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Family Ministry Day

Mission Opportunities for Children, Youth and Adults **Saturday March 24, 2012**

I. What?

- a. In conjunction with the WMU the Family Ministry is providing opportunities for families to spend an afternoon serving our community.
- b. If you have ever asked how you can minister to those in our area, then this is an opportunity to do so.
- c. There will be several options for children, youth and parents to minister.
 - i. Also, *any* adults that want to be involved are certainly invited to do so.

II. When and Where?

- a. Children ages Preschool through 2nd grade will have their parents sign them up to meet in the Fellowship Hall @ 10am to write letters and decorate pictures for those in our nursing home. Then the adult leaders will take the children to the nursing home to deliver their letters and pictures. This group will return to the church by 11:30am.
- b. Children ages 3rd through 6th grade and youth (7th-12th grade) will sign up and then be asked to meet at church at 1pm. Groups will either be going to Camp Royall or to the home of a church member(s). Each location will be in need of cleaning, yard work, etc.
 - i. Based on the number of people who sign up early we may also have a group go to the Christians United Outreach Center of Lee County. Groups will return to church by 4:30pm.
- c. The Ministry Day opportunities to serve are meant for the entire family, so sign yourself up with your children and/or youth, or just you and groups will be formed ahead of time so each service opportunity will have who & what it needs to accomplish its tasks.

III. Why?

- a. Ministry opportunities such as this provide families the ability to strengthen their focus on Christ as a family. The Family Ministry wants to come alongside families so that families can strengthen their ability to grow as disciples and teach their children to do the same by example.
 - i. The purpose is for families to be involved in servant ministry *and* to also spend time in fellowship with other families.
- b. I encourage you to sign-up and make this a priority for you family.