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2/25 ~ Preschool Moms

Fellowship. Moms of preschoolers, you're invited to meet for coffee, discussion and fellowship on **Tuesday, February 25**, from 9:30–10:30 a.m. in the Family Life Center Fireside Room. The group meets the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month. Childcare is available. To reserve childcare, contact Susan Nelson (770.498.6115 or susannelson337@gmail.com).

SPdL On Mission: To Atlanta with Love.

Minister and show expressions of love to your neighbors during the month of February. Ideas to consider: bake cookies for a neighbor, shut-in, or mail delivery person; offer to do tasks for elderly neighbors; write a note of appreciation for someone or welcome a new neighbor in your community. SPdL note cards are available at the Welcome Center desk. For more information, contact Blair Cox (404.591.4375 or bcox@spdl.org).

3/1 ~ Recycling Center Open.

Bring your recycling to Second-Ponce on **Saturday, March 1**, from 10 a.m.–3 p.m. in our lower parking lot. As a Keep Atlanta Beautiful Community Recycling Center, we accept electronics; paper for shredding; Styrofoam; metals; latex paint; and single-stream for residents without recycling services. Please bring items only during designated times. Visit www.KeepAtlantaBeautiful.org for more information.

6/9–12 ~ Vacation Bible School.

Our "Under the Stars" VBS adventure will be from 9 a.m. to noon on **Monday, June 9–Thursday, June 12**, for ages 3 (by September 1, 2013) thru completed 5th grade.

Senior Adults Celebrate Valentine's Day



Our Senior Adults, their family members and friends celebrated Valentine's Day with a luncheon.



New SPdL U Sessions Start Soon



Starting soon, SPdL U will offer new in-depth "seminary-style" courses at 6 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. (The dates for SPdL U have changed due to closures from the winter storms. For the start date, check upcoming publications and www.spdl.org/spdlu.) You may choose from the following courses:

Elective Track 1:

"Which English Bible is Right for Me?" with Dr. Dock Hollingsworth

"A Theology of the Bible" with Dr. Charles Qualls ~ starts after Dock's course finishes

Elective Track 2:

"Read the Bible for Life" with Jason Byars

Elective Track 3:

"Walking with Jesus: Experiencing Christ Through Prayer" with Karen Harwell



Registration is required for all sessions. Register online at www.spdl.org/spdlu or scan the QR code here. You may also download a registration form at www.spdl.org/spdlu or pick up a form in the Welcome Center and bring it on the day of the course. Walk-ins will be accepted when space allows. For more information, visit www.spdl.org/spdlu.

FLC Offers Health Screenings

The Family Life Center is hosting the following screenings in February and March:

Life Line Screening

Friday, February 28, 8:30 a.m.–4:30 p.m.

Take part in a \$10 package discount for FLC members and their families and Life Line Screening will offer a matching \$10 donation to the FLC. The screening uses painless ultrasound (sonogram) to see the plaque build-up in your arteries – a leading cause of stroke. Pre-registration is required. To register, call 1.800.324.9458.

Health Check

Friday, March 7, 7:30–10 a.m.

Tests include: complete lipid profiles, 26-point chemical screens and complete blood counts, prostate cancer, ovarian cancer, hyper/hypothyroidism, HIV, self-test for colon cancer and heart attack, and stroke risk factor assessment (no appointment needed). Fees vary; payment is due on the day of service. Questions? Call 770.888.8988.

CHURCH CALENDAR

Sunday, February 23

9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Worship
12:30 p.m. Master Ringers Rehearsal

Tuesday, February 25

9:30 a.m. Preschool Moms Fellowship
6:30 p.m. Evening Edition Women's Bible Study

Wednesday, February 26

5:00 p.m. Fellowship Supper
5:30 p.m. Music & Missions
6:00 p.m. Project 4:12
6:00 p.m. SPdL U
7:15 p.m. Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal
7:30 p.m. Orchestra Rehearsal

Saturday, March 1

10:00 a.m. Keep Atlanta Beautiful Recycling

Sunday, March 2

9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Worship
12:30 p.m. Master Ringers Rehearsal

Tuesday, March 4

11:00 a.m. Baptist Women's WMU Mtg. & Lunch
6:30 p.m. Evening Edition Women's Bible Study

Wednesday, March 5

5:00 p.m. Fellowship Supper
5:30 p.m. Music & Missions
6:00 p.m. Project 4:12
6:00 p.m. SPdL U
7:15 p.m. Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal
7:30 p.m. Orchestra Rehearsal

MENUS

Wednesday, February 26

Baked potato bar, salad, fruit, chili, soup & assorted cakes

Children's Menu: Beef tacos, rice, fruit & dessert

Wednesday, March 5

Fried chicken, potato salad, mixed vegetables, salad, rolls & banana pudding

Children's Menu: Hamburger, french fries, fruit & dessert

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AMONG OUR MEMBERS

IN LOVING MEMORY

J. Mack Robinson
February 7, 2014

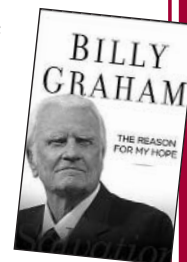
SYMPATHY

Juanita Robinson,
in the death of her husband,
J. Mack Robinson,
on February 7, 2014.

Steve and Angie Wallace,
in the death of his father,
M. Cecil Wallace,
on February 14, 2014.

YOUR LIBRARY

For Billy Graham, the most hopeful word in history is salvation! At age 95, he still proclaims God's Gospel with his new book *The Reason for My Hope: Salvation.*



Salvation is what we all long for, when we are lost or in danger or have made a mess of our lives. And salvation belongs to us, when we reach out for Jesus. Check out a copy from Your Library!

LIBRARY HOURS -
Sundays: 9:30-11 a.m.
Wednesdays: 4-7:15 p.m.

Register for ECS Summer Camps

Our Early Childhood School will offer summer camp for all students ages 3-6 years old and fully potty trained. Week-long camps will be offered the weeks of: **June 23-27:** At the Beach; **July 14-18:** Petite Picassos; and **July 21-25:** Sports and Tumbling.

Camps are \$175 for the week and run Monday-Friday from 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Download a registration form at www.spdl.org/ministries/ecspreschool. For more information, contact Whitney Lea (404.591.4374 or wlea@spdl.org).

Contributions Report Giving as of February 9, 2014

Weekly Goal	\$33,114	Year-To-Date Goal	\$237,749
Weekly Receipts	\$47,855	Year-To-Date Receipts	\$190,442

Giving - pledged or not - is welcome and encouraged any time.

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