



# The Vision

April 2012

## Living as a Christian Today

In April, I will launch a small group ministry, also known as a “covenant group,” that will explore the question, *How do I live as a Christian in today’s culture?* Many have asked about covenant groups and been hesitant to commit to something that is not entirely understood. So, here is how this will work.

The brave adventurers in this new group will begin by affirming a covenant with one another. The covenant will involve issues of confidentiality, tolerance, respect, listening, mutual leadership, etc. The members of this covenant group will then sign up to host future meetings in their own homes. We will rotate from home to home, partly as a way of getting to know each other better.

After our initial orientation meeting in my home, we will embark on our explorations. Each week, a new leader will step forward to facilitate the meeting. The leader for the day will choose the discussion topic, write down two or three discussion questions, and ensure that the covenant rules are followed during the actual discussion.

The topics to be chosen should fit under the general category of how one lives as a Christian in today’s culture. So, a leader might choose, for example, immigration, or gambling, or abortion, or foreign war policy, or how much to coddle grown children, or the pros and cons of home schooling, or whether or not a parent should ever spank a child, etc., etc. The leaders also come to the meeting armed with two or three questions that are open-ended and non-judgmental.

We begin each meeting with prayer and a brief check-in. Then, we engage in a process called “mutual invitation.” The leader begins by answering the first question, and then inviting someone else to share an answer. That person then either answers the question, or says, “I pass,” and after that, invites someone else to share. You only share when you are invited. Otherwise, you listen. When everyone has shared (or passed) for the first question, the leader then poses the second question and the process is repeated.

After all the formal invitations have been answered, there is a time of “free-for-all” where covenant group members can respond to one another and engage in less formal conversation, until the allotted time is elapsed. Then comes a closing prayer, some cleanup, and goodbyes.

I will be leading the initial covenant group myself to get everything established on the right foot. But, I imagine that it will not take long before I am just another member of the group. I envision the initial group happening on Friday evenings after supper, but that may change depending on who signs up.

So, now that you know what I am talking about, please let me know if you are interested in being a part of our initial venture.

Your brother in Christ,

Scott

We are called to celebrate God’s presence; Nurture the spiritual life of each individual; Carry the light of Jesus Christ to the world; and Serve God by serving others.

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# Worship

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## April Worship Schedule

**April 1** (Palm/Passion Sunday) *Mark 15:1-39* “The Power of Love” The service begins with palms waving and choirs processing. Then we transition to a Passion Sunday emphasis. Who has power in this story, and how do the various characters apply their power? Is the struggle better understood as Jews *vs.* Christians, or as those with coercive/worldly power *vs.* those without such power? If Jesus had utilized coercive power to his private benefit, would the same people be able to relate to him later? We also have communion today.

**April 5** (Maundy Thursday at 7:00 p.m.) A Tenebrae service—a somber service of lessons and music with brief congregational discussion of each lesson and with extinguishing candles. No kids’ sermon today. We will celebrate Communion by intinction in the round, but the service will get darker and darker as we proceed—literally. The service ends in darkness and silence.

**April 6** (Good Friday) There will be one Ecumenical Worship Service at St. Mary Catholic Church at noon, featuring the *Seven Last Words of Christ* interpreted by seven area preachers. To join the ecumenical music efforts for the day (instrumental or vocal), please contact Father Michal Lewon (708-447-1020) for further instructions.

**April 8** (Easter Sunday) Worship Services at 9:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. (no Sunday School today). *Mark 16:1-8* “Is Resurrection a Pipe Dream?” Why should a rational person believe that there will be some form of life after death? Is this just a pretty story to soothe the uneducated masses, or are there actual reasons to believe that this story might be true? Would God have the means to resurrect someone? Would God have a motive for resurrection? How would you speak with an atheist about Easter?

**April 15** (Jazz Sunday) *Psalms 133* and *Acts 4:32-35* “Perfect Family Life” What is the ideal of family life? What social principles prevail within families? How far should we extend these principles? Who should we consider to be “family?” Why do families sometimes become dysfunctional? Andy Tecson leads the jazz band for all the music today.

**April 22** *1 John 3:1-11* “Presbyterian Good Works” What is the reason for doing good works? Is it a means to an end? Do our works purchase our way into heaven? Or are the works themselves the ends, and our salvation is the means?

**April 29** Today we will have a guest preacher from the Presbytery. More details to be announced.

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## April Birthdays



Lonnie Womack 4/1	Michael Sit 4/11	Daniel Christensen 4/20
Quinn Van Nice 4/2	Lucille Christensen 4/12	Elizabeth Franzo 4/20
Chris Allen 4/4	Hannah Pecis 4/13	Jeffrey Burke 4/21
Joe Tecson 4/4	Zachary Buhle 4/14	Doug Harvin 4/23
Michele Krefft 4/5	Parker Hooglander 4/15	Marjory Thompson 4/24
Steven Teune 4/5	Lily Luethje 4/16	Phillip Dluhy 4/25
Stuart Marciniak 4/6	Emily Hastings 4/17	Ruby Henderson 4/27
Karl Vacek 4/6	Courtney Hooglander 4/17	Kyle McKain 4/27
Tom Franzo 4/7	Samuel Sanchez 4/17	Jeanne Heidler 4/28
Vaughn Hilpp 4/7	Katie Hejna 4/19	Art Canavera 4/30
Margaret McCoy 4/8	Tim LeBeau 4/19	Liz-Beth Memoh 4/30
Henry Pecis 4/10		

Is your birthday missing? Our membership database is lacking birthdates for many of our members, and more likely for long-time members whose information was transferred from the old, less-encompassing database program. Please send birthday information to the church office at [rpcoffice@sbcglobal.net](mailto:rpcoffice@sbcglobal.net). You *don't* need to tell us the year!

## Session News

In March, the Session:

- ◆ received Ruth Svestka and Joyce Dobrzanski as new members by letter of transfer from Berwyn Presbyterian Church;
- ◆ received confirmands Brooklyn Hastings, Stuart Marciniak, Margaret Miezio, Kathryn Nadkarni and Erika Sterner as new members;
- ◆ approved designating the local portion of the Pentecost Offering to be used to defray costs of sending an RPC delegate to attend the 2013 Triennial Youth Conference;
- ◆ approved a motion from the Deacons to conduct a “Cents & Centsibility” collection for hunger relief from June to Labor Day;
- ◆ received, with regret, the resignation of John Kiwiet from Session;
- ◆ approved the formation of a “Legacy Society” to recognize people who have provided for RPC through their wills or other bequests;
- ◆ discussed the concerns regarding the paper recycling bin and its impact on the space used by the pre-school; further investigations will be made and the matter re-visited in August;
- ◆ learned that the Personnel Committee seeks someone to staff the church office during the summer, M-Tu-Th-F from 9:00 a.m. to noon;
- ◆ discussed the planned photo membership directory, with photos to be taken from May 30 to June 2.

Mary Ann Sadilek  
Clerk of Session



## April Opportunities



If you are able to host Coffee Fellowship, please contact [Carrie Staubus](#)  
For flower contributions, please contact the [RPC Office](#)  
Potential Acolytes, Liturgists, please contact [Elizabeth Musick](#)

	Liturgists	Acolytes	Ushers	Flowers	Coffee Fellowship
April 1	Cindy Gustafson	OPEN	Hastings Family Kathi Rocanova	Ourth Family	Glawe Family
April 8	Youth	OPEN	Lancaster Family Greta Schramm	Easter Lilies	OPEN
April 8	Youth	OPEN	Bill & Colleen Muller Lou Heine & Susan Lynch	Easter Lilies	OPEN
April 15	OPEN	OPEN	Meyer Family Edith Wakely & Marjorie Lewe	OPEN	OPEN
April 22	Hollie Miezio	Samantha Miezio	Will & Suzanne Vogel Ourth Family	OPEN	OPEN
April 29	Matt Lisle	OPEN	Sanchez Family Serina & Hannah Ranft	Smith Family	OPEN

Trustees for the month of April are Paul Sterner and David Schade.

# Sharing Our Gifts

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## CARERS Corner

During the month of April we are asking for items for [Interfaith House](#). Interfaith House provides a healing environment and resources to help ill and injured homeless adults restore their lives and regain self-sufficiency. Please consider donating shampoo, conditioner, lotion, bar soap, deodorant, toothbrushes, toothpaste, razors, shaving cream, mouthwash, brushes, combs, and nail clippers.



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## What Are the Deacons Doing Lately?

The Presbyterian Deacons' motto is *We do mission work in partnerships*. Don't think this only refers to partnerships with organizations – in fact, our target partners are YOU! Here's what the Deacons have been doing lately:

**Cantata (British Home) Service** - The Deacons provide a church service at 1:30 on the first Sunday of every month at Cantata (formerly the British Home). The service includes scripture, a message, music and fellowship for the residents.

**Rides to Church** - Do you need a ride to church? Or know someone who does? Deacons love to get to know members better by providing rides to and from the Sunday service. Please contact either Frank Gangware ([fgangware@sbcglobal.net](mailto:fgangware@sbcglobal.net)) or Thom DeVries ([tnth447@msn.com](mailto:tnth447@msn.com)) and one of them will find a super Deacon Driver for you.

**Home Communion** - If you are unable to attend church and would like to have communion brought to you at home, please notify your Deacon or the church office.

**Flower Delivery** - When we have fresh flowers in the chancel, Deacons deliver them to homebound members needing some cheer. By the way, please consider sponsoring fresh flowers some Sunday, especially if you have a birthday, anniversary or memorial to honor. The sign-up is in the hallway leading to the social hall.

**Night Ministry** - RPC's contributions to the [Night Ministry](#) are conducted under the supervision of the Deacons. We are part of the Night Ministry's congregational outreach to feed the homeless. If you are interested in providing food or serving on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday of the month, please contact Ellen Hamilton ([tnth447@msn.com](mailto:tnth447@msn.com)).

**Roots & Shoots** - The Deacons' newest program is a partnership with the Jane Goodall Institute's *Roots & Shoots*, which engages youth in ecumenical environmental action-oriented service with a spiritual focus. The first meeting for interested youth will be on April 6 from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. Please contact John Haugland at [barryleopold@sbcglobal.net](mailto:barryleopold@sbcglobal.net) for further information.



Deacons serve to reinforce the church's personal connection with its members. Deacons are assigned to specific districts alphabetically - you can find your assigned district/Deacon on the back of the Sunday bulletin.



## Finance Update

Year-to-date financial status at end of February (16.7% of the way through the year):

Receipts	\$ 46,376 (14.3% of budget)
Disbursements	\$ 71,798 (22.1% of budget)
Deficit	\$ 25,422

### Photo Directory Time!

It's been five years and many members ago since our last church directory! It's time for a new one so we may better know, recognize and contact each other. Photos will be taken on May 30 and 31 and on June 1 and 2, just in time for most college students to be home and before summer vacations begin. Watch the weekly announcements and bulletin for specific information about how to sign up for your photo shoot day and time. Questions? Contact Lynda Nadkarni at [lmn@floros.org](mailto:lmn@floros.org).

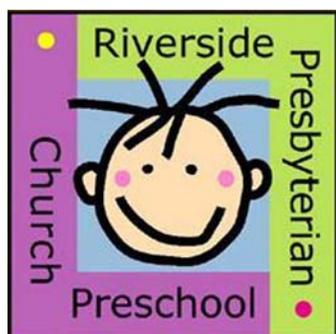
### Join Us for Dessert

Interested in learning more about becoming a member of RPC? Join Pastor Scott and Lynda Nadkarni on Tuesday, April 17, at 7:00 p.m. for dessert and discussion. We'll talk about Presbyterian history, polity and RPC specifically. For more information, or to RSVP, contact Scott at 708-447-1520 or [scott.jansen@comcast.net](mailto:scott.jansen@comcast.net) or Lynda at [lmn@floros.org](mailto:lmn@floros.org). Attendance is about conversation, not commitment. Attend even if you're not completely sure about joining to help form a decision. Childcare is available upon request.



RPC welcomed our 2012 confirmands on March 18: Stuart Marciniak, Brooklyn Hastings, Erika Sterner, Margaret Miezio, and Kathryn Nadkarni, pictured with their teachers, Joe Ourth and John Cain.

## Preschool



Spring is here and that means that another Preschool year is winding down. April will find us as active as any another month at school with our annual visit from METRA - teaching the children all about train safety with their *Operation Lifesaver* program; a visit to the Riverside Library during National Library Week; and a visit to the Riverside Police Station. In addition, some of our parent volunteers will be getting ready for our Geranium Sale. It's sure to be a busy and fun-filled month.

Our annual Book Fair and Raffle was a huge success this year. We would like to thank the church family for their participation and support with these events, and congratulations again to the members who won a basket or two!

# Children

## Passport to the Promised Land

Starting in mid-April we'll start an exciting new rotation on Pentecost. Did you know that Pentecost is considered the birthday of the church? Sunday school kids will have a chance to attend a church birthday party complete with cupcakes, crafts and games to celebrate. Not only that, but they'll be working in the computer lab to create their own computer graphics and learn about the *Fruits of the Spirit*. They'll play awesome games in the gym as they explore the amazing energy of the Holy Spirit. They'll translate and create artwork as they discuss how the disciples were transformed to speak in new languages. And they'll do some cool science experiments too. Wow!

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<b>April 1</b>	<i>Celebration Sunday: All ages meet in the Social Hall for a group activity.</i>		
<b>April 8</b>	<b>EASTER: No Sunday School / Bring in your Fish Banks today!</b>		
<b>April 15</b>	Oasis Place	Creation Station	Celestial Cinema
<b>April 22</b>	Celestial Cinema	Oasis Place	Gym
<b>April 29</b>	Gym	Living Waters	Oasis Place

**April Memory Verse:** *All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.* Acts 2:4

There will be **no Sunday school or Godly Play on Easter Sunday**, but *childcare will be available at both services.*

## Keep Filling Those Fish Banks

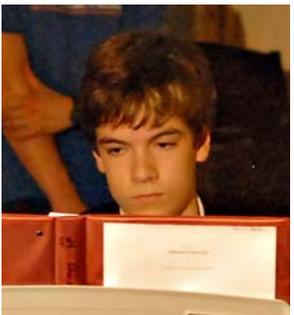
Don't forget to keep up with your *One Great Hour of Sharing* Fish Bank calendars. All of those coins add up to make a BIG difference to those in need. Banks can be returned the week of April 1 (Palm Sunday) and April 8 (Easter Sunday).



A special thanks to our wonderful teen teachers from last month: Allie Burke, Molly Chaney, Marika Floros, Annie Mitchell, Abraham Ourth and Hannah Pecis.



RPC's Third Annual Open Mic Night was held on Saturday, March 17, with an abundance of talent and delicious food prepared by the Youth Group as a fundraiser for their mission trip. Thanks to all who made the evening a success.



# Youth

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## Teen Scene in April

Teen Scene, the Sunday School class for high school students, meets weekly in the RPC Library at 9:00. As part of our ongoing exploration of other religions (we've already attended temple and visited a mosque), and our desire to do service whenever there's a fifth Sunday, the schedule for April is....

**April 1** Class at 9:00 followed by worship at Bethel Bible Church in Lombard. Back by 1:00 p.m.

**April 8 Easter** - No class

**April 15** Class at 9:00

**April 22** Service project for Earth Day (no class)

**April 29** Class at 9:00 followed by worship and lunch at Interfaith Christian Fellowship

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## Youth Group

In March, we made fleece blankets to give to sick infants and toddlers, we tie-dyed t-shirts and talked about Lenten transformation, and we held a successful fundraiser at Open Mic Night! Several of our youth group members performed at Open Mic Night also. Here's what's coming up in April:

**April 1** Volleyball in the gym at 7:00 p.m. All skill levels welcome!

**April 8** Easter Sunday--He is risen! Enjoy Easter with your family

**April 15** Service opportunity--spring cleanup at the church 1:00 to 3:00 p.m.

Regular meeting at Ascension. Topic TBA.

**Friday April 20-Saturday April 21** AWOL: A Work of Love. An annual Presbytery event with youth from all over Chicagoland. Friday gathering for games and worship, day of service on Saturday. Watch your email for more info!

**April 29** BBQ fundraiser for the mission trip



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## Girls' Group

During the month of March, the Girls' Group had serious discussions about the dangers of gossip. We learned that we live in a social society where we share in each other's lives. We are also curious people, always desiring to be "in the know." Yet gossip is not helpful. Gossip actually serves to break the trust of those people around us. We learned that not only does gossip destroy our credibility but also the victim's as well. Gossip is also a way to judge others, which really isn't our job. God is in charge of judging people, not us. Gossip really ends up creating greed, hate, envy, and discrimination. Gossip is also a sign that we are not fully active in our faith and in our lives. The less time we have, the less time we have to gossip. Gossip is bred out of boredom. We learned that gossip can start as easy as a simple talk about someone and then escalates quickly. When we are faced with a statement that may or may not be true, we should check the facts first. The girls also took an "Are You a Gossip?" test, in which some were surprised by the results. The girls' also supported our fellow Girls' Group members by going to Hauser's *Willy Wonka* musical. The play was amazing and we had so much fun. Have fun during the Spring Break. We will meet again on April 3 at our usual times.

*A gossip betrays a confidence, but a trustworthy man keeps a secret.*

Proverbs 11:13



## Presbyterian Women Bible Study

Bible Study will be held on Wednesday, **April 25**, at 10:00 a.m. in the Social Hall.

Margaret Aymer, the author of our study, *Confessing the Beatitudes*, provides insights about the context of the scripture reading and direction about what it means to speak the truth about who God is calling us to be. Lesson Seven: *Greatly Honored are the Peacemakers!*  
 Scripture: Matthew 5:9; James 2:15-16. Key idea: Jesus honors those who work for shalom as his own sisters and brothers, children of God. Shalom is a very familiar word to many Christians, so much so that we forget it is a Hebrew word. Shalom has many meanings, including “wholeness,” “well-being,” and of course, “peace.”

Lesson leaders are Elizabeth Musick, Sylvia Schade, and Joyce Van Cura. Contact Elizabeth Musick at [lizm\\_59@sbcglobal.net](mailto:lizm_59@sbcglobal.net) for more information.

## Human Scene

The adult Sunday School Class, the **Human Scene**, meets every Sunday morning at 9:00 in the upstairs Parlor. Join us in April for a variety of topics:

**April 1** – *Adam and Eve* – We will watch the second lecture of Professor Amy-Jill Levine on the Old Testament. This lecture follows Genesis 2-3, selectively, episode by episode, to highlight its complexity, the effects of Genesis 1 on its interpretation, its possible ancient Near Eastern connections, and the questions that remain debated.

**April 8** – Easter (no class)

**April 15 and 22** - Stanley Schade – *Original Sin*: This two-week class will explore the concept and the need for Original Sin in Christianity as it is represented in Romans Ch. 4.

**April 29** – Lectionary – Matt Lisle will lead a discussion on the lectionary passage for the day: (1 John 3:16-24; John 10:11-18)

## Share the Harvest Update

Spring is here and *Share the Harvest*, with your wonderful help, will again be growing and sharing fresh, healthy produce with neighbors who are hungry. Hard fact to read: one in four children in the U.S. live in households that are food-insecure. Together, we can make a difference!

We want to offer our great growing partners some inspiration and education as we get ready to plant! Everyone is invited to our “Spring Celebration: Bees, Seeds and More!” scheduled for April 21, 10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. at Mt. Zion Lutheran Church in Oak Lawn. Come for great mini-workshops: *How to Plant a Bee Garden, Interplanting and Succession Planting, What Can We Grow -- now that we're in a warmer climate zone?*, and *Turning "Trash" into Composted "Gold."* Plus -- come to hear stories of how different *Share the Harvest* partners are reaching out to their communities in creative, direct, hands-on responses to poverty. We'll also share a simple meal together.

Then, please sign up – beginning on Sunday, April 29, to receive a free seedling! As a *Share the Harvest* grower, you agree to plant, tend and harvest whatever the plant grows and place those gifts in the *Share the Harvest* basket! Your gifts are then delivered directly to our food pantry partners! We'll take signups for seedlings on April 29, May 6 and May 13. And we'll deliver the seedlings for distribution on May 20. Thank you to all who will sign up!

Have questions about *Share the Harvest* and how it works? Please talk to Susan Zander, our *Share the Harvest* coordinator ([smozan@sbcglobal.net](mailto:smozan@sbcglobal.net)). Would you like to learn more about *Share the Harvest* and receive regular updates via the web? Check out Grace Seeds Ministry on Facebook or at [graceseedsministry.wordpress.com](http://graceseedsministry.wordpress.com).

## Groups & Events

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### A Taste of Heaven Right Here in Riverside

If you ask 10 people what their thoughts of heaven are, I'm sure you will get 10 different answers. Out of the 10 responses, there would be one common theme that each one will have, and that's music. If you would like to have a heavenly experience, mark your calendars for **April 22** at 4:00 p.m. for a bell concert performed by the RPC Bell Choir. The pieces to be performed have been carefully selected, and practice for this production has been in the works since 2004. In addition to the bell choir, you can look forward to a piano/organ duet, and the chancel choir performing selections from Vivaldi's *Gloria*. Come listen, close your eyes, and be prepared for angelic harmony.

The Fellowship Committee will host a reception in the Social Hall following the Bell Choir Concert. We hope you will stay for some refreshments and conversation after enjoying the music. If you are able to contribute baked goods, fruit, etc., or to help with set up or clean up, please contact Carrie Staubus at [carriestaubus@earthlink.net](mailto:carriestaubus@earthlink.net).

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### BBQ Fundraiser for the Mission Trip

On Sunday, **April 29**, in lieu of Coffee Fellowship, the Senior High Youth will host a Barbeque in the Social Hall. We will be selling tickets in advance and also at the door. Adults will be \$10 and children 10 and under will be \$5. We hope you will join us for this delicious meal of fellowship and fun!

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### Summer Family Retreat

Riverside Presbyterian Church will hold a family retreat July 20-22, at Camp Saugatuck in Michigan. We mean *church* family – the retreat is open to singles, couples and families with children of all ages. We plan to have a fun, unstructured weekend including relaxing on the beach, excellent meals, campfires and the chance to hike, swim and canoe if you wish. The prices are: adults \$133; youth (12-17) \$109; children (3-11) \$64; and infants (0-2) \$16. The price includes two nights' stay in cabins, four meals, and all activities at the camp. [Registration forms](#) are available on the RPC website or in the church office. Payment is due 30 days prior to our retreat. Check out [photos of previous retreats](#) on the RPC website.

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### The Night Ministry and the Presbytery of Chicago

The Homelessness Mission Team invites you to "Share Our Mission" on Saturday, April 18 at 4711 N. Ravenswood in Chicago (10:00 a.m. to noon, lunch provided). Come learn about the work of The Night Ministry, share your congregation's volunteering experience, and network with other Chicago Presbytery congregations that support the Night Ministry. [More info](#)

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### Scouts

Over 125 Pack 24 cub scouts and their family members attended our Blue & Gold banquet in February. At this dinner, we bid farewell to our dozen Webelos II scouts as they crossed over to become boy scouts and recognized the leadership of den leaders Mark Janopoulos and Mike Murphy. Also in February, over 60 scouts and family members went to the *Dozin with the Dinos* overnight trip at the Field Museum in Chicago.

Troop 24 welcomed 20 new scouts over the past month, most of them 5th graders from Pack 24 and Pack 120. The new scouts experienced their first Troop campout at Cantigny in March. Older scouts worked on Law, Medicine, and Space Exploration merit badges, and went skiing at Sunburst Ski Resort in Wisconsin in February. Scouts also participated in a service project with [Feed My Starving Children](#).

Both Pack 24 and Troop 24 would like to thank the RPC family for their support of the annual Pancake Breakfast, held at RPC on March 3. The scouts served over 700 meals, and the proceeds from the breakfast go to support their many activities throughout the year.

Please check the Website for the most recent calendar updates!



# April 2012

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 <b>PALM SUNDAY</b> 9a Sunday School 10a Worship 11a Coffee Fellowship 11a Kids' Open Gym 1:30p Cantata Worship 7p Youth Group V-Ball	2 5:15p Volleyball 7p Stewardship Committee	3 6:30a Men's Forum 9:30a Staff Mtg 6p Girls' Group 7p Weightlifters 7p Personnel Comm	4 Office Closed 12p Covenant Prayers for Peace 4:15p Singers 4:45p Ringers 6:30p Handbells 7:30p Chancel Choir	5 6:30a Women's Forum 7p Maundy Thursday Service	6 <b>GOOD FRIDAY</b> 12p Good Friday Service at St. Mary 7p Roots & Shoots	7
8 <b>EASTER</b> 9a Worship 10a Coffee Fellowship 10:30a Worship 11:30a Coffee Fellowship 	9 5:15p Volleyball 7p Finance Comm 7:30p Trustees Mrg	10 6:30a Men's Forum 9:30a Staff Mtg 6p Girls' Group 7p Weightlifters	11 Office Closed 4:15p Singers 4:45p Ringers 6:30p Handbells 7:30p Chancel Choir	12 6:30a Women's Forum	13 Night Ministry	14 11a Memorial Service for Joseph Kubik 1p Bell Choir Rehearsal
15 <b>Vision</b> Deadline 9a Sunday School 10a Jazz Sun. Worship 11a Coffee Fellowship 1:30p Scottish Home Worship	16 5:15p Volleyball	17 6:30a Men's Forum 9:30a Staff Mtg 6p Girls' Group 7p Weightlifters	18 Office Closed 4:15p Singers 4:45p Ringers 6:30p Handbells 7:30p Chancel Choir 7:30p Session Mtg	19 6:30a Women's Forum	20	21
22 9a Sunday School 10a Worship 11a Coffee Fellowship 4p Bell Choir Concert 5p Bell Choir Reception	23 5:15p Volleyball	24 6:30a Men's Forum 9:30a Staff Mtg 6p Girls' Group 7p Weightlifters	25 Office Closed 10a Pres. Women Bible Study 4:15p Singers 4:45p Ringers 6:30p Handbells 7:30p Chancel Choir	26 6:30a Women's Forum	27	28
29 9a Sunday School 10a Worship 11a BBQ Fundraiser	30 5:15p Volleyball					

## Camp Saugatuck Registration

Camp Saugatuck, the beautiful lakeshore camp in Michigan owned by the Presbytery of Chicago, has begun registration for summer programs. Opportunities include youth camps, family camps, and adult work weekends. Visit their website at [www.prescamps.org](http://www.prescamps.org) for more information, including schedules and prices.

**"Where there is no vision, the people perish." — Proverbs 29:18**

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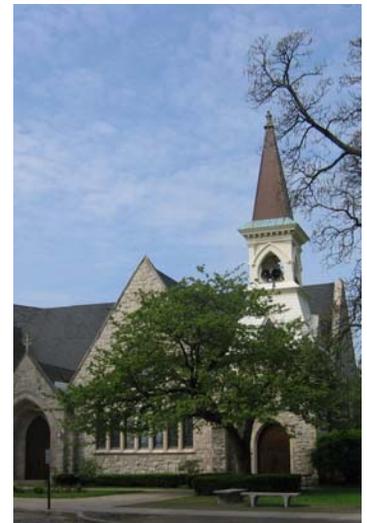
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