



# Good Sam Notes

## “Go and Do Likewise”

### *Pictorial Directory Sign Ups Start Today!*

Our church is publishing a new pictorial directory with Olan Mills. Reserve your appointment time today for one of the dates below. Each person who has their photo taken will get a complimentary directory and custom portrait. Additional portraits will be available for purchase. See the insert for more details.

#### **Save These Dates:**

Monday, 22nd March  
Thursday, 8th April  
Friday, 9th April  
Saturday, 10th April

Weekday times are 1:00pm to 8:20pm. Saturday is 9:30am to 4:50pm.  
Your entire appointment will normally take less than one hour.

#### **Why Should You Sign Up?**

- if we get at least 100 families to sit for a portrait, Olan Mills will give us \$2 per sitting (up to \$500) to spend on the ministry of our choice.
- you get a pictorial directory and an 8x10 custom portrait free. (You will be able to view and select your portraits electronically from a variety of poses.)
- gives you a chance to put names to faces, and faces to names
- wear your Easter finery!
- Dave Wade or Leanne Shawler will be on hand during the photo sessions if there are any issues. We are hoping to ensure everyone's experience is a good one.

#### ***Sign Up Today as You Leave!***

You have **only THREE** Sundays to sign up. The last sign up Sunday is March 14. Don't leave it until the last minute!



The ladies of Haiti By Hand in Despinos will use this yarn to crochet and knit items to sell in the markets, to non-Haitian groups coming through, and in the U.S. through the Haiti by Hand etsy shop.

**YARN DRIVE FOR HAITI BY HAND**

- The yarn should be in good condition (doesn't have to be purchased new, clean out your yarn stash)
- No heavy wool yarns. Soft, blend yarns, baby yarns, cotton yarns are good. All colors are fine.

The deadline for our part of this yarn drive is **Palm Sunday, March 28**. Please leave your yarns in the marked basket in the lobby. Yarn is just one small way we can continue to help. Please keep the people of Haiti in your prayers. For more information, contact Leanne Shawler after church or at home.

#### Welcome New Family Members!

To our guests today: Thanks for letting us worship with you today! Please join us for refreshments after the service. To find out more about what's going on at Good Sam, please pick up a Welcome Packet at the Greeters' Table, or visit our website at: [www.goodsamchurch.org](http://www.goodsamchurch.org) for a full calendar of events and descriptions of our various groups and ministries.

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*Wednesday Night Lenten Series: Living Wi\$ely*

As faithful stewards of the church, we like to offer education series in practicing our Christian faith in our lives: at home, at work and with money.

On Wednesday nights, Chris Harris leads us in his popular series “*Living Wi\$ely*”: a budgeting course that explores our Christian relationship with money.

5:30pm Healing Eucharist (RH #5)

6:00pm Soup/Salad Supper

6:30pm Living Wi\$ely class

What people have said about “Living Wi\$ely”:

*“I’m sure I’ve shed years of worrying because of the ideas I learned in Living Wisely. Thank you!” “Having a budget has helped me relax and begin to live into the abundance that God promises.” “This has totally changed my life – thank you so much!”*

We will have childcare during our Wednesday evening program.

**Save The Date:**

**CCSA Hunger Walk**

Community Christian Service Agency's 2010 4-mile Hunger Walk scheduled for **Saturday, April 24** at Mission Bay Park's De Anza Cove. Please arrive at 7:30am. This is CCSA's major fund raiser for the year.

*PRAYER LIST*

**Clean Up Day is Coming!**

Saturday, 20th March, 8:00am to noon we will hold our annual spring clean up day.

Tasks will include such things as weeding, pruning, sweeping, trimming, picking up trash, etc. In addition, there will be a BBQ luncheon on the patio for all participants.

Everyone is welcome to join in and lend a hand as we prepare our gorgeous campus for the Easter Triduum. Put on your old grungy work clothes, gloves and hat, grab a rake or shovel (or bring your own), roll up your sleeves and join in the fun.

This is one ministry that has very high visibility and a little 'sweat equity' goes a long way. Any help at all will be greatly appreciated. If you are interested in helping out please contact Dave Wade at (858) 458-1501.

*Do You Have a Spare Bedroom or Condo?*

Thom Kassebaum is requesting a suitable Apartment/condo/spare bedroom in the University city area come March. [Contact Thom](#)

*Lent/Holy Week Calendar*

Here are some events and activities that may be of interest to you:

**Calendar**

**TODAY** 11:00am, *Mystic Pizza for the Soul* (Chris Chase)  
Meet the mystics and how their views of, and relationships with God may inform our view and relationship with God (finishes March 21)

**Fri. Mar. 12** 7:00pm, Soaking Prayer (WC)

**Sat. Mar. 13** 9:00am, **Women's Quiet Day** (Donna Brayton) to sign up, contact Germaine Bergeron-Lynn 858-273-6809 or [gbergeronlynn@gmail.com](mailto:gbergeronlynn@gmail.com).

**Tue. Mar. 16** 6:30pm, Ecumenical Taize service: simple chants and meditative silences (WC).

**Sat. Mar. 20** Clean Up Day

**Holy Week**

**Sun. Mar. 28** Palm Sunday (start in Roetter Hall and process to the Worship Center)

**Thu. April 1** 7:00pm, Maundy Thursday, in Roetter Hall

**Fri. April 2** Good Friday services @ noon (WC) and 7:00pm (RH)

**Sat. April 3** 7:00pm, Easter Vigil

**This Week's Calendar**

**Monday, March 1**

9:00am Daughters of the King (RH #6, Kit.)  
7:00pm Small Group (Holman home)

**Tuesday, March 2**

5:30pm Men's Group (RH #3)

**Wednesday, March 3**

6:30am Men's Small Group (SR Denny's)  
9:00am Pew Crew (WC)  
9:30am Healing Service (Chapel)  
10:30am Bible Study (RH #6)  
5:30pm Lenten Service (Chapel)  
6:00pm Lenten Soup/Supper (RH #5, 6, 7)  
6:30pm Living Wisely class (RH #5, 6, 7)  
7:30pm Bell A'Peal rehearsal (Nursery)

**Thursday, March 4**

10:00am Staff Meeting (Chase office)  
7:30pm Chancel Choir rehearsal (WC)

**Saturday, March 5**

9:00am Fellowship Cte Mtg (RH #6)

*Sunday Adult Christian Education*

Time	Speaker	Title
Feb 28 - March 21	Chris Chase	Mystic Pizza for the Soul
March 28 & April 4		Palm Sunday: & Easter: No Adult Education
April 11 - 25, May 2	Laura Henson	title TBA

We will have childcare during our Sunday Adult Education and Wednesday evening program. Geri, who stays in the chapel during the service, will supervise your children on Sunday, while Margie Orem conducts the children's bell/chime choirs.