

## **Blossburg News and Views March 9<sup>th</sup> Edition**

Birthday wishes go out to the following people: Happy Birthday to Glen Lattimer, Wyatt Onks, and me, Marjorie Taylor we share a March 12<sup>th</sup> birthday. I would also like to wish Barb Slocum a belated Happy Birthday. She celebrated on February 28<sup>th</sup> this year.

### **Meetings and Events**

#### **New Visions Parish Announces Lenten Schedule**

Lenten observances begin with 1<sup>st</sup> UMC Blossburg's annual Wednesday Night Supper and Service, starting Ash Wednesday, March 9, 2011. There will be a supper served in the Social Room at 6:00 p.m. The public is invited. (donation for dinner requested but not required.) The Ash Wednesday service will be held at 7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary. The service includes Imposition of Ashes.

The schedule for the remaining Wednesdays in Lent will be supper at 6:00 p.m. in the Social Room, followed by a video and discussion based on Adam Hamilton's book, "24 Hours that Changed the World." This will be the schedule for March 16<sup>th</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup>, 30<sup>th</sup>, April 6<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup>. There will not be a dinner or service on April 20<sup>th</sup>, due to the Maundy Thursday Service on April 21<sup>st</sup>.

#### **Blossburg Seventh Day Adventist Church**

On the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of every month will be giving away free clothing  
Times are from 9:00am until 1:00pm.  
Everyone is welcome to stop by and take a look.

There will be a butterfly workshop on Saturday, March 12<sup>th</sup> at 9:15 a.m. at the Covington UMC. We will be making butterflies to decorate the sanctuary for Easter.

We are celebrating Scouting Sunday on March 13<sup>th</sup>. All Scouts are invited to attend and are encouraged to wear their uniforms.

For more information about any of these activities, please call the pastor at the Blossburg UMC Church office at 570-638-3046.

**Zumba classes start March 8<sup>th</sup>.** For more information or to sign up call: 570-404-4271

To have a special meeting or event put on the calendar please E-mail: [events@blossburg.org](mailto:events@blossburg.org) with the date, time, location, and a little bit about the event.

To submit community news to be posted on the sign by the green bridge, send them to: [sign@blossburg.org](mailto:sign@blossburg.org). Please submit information two weeks prior to the event.

To submit an item for this column contact Marjorie Taylor @ [marjorietaaylor63@aol.com](mailto:marjorietaaylor63@aol.com) or call 570-295-1698 or 570-295-5581. Deadline is Saturday evening for the following Wednesday's paper.