



News From The Rock

March 2013

Solid Rock United Methodist Church • Warren, Indiana

United Methodist Women

The United Methodist Women will hold their first meeting of the year on Thursday, March 7, at 9:30 a.m. at Heritage Pointe in the Calico Room. Pastor Kathy will give the Mission Moment and Martha Plummer will present the program entitled "Priorities."

The United Methodist Women is a nearly 800,000-member organization within the United Methodist Church in the United States, and members give about \$20 million a year for mission work related to women, children and youth in the United States and around the world.

We will be having guest day and invite you to come and bring a friend.

UMYF Schedule

- **March 3:** Bible Study after church
- **March 10:** Pizza after church at East of Chicago
- **March 17:** Meeting, 2:00-3:30
- **March 24:** No meeting

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Thank You

I would like to thank the scholarship committee and Solid Rock for their generosity. The scholarship money you have provided me with helped me to purchase textbooks for my second semester. I am working hard and enjoying my classes this semester at Saint Francis. I am grateful for your prayers and your financial support while I am at college and look forward to the day when I can help others as you have helped me.

Mallory Preston

Solid Rock to sponsor hog roast

Solid Rock will sponsor a hog roast on March 16, 2013 at the Knight-Bergman Center, with proceeds designated for purchase of an automatic handicap door opener for the new building. Noon and evening meals will be available.

Carry-out meals will be served from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. This meal will include roast pork, barbecue sauce, cole slaw, and dessert.

The evening meal, served from 4:30 to 7:00 p.m., will be a sit-down dinner with a menu featuring roast pork, barbecue sauce, buttered potatoes, green beans, dinner rolls, dessert, and drink.

A freewill donation will be accepted for both meals.

Addresses needed

If you are moving or know of someone who has a new address, please let the office know. Thanks.

Dean's List

Kailey Neff is on the School of Public Health Dean's List at IU for the fall 2012 semester. Thanks for all of your support through prayers, cards, and the scholarship from Solid Rock.

Thank you

Thank you to the Solid Rock SOS group for the nice "Thinking of You" card we received recently. Thank you for thinking of us. It was appreciated.

Ron & Myrna Neff

January Financial Update

General Offerings	\$11,960
General Fund Expenses	\$18,587
Building Fund Contributions	\$3,507

Just Leaning
on the Rock!

by Pastor Kathy Newton



The Son of Man will be handed over to sinners who will nail him to a cross. But three days later he will rise to life.

(Luke 24:7 CEV)

What do you remember about your Easter celebrations? I remember getting up really early to go to church, eating breakfast at church, going home but returning to church again, and then going to my grandma's house for Easter dinner. That dinner consisted of some of my favorite foods. We always had ham, sweet potatoes, bob-andy pie and grandma's jello salad with Miracle Whip.

The Big Easter Egg Hunt took place after eating, and then we got to eat the melted chocolate candy out of the plastic eggs. As a child I'm not sure I even thought about why all the fuss. Today as an adult I am acutely aware of what the fuss is about. I am so very thankful to be a Christian and to know the true meaning of Easter.

The question is how do we explain to the children? This is most difficult since we're talking about death which is elusive enough, but then we add into the story Christ's resurrection. We, as adults, have trouble grasping the concept. Perhaps we could explain that we celebrate Easter as the time Jesus removed our sins. This He did for Mommy, Daddy, Brother, Sister, Grandma, Grandpa, Aunt and Uncle. He did it for EVERYONE! I think our young people can grasp that. Share with them the idea of being forgiven even though we don't deserve or could never earn that forgiveness. Then teach them to thank Jesus for ALL that He has done.

I hope to see you in worship this Lenten season but especially as we come together to celebrate Christ's resurrection on Easter Day.

Shalom,
Pastor Kathy

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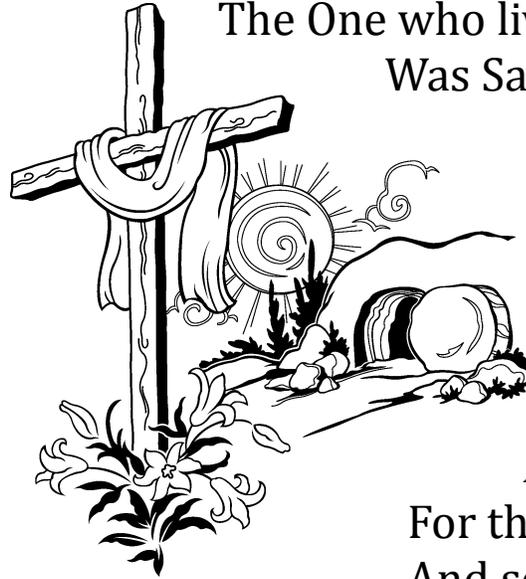
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Love crucified arose
The One who lived and died for me
Was Satan's nail-pierced
casualty

Now He's breathing
once again
Love crucified arose
And the grave
became

A place of hope
For the heart that sin
And sorrow broke
Is beating once again

- Michael Card
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