

# UCUMC News

March 07, 2010



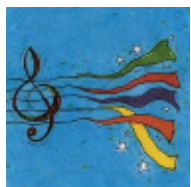
## Lesson 4: Love is forgiving

### Putting it into practice:

From whom do I need to ask/extend forgiveness?

Visit UCUMC's 40 Days blog and share what is happening in your small group!!

<http://ucumc40days.wordpress.com/>



People of all ages needed for **Palm Sunday Processional** on Sunday, March 28 at the 9:45 AM Worship Celebration. Men

needed for disciples; men, women and children needed to be townspeople. Please contact Matt Guild to sign up: [mguild@ucumc.org](mailto:mguild@ucumc.org) or 704-369-8011.

## REMINDER...

**Daylight Savings Time** begins next weekend. Set your clocks ahead one hour on Saturday night, March 13.



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March 10, 2010

**Dinner: 5:15 - 6:30PM**

Adult: \$5, Child: \$2.50, Family Maximum: \$20

**Menu:** Chicken Pot Pie, Broccoli, Fruit, & Dessert  
**Child's Option:** Chicken Nuggets

Make meal reservations by Monday noon prior to meal, [www.ucumc.org](http://www.ucumc.org), [khickling@ucumc.org](mailto:khickling@ucumc.org).



## Health Kits for Haiti

UMCOR (United Methodist Committee on Relief) is in need of Health Kits for victims of the recent earthquake, as well as for victims of other disasters throughout the world. **We will be collecting health kits at UCUMC on Sunday, March 14. Our goal is to collect 1000 kits!!**

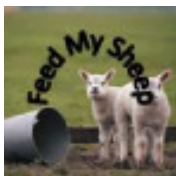
Place the following in a sealed 1-gallon plastic bag: 1 hand towel (15"x25" up to 17"x27" - no kitchen towels), 1 washcloth, 1 comb (large & sturdy), 1 nail file or fingernail clippers (no emery boards or toenail clippers), 1 bath-size bar of soap (3 oz.+), 1 toothbrush (in original wrapper, no child-size), 6 adhesive plastic strip sterile bandages, \$1 for purchase of toothpaste. Place completed kits in labeled bin in the Collection Center (between glass doors as you enter Worship Center.)



First-steps In Serving Him

*Mark your calendar:*

**FISH Day (First-Steps In Serving Him)**  
**Saturday, April 24**  
**Registration: March 7 - April 4**



**FEED MY SHEEP SUNDAY**  
**MARCH 14**

All donated **non-perishable food** will be delivered to Loaves and Fishes. In addition to food donations, **toiletry items** are also needed: toothbrushes, toothpaste, shampoo, soap, etc.



**All women are invited to**  
**UCUMC's 1st Annual Baby Shower**  
**Sunday, March 21, 3-5 pm**  
**UCUMC Hospitality Suite**

Invite a friend, bring a gift, and come join other women for fellowship, refreshments, and games. All gifts will be donated to Lois' Lodge, a non-profit organization in Charlotte whose mission is to provide a safe and healthy place for young women facing the challenges of a crisis pregnancy. Several representatives from Lois' Lodge will attend so we can 'shower' them with our gifts and love. All gifts must be **new** and wrapped. Gift ideas include anything a first-time mom would need for her baby.

**Make your reservation by 3/15 to Kristin Gable, [kristin\\_mto@thegablefamily.net](mailto:kristin_mto@thegablefamily.net) or 704-248-6200.**

Mark your calendars for the  
**Boy Scout Troop 13 Annual BBQ and Silent Auction**

Friday, March 12, BBQ will be served from 11:00AM - 3:00PM, and 5:00 - 8:00PM. Saturday, March 13, BBQ will be served from 10:00AM - 2:00PM, dine-in or drive-thru. Tickets are \$8 at the door or can be purchased from any member of Troop 13. Visit [www.troop13.info](http://www.troop13.info) to pre-order. The Silent Auction starts on Friday and final bids are due by 2:00PM on Saturday.



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**HIS HANDS Puppet Ministry News**

WERE YOU THERE? Get ready to be THERE this year because the PUPPETS are coming! It is right around the corner! Next weekend on March 13 at 7:00pm or March 14 at 3:00pm HIS HANDS Puppet Ministry will present their 15 year revue of songs. We have worked hard to put together a great performance for all ages. This year the program will be a little longer, it will be one hour and a half with a 15 minute intermission. We have picked some of the best songs we have performed over the past 15 years so mark your calendar. It is free with a love offering taken to help with the expenses of their summer mission trip. We are looking forward to seeing all of you there and we hope you will bring a friend to enjoy this fun time.



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**The Youth Ministry of UCUMC**



**Mexico Mission Trip Luncheon Fundraiser** – Join us on March 28 for lunch in the Fellowship Hall. Menu: Oven-roasted chicken, mashed potatoes, green beans, roll and dessert. Child's Option: chicken nuggets. There is no set price, just a donation to our mission trip; please make all checks to UCUMC with Mexico Mission in the memo section. There will be two seatings: 11am and 12:15pm. Please indicate which one you will attend when you sign up. You can sign up with Bert Giles at 704-369-8020 or [bjgiles@ucumc.org](mailto:bjgiles@ucumc.org). Thanks so much for your support!!

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**Weekday School Silent Auction  
Thursday, April 22**



UCUMC Weekday School is currently planning for their Silent Auction to raise funds to purchase playground equipment and sun canopies. Donations to the auction are welcomed! Past items include: Restaurant Gift Cards, Parties, Vacations, Golf & Sports, Entertainment, Photography, Home-based Business Items, Jewelry, Craft Items and more. Business Sponsorships are also welcomed! Questions: [dlampe@carolina.rr.com](mailto:dlampe@carolina.rr.com) or 704-598-3577.

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UCUMC members and small groups are in prayer during each Worship Service. This week, members of the **Faithkeepers** Sunday school class are lifting the services up in prayer. The Prayer Room is located to the right as you approach the Chapel.

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**Attendance: February 28, 2010**

Worship Attendance - 9:45AM	487	Nursery	49
Worship Attendance - 11:00AM	407	Sunday School	545
		First-Time Guests	2

**ON-LINE GIVING** is available at: [www.ucumc.org/onlinegiving](http://www.ucumc.org/onlinegiving). Would you like to make giving easy? Consider setting up an automatic recurring contribution. Visit [www.ucumc.org](http://www.ucumc.org) and click on Giving for more information.

**CARE CARDS:** Please share encouragement with these members who are confined to home by sending them a care card. Cards are available at the welcome desk or the prayer rail.

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