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Spring for Haiti

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Spring for Haiti Outdoor Fair & Benefit

The churches of PIRD and other area Christians are sponsoring an outdoor fair and benefit for the people of Haiti and the Winston-Salem community. The *Spring for Haiti* benefit, will be held at Lloyd Presbyterian Church, on Saturday, May 21, 2011, from 11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

Plans for the event include: singer Bryan McFarland, speakers, dancers, a jazz band, food and drink, pottery sales, games for kids, letter writing for social justice, assembling sanitation kits, blood pressure screening and a media slide presentation. If you have other ideas or talents to share, please come to our next planning meeting on Tuesday, March 22, at 7:00 p.m., at Lloyd Presbyterian or contact Rev. Laura Spangler.

We have already raised ten thousand dollars and hope to double that amount. Tickets will be sold at the event, but donations can be given before then. Three-fourths of the money will go to the Haiti Fund's Comprehensive Development Project (CODEP-economic development program) and the Children's Nutrition Program. One-fourth will go to The Presbyterian Outreach Foundation, supporting Haitian pastor, Leon DeOrleans.

Please save the date for this outreach ministry!

To mail a contribution for the Spring for Haiti benefit, please make your check payable to PIRD; memo: Haiti and mail to PIRD Treasurer, c/o Highland Presbyterian Church, 2380 Cloverdale Avenue, Winston-Salem, NC 27103-2012

You're invited to the PIRD

Lenten Vespers Service

Sunday, March 20, 4:00 p.m.

Lloyd Presbyterian Church,

748 N Chestnut Street, Winston-Salem, North Carolina 27101

Next PIRD Council Meeting: Tuesday, April 26, 6:00 p.m., at Lloyd Presbyterian Church followed by *Spring For Haiti* Planning Meeting at 7:00 p.m.