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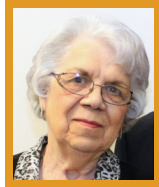
The Heart Life Newsletter April 2011

## Upcoming Events

### Let Them Eat Cake!

April 12, 2011, 6:30 pm.

Speaker: Leila Willis



For those of you who have always dreamed of decorating your family's birthday cakes, here is your chance to learn how. Leila will offer hands-on training that will have all of us donning our baker's hats for the next family birthday party. And the best part? Eating our mistakes!

"I'm so excited about the Heart Life seminar on cake decorating that is coming on April 12. Ever since our boys were little I have had fun decorating cakes, cookies, and cupcakes. Sometimes they turned out great, sometimes not so great! There was one cake (Barney, the purple dinosaur) that didn't look very purple so I kept adding food coloring. I decorated the cake and then by the next day, that dark purple had turned almost black! A table full of five year-old little boys still enjoyed all that cake and frosting. There's something wonderful about the taste of a delicious, moist, fragrant cake topped by silky smooth buttercream frosting! It's a feast for your eyes first and then your tongue. Even better (and calorie free) is the feast that we find in God's Word. Psalm 34:8 says, "Taste and see that the Lord is good," or from the Message: "Open your mouth and taste, open your eyes and see--how good GOD is." What are you doing today to TASTE and SEE the goodness of our Lord? Are you taking the time to get your daily nutrients from His Word? To fill up with satisfying morsels that won't pack on the pounds? I challenge you to dig in!"

— by Jeannie Abbott (Jeannie is a full-time pastor's wife, part-time JBU employee, and loves decorating cakes with whatever time she has left!)

### Heart Life Alaska Mission Trip

March 30, 5:15pm



Our team of ten will be partnering with Alaska Missions to minister during Salmon Frenzy. We will host a beach kids' club, give away water bottles and hot dogs, do beach cleanup, prayerwalk, supervise bouncy toys, host a beach chapel, and evening bonfires. Our GO team is filled, but we still have room on our PRAY and SEND teams. For more information, please join us on Wednesday, May 30th, 5:15 to 6:00. Grab a meal from the Fellowship Hall and join us in The Loft. Questions? Contact [HeartLife@fbcslloam.com](mailto:HeartLife@fbcslloam.com).

### FBC Bake & Serve Auction for Heartlife Alaska Mission Trip

"... whoever serves must do so with the strength that God supplies, so that God may be glorified in all things through Jesus Christ." 1 Peter 4:11

Heartlife Women's Ministry is inviting YOU to be a part of this Fantastic Adventure for Christ in Alaska! Can you cook a meal, bake a cake or pie, or clean a home? Please donate one of these talents to our Bake & Serve Auction on **Sunday, April 3**. The proceeds will go toward assisting FBC Women who will be going to Alaska to serve during the Salmon Frenzy in July. SO... how will God use YOU in this?

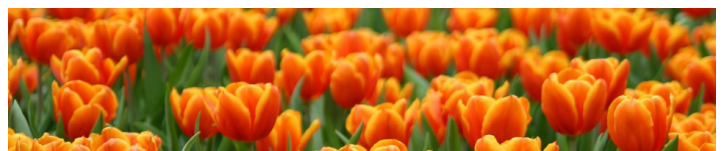
#### May we suggest:

1. Bake a pie, cake, cookies or other dessert to be auctioned
2. Plan a dinner you would cook. The winner of your dinner would plan with you the time that suits you both to receive the meal. We would even pick up and deliver this meal to the winner.
3. Plan a dinner at your home. You choose the date, the # of guests allowed, the menu, everything. The winner just shows up to eat!
4. Clean a member's home. The winner of the house cleaning would work with you to schedule the time you would like to serve.

#### Some auction items will be...

- Linda Brown has offered a weekend at her barn on Beaver Lake
- Mariah Harp & Laura Macfarlan will each serve a dinner at their homes for a group of four
- Tammy Miller will clean your home
- Rachel Tucker will take your photo
- The Canant's & the Davis' are teaming up for a Farm to Table Dinner at the Davis' Home
- Brenda Hall is auctioning a meal - chicken spaghetti, bread & "Olive Garden salad"
- Lots of baked goods & meals to be auctioned

Please see the sign up sheets on the Heartlife Women's Ministry Table. You may also call or email Julie Davis for questions or more information: 549-7659 or [juliedavis@centurytel.net](mailto:juliedavis@centurytel.net)



## Mothers & Others Fellowship

Seeing Beauty in All Things

May 3, 2011, 6:30pm

Speaker: Debbie Shoemaker

Whip up your favorite dessert or appetizer to share and bring along your mother, sister, daughter, friend, neighbor, or any other special woman in your life for this time of fellowship and teaching. You will be blessed by Debbie's powerful testimony, as she shares about her young daughter's cancer diagnosis. We will also be partnering with the International Princess Project. We will learn about their ministry to women in India and also be treated to a fashion show with their products modeled by our Loft students. Child care is provided, but must be reserved at the Heart Life table by Friday, April 29. Little girls are welcome to join us for this event or part of the event (and then welcomed in child care), as mothers choose. Our partnership with the International Princess Project will include a video that is tasteful, but raises awareness of women in bondage. Concerned mothers are encouraged to preview this video in advance at <http://www.intlprincess.org/>

## Summer Book Club

Save the Date: Summer Book Club coming, reading

Same Kind of Different as Me on June 9th, 2011!

Email [sdaugher@jbu.edu](mailto:sdaugher@jbu.edu) for details.



## Announcements

### Alaska BBQ Fund raiser a huge success!

Thanks to everyone who sold, bought, planned, shopped, cooked, delivered, gave, and ate to make our Alaska fund raiser a huge success. We netted \$1541.80 after paying for the ingredients and tithing 10% to the Africa team. That leaves \$154.18 to be credited to each Team Alaska member. Praising God for this provision – and especially, too, for the work of all you who made it happen. A special word of appreciation to our event co-chairs Tracy Canant and Carla Penner.

### Guess Who's Expecting?

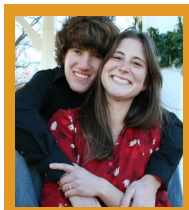
Stephanie Hammons in April

Ericka Payne in May

Hope Cureton in April

### Wedding Shower

You are invited to a wedding shower for Chris Daugherty and Hannah Miller, **Sunday, April 10 from 2-3:30** in the parlor. The couple is registered at Bed, Bath & Beyond and Walmart.



### Baby Shower

You are invited to a baby shower for Stephanie Hammons, **Sunday, April 3 at 2pm** in the parlor. She is registered at Target.

## He is risen indeed!

Join us to celebrating our risen Savior on Easter Sunday, April 24!

## Ongoing Events

### WMU

10 am | 2nd Tuesday of each month | Rm 247

Led by Loretta Dismang

### Heart Life 3D Women's Mentoring

7pm | Wednesdays | Loft

Led by Laura Macfarlan

### Heart Life Spring Bible Studies

No Other Gods by Kelly Minter

Led by Laura Macfarlan

Tuesdays, 9-11am | Fellowship Hall | \$15



Dinners, Dialogue & Devotions

Contact Jeannie Abbott, [jabbott@jbu.edu](mailto:jabbott@jbu.edu)



Revelation: Here and Now, There and Then

Led by Sarah Evans & Cassie Perryman by Beth Moore

Thursdays, 9:30-11:30am | in the Parlor \$10



Sign up for all Heart Life Bible Studies by emailing [HeartLife@fbciloam.com](mailto:HeartLife@fbciloam.com)

## Ranch Baked Potato Wedges



### Ingredients:

6-8 medium potatoes

1 packet ranch dressing mix (or 3 tbsp from canister)

### Instructions

1. Scrub potatoes and rinse under cold water. Pat dry.
2. Cut potatoes into wedges or thin steak fries (about 6-8 wedges per potato).
3. Pour dry ranch seasoning over potatoes and toss to coat. Or, add dry ranch seasoning & potatoes to bag, seal, and shake to coat.
4. Preheat oven to 375 degrees. Spread potatoes in a single layer on a baking sheet sprayed with cooking spray.
5. Bake for 30-35 minutes, or until potatoes test done with a fork.