

Humor in the Bulletins

While church bulletins are filled with information, they sometimes are sources of humor. Most of the time, the laughs come from a failure of the writer or editor of the bulletin to proofread, or consider the obvious message of what is written. Jenice Saint and Terry Henry in Life Care's accounting department sent me a collection of these gems, gathered from various sources. (Accountants can have fun, too, you know.) Take a look at some messages to the congregation:

- The Fasting and Prayer Conference includes meals.
- The sermon this morning: *Jesus Walks on the Water*. The sermon tonight: *Searching for Jesus*.
- Ladies, don't forget the rummage sale. It's a chance to get rid of those things not worth keeping around the house. Don't forget your husbands.
- The peacemaking meeting scheduled for today has been canceled due to a conflict.
- Don't let worry kill you off – let the church help.
- Miss Charlene Mason sang, "I will not pass this way again," giving obvious pleasure to the congregation.
- For those of you who have children and don't know it, we have a nursery downstairs.
- Next Thursday, there will be tryouts for the choir. They need all the help they can get.
- Barbara remains in the hospital and needs blood donors for more transfusions. She is also having trouble sleeping, and requests tapes of Pastor Jack's sermons.
- The Rector will preach his farewell message after which the choir will sing: *Break Forth Into Joy*.
- Irving Benson and Jessie Carter were married on October 24 in the church. So ends a friendship that began in their school days.
- At the evening service tonight, the sermon topic will be *What Is Hell?* Come early and listen to our choir practice.

Verily, verily I say unto you: As you sit in the pew on Saturday or Sunday, peruse your own church bulletin. You may find in it a chuckle or two. If so, pass it along, and we will publish some more of these in the near future.

--Beecher Hunter