. - Melanie Macdonald

Dear Friends of Greenmont Church,

We very much appreciate your donation which enables us to provide shelter, counsel, comfort, and hope to the women, teens and children in our community affected by domestic/dating violence, sexual assault, stalking, and homelessness. Your generous support is vital in helping to meet the needs of those we serve.

Thank you again. - Donna Sizemore, Carol Hinton

Dear Greenmont-Oak Park Church,

Behind every young person at Daybreak, there are hundreds of compassionate people dedicated to helping. And Greenmont-Oak Park Church is one of our most valued helpers.

Thank you for your generous donation to Daybreak. Your gift is working to help youth spend their nights in warm beds, in a safe place. They won't go hungry, and they're surrounded by people who will help them calm their worries, overcome their problems, and pursue their dreams. Thank you for giving homeless vulnerable young people a place to turn to for help.

- Linda Kramer

