change: she had to "change" her name from Heather (which is almost impossible for Spanish-speakers to pronounce) to her middle name, Rebekah. She has now moved into her own place in a barrio (neighborhood) of Madrid and is immersed in the culture and language there. Her fulltime "job" is language school – she is in class for 12 hours a week learning vocabulary, pronunciation, grammar, literature, etc. Outside of class she must spend many hours in memorization, exercises, and reading. She is looking for some native Spanish-speaking young women who want to learn English to participate in *intercambios* (interchanges) – where they will help each other with language studies. Her language studies are at the university where she will be doing evangelism and outreach ministries. Pray for her language skills to improve quickly and for new friends. Pray also for her to find a faithful church to call home for the next 3 years. Pray also for her relationships with the other members of her team. Pray for her safety and her growth in grace in a foreign land. You can keep up with Heather on Facebook.com or on her blog.

Elizabeth Johnson looks forward to November when she hopes, by the grace of God, to be practicing her nursing skills in Trujillo, Peru. Elizabeth graduated from nursing school three years ago and has been honing her pediatric nursing skills as a nurse at Greenville Memorial Hospital. She will be caring for patients at the existing clinic in Wichanzao and doing home visits in the neighborhoods of Esperanza (a large area of Trujillo with over 100,000 inhabitants and no hospital). She is hopeful that Peru mission will receive the funds and complete the first floor of a new hospital/clinic in Arevalo. Elizabeth will begin language studies for approximately four months in the south of Peru when she arrives in November. Then she will work for 2 years in Trujillo, Peru. The mission combines the preaching of the gospel with Christ-like care for the bodies and souls of the people who hear the Gospel. Please pray for the completion of her fund raising (she is approximately 25% away from the needed funds). We urge any of our members that are able to pledge \$25, \$50, or more per month to help her complete her support. You may give by designating support on you giving to Second Presbyterian Church or by going to Perumission.org where you can give by credit card, debit card, check, or direct withdrawal. You can keep up with Elizabeth on Facebook.com and at Perumission.org.

In His Service, Pastor Spears

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Church Services: Sunday: Sunday School - 10:00 AM
Morning Worship - 8:30 and 11:00 AM * Evening Worship - 6:00 PM
Wednesday: Supper - 5:45 PM * Prayer Meeting and Bible Study - 6:45 PM

Upcoming Events

May 1	Churchwide Fellowship Supper
May 2	Diaconate Meeting
May 4	WIC Council
May 4	Pastoral Care Committee Meeting
May 4	Graduation Banquet
May 5	National Day of Prayer
May 6	Mother-Daughter Extravaganza
May 8	Worship & Music Committee Meeting
May 9	Session Meeting
May 10-11	WIC Circles
May 11	Blood Drive
May 11	CAT Kids Program
May 13	CAT Kids Spring Fling
May 15	The Lord's Supper at the morning services
May 18	Musical CAT Kids begins
May 22	New Members' Luncheon
May 22	Evangelism/Church Growth Committee Meeting
May 25	CE Committee Meeting
May 26	WIC Book Club
May 29	Hymn Sing
May 30	Church Office Closed for Memorial Day

Graduation Banquet

Wednesday, May 4, 2011 5:45 pm in the gymnasium

Don't miss this time of fellowship as we honor our 2011 graduates.

University of South Carolina

Meredith Altman

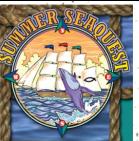
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Sarah Altman	Blue Ridge High School
Sam Andrews	North Greenville University
Aryn Baxa	Home School
John Compton	Home School
Alexandra Carey	Greenville Technical College
Daniel Evans	University of South Carolina
Matthew Evans	Clemson University
Rebekah Evans	Home School
Jacob Farley	Bob Jones University
Andie McDaniel	Vanderbilt University
Alexandria Morgan	North Greenville University
James Pratt	Upstate Home School Co-op/Fine Arts
Faith Ann Russell	Home School
Anna Rogers	University of South Carolina
Thomas Russell	Yale University
Ethan Shreve	Palmetto E-School
Bethany Stoddard	North Greenville University
Mitchell Worley	Wofford College
If you are graduating in May	or December, 2011, and your name is not

BLOOD DRIVE WEDNESDAY, MAY 11

on the list above, please call the church office this week. (232-7621, ext. 10)

Watch for sign-up sheets

Admirals to All Hands: Chart Your Course!



Plan now for a fantastic summertime adventure! Join Second Presbyterian Church's sailing crew and come aboard with Summer Seaquest, a high seas VBS voyage to meet the God who saves!

- ⇒ Monday, June 20- Friday, June 24
- \Rightarrow 8:45-12:00
- \Rightarrow "Sea Explorers" 4 yrs. old to 6^{th} grade (completed)
- ⇒ Second Presbyterian Church

We will need many volunteers to help out with this seafaring adventure! Please pick up a flyer outside the library or in the church office and select an area in which you would like to help. You can call, talk, or e-mail Jill Mann (bjmhmann@att.net) or Sandy Waugh (slwaugh@bellsouth.net)—Admirals.

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Mother-Daughter Extravaganza



Don't miss the WIC Mother-Daughter Extravaganza For <u>ALL</u> Women and Girls

May 6, 2011, 6:00 PM ... Until Fellowship Hall

Supper will be provided (donations will be accepted) If you have any questions please call Alice Barnett (906-0166).

Sympathy

We extend our Christian love and sympathy to the family of Aurelia Miller, who went home to be with the Lord on Friday, April 22, 2011. We are thankful for the life and service of Aurelia and pray for her family during this time of grief.

CAT Kids Program

Wednesday, May 11, 2011 7:00 PM

Immediately following the Family Night Fellowship Supper Come see what our children have learned this year in CAT Kids.

Music Notes

Attention Wee Worship parents:

Sunday, May 1, will be our last Wee Worship meeting at this time. We will be taking a break through the summer because your children will have music on Wednesday evenings from 6:45-8:00 pm beginning May 18. We will resume Sunday evenings in the fall. Thank you for continuing to allow me to work with your little ones! —Elizabeth

National Day of Prayer

60th Annual Observance

Theme:

A Mighty Fortress Is Our God

"I will say of the Lord, He is my refuge and my fortress.

My God, in whom I trust."

Psalm 91:2

Pray for:

Government, Military, Media, Business, Education, Church, and Family

Church Calendar

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Sunday, May	
8:30 AM	MORNING WORSHIP
9:45 AM	New Members' Class
9:50 AM	Children's Chapel
10:00 AM	SUNDAY SCHOOL
11:00 AM	MORNING WORSHIP
4:45 PM	Adult Choir Rehearsal
5:30 PM	Prayer in the Chapel for the Congregation and Officers
6:00 PM	EVENING WORSHIP
6:00 PM	Wee Worship Choir
7:15 PM	Churchwide Fellowship Supper
	A - J Main Course
	K - Z Side Dishes
	Everyone please bring one 2-liter drink
Monday, Ma	y 2
6:00 PM	Diaconate Meeting

Tuesday, May 3

10:00 AM WIC Bible Study

6:00 PM **Evangelism Explosion Training**

6:00 PM Boy Scout Troop 828

Wednesday, May 4

5:00 PM WIC Council

5:00 PM Pastoral Care Committee Meeting 5:45 PM 2011 Annual Graduation Banquet

8:00 PM Elder Training

Thursday, May 5

9:30 AM WIC Precepts Bible Study

Friday, May 6

6:30 AM Men's Bible Study

6:00 PM WIC Mother/Daughter Extravaganza

Saturday, May 7

Lost and Found

Please note the following items that have been turned into the church office. Please call the church office (ext. 10) if you have lost one of these items.

- —light blue Sanyo digital camera
- —prescription glasses
- —Bible and note pads
- -stuffed rabbit
- —several jewelry items

Remembering One Another

Remember in prayer this week the following member. Also, send her a note of encouragement.

> Mrs. Lila Riggins 205 Bud Nalley Drive Easley, SC 29642

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Letter From The Associate Minister Missions Report

One of the great privileges we have as a local body of Christ is to be connected to the worldwide gospel work of our Father and our God. We, as a church, as families and as individuals are involved in local evangelization and outreach. Through our missionaries, that involvement extends beyond our region and even our country, to the far corners of the earth. We are especially blessed to have some of our own number involved in cross cultural missions. This has been true of our church through the decades, starting in the 1930's with Mary Beam going to the Sudan and then Gordon and Bobbie Houser to Costa Rica.

By God's grace and mercy, we have four members that are currently on, or going to, the foreign mission field: Richard and Kate Brueck, Heather Waugh, and Elizabeth Johnson. Let's catch up with each of "our" missionaries:

Richard and Kate Brueck are serving the Lord in Kenya at the Rifiki village near Nairobi on a 2-year mission assignment. This is one of ten orphanages in African countries that seek to model for both other missions and for their host countries what a faithful, Christ-centered orphanage can accomplish (there are millions of orphans in Africa). They are nearing the halfway point and have settled into their ministries. Richard instructs the headmasters of local schools on the use of a Rifiki Bible curriculum (much of which has been and is being written by Pastor Phillips). He also teaches classes in the Rifiki villiage of almost 100 orphans and as many town students. In addition, Richard preaches in local evangelical churches – he is inculcating them in expositional preaching, which is rarely heard in the churches there. He is also taking online courses from Reformed Theological Seminary as he seeks to complete his Master of Divinity Degree when they return to the USA. Kate is keeping busy as well as she teaches music to 200 students from both the village and the local towns. She also leads a variety of women's ministries including one that helps the local women become more financially secure by selling handmaid crafts in the USA. You can keep up with the Bruecks on Facebook.com or at kazuri-kenya.blogspot.com. Please pray for the Holy Spirit to bless them and their ministries, to convert many, to build up those who are saved, to unite the team, and to send the gospel forth to thousands who have never heard.

Heather Waugh has been on the field in Madrid, Spain, for a little over a month. She is acclimating to life in a foreign country and huge city (Madrid has almost 6 million people.) She has already had one major life