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2009 BOARD MEETINGS

May 2 Kalkaska UMC
June 6 First Christian, TC
July NO MEETING
August 1 First Christian, TC
September 5 Kalkaska UMC
October 3 First Christian, TC
November 7 Kalkaska UMC
December 5 First Christian, TC

2009 ULTREYA SCHEDULE

April 27 First Christian, TC
May 18 (note date) KUMC
June 29 First Christian, TC
July 27 Kalkaska UMC
August 31 First Christian, TC
September 28 Kalkaska UMC
October 26 First Christian, TC
November 30 Kalkaska UMC
December 28 First Christian, TC

PRAYER CONCERNS

Send your prayer requests to
Dave Stockford at
decoloresnews@freeway.net
or call 231-587-8694.

Northern Lights

April-May 2009

Greetings from Our President Couple

Greetings to All in the DeColores Community,
Spring is here. Well, it is if you look at the calendar anyway. Just what does spring mean to you? Warm weather, cleaning the yard, finally getting rid of all the snow? How about Easter? Have you thought much about that? Jesus conquered death. If you didn't study History you may not know that. You would probably have heard about the claims, but would you have believed them? History shows us that Jesus really did live. He did die a horrible death and He really did rise again. To beat all that, He lives forever. Our world today is trying to erase everything true about God and Jesus, and even about our own history. It is imperative for all Christians to know History (His story) and to teach it to their children, grandchildren and even great grandchildren (should we be fortunate enough to live on earth that long). Teach Jesus' story to your neighbor, your friend, your co-worker. We need to get History (His story) to the world. As we approach the upcoming Weekends, please keep the Rector and Rectoress in your prayers... the inside team... the outside team... but more importantly- the candidates of these Weekends. Consider how you may help make these Weekends a success. May God move in a powerful way in these individuals' lives, not only on their Weekend- but from now on... even into eternity.

DeColores!
Ed and Mellody Halvorsen

"We Have the Victory" on Weekend #67

Dear Community,
We have had our final team meeting and everything is going great. The team has bonded and is ready for the Weekend.
Thanks to the community for your support and prayers.
DeColores,
Kim Allen
Rector #67

"Come Follow Jesus" on Weekend #68

Dear DeColores Community,
As we celebrate the most blessed, glorious and holy season of the year, let us praise our Lord, Jesus Christ for He is good!!! His hand is on DeColores Women's Weekend #68 as He guides and directs us through team meetings, planning and coordinating. We've completed the 3rd team meeting and the women serving on the team are truly sisters in the Lord. They are committed, dedicated and willing to accept the call to "Come Follow Jesus". We are looking forward to Weekend #68 to see what the Lord does as we know He has a mighty work planned for all of us.
Thank you for your prayers and support.
Mary Schaub
Rectoress for Weekend #68

Secretariat Meeting Highlights March 14, 2009

We are in the process of applying for 501 C Tax Exemption with the IRS. The Bylaws were amended to redefine Rector/Rectoress requirements, and add the Historian duties to the Bylaws

Secretariat Meeting Highlights April 4, 2009

The Bylaws need to be amended to conform with 501 C Tax Exemption requirements at the May meeting. Matt Lyberg was approved as a Spiritual Director. The Rector and Rectoress were selected for the Fall Weekends. Current balance \$3,215.28.

Weekend #67 Inside Team

Rector: Kim Allen
Co-Rector: Bill Davis
Spiritual Directors: David Rosenberg, Greg Wolfe
Head Coordinator: Tony Miller
Coordinators: Randy Snyder, Bradley Porter, Josh Wilcoxon
Chas: David Hogerheide, Fred Ward, Keith Devitt, Doug Thomas
Cooks: Mitch Mitchem Scott Alspaugh, Adam Scoggins, Kevin Hagler.
Musicians: Don Wilcoxon, Terry Birgy, John Rosin
Auxiliaries: Jon Wellington, Joe Wilkins, David Jerry, Leroy Smithingall, Bob Sturm
Ideals: Terry Birgy
Piety: Loyd Morris
Leaders: Nelson Gelinass, Jr.
Environment: Keith Merchant
CCIA: David Tugan **Study:** Gil Smith
Layman: Pat Cline **Action:** Mike Colby

Outside Team

Potluck Person: Patti Davis
Table Decorations: April Smith
Sponsor's Chapel: Jeff & Kathy Gelinass
Setup Crew Chief: Jeff Fitch
Take Down Crew Chief: Dave Isreal
Cleanup Crew Chief: Keith Sutton
Outside kitchen coordinator: Dave Bury
Food Donations: Doug Bowerman
Photographer: David Stockford
Cross Lanyards: Mellody Halvorsen
Chas Aprons: Linn Brown
Musicians Aprons: Karen David
Baptism Renewal Stoles: April Smith
24 Hr. Prayer Chapel: Nelson & Shirley Gelinass Sr.
Banner: Mark & Tina Filipowicz
Holy Hour Homily: Pastor Jerry Batterbee
Holy Hour Hosts: Butch & Liz Bartz
Holy Hour Video: Tom Riedel
Cook's Aprons: Misty Cudney
Coordinators' Aprons: Mell Halvorsen
Palanca Bags: David Stockford
Closing Hosts: Ike and Mae Parsons

Weekend #68 Inside Team

Rectoress: Mary Schaub
Co-Rectoress: Kathy Britten
Spiritual Directors: Scott Hoffer, Sister Augusta
Head Coordinator: Peggy Godin
Coordinators: Gail Holland, Jennifer Smith, Joan Ward
Chas: Patti Davis, April Smith, Carrie Alspaugh, Nanette Israel
Head Cook: Stacy Popp
Cooks: Linn Brown, Carmen Cook, Mary Anne Bisler
Musicians: Janine Winkler, Kathleen Parcia, Therese Gulseth
Auxiliaries: Patti Bury, Misty Cudney, Claire Scerbak, Jean Baynton, Sheila Jones, Joyce Tugan
Ideals: Pam Meeker **Piety:** Kathleen Parcia
Leaders: Judi Maloney
Environment: Val McInerney
CCIA: Noreen Shafer **Study:** Tina Filipowicz
Laywoman: Deb Larimer **Action:** Kathy Fitch

Outside Team

24-hour Pray Chapel: Crystal Gulseth
Food Donations: Vicki Hogerheide
Kitchen Help Coordinator: Karen Reidel
Potluck Couple: Ryan and Mary Kolle
Sponsor's Chapel: Bryan McInerney
Table Decorations: Tammie Soto, Laurene Kaillonen
Faith Renewal Stoles: Myrna Adkins
Set-Up Crew: Todd Shafer
Take-Down Crew: Ryan Kolle
Clean-Up Crew: Ken Godin, Curt Britten
Banner: Sara Masserant, Stephanie Meyer
Holy Hour Homily: Curt Britten
Holy Hour Hosts: Pat and Beth Cline
Holy Hour Video: Tom Reidel
Photographer: Alisha Robinson
Cook's Aprons: Cindy Fockler
Cross Lanyards: Belinda Cook, Sheila Jones
Coordinator's Aprons: Sonja Reitan
Musicians' Aprons: Karen David
Chas' Aprons: Shirley Gelinass
Closing Hosts: Don and Terri DePeel
Ice & Refrigeration Service: Terry Berden

Kitchen Help Reminders

One way that the entire community can be a part of the Weekends is by volunteering to serve as kitchen help during the meals. Contact Dave Bury for the Men and Karen Reidel for the Women to be a part of this important service.

Please remember that you are there to serve by setting the tables, serving the meal, and cleaning up after the meal. Resist the temptation to interact with the inside team and candidates.

Feel the urge to contribute?

We are in need of the following:

- a CD player,
- A whiteboard and easel,
- Institutional sized stainless steel cooking pots

UPCOMING WEEKENDS

Men: April 23-26, Kalkaska United Methodist Church
Holy Hour: 7 p.m. Kalkaska Church of the Nazarene
West Kalkaska Road
Closing: 4 p.m. Sunday

Women: May 14-17, First Christian Church, T.C.
Holy Hour: 7 p.m. St. Patrick's Catholic Church
Silver Lake Road
Closing: 4 p.m. Sunday

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