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# Household of Faith

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## A Word from Pastor Mack

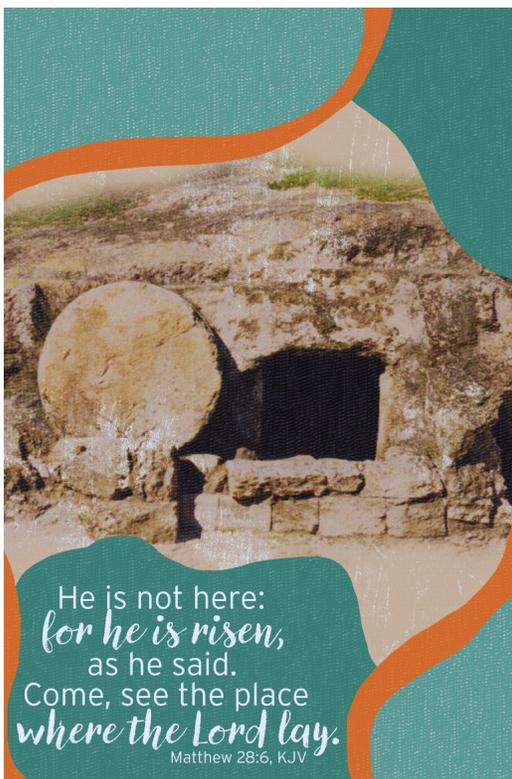
Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ!

Blessings to you, and thank you for your faithfulness to God, God's people, and your church! Our church is so blessed to be planning a Christmas Market called "Magic on Church Street" for the entire community to enjoy during the weekend of 21-22 November 2026! It is not too late to sign up to serve as a volunteer or member of the committee that is being led by Ms. Lorri Yarborough and Karen Van Der Heen. Our church is continuing to roll along faithfully in the mission and ministry of our Lord and Savior Jesus the Christ with many wonderful outreach programs. Your Blessing Box, Snack Sack, and Shepherd's Center support are just a few examples of how you continue to touch so many people.

We have noticed that folks who have been away for various reasons have returned to worshipping with us at LUMC, and they point out the increasing number of new faces in our worship services! It's true, we have been blessed that in the days where so many are noting the fall of church attendance throughout our country, we at LUMC have been unusually blessed to have a high rate of visitors and returning visitors. It is truly wonderful for us to have such an unexpected sign from God, that we are not forgotten or abandoned, but that instead, God has great plans for us in our mission and ministry. Thanks be to God!

May the Lord continue to bless us in our mission and ministry.

*Pastor Mack MacDowell*

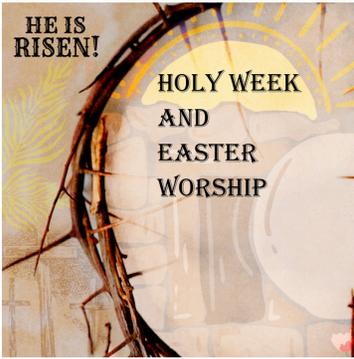


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# Church News

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## Holy Week

**Palm Sunday**- 8:30 Regular Service and 11:00AM -Blended Service, both in Sanctuary  
**Maundy Thursday** Service | 6:30PM in Sanctuary  
**Good Friday** Service | 6:30PM in Sanctuary

### **EASTER Sunday**

7:00AM | Easter Sunday Sunrise Service w/ Communion by circle cross  
7:45AM | Breakfast sponsored by the UMM | Asbury  
9:00AM | Traditional Easter Worship Service w/ communion | Sanctuary  
11:00AM | Contemporary Easter Worship Service w/ Communion | Wesley Hall  
12:05PM | Butterfly Release | outside Wesley Hall



## Lily Orders

If you would like to place a lily in the church on Easter Sunday, please use this link,

[Lily Order](#)

or scan the QR code to order. They are \$16.

Orders are due by March 16.



## Labyrinth Walk



The Labyrinth is a means for you to pause your “busyness”, quiet your mind, and walk with God.

What you focus on as you walk may be determined by where you are in your life – you might walk it as a kind of prayer; to receive inspiration or an answer; to let go of a worry or burden; or a symbolic journey.

There is no right or wrong way to walk a labyrinth; simply walk the labyrinth with an open heart and an open mind. Click [here](#) to read more about walking the Labyrinth or watch the LUMC Labyrinth video [here](#).

Our labyrinth will be set out in Wesley Hall and available for walking during Holy Week:

Monday, March 30	9AM—6PM
Tuesday, March 31	9AM—6PM
Wednesday, April 1	9AM—6PM
Thursday, April 2	9AM—6PM
Friday, April 3	9AM—5:30PM

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## Blessings of the Pets

April 4, 10AM | Circle Drive

The Blessing of the Animals honors the bond between humans and animals, celebrates creation, and asks for God’s care over the creatures in our lives.

Bring your favorite animal to the Circle Dr. off of Fort Street to receive a special blessing. We hope to see you there!



# Magic on Church Street | November 21 & 22



Plans for the Magic on Church Street are well under way!

If you would like to get in on the planning, please contact Lorri Yarborough ([lorri@temia.com](mailto:lorri@temia.com) or 8033510772) to find out where your gifts will be best served.

The church will have 3 spaces for the church's **Treasures, Treats and Talents booths!**

As the name suggests, we will be collecting second-hand holiday treasures. These will be items for sale that you would be proud to have in your home. We will begin collecting these items July 1. Watch for more details as the time grows near.

We will be selling tasty treats so be thinking what you can contribute to the bake sale. Since this is a two day event, lots of baked goods will be needed. Start looking at those recipes now!

We will be looking for some beautiful items to sell in our handicrafts and artesian space. Please let Karen Waterfield know what you will donate.

Many plans have already fallen in place. There will be an art contest for the students in Lexington 1. The winning Christmas designs will be used on various items for sale at the Market.

A *Christmas in July* launch is planned for July 25. This is when the social media platform will launch and items such as mugs, ornaments, and Christmas pictures will go on sale featuring a drawing by artist Michael Story. The LUMC children will be creating small gifts that will be for sale at the Talents booth and there will be children's activities throughout the event.



Entertainment will be on the stage. Dawn Smith Jordan will be the inaugural act, sharing songs and her children's books. Other musicians, including Kevin McGee, and dancers will grace the stage.

Sunday worship will be held at the Amphitheater. A worship committee will work with Pastors Mack and Meegian on this special service.

Vendors and sponsors have already committed. If you know of a vendor who might be interested please let Harvey Etheredge [hlynn1958@gmail.com](mailto:hlynn1958@gmail.com) know.

On the next page you will find the sponsorship letter that you can now use to send--for yourself or share with friends and family. Reach out and help sponsor this exciting event.

You can use this link :

<https://lexumcsc.shelbynextchms.com/external/form/fc1c2df2-532d-494c-a520-fffdacf6aa5a>  
to give online through the church website.

or use the QR code:



With all of us working together, we can make this an extraordinary event to honor the Lord by continued service/outreach to our community!



# Lexington

United Methodist Church

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## Sponsorships LUMC Fundraiser

Lexington United Methodist church, **celebrating 175 years**, is passionate about community outreach and missions near and far. These programs are numerous, and it is our goal to not only continue these programs but expand them. Our local missions include:

- **Mission Lexington, which LUMC helped to found**
- **Blessings Box which helps feed the homeless**
- **Snack sack, which feeds about 900 hungry Lexington County school-aged children each week**
- **Epworth's Children's Home**
- **Native American Food basket Ministry**
- **Walks to Emmaus**
- **Shepherd's Center**
- **American Red Cross Blood Drive**
- **Cards Ministry for the infirm**
- **Angel Tree Ministry**
- **Caring Connections for the homebound**
- **Lexington Reaching Everyone (LRE) for church visitors, the unchurched, and those in need of visitation**
- **Prayer Shawls ministry for the sick**

We are planning a fundraiser on November 21<sup>st</sup> and November 22, 2026 at the Town of Lexington Icehouse Amphitheater Complex. We expect this to be a true Vintage Christmas Festival "*Magic on Church Street*" with focus on the family (local vendors/artisans, food, musicians, carolers, children's activities). Our theme will honor Lexington as a community founded by diverse nationalities, who had a common vision for a new type of town, one based on hard work, community, and unconditional love powered by giving.

In order to make this a success and continue our outreach, we need sponsorships. Any donation is much appreciated! You, as an individual or a company, will be recognized by signage at the event. We would welcome you and/or someone from your organization to attend.

We believe "With God all things are possible" and your contribution will help us continue our mission of honoring Him with our unconditional love and gifts. We are happy to meet with you in person or remotely and answer any questions. Click the link or scan the QR Code below for online access to the form for giving/contributions:

[lexumcsc.shelbnextchms.com/external/form/fc1c2df2-532d-494c-a520-fffdacf6aa5a](https://lexumcsc.shelbnextchms.com/external/form/fc1c2df2-532d-494c-a520-fffdacf6aa5a)



May God Bless you,

Pastor Mack McDowell  
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Lexington United Methodist Church  
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# Church Media Center and Gatherings

## New Easter Books in Our Media Center

We have some new books about Easter that you might want to share with your children.

Please stop in off of Wesley Hall and check them out. There are also many other Christian books to share with them.

Happy Easter, Risen King is a book for young children that weave the fun of identifying colors with the special message of Easter.

The Easter Story--Brick by Brick-- uses Legos to share the Easter story, encouraging kids to build their own Easter scene.

Journey with Jesus--Through rhyme the Holy Week story is shared from Palm Sunday to the miracle of Easter, along the way experiencing His great love for each of us.

God's Colorful Easter--The Good News is for Everyone--The Easter story is for everyone. The retelling of the Easter story through beautiful illustrations and the eyes of Simon with the story of Jesus.

Also new is the Lenten series **The Last Supper** by Will Willimon.

This DVD study guides you from Palm Sunday to Easter, exploring the stories Jesus told as he journeyed toward the Last Supper. Through parables of reckless sowers, searching shepherds, prodigal fathers, and open invitations God who refuses to take no for an answer. At the end, the Host becomes the meal, transforming betrayers into beloved.

Another new Lenten study is **When Did We See You?** which guides you through a timely conversation about our money, economic justice, and God's call for a world with enough for all.



There are other Lenten studies and books in our Media Center. Also, there are books on parenting, devotionals, commentaries to answer your questions; books about Methodism and many other topics. Take some time to visit to find answers in our nonfiction books. And check out the fiction section for good reads!

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## Prime Timers Lunch



**Tuesday, March 3--11:30AM | Cracker Barrel, Irmo**

You are invited to join Prime Timers for lunch on Tuesday, March 3rd, at Cracker Barrel Old Country Store in Irmo at 1140 Kinley Rd. Please contact Sammie Brown at 803-351-0784 or [sbrown8885@gmail.com](mailto:sbrown8885@gmail.com) for directions and to reserve your seat.

## G.A.L.S. Widows' Support Group Lunch

**Tuesday, March 17| 11:30AM | Old Mill Brew Pub**

God's Amazing Love Sustains (G.A.L.S.) is a support group for widows. The support group meets the third Tuesday of every month at a local restaurant for lunch and a time of fellowship. For March, the group will gather at the Old Mill Brew Pub. For questions or to RSVP, contact Linda Gladden at 803-920-0114.



# Preschool

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The LUMC Preschool is going strong this school year. If you have been at church when the littles arrive or leave you have seen how happy and excited they are to be at the Preschool. You can help support our Preschool through these fundraisers that are coming up:



## Yard Sale!

**March 7, 9:00AM--12:00PM | Wesley Hall**

Come and support the Preschool at the indoor yard sale. There might be a treasure you can't live without!



## Chick-fil-a Night

**March 10**

**Preschool Spirit Night** at the Lexington Chick-fil-A on March 10<sup>th</sup>. Make sure you mentioned the Preschool when you order.



## Nothing Bunt Cakes –YUM!

Do you love Nothing Bundt Cakes? You can order these delicious cakes through the Preschool fundraiser until March 16<sup>th</sup>. Pick up for the bundt cakes will be March 24<sup>th</sup> at the church. The order form on the desk in the hallway outside Diane's office. Cakes are \$7.00 each.

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-Registration for the 2026/2027 Preschool year is open! Use this link to sign up!

<https://lumcpreschool.shelbnextchms.com/external/form/6022f0b1-4dc3-441b-be9a-b7d16f3dda55>

or use this QR code:



The Youth Ministry at Lexington United Methodist Church seeks to serve all students in grades 6th through 12th grade. For all the latest info regarding upcoming events, scan the QR code to view the monthly youth newsletter or visit [lexumcsc.com/student-ministry](http://lexumcsc.com/student-ministry).



## Sundae Serve with Snack Sack

**March 1, 5:00 - 6:30 pm | LOCATION: Wesley Hall (Gym)**

Join us Sunday, March 1 as we get ready to serve our neighbor by packing snack sack bags for our church. On top of this we will be filming some fun stuff for the youth Instagram this Sunday, and of course the night will end with ice cream!



## Peeps Night

**March 8, 5:00 - 6:30 pm | LOCATION: Wesley Hall (Gym)**

Peeps come in different shapes, sizes and flavors, so come out as we have a night full of games in Wesley Hall surrounding these delicious marshmallow treats!

## No Youth Group -March 15

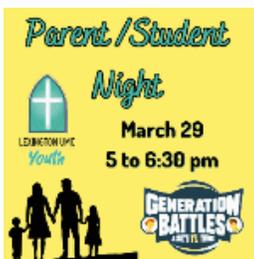
Todd and the confirmands will be returning from the Confirmation retreat on this day, so no youth group meeting on Sunday, March 15!



## St. Patrick's Day Fun!

**March 22, 5 - 6:30 PM | LOCATION: Wesley Hall (Gym)**

St. Patty's day is a great day to celebrate so join us for a fun leprechaun scavenger hunt around the church and other fun St. Patty's theme games!



## Parent / Student Night

**March 29, 5:00 - 6:30 PM**

Parents, come join your students on this night as we have a battle of the generations! Plus we will spend time talking about the family unit and its importance in the church

## Dinner and Dessert Auction

**Sunday, April 26, 5:00--6:30 PM | Wesley Hall**



Volunteer at the Link Below ↓  
[2026 Dinner and Dessert Auction Volunteers](#)  
 (includes dessert donations)

Buy Your Tickets at Link Below ↓  
[2026 Dinner and Dessert Auction Ticket Sales](#)



In person sales will start at church on Sunday, March 22.

# Youth Mission Trip Summer 2026

June 21 - June 26



It's time for Youth 2025 Mission Trip sign-ups and a lot of important information is below! We are headed to Atlanta, GA to learn about various cultures and religions and also put on a "VBS Style" camp at an apartment complex.

\*Please note, because of the nature of this trip and us needing to do some planning for our VBS style camp, there will be some mandatory meetings/trainings/planning sessions that your student needs to attend before the trip. Dates for these will be determined once registration is complete.

TRIP DATES: June 21 - June 26

\*We will depart on Sunday, June 21, after worship together at church.

WHO: Completed 6th grade - Completed 12th grade

**DEADLINE TO SIGN UP: Monday, May 4**

TOTAL COST: \$375.00/pp.

Deposit Due by May 4: \$175.00. Next payment due by: June 30: \$200.00

COST OF TRIP INCLUDES:

- Most meals covered on the trip (students may be responsible for 2 to 3 meals for travel / during Free time. To be determined closer to the trip.
- Our lodging will take place at a local AirBnB. Exact location to be determined closer to the trip.
- Participant T-Shirt

If you are an adult volunteer, you will go for free.... just the cost of your additional meals! Contact TODD if you want to go as an adult.

Additional Expenses: Meals and snacks on the road x2-3 depending (specifics closer to trip), souvenirs, etc.

\*Parents/Guardians may be asked to fill out an updated medical release form for LUMC prior to the trip!

Lots more information about this trip can be found here:

[March 2026 Newsletter - LUMC Youth Monthly Update](#)

## Blessing Box



When you are out shopping, pick up items for the Blessing Box. Most needed items include instant oatmeal or grits--individual serving, pop-top canned meats, snack items, fruit cups, pop-top canned veggies, pet food, water, crackers, individual cereals. Place your items in the cart outside the office. If you give your receipt to Diane Crosby, you can be reimbursed for your Blessing Box expenses.

# Children's Ministry

LUMC promises to surround our children with a community of love and forgiveness, that they may grow in their service to others. Our intention is to minister to the needs of all children and provide them with a caring community where they may be nurtured in a dignified and loving manner. If you have any questions, please contact Laura Henrickson at [laura@lexumcsc.com](mailto:laura@lexumcsc.com).



## See you in Sunday School!

The new year has brought the return of regular weekly Sunday School classes – and that includes music time with Ms. Lessie. Parents, you are encouraged to bring your children to join us on Sunday mornings at 10:00 a.m. for a fun experience of singing while learning new and inspiring songs. We are also hopeful that the children will be able to share their music in upcoming worship services throughout the year. Looking forward to seeing you and your children on Sunday!

### KidzWay | 5:00 to 6:30PM | Asbury Hall



**March 1--** Starting *Name that Parable!* We'll be reading all about the stories Jesus told and what they mean to us!

**March 8--***Craft Night* for the Christmas Market Place! We'll be making some DIY goodies to help fundraise at the Christmas Market Place this November! Get ready for beads, ornaments, and all the crafting fun!

**March 15--**we'll be celebrating **St. Patrick's Day** and who in the world is this Saint Patrick guy and why he has a holiday! **Wear your green** and come join us for some fun!

**March 22--** will be *Ramen Night!* "Ramen Forever!" Need I say more? Come join us for all the fun at Asbury Hall!

**March 29--** is going to be our *It's All Greek to me* Night! We'll be learning a little bit about The Ancient Greek alphabet and a little bit about the Ancient Greek Language!



Egg Hunt is Psalm Sunday. March 29

**April 19--**will be the final installment of *Name That Parable!* We'll look at another famous parable Jesus told and what that means for us today!

### Safe Sanctuary Training: March 5, 6pm | Asbury Hall

If you work with children, youth, or vulnerable adults, Safe Sanctuary training is **required** and must be renewed every three years. If you're unsure when you last completed your training, please reach out to Rev. Meegian Gossard or Todd Handell. We'll be happy to check for you. If you believe your training needs to be renewed, or if you have never completed Safe Sanctuary training, please plan to attend this session.

Thank you for helping us create a safe, welcoming, and caring environment for everyone. We hope to see you there!



Children's Ministry needs **you** to volunteer!

Click on the link below to sign up!

**ACOLYTE SIGN UP**

**CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL**

**TEACHER/ASSISTANT SIGN UP**

**NURSERY SIGN UP**

**KIDZWAY SUNDAY NIGHT LEADER/ASSISTANT SIGN UP**

# Birthdays

- 3/1 Kevin Hicks  
Bryan Mitton
- 3/2 Rick Cunningham Sr.  
Drew Gatch  
John Stewart  
Hope Wilson  
Stuart Ford
- 3/3 Tim Murphy Jr.
- 3/4 Beth Wilson  
Sam Owens  
Zachary Akers  
Alexa Myers  
Olivia Bussell
- 3/5 Will Harmon  
Jay Swearingen  
Graham Polk
- 3/6 Loretta Jackson  
Fern Garrison
- 3/7 Cherie Bowers  
Carole Thomas
- 3/8 Buddy Brewer  
Laurie Wojtylak  
Alexis Watts
- 3/9 Karen Gladden  
Amanda Schilling  
Colin Thain  
Colin Johnson  
Rachel Moore  
Jake Moore Jr.  
Natalie Lehman
- 3/10 Jackson Register
- 3/11 Nicholas Schirato  
Brennon Carter
- 3/12 Rachel Sinclair
- 3/13 Ronnie Elliott
- 3/14 Virginia Smith  
Lila Crosswell  
Matthew Jibaja
- 3/15 Helen Rivers  
Pat Roberts  
Ethan Osborne  
Isis Varney
- 3/16 Stephanie Phillips  
Taylor Cook
- 3/17 Ed Deremo  
Allan Spence Jr.  
Mo Reese
- 3/18 John Moore  
Susan Robinson
- 3/19 Chandler Keith  
Julie Poole
- 3/20 Nick Schilling
- 3/23 Lou Spence  
Susie Welch  
Collin Myers
- 3/24 Katie Vitters  
John Conrad
- 3/25 Hannah Workman  
Nicolas Conrad  
Emerson Roshto
- 3/26 Kenneth Kruger  
Ann Chandler  
Brad Baker
- 3/28 Loretta Haynes  
Joseph Street  
William Osborne  
Jeannie Ridgeway  
Shelley Behr

# Memorials

## **Ray Gravett**

Carolyn Champion  
Mrs. Glenn Leath

## **Alice Hott**

Delos Corderman Fellowship Class  
Bill & Barbara Bodie

## **Cynthia Satcher**

Ginny Kurtz

## **Jimmy Walsh**

Tim & Karen Bennett

## **Robin Andrews**

Tim & Karen Bennett  
New Life in Christ Class  
Johnsie Smith  
Ed Richardson  
Frances Major Circle  
Sherie Moses

## **Linton Phillips**

Neil McLeod, Jr.  
Mack & Cheryl McManus  
Ray Spears, Jr.  
Delos Corderman Fellowship Class  
Paul & Mary Hook  
Larry & Marty Mullendor  
John & Kay Hendrix  
Bill & Barbara Bodie  
W.P. Law, Inc.  
Barr-Price Funeral Homes  
Stuart & Debbie Crawley  
Carl & Adele Hoadley  
John & Jan Alford  
Phillip & Karen Law

Sun day	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>1</p> <p>2nd Sunday in Lent</p> <p>8:30am - 9:30am Traditional Worship</p> <p>9:30am - 9:45am Coffee Time</p> <p>9:45am - 10:45am Confirmation Class</p> <p>9:45am - 10:45am Sunday School</p> <p>11:00am - 12:00pm Contemporary Worship</p> <p>11:00am - 12:00pm Traditional Worship</p> <p>2:00pm - 3:00pm Safe Sanctuary Committee Meeting</p> <p>5:00pm - 6:30pm KidzWay</p> <p>5:00pm - 6:30pm Youth Group-Sundae</p>	<p>2</p> <p>10:30am - 11:30am Exercise - Class</p> <p>12:00pm - 1:00pm Amazing Athletes</p> <p>1:00pm - 4:00pm Bridge Club</p> <p>6:15pm - 7:15pm Meeting</p> <p>7:00pm - 8:00pm AA Meeting</p>	<p>3</p> <p>10:00am - 12:00pm Snack Sack</p> <p>10:00am - Staff Meeting</p> <p>11:30am - Prime Timers Luncheon</p> <p>5:30pm - 6:30pm Al-Anon</p> <p>6:00pm - 7:30pm Girl Scout Troop 2375</p> <p>6:30pm - 7:30pm Tuesday Service</p> <p>7:00pm - Boy Scouts Troop 507</p> <p>7:00pm Zoom Study</p>	<p>4</p> <p>7:00am - 8:00am Men's Weds. AM</p> <p>10:30am - 11:30am Exercise Class</p> <p>12:00pm - 1:00pm Soccer Stars</p> <p>5:00pm - Weds. Night Supper</p> <p>6:00pm - 7:00pm Handbell Practice</p> <p>7:00pm - 8:00pm Chancel Choir Practice</p>	<p>5</p> <p>9:30am - 2:30pm Shepherd's Center Classes</p> <p>2:00pm - 4:30pm Prime Timers Cards</p> <p>6:00pm - 7:00pm Safe Sanctuary Training</p>	<p>6</p> <p>10:30am - 11:30am Exercise Class</p> <p>12:00pm - 2:00pm Set Up for Yard Sale</p> <p>6:30pm - 8:00pm Worship Band Practice</p>	<p>7</p> <p>9:00am - 12:00pm Preschool Yard Sale</p> <p>7:00pm - 8:00pm AA Meeting</p>
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