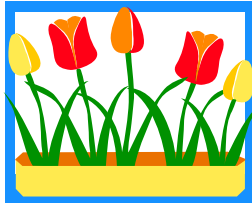


The Andover Association has announced its annual **Camp Scholarship Program for 2008**. The Association is encouraging children to participate in local church camps this summer. The Association will be offering five, \$100 scholarships on a 'first come-first served' basis to children and youth through grade 12. The applicant must be attending a camp approved by their Pastor and the Andover Association's Board of Directors for non-Christian camps outside of UCC. Application forms are available in the church office.



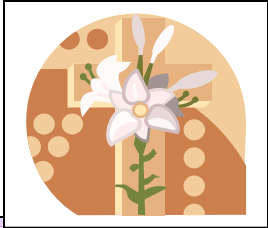
The Tewksbury Congregational Church will host this year's **Spring Meeting of the Andover Association** on **Saturday, April 12, 2008** 8:00am until 12 Noon.

If you can help provide breakfast items for this event, please see Christopher Jenkins.



EASTER  
Just when I thought  
there would be no more light  
in the Jerusalem sky,  
the Bright Morning Star  
appeared  
and the darkness has not overcome it.  
- Ann Weems

## *Faith notes!*



### *Notes on worship (from the Pastor)*

The age of GPS has created a new set of maps and mapping technologies. But with all that sophistication, we are constantly reminded that new directions arise, not from current technology, but from a new spirit, a new heart. And so the older highways, streets and lanes... our places of judgment and fear ... must recede. In their place comes the eyesight of faith.

Our Easter map is a profound guidance system for our souls! With it we return to the Galilee's of our hearts with new eyes and a new spirit. Easter becomes less of an event and more of a mind set for Monday morning.

*When the people of God  
gather to worship  
the whole earth trembles  
and the angels sing.*

- Ann Weems

**Did you know?** Every month, TCC holds a worship service at Blaire House. It is during the afternoon after the Bible study. The service starts at 2:30pm at Blaire House. Some of the people attending the Bible study join the Pastor. Others who cannot come to the Bible study, but want to assist at Blaire House meet the Pastor at Blaire House. The service is conducted in a spirit of loving outreach through the common language of music. It's a wonderful time!!

The residents at **Blaire House** look forward to the service. If you are available this week, join the Pastor and others as they worship with the residents. The date is **Wednesday, March 26<sup>th</sup>** at 2:30pm. You can either meet here at TCC or at Blaire House.

**Please check the bulletin board in Fellowship Hall** to see what the needs are for ingredients for brownies. Brownies will be served at the Lowell Transitional Living Center (LTLC) in early April. Need is for brownie bakers, brownie packagers, and brownie servers! All ways that you can volunteer to help at the LTLC.

**Open Church Council Meeting  
Tuesday, March 25<sup>th</sup>  
6:30 – 8:30pm  
Meeting in the Vestry**

**Enjoy a light meal of soup and hearty bread.**

*What does an open meeting mean?*  
**It is an invitation to all church members to attend the meeting and provide input into the Council's discussion on how to work easier this year. We'll look at the resources we have in place and how to better manage them.**

*Do I need to bring any food to the meeting?*  
**No, food will be provided by the Church Council. We want you to come and join in the conversation and give us your ideas.**

**Welcome to the Tewksbury  
Congregational Church this  
Easter morning!**

We are an active church community with many opportunities for children, teens and adults. We have an active Sunday School program, Youth Fellowships and opportunities to sing in our Cherub, Junior, Senior and Contemporary Youth choirs.

We have a Men's Group, Women's Group, Bible Study, Prayer Circle and an active Missions group.

During the year we offer opportunities for recreation and fellowship.

If you would like more information about the Tewksbury Congregational Church, please call us at 978-851-9411!



Today

**Sunrise service and  
breakfast at the United  
Methodist Church @ 6:30**

**Junior Choir  
8:30am, Fairgrieve Room  
Worship Services  
9:00am and 11:00am**



The wooden cross has been replaced in the Friendship Garden by members of the Men's Group. It is made of pressure treated lumber and should last for many years.

We are grateful to have the cross back in the garden, and thank the Men's Group for putting it there.

**Monday  
Office  
Closed**

**6:00 PM  
Jubellation  
Ringers**

**Tuesday  
6:30 PM**

**Open  
meeting  
Church  
Council  
Light meal  
of soup and  
bread. All  
welcome.**

**Wednesday  
8:30 AM**

**Prayer Circle  
1:00 PM  
Bible Study  
2:30 PM  
Worship  
service at  
Blaire House**

**Thursday  
7:30 PM**

**Sr. Choir  
Rehearsal**

**Saturday, March 29<sup>th</sup>  
6:00 PM**

**Mexico Mission Dinner Dance  
featuring the  
Silvertones  
in Fellowship Hall  
Enjoy an Italian meal—  
spaghetti and meatballs and a  
delicious dessert.  
Tickets are \$10 and can be  
purchased from the church  
office.**

The Music Committee is happy to announce the dedication of the new piano next Sunday, March 30<sup>th</sup> during the worship service.

Our sincere thanks to Russ and Mary Lou Adams and Dr. and Mrs. William Adams who donated the piano. We look forward to many years of music from this wonderful instrument.