



The BELL RINGER



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CLERK OF SESSION – MARY ELLEN MOYER
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(2012) TRACIE DOUGLAS WOTOWEY 224-4542

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TRACIE DOULGAS WOTOWEY

CONCERNS COMMITTEE

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AMY WIMMER

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BILL BELITZ

YOUTH GROUP

INGRID TEGTMAN – 206-9489

EXPANDED OPPORTUNITIES TEAM

CLARENCE SITZMAN

OFFICE HOURS - 9:00 A.M.--2:00 P.M.

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY

PASTOR'S OFFICE HOURS –

10:00 A.M. to 3:30 P.M. – TUESDAY thru FRIDAY

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday

9:00 a.m.--2:00 p.m.

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staff@timnathpres.org

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Interim Pastor, Rev. Ken Gorman –

(970) 377-0703 (home)

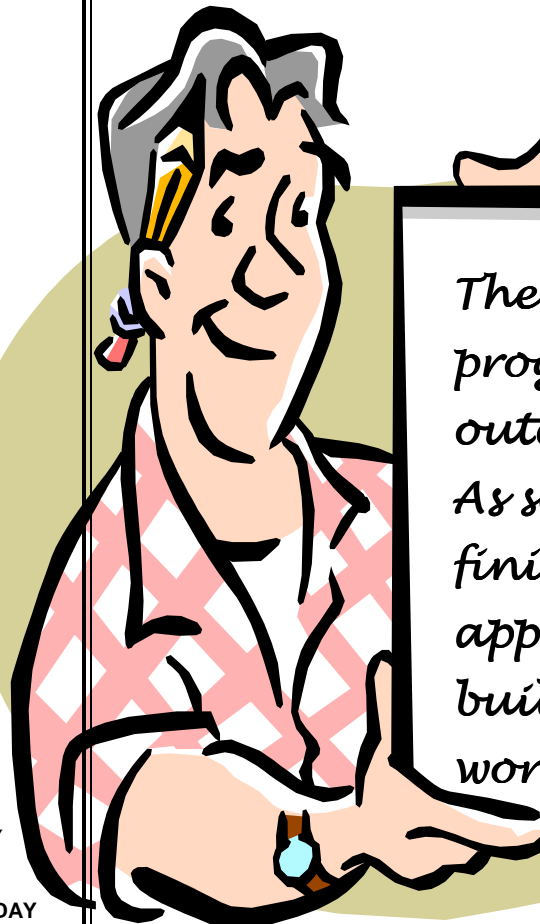
(970) 231-4645 (cell)

Pastor's email – pastor@timnathpres.org

9:00 a.m. Sunday School

10:00 a.m. Worship

11:00 a.m. Fellowship Time



The rebuilding is progressing. The outer shell is in place. As soon as plans are finished & then approved by the local building dept, the work will go faster.



Notes from Ken

As we enter the season of Lent this month we have a unique opportunity to do some serious self-examination, and to deepen our relationship with God. Lent is a period of 40 days of preparation and repentance, which can include the practice of prayer, fasting, and abstinence. This is a good time to reflect on our pattern of life and to pay attention to those places where we have strayed from God. We can intentionally pray more deeply, seek forgiveness for what we have done or for those things that we have failed to do, and we can endeavor to practice our faith more diligently.

During Lent, many Christians participate in some form of Lenten Discipline. It might be fasting or abstaining from something you enjoy. It might include service to others, Contemplative Prayer, or reflective reading of one of the gospels. Whether you give something up, or take something on, or both, the point of engaging in a specific discipline is to draw near to God and to intentionally recommit oneself to God.



On the first, third, and fifth Sunday in Lent (Feb. 21st, Mar. 7th, and Mar. 21st) I will be offering a class on Lenten Discipline during the adult education time (9:00 a.m.). I invite you to come to class to see which discipline might be appropriate for you this Lenten season.

With Christ's Blessings,

Ken



*Lent begins with Ash Wednesday, February 17.
The First Sunday in Lent is February 21.
The Liturgical Color for Lent is Purple.*

WHAT IS GOD CALLING US TO DO?

On Sunday, February 14th, immediately following worship, the congregation will have an opportunity to share ideas about what God might be calling us to do in the future. Where will God lead us? Come and share your ideas on that day. Refreshments will be served.

As you prayerfully reflect on this picture and envision where God is leading us, please consider the following areas of church life. How might they look in the future?

Worship, Christian Education, Fellowship, Mission, Outreach, Stewardship, and Leadership

Additional information will follow.

SESSION HIGHLIGHTS FROM JANUARY 14TH MEETING

Letters of Appreciation were written to four persons for their contributions to the Reconstruction Fund totaling \$540.00.

Interim Pastor Ken Gorman has met with the Transition Team and there will be a **Congregational Gathering on Sunday, February 14**, for small group discussions regarding "moving ahead and looking to the future."

There will be a **Lenten Study titled LENTEN DISCIPLINES**, on the first, third, and fifth Sundays of Lent. Those dates are:
February 21, March 7, and March 21.

Session approved a "**Kitchen Committee**" that will be facilitated by Nancy Greenwood and Tracie Douglas Wotowey for the purpose of choosing equipment, colors, carpeting, tile, and other facility needs.

Updates on reconstruction and planning ahead were given by Tony Maxwell of Guide One Taylor Ball Construction and Carl Glaser, architect, of Thunder Pup Construction.

A special offering for Haitian earthquake victims was received on January 17 & 24. These contributions will go to Presbyterian Disaster Assistance (PDA) for distribution. PDA contributed to our needs, as well.

The following were elected as **officers of Corporation** of Timnath Presbyterian Church:

President	Gene Boling
Vice President	Bill Belitz
Clerk	Mary Ellen Moyer
Treasurer	Pam Fisher

Russ Skinner and Sharon Jones will be the **delegates to Presbytery Meeting** on February 5-6 at Harmony Presbyterian Church, Fort Collins.

Approval was given for the sale of **Boy Scout Chili Supper tickets** on Sunday, February 7.

2010 COMMITTEE CHAIRS

and/or

SESSION REPRESENTATIVES

Buildings & Grounds	Gene Boling
Christian Education	Tracie Douglas Wotowey
Congregational Life	Gil Fisher
Concerns	Nancy Greenwood
Finance	Clarence Sitzman
Mission	Sharon Jones
Nominating	Amy Wimmer
Personnel	Amy Wimmer
Worship	Mary Ellen Moyer
WOWE	Bill Belitz

2010 PER CAPITA APPORTIONMENT is \$35.43

This is the amount each church must pay per member to cover administrative and supportive services needed at every level of the Presbyterian Church (USA)—General Assembly, Synod, Presbytery. This is an approximate \$4,600.00 expense to our church budget. Although it is a budgeted item, if you would like to contribute your own apportionment, please make your checks payable to Timnath Presbyterian and indicate "per capita" on the check. Thank you.



ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sundays @ 9:00 a.m.

Join us for Ken Bailey's videos –
Middle Eastern Perspective on New
Testament Studies--

"Jesus, the Theologian—His Parables"

Ken Bailey has a long history of living in the Middle East. He is a professor, teacher and lecturer. Each Sunday, we will explore a different parable. Thanks to Fred Roedger for loaning us this set of videos.

LENTEN STUDY

We will interrupt our look at the parables with Ken Bailey on the following Sundays:
February 21, March 7, and March 21
Pastor Ken will provide a Lenten Study focusing on Lenten Disciplines.



EVENING CIRCLE will meet on Tuesday, February 16, at 7:15 p.m. at the home of Edie Brooks. Linda Ogilvie will lead Lesson Six about Rahab and the Gibeonites from the study guide, JOSHUA: A Journey of Faith. Scripture references are: Joshua 2:1-24; 6:25; 9:3-27. The key idea, a call to acceptance, is revealed. Rahab and the Gibeonites are signs of hope for all who are lost and outcast.

AFTERNOON CIRCLE will meet at 1:00 p.m., Thursday, February 11, at the home of Sharon Waag. Coffee & cookies will be served. Nancy Greenwood will lead the Mission Study, and Betty Willis, the Least Coin. Please bring a thought to share.

SECOND MILE MISSION

Second Mile Mission will meet in the church office, 9:30-3:00 p.m., on the 1st & 3rd Mondays of each month. Please bring a sandwich and fruit to share for lunch,

THE PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY will be meeting on Saturdays, February 13 & 27, from 9:00-11:00 a.m. at Sunflower Community Center. Thanks to Patsy and Mary for setting this up. It's a wonderful place to gather, and we hope many of you will be able to join us. It looks like the new stoplights on Highway 14 might be operational by then. If you need directions, please contact Patsy Hutcheson (222-8073) or Mary Crouse (416-8658).



CONCERNS COMMITTEE: During the month of January, 6 prayers were passed through the prayer chain. This is just one of the many aspects of the Concerns Committee. Cards and Flowers are sent as needed also. Please remember that we are here for you. Our efforts are greatly enhanced when you let us know of a concern within our congregation. Please don't assume that we already know. Hearing about someone's need multiple times is better than not hearing/knowing at all. You are our eyes and ears.



CONCERNS CONTACTS—

- Coordinator & Session Rep. –
Nancy Greenwood – 669-0056
- Funeral Dinners
Patsy Hutcheson – 222-8073
Nancy Greenwood – 669-0056
- Emergency Meals
Judy Gossley – 493-6739
Nancy Immel – 224-9041
- Prayer Chain
1st Maxine Hansen – 226-3876
2nd Paula Matney – 225-0440
- Cards Dorothy Weitzel – 482-8075
- Hospital Flowers
Bunny Goshorn – 482-7849
Mary Louise Gallatin – 493-8996
- Visits Bev McBride – 482-9386

LENTEN & EASTER SPECIAL WORSHIP BULLETINS

have been ordered for the 5 Sundays in Lent, Palm Sunday, Maundy Thursday, and Easter. If you would like to purchase "a service" and/or memorialize the bulletins for a service, please contact Mary Louise in the church office, 493-8996.

Cost is \$12.00 per service.



PRESBYTERY NEWSLETTER

If you would like a copy of the Presbytery Newsletter, please contact the church office. Normally these would be available in our Narthex area, and will be again when we are able to move back into our building. You can also access this newsletter by going to the Presbytery website: www.plainsandpeaks.org

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

Ecumenical Prayer Service

Friday, March 5

9:30-11:30 a.m.

St. Joseph's Catholic Church

308 W. Mountain Ave., Ft. Collins

(sponsored by Church Women United)



SUNDAY, MARCH 7 – "CELEBRATE THE GIFTS OF WOMEN" SUNDAY

On Sunday, March 7, the women of TPC will be leading the morning worship service, focusing on women and their gifts to the church and community.

Congratulations!

**PAM FISHER,
RECIPIENT OF THE
2009 HINENI AWARD**

REMINDER –

The first Sunday of each month is "Food Bank Sunday" – February 7.

Cash donations are accepted & welcomed, also.



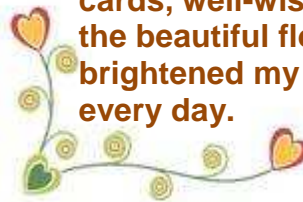
TIMNATH FAMILY STORYTIME

The Poudre River Public Library District will begin holding weekly story-times in Timnath. Families with all ages of children will enjoy stories, songs, finger plays, and a short craft to take home. Attendance is free at these 30-minute programs. This pilot project is generously funded by Friends of the Library.

For more information, call 221-6680.



THANK YOU to everyone for the prayers, cards, well-wishes and to the church for the beautiful flowers—they certainly brightened my week. I'm feeling better every day. -- Nancy Greenwood



63 Stock Show tickets were purchased, resulting in \$1842.00 being applied to debt reduction. Thanks to all of you and special thanks to Jerry & Mary McMorris for providing the tickets.