

## Calendar of Coming Events

### January

- 10 4:15 PM Pioneer Club  
4:30 PM DASH  
6 PM Youth Group
- 11 7 PM Troop 573  
7 PM Worship Com. Mtg.  
7:30 PM Church Life & Outreach Mtg.
- 12 7:30 PM Christian Ed. Mtg.  
7:30 PM Trustee Mtg.
- 14 7 AM Men's Bible Study  
9:15 AM Women's Bible Study  
7 PM PHR sandwich making
- 15 9:15 AM Mom's in Touch
- 16 7 AM Philadelphia Homeless Run

SESSION - Moderator - Rev. Daniel R. Stewart Clerk - Craig E. Erickson Worship: Mark Montgomery, Ch., Millie Montgomery; Christian Ed: Barb Wray, Ch., Paul Welle; Personnel: Gary Fairbairn, Ch., Barb Wray; Corp Affairs: Brian Gilbert, Ch., Ted Wray; Church Life: Jim Faunce, Ch., Paul Welle, Ted Wray; Missions: Betty Orr, Ch., Jonathan Schuck; Nominating: Millie Montgomery, Ch., Gary Fairbairn; Preschool: Jonathan Schuck, Ch., Jim Faunce

DEACONS Moderator - Jane Porter Aid to Worship: Jane Porter,  
Carol Jones

Aid to Congregation: Gwen McDonald Aid to Community: Eileen Jenkins  
Class of 2010 - Marcia Papson, Jane Porter, Janet Medrow, Steve Davis  
Class of 2011 - Rick Constable, Dale Garrison, Lauren Palmer, Marie Raws  
Class of 2012 - Gwen McDonald, Eileen Jenkins, Carol Jones, Debbie Fanus

*TRUSTEES - Property Committee: Bill Anderson, Don Dunkerton, Steve Smoker*

*Finance Committee: Bob Wert, Ward Higgins, Alan Papson*

Cemetery Committee: Liane Davis, James Palmer, Linda Barbour

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"As an historic church, we exist to glorify God  
by enabling all people to become fully devoted followers of the Lord Jesus Christ.  
We prayerfully strive, through the Holy Spirit, to fulfill our purpose  
by worship, Biblical teaching, service, fellowship,  
and active involvement in world evangelization."

*Pastor*

Rev. Daniel R. Stewart

*Director of Equipping Ministries*

James R. Shackleton

*Director of Music Ministry*

Herbert E. Balian

*Organist*

Sharon S. Smoker

*Church Secretary*

Karen E. Bittenbender

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# The Great Valley Presbyterian Church

*"An historic church,  
we exist to glorify God..."*

*January 10, 2010*

*We are a member congregation  
of the Evangelical Presbyterian Church*

## SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP

11 AM January 10, 2010

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP *(Please fill out the "Fellowship" clipboard)*

PRELUDE "Air" *Thiman*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

INTROIT "O Magnify the Lord"

\*RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP *Psalm 100*

Leader: Shout for joy to the LORD, all the earth.

People: Worship the Lord with gladness; come before him with joyful songs.

Leader: Know that the LORD is God.

People: It is he who made us and we are his, we are his people, the sheep of his pasture.

Leader: Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise; give thanks to him and praise his name.

People: For the LORD is good and his love endures forever; His faithfulness continues through all generations.

\*VOICES IN PRAISE "When Morning Guilds the Skies" *HYMN#529*

"All People That on Earth Do Dwell" *HYMN#7*

"Everlasting" *(see screen)*

*(Prayer cards will be gathered during the last verse.)*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

OFFERTORY "Enough" *Barlow Girl*

Becky Fanus, Christine Farrell, Rachel Schuck

\*DOXOLOGY "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow" *#556*

\*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

OLD TESTAMENT *Jeremiah 10:6-12 (p. 743)*

NEW TESTAMENT *1 Thessalonians 1:1-10 (p. 1146)* *Paul Welle*

ANTHEM "Wondrous Gift" (Hymn #96) *Wilhelm*

*(Children grades 1-5 are dismissed for Children's Church following special music)*

SERMON "The Talk of the Town" *Rev. Stewart*

*The Lord's message rang out from you not only in Macedonia and Achaia—  
your faith in God has become known everywhere. ...*

*(1 Thessalonians 1:8a, NIV)*

WE DEPART TO SERVE GOD'S WORLD

\*CLOSING HYMN "Before the Throne" *(see screen)*

\*BENEDICTION *(Please be seated following the BENEDICTION)*

CHORAL BENEDICTION "Let Your Kingdom Come" *Kauflin*

\*POSTLUDE "Preamble" *Lunenburg*

\*Those who are able may stand

*Our Greeters this morning are Jennings and Harriet Bunch.*

*Our Deacons on call for assistance and aid in January are  
Marie Raws (610-647-0908) & Janet Medrow (610-265-7669)*

A WARM WELCOME TO ALL WHO WORSHIP HERE THIS DAY! It is a joy and a privilege to be here with you, praising our God. May you sense his presence in the worship and fellowship of this church today.

PRAYER MINISTRY – If you have a prayer request or praise, fill out a yellow card (in your pew) and pass it to the center to be collected during the opening. If you would like to pray with someone, prayer leaders are available after the service in the prayer room. This morning's Prayer Leader is Lois Fogg. (If you are interested in being part of the prayer chain, call Jean Griffith at 610-296-5440.)

JOIN US IN THE CHAPEL after the service for coffee fellowship time.

### CONGREGATIONAL LIFE

Electives are coming, Electives are coming – During February, all adult Sunday School classes, plus Senior High, will suspend their regular classes for a month of Electives. This year offers four classes to choose from, and a description of these will be in next Sunday's bulletin. Sign up in Dickerson Hall or in your Sunday School class on the last two Sundays in January. Whether you attend Sunday School regularly or are new to Great Valley, we hope you'll participate in what always proves to be an extraordinary month!

### MISSION NEWS

January Missionary Meeting – Focus on the Lisu People Group of China. Join us Wednesday, Jan. 20<sup>th</sup> at 10AM in the Chapel to hear Dan Gowman, a Great Valley member, who was born in the mountainous region of China where this people group live. His parents were missionaries who served with James O. Fraser, one of the first to reach the Lisu people for Christ. After showing a video about J. O. Fraser, Dan will share how spending the first 5 years of his life in China has shaped who he is today. Don't miss this opportunity to get to know Dan and to rejoice with him in the God who began working in China through his parents and who is still active there in bringing others to Himself. Lunch will be served after the meeting. Babysitting is available by calling Deb Fanus (610-933-3321).

*The flowers this morning are given by the Thomas and Rambo families  
in memory of parents, Abraham & Florence Rambo, and  
grandparents, Filmore & Susan Slaymaker and sister-in-law, Carol Rambo.*

## **GVPC 300<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration**

### **Kick-Off Family Dinner**

**Saturday, January 23, 2010 at 5:00 PM**

#### **What are we celebrating?**

*300 Years of worshipping God as the congregation of  
Great Valley Presbyterian Church in Malvern, Pennsylvania!*

#### **When will the celebration begin?**

*Saturday, January 23, 2010, 5:00 p.m.!*

#### **Where will the celebration occur?**

*In Fellowship Hall at GVPC!*

#### **Who will attend the celebration?**

*Hopefully, ALL Family and Friends of GVPC,  
including our special guest, Richard Bollinger!*

#### **How do I reserve a spot at the Celebration?**

*Sign up either on the clipboards or*

*on the sign up sheets in Dickerson Hall.*

*Reserve your spot by Sunday, January 17, 2010.*

*Please pass information on to out of town friends and  
tell them to sign up by calling the church office.*

*(610-644-1995)*

#### **What can I bring to the Celebration?**

*Bring a salad or dessert.*

*So that we may all enjoy the same delicious menu,  
please make one of the recipes on the back of this insert.*

*Each recipe is from our own Great Valley Cookbook.*

*At sign-up, please note if you are bringing a salad or dessert.*

#### **Questions?**

*Contact Janet Harvey (610-344-3450), Carol Jones (610-696-0436)  
or Kathy Stewart (610-738-4441).*

## **Salad Recipe: Applesauce/Cranberry Mold**

*(Page 94 of GVPC Cookbook)*

1 package (6 oz.) red jello (strawberry, raspberry or cranberry)

2 cups boiling water

2 cups (16 oz. can) cranberry sauce (not jelly)

1 cup applesauce

Dissolve jello in water and while still hot, stir in cranberry sauce  
and applesauce. Pour into mold\* and chill until firm.

(\*Please use a ring mold, if possible.)

Bring unmolded, ready to serve.

Please indicate if you would be willing to make two.

## **Dessert Recipe: Waldorf Red Velvet Cake**

*(Page 274 of GVPC Cookbook)*

1/2 cup shortening (not butter)

1 teaspoon salt

1 1/2 cups sugar

1 teaspoon vanilla

2 eggs

1 cup buttermilk

2 ounces red food coloring

1 teaspoon vinegar

1 teaspoon cocoa

1 teaspoon baking soda

2 1/4 cups flour or 2 1/2 cups cake flour

Cream shortening, sugar and eggs. Make a paste of coloring and  
cocoa. Add to mixture. Add vanilla. Add buttermilk alternately  
with mixture of flour and salt. Lastly, fold in soda dissolved in  
vinegar. Beat well to combine. Pour into prepared 9" x 13" pan.  
Bake at 350 degrees for 30 minutes. (Will vary with your oven –  
test for doneness.) When cool, frost with a white frosting of your  
choice. (Suggestions on pg. 275 of *GVPC Cookbook*)