



# Dulin's Children's Corner

## Help the Homeless

For the past two years Dulin has been involved in Fannie Mae's Help the Homeless Walkathon. We would like to continue this tradition in 2008. On Sunday, November 22nd we will again walk to fight homelessness in the DC area. The walk begins at 9am on The Mall in DC and we will meet at 8 am at the East Falls Church Metro and metro over to the

Smithsonian Metro Station.

One of the greatest things about this event is that it is a family event. Adults, Youth, and Children are all invited to take part in it. We had several of Dulin's youngest Disciples come out with us last year and we all had

a great time.

If you are interested in attending the walkathon this year, please wait for more information about how to sign up and receive donations in the weeks ahead



## Movie Night with Pathways

Pathways fellowship group will be meeting on Friday, November 7th from 6:30 to 8:15 pm (ending a little later to make time for

the film). We will be watching either *Hoot* or *Princess Bride*. If you are interested in joining us, Pathways is a fellowship group for

those in the 3rd through 6th grade. They meet the first Friday of every month for a time of fellowship and fun.

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### Your Child Involved:

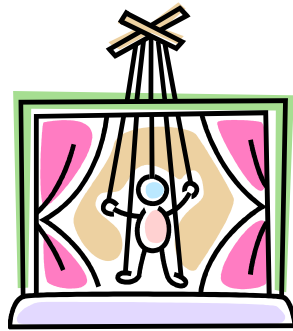
- ☺ Sunday School for 3 years through 6th grade from 9:45 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. every Sunday.
- ☺ Children's Choir every Wednesday from 4:45 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.
- ☺ Help the Homeless Walkathon November 22nd
- ☺ Pathways Movie Night November 7th

### Cinderella and Singing

Marguerite Clossman would like to highlight the fact that the Opera Theatre of Northern Virginia is putting on *Cinderella* on Saturday, November 1st at 4pm. The Opera Theatre of Northern Virginia puts on a children's opera annually to help get children interested in the art form. Cost is \$12 for adults and \$6 for children.

## Preschool's Family Fun Day

Dulin's Preschool would like to invite some of our youngest members to their annual Family Fun Day which will be held on Sunday, November 9th from 3:00 to 6:00pm. This is an event geared towards those in the 2 to 5 age year range. The event is a great chance for our Sunday kids to meet our Monday through Friday kids and will feature the backpack puppets for entertainment. This event will be held in the Fellowship Hall.



## Mitten Line

Dulin will again have a mitten line in the Wesley Room. Parishioners are encouraged to hang mittens, gloves, hats, and scarves from the line and we will donate these items to Grace Ministries, a ministry that helps persons new to our country. The line will be up from November 30th through December 14th. Dulin crafters will be selling mittens and hats on December 7th and you can purchase them and place on the line.

## Looking Ahead to December

December is one of our busiest months here at Dulin. Here are some of the activities we have going on that your child might be interested in participating in or attending.

1. December 5th 6:30-8:00 pm: Pathways church decoration
2. December 5th 7:30 and 8:15: Youth Group's Living Nativity
3. December 6th 10:00 am trip to the National Cathedral
4. December 7th 10:45 am: Nativity Figurines given out in Sunday School
5. December 7th 1:00-2:30 pm: Christmas Craft Workshop
6. December 14th 6:00-8:00 pm: Children's Christmas Play
7. December 17th 4:30 pm: Christmas Caroling and pizza
8. December 24th 5:00pm: Family Christmas Eve Service

## Also for December: Trip to the National Cathedral

Dulin Children's ministries is going to take a trip to The Washington National Cathedral on Saturday, December 6th to take a tour of the cathedral and to see a special exhibit on crèches.

The National Cathedral does an annual holiday display involving nativity scenes from

several different countries and historical moments. This is a great chance to observe different interpretations of the birth of Christ.

The suggested contribution for those taking the tour is \$3 for children and \$4 for

adults but the tour and exhibit are free. Parking will be \$6. This is an event that is open to children from 3yrs thorough 6th grade. Sign up in the bulletin if you would like to go.



National Cathedral