

FROM THE PASTOR'S PEN



April 2010



Easter Sunday

We invite you to join us in worship during Holy Week – a time in which we remember Jesus' triumphal entry into Jerusalem, His arrest and crucifixion, and finally, His resurrection from the dead. It is a week that changed the world – where Jesus lived, died and rose again for us. Our Church is located on the corner of Hwy 120 & First Street. Parking is available on both sides of the church and also along First Street.

If you have any questions, please call our Church Office: 838 -2798 - Tuesday - Friday - 9:00 - 3:00

Palm Sunday & Good Friday

Palm Sunday Service, Sunday, March 28 – 10:30 am
Good Friday Service – Friday, April 2 – 6:00 pm

Easter Celebration – Sunday, April 4

Sunrise Service – 6:30 am – Burwood Cemetery
First Easter Morning Service – 9:00 am – Sanctuary Fellowship
– 9:50 – 10:20 am – Church Courtyard
Second Easter Service – 10:30 am - Sanctuary

Easter Pancake Breakfast

April 4 – Faith Center – Tickets Available Now
Breakfast Served: 8:00 – 10:00 am

Faith In Action

We're raising funds to provide Caregiver Kits!

Our church is partnering with the churches of Escalon to equip and encourage community volunteers caring for those living with AIDS in Africa, Asia, and Latin America.

Why are we doing this?

AIDS is one of the greatest humanitarian crises of our time. Caregiver kits are a tangible expression of Christ's unconditional love for those suffering from AIDS and an encouragement to those caring selflessly for neighbors and loved ones.

What's in the kits and how much do they cost?

The kits contain basic, practical items – such as soap, latex gloves, and cotton balls – that are inaccessible or unaffordable for the people who need them. All donations, both large and small, help provide Caregiver Kits that will bring joy to caregivers and have an immeasurable impact on many people within their communities.

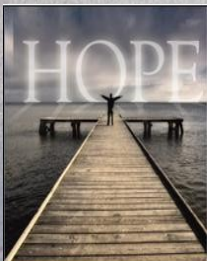
How can I participate?

The Escalon Ministerial Association is inviting every family of our churches to consider donating towards the purchase of one (1) Caregiver Kit at \$28 if they are able to. We'll order the kit contents in bulk, then everyone will be invited to help build the kits in the Faith Center at EPC! Please make checks out to our church with "Caregiver Kit" in the memo line. This is a great way our entire church can serve those in need in Christ's name.

What is Faith In Action Weekend?

Faith in Action Weekend is a joint project of the churches of Escalon, where we gather together on a Saturday to devote time to a few service projects. We have one "global" service project (The World Vision Caregiver Kit project) and a couple of "local" service projects (this year will include a project to improve our C.A.R.E. facility, our local food bank). It will be held on Sat, May 1, 2010 – more specific information will be forthcoming.

Together, we can make a difference for people affected by AIDS. **Please help today!**



Easter Services
9:00 & 10:30am

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