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Corn Roast Report

Our gracious hostess, Dirci Marquart, our Mission Project Coordinator, hosted a delicious corn roast on Sunday, August 19th. A small group came. We had group discussions that were informative and entertaining. We even had someone who quoted poetry. It was wonderful. We hope to see you at our next event!

Calendar of Events

◆ September 9 Brazil Day, 12-6 PM

Carroll Creek Park, old section of downtown Frederick, Maryland.

Free Event. Enjoy Brazilian arts and crafts, food, music and cultural activities. Food and souvenirs will be sold to raise fund to purchase musical instruments for needy children and an ambulance for the city of Aquiraz, Ceara, Brazil. All are invited. Contact: Andrew, (301) 662-5200 or Dirci, (240) 315-2112, (301) 622-5200.

Directions: CARROLL CREEK URBAN PARK from Route 70. Take the South Market Street exit. Proceed on South Market Street and when you cross Carroll Creek, park is on your right.

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Other Things to Try

Grief Care, August 28-September 25

This is a support group for those experiencing loss through the death of a loved one and is offered FREE by Washington Adventist Hospital. The group began on Tuesday, August 21, and will continue for five more consecutive Tuesday evenings, 7– 9 PM. To register or request further information, please call (301) 891-5265.

Visit Ireland, Spring 2008

The JOY Singles from Frederick, MD are planning the trip. The first meeting will be in September. No firm commitment will be made until the airline tickets need to be purchased and that probably won't be until October or November. Contact Bonnie Thomas at: (301) 682-4656, (540) 903-5828 or windsong42@comcast.net

◆ October 12-14, 2007, Adult Singles Retreat

Mt. Aetna Retreat Center
21905 Mt. Aetna Road
Hagerstown, Maryland 21742

Guest speakers

James H. Dotson, Jr., PhD., is Founder and CEO/President of Training for Transformation, Inc (TFTI). The principal focus of this ministry is helping individuals to learn God's principles for healthy sexuality and apply those principles to their lives. James is a health educator.

Roger W. Coon, PhD., was formerly senior pastor at Takoma Park Church and worked in the Ellen G White Estate at the General Conference.

Pastor William Fagal is an Associate Director of the Ellen G. White Estate. He served as a district pastor in the Southern New England Conference and taught at Atlantic Union College.

Fran Jones has been actively involved with the singles and has planned many socials and events. She served as Vice President of Chesapeake Adventist Singles 2003 – 2005 while her sister, Laura, was president.

Retreat price: \$85 for Weekend, \$40 for Sabbath

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Deadline: September 25, 2007

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