



SPRING FLING 2009

What is Rogation Sunday?

Friday, May 15<sup>th</sup> to Saturday, May 16<sup>th</sup>

Grace RE Church- Collingdale, PA

Grades 6-12

Sponsored by the Reformed Episcopal Church's Committee on Young People's Work Diocese of the Northeast and Mid-Atlantic

Activities: Games, Bible Study, Singing, Competition, and MORE!
Cost: FREE!!! Invite your friends! (Please bring \$10 for bowling on Saturday morning)
Arrival Time: 7:00 pm Friday, May 15, 2009
Departure Time: 1:00pm Saturday, May 16, 2009
For More Information: Contact Billy Jenkins at 410-652-2681



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Upcoming Events:

- Spring Fling May 15-16
PA Clergy Convocation Meeting June 6
Bp. Cummins REC Missions Trip June 20-26
Provincial Assembly of the ACNA June 22-25
Int'l Spiritual Enrichment Conference June 26-28

Liturgical Season:

- \* May 3: Easter III—White
\* May 10: Easter IV—White
\* May 17: Rogation Sunday—White
\* May 21: Ascension Day—White
\* May 24: Sunday after Ascension Day—White
\* May 31: Whitsunday (Pentecost)—Red

The Diocesan Digest wants to feature YOUR church in our "Parish Profile" section! Send a short article about your parish: services, personnel, activities, history—and pictures! We would like to feature a different Diocesan parish every month.

ANNOUNCEMENT

The Board of Foreign Missions' President Bishop Grote has announced the short-term summer mission trip to Nigeria has been postponed due to safety and security concerns. The Board is optimistic that the trip can be rescheduled at a later date. The security issues at this time are not conducive to a safe, productive mission trip.

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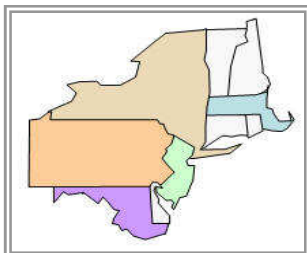


"Okay, the only fair way to do it this morning is . . .  
heads it's the hymnal, tails it's choruses."

Cartoonist: Andy Robertson, 1994  
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Do you have news to share?  
Are exciting things happening  
at your church?  
Let us know! E-mail  
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<http://rec-nema.org>



**REFORMED EPISCOPAL CHURCH  
SHORT TERM SUMMER MISSION 2009**

- WHERE:** Bishop Cummins Reformed Episcopal Church, Catonsville Maryland  
**WHO:** If you are at least 12 years old and are willing to actively participate in the mission's work, you are invited to attend  
**WHEN:** Starting Monday June 22, 2009 at 8:30 AM  
Ending Friday June 26<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 PM  
Come for the whole week or come for a part of the week  
**WHAT:** The program will involve:  
1. Introducing the Catonsville community to Bishop Cummins Reformed Episcopal Church and its ministry  
2. Fellowship with one another through work each day and the community through a Christian Concert and cookout Thursday evening  
3. Renovate/clean/improve Bishop Cummins Reformed Episcopal Church's facilities and grounds  
**COST:** Food - \$8.00 per day or \$32.00 for the week  
Lodging - A limited number of participants can be housed in parishioners' homes at no cost to the participants. This is on a first come basis. Additional lodging is available at nearby motels at an approximate cost of \$70.00 per night for a room with two double beds. Contact the church office at 410-744 3383 for additional details.  
**REGISTRATION:** DEADLINE TO REGISTER IS 5:00 PM MAY 24, 2009  
To register or obtain additional information, contact Bishop Cummins REC office at 410-744-3383 or email [office@bcrcemd.org](mailto:office@bcrcemd.org)



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