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St. Stephen Lutheran
Seaton Park Baptist
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Summit Heights United Methodist
Trinity World Outreach Center
and the
Fern Creek/Highview Ministerial
Association

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Ron's Ramblings: execdir@fchum.org

A BLESSED NEW YEAR

On behalf of all of our staff, volunteers, and Board:
Thank you for sharing in God's work with us last year.

We were blessed to provide assistance to thousands of families, including older adults, children, individuals, and families of all sizes. Due to your efforts we prevented homelessness, sustained utilities in homes, prepared children for school, provided Thanksgiving and Christmas meals, enabled frail older adults to maintain living at home or with their families, kept people in the work force, provided health equipment to those in need, delivered meals and socialization to homebound seniors, and, yes, Christmas gifts for close to 1,000 children. We honored God's gifts and our community was blessed. As we enter this new year, we pray God's blessings upon each and everyone, and seek your continued support throughout 2011.

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God's Peace & Blessings,

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

"Pennies from Heaven" GALA

Saturday, May 14th, 6:30 p.m.

**St. Gabriel's Catholic Church Gymnasium
5505 Bardstown Road**

**Dinner, Live & Silent Auctions, Music
Tickets: \$25, Limited Seating, Advanced Tickets Only**

**For more information contact staff at 762-9608 or
e-mail: execdir@fchum.org**

2010 Honor Love Lights

**In Honor of
By**

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By**

John & Susan Westerfield
John & Carla Stettler

Josh Westerfield
John & Carla Stettler

Sarah Westerfield
John & Carla Stettler

Rob & Melissa White
John & Carla Stettler

Austin White
John & Carla Stettler

Mason White
John & Carla Stettler

Brian & Jennifer Culler
John & Carla Stettler

Lauren Culler
John & Carla Stettler

Nicholas Culler
John & Carla Stettler

Bob & Maggie O'Hara
Nan O'Hara

Tom & Pam O'Hara
Nan O'Hara

Doug & Shelly O'Hara
Nan O'Hara

Jim & Roseanne O'Hara
Nan O'Hara

Ken & LeeAnn O'Hara
Nan O'Hara

Brad Totten
Dolores Ward

Madysen Acey
Tommy & Mary Russell

Bethanne Acey
Tommy & Mary Russell

Norman & Frankie Aycock
Tommy & Mary Russell

Joe & Barbara Aycock
Tommy & Mary Russell

Nicholas & Zachary Russell
Tommy & Mary Russell

Mary Russell
Tommy & Mary Russell

Dorothy Belcher
Glen & Bernece Wood

Wanda Bunnell
Glen & Bernece Wood

Peggy Coomer
Glen & Bernece Wood

Sue Doss
Glen & Bernece Wood

Rod Denson
Glen & Bernece Wood

Estelle Griswell
Glen & Bernece Wood

Kim W. Hall
Glen & Bernece Wood

Ron & Beth
Glen & Bernece Wood

Judy Mangum
Glen & Bernece Wood

2010 Honor Love Lights

In Honor of
By

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By

Frances Hazelwood

Glen & Bernece Wood

Dot Ross

Glen & Bernece Wood

Janice R. Nolen

Glen & Bernece Wood

Nancy N. Wood

Glen & Bernece Wood

Donald & Donna Lepper

Glen & Bernece Wood

Raymond & Carol Miller

Glen & Bernece Wood

Crystal W. Wood

Glen & Bernece Wood

Mr. & Mrs. Glen Wood

Terry & Kim Hall

Terry Hall

Terry & Kim Hall

Ron Loughry

Terry & Kim Hall

Bob & Dalarna Breetz

Beth Breetz & Ron Loughry

Greg & Sheila Breetz

Beth Breetz & Ron Loughry

Julie & Greg Miller-Breetz

Beth Breetz & Ron Loughry

Chris & Brigid Breetz

Beth Breetz & Ron Loughry

Matt & Sandra Breetz

Beth Breetz & Ron Loughry

Breetz Family "Nieces & Nephews"

Beth Breetz & Ron Loughry

Loughry Family "Nieces & Nephews"

Ron Loughry & Beth Breetz

Beth Breetz

Ron Loughry

Dale & Pearl Loughry

Ron Loughry & Beth Breetz

Glen & Bernece Wood

Ron Loughry & Beth Breetz

The FCHUM Staff

Ron Loughry & Beth Breetz

The FCHUM Volunteers

Ron Loughry & Beth Breetz

Reverend Ron Loughry

Beth Breetz

The Rev. Linda B. Popham

Jim & Eleanor Young

The Stickler Family

Tom & Mary Ann Stickler

Ron Loughry & Beth Breetz

Nancy Midkiff

The Schmidt Grandchildren

Patricia Schmidt



Many thanks to all who purchased "Love Lights" in support of Fern Creek/Highview United Ministries.

2010 Memory Love Lights

**In Memory of
By**

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By**

The Heil Family

Dolores Vogel

James & Agnes Aycock

Tommy & Mary Russell

**Deceased Members of
Fern Creek Woman's Club**

Fern Creek Woman's Club

Louis & Dorothy Russell

Tommy & Mary Russell

W.T. "Bill" Parr, My Husband

Mary G. Parr

Katherine Crenshaw

Tommy & Mary Russell

Everett & Ruth Gumm, My Parents

Mary G. Parr

Mike Russell

Tommy & Mary Russell

Earl & Eleanor Parr, My In-laws

Mary G. Parr

Bruce MacDonald

Barry & Georgia MacDonald

Thurston & Ida Lee Wise

Charles & Ruth Ruter

Roman & Gertrude Tinsley

Wanda Chambers

Carl & Millie Rice

John & Carla Stettler

Margaret H. "Keeling" O'Bryan, My Wife

Robert D. O'Bryan, Jr.

Brenda Reasor

Rhonda & Joe Raley

William "Tommy" Keeling, Father-in-law

Robert D. O'Bryan, Jr.

Val Starkey

Rhonda & Joe Raley

Myrtle M. Keeling, Mother-in-law

Robert D. O'Bryan, Jr.

Randy Spears

Rhonda & Joe Raley

James W. Keeling, Brother-in-law

Robert D. O'Bryan, Jr.

George Ruedeman

Leola & George Ruedeman

Howard & Maxine Loughry

Ron Loughry & Beth Breetz

Sam Reasor

Irene & Les Gross

Bill Cozine & Tony Cozine

Pat Cozine

Juanita Totten

James Ward

Chris Hood

Bob & Pat Metzger

Raymond W. Zeller, Jr.

Pat Zeller

Dwight & Denise Young

Jim & Eleanor Young

David Adams

Ann Adams

Rose Fischer

Edna M. Johnson

Jack Adams

Ann Adams

Graef-Dubberly Families

Fred Graef

Fern Creek Highview United Ministries

INDIVIDUAL & FAMILY ASSISTANCE CENTER

Renee Bryant, MSW,
Director
Mon-Fri, 10 – 2
762-9611

Provides emergency food and financial assistance to those of the 40228 and 40291 zipcodes. In addition to food donated from churches, businesses, and groups, IFAC also serves as a Dare To Care Distribution Center. IFAC is currently seeing around 1,000 people per month and distributing over 16,000 pounds of food!

To volunteer or visit please call Renee or e-mail at ifacdir@fchum.org

CLOTHING DONATIONS

Take clothing to Fern Creek Goodwill, tell them the weight. Ask for a tax receipt for yourself. Tell them you want the weight credited to FCHUM and get that voucher from them and send that voucher to Renee Bryant at FCHUM. FCHUM receives credits from which they can provide shopping vouchers to clients in need. Any questions contact Renee at 762-9611

MEALS ON WHEELS

In cooperation with Louisville Metro & KIPDA, FCHUM serves as a base for the distribution of home-delivered meals to the home bound of our community Mon-Fri.

If interested in volunteering contact
Fred Graef
Volunteer Coordinator
762-9608

HELP HEALTH EQUIPMENT LOAN PROGRAM

Providing medical equipment to those in need. Thanks to Fern Creek Space Center for donating storage space. For HELP call 762-9608 or e-mail execdir@fchum.org

BY GOD'S GRACE AND WITH GOD'S BLESSINGS - UNITING THE COMMUNITY TO SERVE THE COMMUNITY FOR OVER 22 YEARS!

**Rev. Ron Loughry,
Executive Director**

ADULT DAY HEALTH CENTER

Rev. Ron Loughry,
Director
Mon-Fri, 8 – 5
762-9612

Provides a structured program balancing physical & cognitive activities designed to help frail older adults function at their highest level for as long as possible. As a state licensed health facility, full time nursing services, personal care and medication assistance are provided. Sliding scale fees are available. For more information or for volunteer opportunities call or e-mail Ron at execdir@fchum.org

FAMILIES IN TRANSITION

A court ordered program for all couples with children under 18 undergoing divorce designed to enhance parents sensitivity to the special needs of their children. Sessions take place at Summit Heights United Methodist. For more information contact 762-9611

Fern Creek Highview United Ministries is a not-for-profit 501 C 3 organization and all donations are tax deductible. IFAC is funded in part by a grant by Louisville/Jefferson County Metro government. Meals on Wheels is funded in part with Metro Nutrition and KIPDA. The ADC is funded in part under a contract with KIPDA and the Commonwealth of Kentucky Cabinet for Health & Family Services with funds from the U.S. Dept. of Health & Human Services, and with funds from Louisville/Jefferson County Metro government.

**FCHUM COMMUNITY PARTNERS
WE GIVE THANKS!**

Fern Creek/Highview United Ministries is blessed with the help of many wonderful businesses, groups, government agencies, and individuals. We encourage everyone to visit these businesses/groups and to say a special thanks for their community involvement:

**Graphic Ad Signs-Cindy & Ray Grinestaff
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Fairview Homemakers
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Fern Creek Curves
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Darrell Franklin – Outer Loop Plaza Valu Market
G.E. Foundation
Noah's Ark Pet Shop
Kentucky Second Harvest
Fern Creek Christian's Men's Group
Order of the Eastern Star, Purity Chapter
L G & E, Eon Inc.
Louisville-Jefferson County Metro Government
KIPDA
Trilogy -
Glen Ridge Health Campus
& Franciscan Health Care Center**

Fern Creek Highview United Ministries
INVESTING TO SERVE: LEGACY OF CARING
2011 BRICK BY BRICK CAMPAIGN

Investing to Serve: Legacy of Caring

With the development of a \$250,000 restricted fund we will be able to secure the operations of our facility in perpetuity. At that level, monthly dividends would pay the monthly costs of operating the facility, paying the utilities, and all those items involved in operating the physical plant. (Dividends are already paying some bills.) That way, in the future, we will just need to raise funds for operating our programs serving our neighbors.

We have raised over \$50,000!

Won't you join us in this great act of stewardship? Gifts of all sizes help, the Legacy Brick is just one option.

Each brick is available for a \$100 donation to the FCHUM “**Investing to Serve: Legacy of Caring**” (A major effort to build a sound financial foundation to maintain the work of ministry in the new facility with which we have been blessed.) Create your own legacy by remembering FCHUM in your will. Engraved 4” x 8” Engraved Brick Order Form

Donor Information

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zipcode _____

Phone _____ E-mail _____

If mailing order form, send to: Fern Creek/Highview United Ministries 9300 Beulah Church Rd. , Louisville, KY 40291 (502) 762-9608 fax: (502) 762-9609 e-mail: execdir@fchum.org

Brick Information:

Maximum 3 lines, 18 characters per line (including spaces and punctuation)

How many times have you heard someone say, in regards to some future event, "**Only God knows**"? Five years ago when FCHUM faced the need to relocate services-**God knew what was needed**. When the economy soured and people seeking assistance increased dramatically, **God knew what was needed**. When local government saw the numbers of homebound older adults increasing, **God knew what was needed**. When staff and volunteers saw that cramped spaces weren't working, **God knew what was needed**. Looking to meet future demands for services, **God knows what is needed**, and with your help will provide!

What will be your Legacy? **(Only you and God know)**

Join our Legacy of Caring!

This year be a "Deep-Spirited Friend" and help Fern Creek/Highview United Ministries manifest God's Love to our neighbors.

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