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V O L U M E 2 4 M A R C H 2 0 1 0

Dear Canterbury,

As we settle more and more into Lent, as we progress through the season's purple days, as we turn more and more with Jesus toward Jerusalem and the cross looming there, which we shall meet on Good Friday, the days around us are lengthening and the irrepressible flowers are rising. The lingering daylight and flower-fireworks give us Spring's best try at natural encouragement: the darkness of death will be transformed into the death of darkness. Light and warmth will prevail. Death will not ground down life to a stop. Death grows fertile: life, from it, springs into being.

But the Cross looms still. Its wood, we know, will darken and harden with blood. Lent still calls us to set our faces like flint, and go there to the top of the hill, and die with the one we love enough not to leave. We love this one because he asks nothing from us in return—not even to keep him alive. In him we see that Divine love gives itself away, even to death, and that it is love's very lack of expectation that generates our love, rather than obligation, in return. This kind of love is the only way—the simple, single way—to make any sense of or have any access to that Mystery which Spring tries its best to encourage us toward: Resurrection.

Spring, with its new, surging life is both a metaphor for and a foretaste of Resurrection. The word "Lent" comes from the Old English word for "Spring," especially with Spring's lengthening days. But Love is what undergirds and overarches both Spring and Lent. Love is what animates both Good Friday and Easter Sunday. Lent has lengthening days that stretch through Good Friday and into Easter, but it is Love that will get us there. Love is what makes Lenten disciplines bloom.

Ask how much your love for God reshapes your life. Ask how much God's love for you reshapes God's life. Resurrection, both in the here and now and in eternity, is what happens in both directions.

Yours because of Jesus,
Marc +

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**THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH
 AND STUDENT CENTER
 FOR THE
 UNIVERSITY OF
 ALABAMA**

SUNDAY SERVICES
 8:00AM
 10:30AM
 6:00PM (WITH SUPPER)

**MONDAY-FRIDAY
 MORNING PRAYER**
 8:15 AM

**WEDNESDAY
 CHAPLAIN'S CLASS**
 9:00PM
STUDENT SERVICE
 10:00PM

**THURSDAY
 HOLY EUCHARIST &
 HEALING**
 6:00PM

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Look for all this info and more on our website www.canterburychapelua.org.

HAPPY MARCH BIRTHDAYS!

If we missed your March birthday, please let us know! Call the office at 345-9590. Thanks!

Chris Shirley....March 2	Peggy Canterbury....March 11	Tom Henderson....March 23
Sean Campbell....March 3	Graham Mullen....March 13	Eleanor Parker....March 25
Jimelu Hunter....March 3	Tony Neathery....March 15	Leyla Goodsell....march 26
Walter Pittman....March 3	Moses Katz....March 16	Will Denton....March 27
Colin Hammond....March 4	Kristen Miller....March 16	Kim Campbell....March 28
Edward Jones....March 4	Skipper Jones....March 18	Charles Felkins....March 29
Edward Jones....March 4	Pat Neathery....March 18	The Rev. Ray Pradat....March 29
James Hooper....March 5	Paige Ouzts....March 18	Matt Liverman....March 30
Nicholas Sella....March 6	Kurt Didley....March 20	Jeff Patterson....March 30
Mindy Young....March 7	Jack Kapphan....March 22	Serena Fortenberry....April 1
Theo Young....March 7	Christine Littwa....March 22	Sybil Hudson....April 1
Rene Katsinas....March 8	Angela Tilley....March 22	Brian Aaron....April 3
Brian Bishop....March 11	Walt Aaron....March 23	Adam Blake Keeton....April 4

CANTERBURY CHAPEL IS A CARING CONGREGATION

We have known all along that we are a caring congregation, but now it's official. At the October Vestry meeting our Vestry members voted unanimously to become an active member of Caring Days, a program of caring congregations. Because of my long time interest in this program, I volunteered to be Canterbury's representative.

Caring Days is an adult day care center which bridges the gap between independent living and highly restricted care. It provides a secure and happy environment for its clients and carefully planned activities to keep them using their cognitive, language, social, and motor skills.

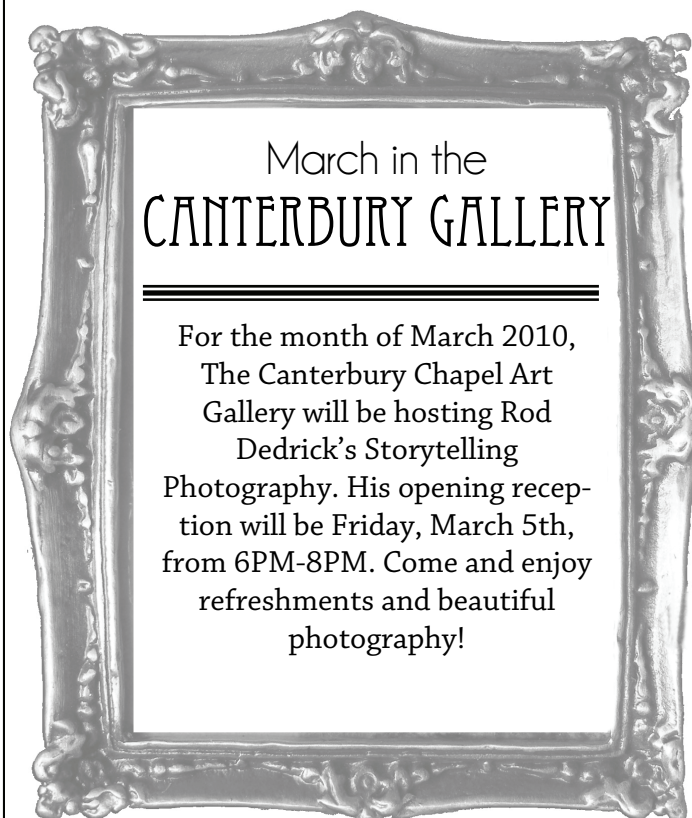
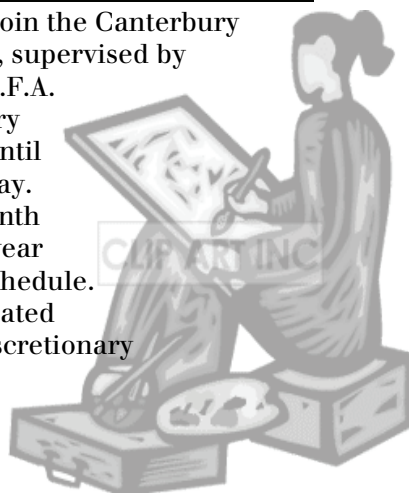
In 1994 members of First Presbyterian Church recognized the need for adult day care for those experiencing memory loss. Currently, 19 congregations of various denominations work together to provide this program. They were incorporated into a group called Caring Congregations. Their first project, Caring Days Adult Day Care, opened on March 10, 1997.

I look forward to telling you much more about this program's getting started experiences, and of the exciting upcoming events. See you in the April "Canterbury Tales."

—Jane Joslin

Canterbury Adult Painting Class

Folks are invited to join the Canterbury Adult painting class, supervised by Ann Betak, B.F.A., M.F.A. The class meets every Tuesday from 9:30 until 11:30 in the Hydeaway. The cost is \$30 a month and the classes are year round on a casual schedule. All proceeds are donated to the Chaplain's Discretionary Account. If you're interested, contact the Chapel office!



SERVING IN MARCH

If you have been assigned to a date that you can not serve, or have been assigned in error, please contact Genevieve at 345-9590. Thank you!

MARCH 7TH

VPOD: Jane Joslin
Coffee Hour: David & Carole Carroll
Flower Guild: Aymara Albury & Joyce Ochoa

8:00 AM

Altar Guild: Lee McKnight
Chalice: Kelley Hudlow
Lectors: Jill & Dan Ross

10:30 AM

Altar Guild: Tammy Dodson
Chalice: Tom Canterbury & Ben Porter
Lectors: Rick & Sally Pannell
Ushers: Virgene Ficken & Marcella Rhodes
P.O.P: Peggy Canterbury
Crucifer: Perrin Lowrey
Torch 1: Wes Lowrey
Torch 2: Martin Cooper

MARCH 14TH

VPOD: Linda Chambers
Flower Guild: Steffen Guenzel & Mark Leggett
Coffee Hour: Marcella Rhodes & Jane Joslin

8:00 AM

Altar Guild: Laurie Fowler
Chalice: Dan Ross
Lectors: Cindy Roff & Kelley Hudlow

10:30 AM

Altar Guild: Mona Horshok
Chalice: Mille & Jerry Hudson
Lectors: Wyn & Serena Fortenberry
Ushers: Will & Mary Lowrey
P.O.P: Susan Windham
Crucifer: Max Mittenthal
Torch 1: Jack Mittenthal
Torch 2: Parker Evans

MARCH 21

VPOD: Drew Brislin
Flower Guild: Greg Howard
Coffee Hour: Ralph & Diana Liverman

8:00 AM

Altar Guild: Jill Ross
Chalice: Charles Felkins
Lectors: Kelley Hudlow & Carroll Bement

10:30 AM

Altar Guild: Becky Shirley
Chalice: Lee McKnight & Tammy Dodson
Lectors: Anne Bell & Peggy Canterbury
Ushers: Rufus & Lois Lewis
P.O.P.: Pat Neathery
Crucifer: Mary Catherine Vail
Torch 1: Colin hammond
Torch 2: Brooklyn Marable
Book: Tre Marable

MARCH 28TH

VPOD: Tim Hamond
Flower Guild: Lois Lewis
Coffee Hour: Jane Watkins

8:00 AM

Altar Guild: Jan Pruitt
Chalice: Henry Betak
Lectors: Cindy Roff & Carroll Bement

10:30 AM

Altar Guild: Joyce Ochoa
Chalice: Susan Windham & Roberta Ford
Lectors: Mark Leggett & Steffen Guenzel
Ushers: Virgene Ficken & Marcella Rhodes
P.O.P: Gus Davis
Crucifer: Mary Catherine Vail
Torch 1: Colin Hammond
Torch 2: Parker Evans

COMING UP IN APRIL

If you are available or would like to serve for any Holy Week services, please contact Genevieve in the church office.

HOLY WEEK SERVICES

PALMSUNDAY

8:00 AM
10:30 AM
6:00 PM

MAUNDY THURSDAY

6:00 PM

GOOD FRIDAY

12:00 Noon

EASTER VIGIL

7:00 PM

EASTER SUNDAY

8:00 AM
10:30 PM
6:00 PM

More details on these services and Holy Week will be sent out in the coming weeks.

Canterbury Vestry

Class of 2010

Tim Hammond
Diana Liverman
Linda Chambers
Millie Hudson

Class of 2011

Kelley Hudlow
Jane Joslin
Mark Leggett
Camille Samples

Class of 2012

Ben Porter
Drew Brislin
Mary Lowery
Heather Kopelson

If you have announcement for the Canterbury Tales, please contact the church office at 205-345-9590 or email canterburychapel@gmail.com