

BRAZOS CHURCH PANTRY: Join us at 10am on Saturday, February 4th, as we gather for our monthly volunteer morning at the Brazos Church Pantry. All are welcome!

SOUPER BOWL OF CARING: The Friends Church Youth Group will be holding empty soup pots on Sunday after the worship service to receive any cash or check donations we can spare to benefit Twin City Mission. Canned food offerings are also welcomed, which will be donated to the Brazos Church Pantry. Our church's youth group will be carrying out this effort alongside youth groups across the country, so our offerings of money and food will go a LONG WAY in wiping out poverty and hunger on a day when our nation's attention typically turns to football, halftime shows and quirky commercials. Thanks, Youth Group!

NEXT MEN'S BREAKFAST: 8AM FEBRUARY 5TH. We will gather for hot fair trade coffee, pancakes, and syrupy goodness along with tasty grilled breakfast meats while we share during this time of fellowship a short devotional and group discussion. Come for a time of meeting new friends, sharing in some good food, and learning more about how we can grow in our faith and relationships as brothers in Christ.

FAMILY PROMISE COMFORT FOOD COOK-OFF: Come join the fun at A&M Methodist Church on **February 10th** from 6 to 9PM. Support our AMAZING cook-off team of Nelis, Wolfgang, and Stacy D. Tickets are \$20 and you get ALL the food you can eat — and all proceeds go to Family Promise. Dress is casual, and you will NOT have more fun anywhere than at the Friends Church table(s). To purchase tickets, see Anne Wehrly or Linda Coats before or after services, or Bridget during office hours.

A SERMON ON GLOBAL WARMING: On February 12th, Pastor Dan will offer a sermon on the topic of environmental stewardship, and he won't be alone! Over 1,000 congregations from different denominations and faiths are participating in the National Preach-in on Global Warming next weekend to raise the profile of this issue. For more information on the National Preach-in on Global Warming leading up to next Sunday, visit Texas Interfaith Power & Light's website at <http://txipl.org/>.

SERMON DISCUSSION LUNCH FEBRUARY 19TH: Join us on Sunday, February 19, right after worship for a lunch as we unpack the sermon in a laidback atmosphere among friends. Lunch will be provided at a small fee of around \$6, but depends on the number of participants who join us. Please RSVP by Thursday, February 16 to Nelis Potgieter (nelis.potg@gmail.com) or [online](#).

BIIN ORIENTATION AND VOLUNTEER TRAINING: The Brazos Interfaith Immigration Network (BIIN), which seeks to serve and support the immigrant community in Brazos County, is looking for volunteers! If you are interested in helping, there will be a **mandatory volunteer training** on Sunday, **February 12**, from 2 to 4:40 PM. To register, please contact Clotilde Pichon, BIIN Volunteer Coordinator, at cpichon@aggiecatholic.org or 979-846-5717.

Administrative Assistant Office Hours:

Mon-Fri, 10:00 - noon

Thursday is Dan's weekday off. To arrange an appointment with or to contact the pastor, call or email the church at office@friends-ucc.org or Dan at pastor@friends-ucc.org

THE WEEK AHEAD AT FRIENDS CHURCH

Sunday, February 5, 2012

Super Bowl of Caring

8:00am Men's Breakfast

9:15am Sunday School

10:30am Communion service

Scripture Readings:

Psalms 147:1-11; Isaiah 40:21-31; Mark 1:29-39

Monday, February 6, 2012

6:00pm Dynacisers

Tuesday, February 7, 2012

7:00am Morning Meditation

7:00pm Yoga

Wednesday, February 8, 2012

6:30am Highway 21 Breakfast Ministry

6:30pm Wednesday Night Service

7:30pm Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, February 9, 2012

10:00am Happy Scrappers

6:00pm Dynacisers

7:15pm Yoga

Friday, February 10, 2012

No events scheduled

Saturday, February 11, 2012

No events scheduled

Sunday, February 12, 2012

9:15am Sunday School

10:30am Worship Service

5:30pm **Worship Committee Meeting**

Scripture Readings:

1 Corinthians 9:24-27; Mark 1:40-45