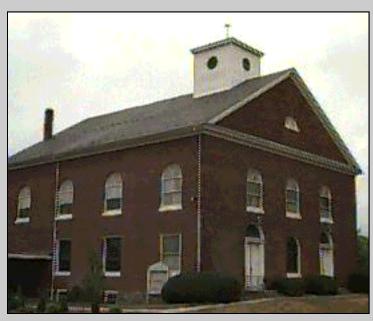
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The Super's Corner

Pastor and Sunday School teachers met the evening of January 21 to review the SS 2003 report that will be presented at the Annual Congregation Meeting on January 25 and to plan events for the rest of the SS year.

A copy of the SS 2003 report is available on the church's website under the *Education* link at *www.straw church.org* or you can pick one up in the SS office.

Special events and their dates & times were discussed and agreed upon this evening. Please mark your calendar accordingly so that you can join us!

February

Feb. 1, 8, 15, 22 & 29 - SS will sponsor 'Have a Heart for CAI' memorials every Sunday in Feb. Help support the SS benevolence project by giving money to purchase books, school supplies, etc. in memory of a loved one.

Feb. 25 - Ash Wednesday marks the beginning of the Lenten season. There will be a morning/afternoon & evening services.

Feb. 29 - One service at 10:00. SS children will attend this service. NORWESCAP - Please bring in hygiene supplies.

March

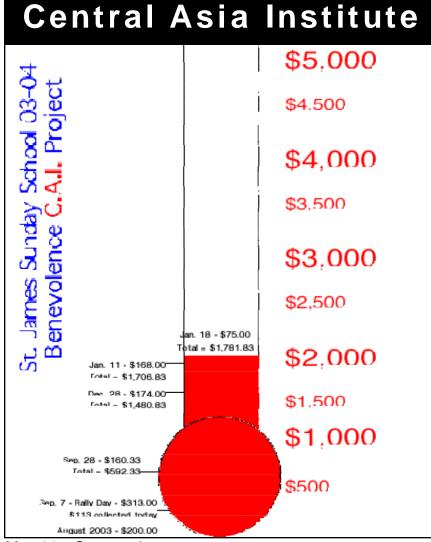
Mar. 20 (Sat.) - 5th grade 1st Communion instruction from 9-11:30 in Fellowship Hall.
Mar. 28 - CAI 'Pizza & Bingo' Afternoon. Take your children to SS & 11:00 service and then stay afterwards to enjoy pizza & play bingo.
Admission is by donation & all funds go towards the SS benevolence project - CAI.
NORWESCAP - Please bring in canned goods.

April

Apr. 4 - Easter Egg Hunt Apr. 8 (Maundy Thur.) - 5th Grade 1st Holy Communion Apr. 11 - Easter Sunday. Confirmation class breakfast. *No SS today.* Apr. 25 - SS will attend the middle worship service. NORWESCAP - Please bring in breakfast supplies.

May

May 15 (Sat.) - SS Teachers' Appreciation Dinner at 6:00 p.m. Teachers & their families will be feted this evening.



May 30 - One service at 10:00. SS children will attend this service. This is Memorial Day Weekend. NORWESCAP - Please bring in paper supplies.

June

Jun. 6 - 8th Grade Confirmation. Jun. 13 - End of SS year. NORWESCAP - Please bring in baby supplies.

We need volunteers to man the nursery & the senior high school class for SS. Please see me if you feel a calling to assist the children.