

March, 2015

THE BEACON

Pine Street Baptist Church
Where "Welcome" is not Just a



Fellowship Dinner



Deacon Family Sunday Lunch

**Sunday, March 15 after
morning worship**

Everyone is invited to share in a special lunch after worship on Sunday, March 15. Every member and friend of Pine Street will be eating lunch with their assigned deacon for the year. This will be an excellent opportunity for you and your deacon to fellowship together. Individuals will sit with their deacon at a shared table.

The dinner will be a covered dish so every family will be asked to bring a dish to share. Your dish (entrée, side, or dessert) will be assigned by your deacon before the Sunday lunch.

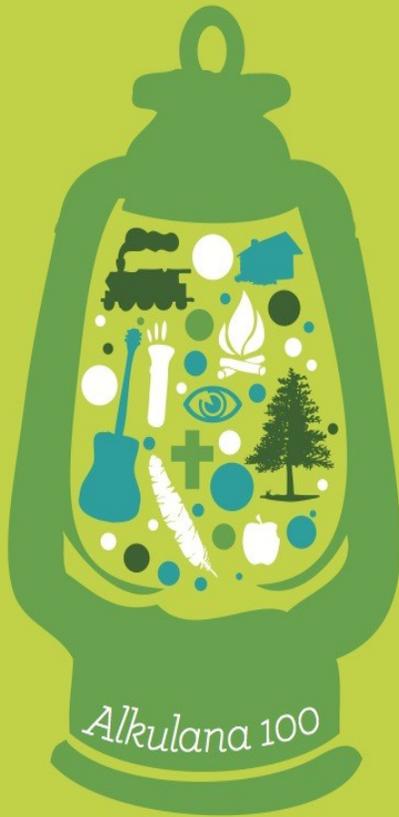
We hope that everyone on March 15 will stay for lunch and for the fellowship. If you have questions about the day then please call the church office for more information.

Youth Potato Bar Lunch

Sunday, March 1 at Noon



Stay after worship for one of the popular youth potato bar lunches. Salad, dessert, and beverage are also included. Sign up on the first floor bulletin board. The cost is \$6. Money raised will help support the youth ministries of the church.



DON'T MISS IT!

The **Camp Alkulana**
100th Anniversary Celebration
March 21, 2015

R.S.V.P at www.alkulana.org by March 1.
or by calling the RBA/RCFN office

Camp Alkulana's 100th Anniversary Celebration

March 21, 2015

2:00 p.m. - Program followed by
Reception

Richmond's First Baptist Church
2709 Monument Avenue
Richmond, VA 23220

*Generations of campers, counselors,
and Alkulana supporters will gather to
celebrate 100 years worth of summer
camp ministry to Richmond children!*



Alkulana campers in the 1930s

March Birthdays

- 1: Paul Reed
 4: Russell Holt
 6: Evelyn Berry
 Kristopher Lacy
 8: Eleanor Haskins
 9: Donald Grove
 12: Jaime Ferguson
 14: Beverly Derr
 16: Betty Thomas
 17: Nancy Reed
 Jean Holder
 20: Judy Hairfield
 24: Dean Welton
 25: Jeanette Townsend
 28: Ellen Shaw
 29: Virginia Knighton
 Barbara Reynolds

Special Gifts

Contributions were made to the
 Endowment Fund in memory of:
Ethel Metzger, Ted Hairfield, Billy Wells

Contributions were made to the General Fund
 in memory of:
Virginia Jordan

Dear Pine Street Family,

On behalf of Philip, myself, our girls, and the rest of my family, let me say "thank you" for the many expressions of sympathy and love shown to us at the passing of my mother Ethel Metzger. It is such a blessing to have had, and continue to have, your support and care during this difficult time in our lives. Although my mother was not a member of Pine Street, she felt at home in your midst. Thank you for your loving spirit and open hearts.

Jennifer Turner & Family

THANK YOU

"Be the Light"

General Fund Giving Report

Needed to Date: \$69,760

Given to Date \$54,055

Variance: - \$15,705

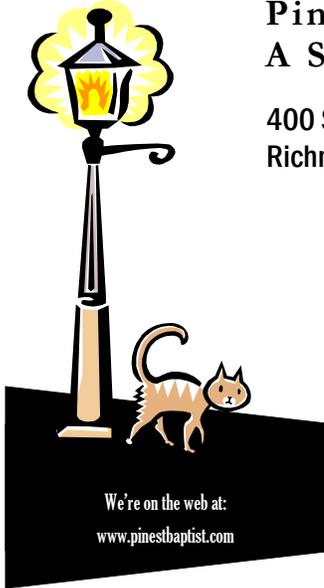
***does not include Verizon payments**

Currently we are averaging about \$785 in deficit each week when the Verizon payments are not included. Let us continue to faithfully support our church through our tithes and offerings. Every gift matters!

Fundraising Update

The Oregon Hill T-Shirt sale netted a profit of \$989
 The Valentines Day Chocolate sale netted a profit of \$104





**Pine Street Baptist Church
A Steadfast Fellowship of Grace**

400 South Pine Street
Richmond, Virginia 23220

Kid of the month

Name: Sawyer Johnston

Church connections: Rob Johnston; Asher;
Linda Johnston - grandmother

Age: 7

Grade/School: 2nd/ Falling Creek Elementary

What do you like to do for fun: Run around

Favorite superhero: Flash

Favorite toy: Hot Wheels

Favorite TV show: Garfield

Favorite movie: Up

**If you could tell someone one thing about God/
Jesus, what would that be?** King of the world

