

**WORSHIP THIS WEEK**

**SCRIPTURE** Matthew 7:7-12

'Ask, and it will be given to you; search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened for you. For everyone who asks receives, and everyone who searches finds, and for everyone who knocks, the door will be opened. Is there anyone among you who, if your child asks for bread, will give a stone? Or if the child asks for a fish, will give a snake? If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father in heaven give good things to those who ask him! 'In everything do to others as you would have them do to you; for this is the law and the prophets.

**BLOOD PRESSURE SUNDAY, MARCH 8** -Please see Dave Giliuson in the Main Office area between 10:00 and 10:30 to have your blood pressure checked today. Thank you, Dave, for doing this for us.

**2009 LENTEN OFFERING**

Following are the 2009 mission opportunities of Rosemount UMC. An offering envelope is enclosed today for your use.

**LA PUERTA ABIERTA UMC** is located on the West Side of St. Paul. Their membership is 77. Members come from Belize, Mexico, Puerto Rico, Chile, Honduras, and the United States of America. Their hope is to make a safe and welcoming Christian place for all people. Rosemount UMC members currently reside on their board to work on making their dream of a larger church a reality.

**PASTORS DISCRETIONARY** -This fund is used to help members/friends of our church in financial emergencies and for Cub/Target gift cards for those in immediate need.

**MISSIONARIES:**

**GREG STROCK IS PART OF A GROUP CALLED THE EVANGELISM TEAM THROUGH THE JOSIAH VENTURE.** His focus is to spur on evangelism in the Czech Republic. The major tool for doing this is the English Camping Ministry. Greg needs donations in order to continue his outreach in the Czech Republic. Greg grew up in our congregation. Additional information on Greg's work is available at the Rosemount UMC Mission website.

**BECKY HARRELL IS OUR UNITED METHODIST MISSIONARY IN CHILE.** The work of Emana and the school Kusayapu is very important in the lives of so many Andean youth and their lives touch so many of us. Becky sends her thank yous for your love of our Lord and for the many different ways in which our congregation continues His work. Dios te guarde, siempre.

**WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS THIS WEEK**

**SUNDAY GREETERS**

9:00a Sheldon & Corrine Smith  
10:30a Bryan & Barb Christensen

**LAY READERS**

9:00a Brad Everling  
10:30a Josh Corbett

**USHERS**

9:00a Head Usher, Jeff Baldwin  
Dick & Muriel Barnes, Jerry Boals, Marian Brown  
10:30a Head Usher, Ray Lockhart  
Dave & Marsha Osborn  
10:30a Contemporary: Dennis VanSkyhawk  
Ray Fosburgh, Larry Greaves, Jamie Hansen,  
Steve Holman

**Rosemount UMC has the following available for use while attending our worship services and activities:**

Wheelchairs; Walkers  
Large Print Bibles  
Large Print Hymnals  
Magnifying Sheets  
Hearing and Communication Devices  
Please inquire at the welcome desk or ask an usher.

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Fragrance Free Area  
There are speakers in the Narthex for those who need to walk with a restless child.

**REGULAR WORSHIP TIMES**

Wednesday, 7:00pm in Sanctuary - Contemporary  
Sunday, 9:00am in Sanctuary – Traditional  
Sunday, 10:30am in Sanctuary – Traditional  
Sunday, 10:30am in Family Life Center - Contemporary

**ROSEMOUNT UMC**

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**Order of Worship  
Sunday, March 8, 2009  
Second Sunday in Lent  
10:30am - Contemporary**

**Gathering** "Rejoice"  
"Seek First"

**Welcome & Announcements**

**Praise Songs**

"Do Justly"  
"Teach Me How To Pray"  
"Pass it On"

**Prayer** "Seek Ye First"

**Offering** "Do It Lord"

**Drama** "Say Something" – by Joanna Jones  
Actress: Leah Halling

**Scripture** Matthew 7:7-12

**Message** "Sermon on the Mount  
Knocking On Heaven's Door"  
Pastor Karen Bruins

**Song** "The Lord's Prayer"

**Blessing**

**Welcome!**  
**We're glad you're here today.**

**FIRST TIME GUESTS...** are invited to stop by the Welcome Desk for a coupon for a free cup of coffee at one of three local coffee shops. We're glad you're here!

**GDK [God's Discovery Kids] PRESCHOOL REGISTRATION** forms for the 2009-2010 school year are now available on the Rosemount UMC Children's Welcome Table and on our website at [www.godsdiscoverykids.org](http://www.godsdiscoverykids.org) Contact Wendy Riphenburg at 651-423-4127 [wriphenburg@rosemountumc.org](mailto:wriphenburg@rosemountumc.org) for tours.

**BOY SCOUT TROOP #295 GERTEN'S FUNDRAISER** begins today and runs through Sunday April 5<sup>th</sup>. It's time to start thinking of spring and just in time for Mother's Day! Anyone interested, please see us at the scout table in the Fellowship Hall between services or call Todd Tubbs at 651-246-0822. A huge thank you to Rosemount UMC and its members and friends for all the support in scouting, it has been greatly appreciated by all!

**CALLING ALL VOLUNTEERS** who would like to be part of our meal ministry at the Family Place! The next serving date will be April 4th. For those who do not know about this opportunity, the Family Place is a day shelter for homeless families. Different churches provide and serve an evening meal on the weekends. Our own mission area has made a commitment to serve there approximately four times per year. If you are interested in helping to serve such a meal or would just like more information, contact Linda or Tom Montgomery at 651-423-3721 or by e-mail at [tlmontgomery@frontiernet.net](mailto:tlmontgomery@frontiernet.net).

**ADULT MINISTRIES**

**CONTEMPORARY ISSUES STUDY...** Sundays in March are focusing on medical and health changes. March 8th is "Lifestyles and How They Affect Medical Care Costs." We'll look at how the population's behavior has changed and how it changes medical care because of it. You'll hear some big surprises! On March 15<sup>th</sup> "Gourmet Surgery"...take a look at who is getting what done in the world of medicine.

**UNEMPLOYMENT SUPPORT GROUP...**The unemployment support group will continue meeting on Monday evenings from 7-8 pm. If interested, contact Pastor Brooke Heerwald. [bheerwald@rosemountumc.org](mailto:bheerwald@rosemountumc.org)

**3 M'S** will enjoy Tuesday at the Movies on March 10th, beginning at 1 p.m. in the Attic Theater (above the church offices). The movie, *Antwone Fisher*, stars Denzel Washington and Derek Luke and is based on the true-life story of a young man with a difficult past who gets his life together. It's a real tearjerker. Bring some

snacks or drinks to share.

**LENTEN ADULT GROUP BEGINS...**Pastor Rick Ormsby leads two new adult groups which continue through Palm Sunday (April 5). This is a film/discussion of the movie "Gandhi", which shows how an amazing and peaceful man leads India to freedom from the British in the 1940s. You are invited to come to either the 9:00 or 10:30 a.m. class. No homework. No preparation; Just a most enjoyable way to reflect on some important life issues. If you're not in a weekly small group, here's an excellent way to nourish your spirit!

**SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES**

**SIMPSON SHELTER:** The next available serving date is Monday, April 13<sup>th</sup> at the women's shelter, February & March are filled. If you would like more info about serving or to sign up contact Rich Wirt 651-322-2331

**VOLUNTEERS** for North Memorial UMC Clothing Ministry meet the 1<sup>st</sup> Sat. of each month @ 8:15a @ Rosemount UMC to load donations and carpool to North UMC. We sort and fold clothes, then return before 1:00p. The next date to serve is 4/7. Sign-up @ the Adult Life Table in the narthex. The ministry is especially in need of summer clothes-sz. 0-4T. Bins are located in the Donation Location by the pop machines. Questions? Contact Marty Jo Bruyer @ 952-423-2087 or Lori Maser @ [elmaser@msn.com](mailto:elmaser@msn.com)

**CHILDREN'S MINISTRY**

**FUNTIME CLASSES FOR PRESCHOOLERS** – Check out our "spring" offerings of 1 class per month. March 16: Glorious Green; April 2: Spring Babies; May 4: Marvelous Mommies Surprise. All classes are 1:00 – 3:00 p.m., teachers are Lori Glitto and Kim Ostrum, \$10 registration fee with form required 1 week prior to each event. See the Children's Welcome Table for registration forms.

**FIRST GRADE MILESTONE EVENT** – March 15, 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. Join us as our first graders (older kids welcome) "Touch the Water" to learn about baptism. We will serve a pizza lunch, make a couple baptism crafts, play some wet games (dress appropriately) and hear from Pastors Karen and Brooke about baptism. Registrations sign up at the Children's Welcome Table (required in order to have proper supplies and pizza).

**Donations for Doggies (and Kitties)!** Our 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> grade curriculum includes a mission project to which anyone is invited to donate. The kids are collecting items for pets (blankets, food, treats, bowls, etc.) which will be donated to the Red Lake Rosie Rescue. Items may be new or used. Donation buckets available in 3 places around the church.

**ELEVATION YOUTH MINISTRIES  
FOR 7<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> GRADE STUDENTS**

**REMEDY DRIVE CONCERT!!** Remedy Drive is coming Sunday, March 29th to Rosemount UMC at 7pm in the FLC - Ticket cost is \$10/ticket at the door! INVITE YOUR FRIENDS!! This is a great band with a great message!! Also, if you bring a group of 10 or more people your ticket price goes down to \$5 per ticket! Please join us! Check them out at [www.remedydrive.com](http://www.remedydrive.com) IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO HELP SERVE/VOLUNTEER AT THE CONCERT...SEE JOSH OR GIVE HIM A SHOUT ON FACEBOOK OR CALL HIM...651-423-2475! We would love your help!!

**SR. HIGH NEWS!** - Our next Sr. High will be on Sunday, March 8th from 6-8pm - We continue our Gospel Journey with Episode 5: Is it religion or relationship? We also continue on with the question - Can all religions be right? Please join us for this eye opening discussion - Hope to see you there!

**CLUB 78 NEWS!** - Next Club 78 will be Wednesday, March 11<sup>th</sup> from 6:30-8pm upstairs in the ATTIC! Our topic... Commitment.

**CONFIRMATION STUDENTS** - NOOMA Nights are for 8th & 9th grade students and mentors! Next NOOMA Night is Tuesday, March 17th from 6-7pm.

**SR. CLASS** - If you are a Senior in High School...then you are invited to join us for the Sr. Class! Meets on Sunday night from 8-9:30pm upstairs in the Attic! Our next Sr. Class is Sunday, March 8th - topic - Evolution explains life? What do you think? We would love to see you even if it is your first time! Hope to see you! Remember, we also need deposits for the Senior Class trip to Chicago - commitments for the trip are needed by March 15th!

**9TH GRADERS** - I hope that as a 9th grade confirmation student you got your letter about confirmation details as well as information about confirmation interviews! Please make every effort to make the interview you have been assigned! Questions please contact Josh at 651-423-2475. Thanks!

**SUNDAY, APRIL 5TH FROM 8:30-10:30AM THE YOUTH WILL BE SERVING BREAKFAST** – You are invited to join the youth for breakfast! We will be serving pancakes & sausage. We know that some of you received cold food the last time the youth served, and we apologize for this. We believe we have worked out the kinks this time and are ready to make it up to you! Please join us and give us a second chance. Proceeds go to youth ministry and the capital campaign at Rosemount UMC. You are invited to join us!