



**We all want the same thing.**

November – December 2008

## **EVENING ROTARY CONNECTION**

### **Rotary Goes Italian**

Yes, it's that time. Spaghetti night is November 7 from 4:30 to 7:00 p.m., at Grace Episcopal Church. The menu is the same and the "recipe" just keeps getting better thanks to Ken Hussey and Joe Gantz.

Each member should try to sell five tickets to help make this fundraiser a success. Please sign up at the next meeting to bring a homemade dessert. Many members have already signed up for the set-up crew or clean-up crew, but there's always room for more.

### **A message from Dong Kurn Lee**

*President, Rotary International*

When I was a child, Korea experienced a terrible war. After it was over, my country received a great deal of help from other governments and humanitarian organizations, help that put Korea on a track of health, hope and economic growth. In the decades since the war, both Korea's economy and its Rotary Club membership have grown enormously. I feel there are two reasons for this. One is Koreans' desire to help others as we were once helped ourselves; we all want to pay back some of what was given to us. The other is the mutual affinity Koreans have for the values of Rotary: integrity, honor, hard work, and fairness. Many of Rotary's core values are also core values in Korean business. Koreans know very well the lesson taught by Herbert J. Taylor, author of *The Four-Way Test*: We do not succeed professionally despite our ethical behavior; we succeed because of it. This is the reality behind *Service Above Self*. This is the reality of Rotary, the reality that inspires us and challenges us every day.

Sponsored by the Jefferson City Evening Rotary Club



**ROTARY GOES ITALIAN**

It's Spaghetti Night!

Help support:  
**FOCUS Program**  
(First Presbyterian Church education program)  
**Meds and Food for Kids**  
(malnutrition program in Haiti)

**Friday, November 7, 2008 4:30 to 7:00 p.m.**  
**Grace Episcopal Church** (corner of Adams & Adams)

<b>Spaghetti, Salad, Bread Homemade Desserts, Tea and Lemonade</b>	<b>Adults - \$8 Youth - \$5 (6 to 12) Kids under 6 - free</b>
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### **2009 RI Convention in Birmingham, England, June 21-24**

Be a part of history and celebrate the 100th Rotary convention, which will take place in Birmingham, the heart of England! Register early for the convention to take advantage of special pricing! **First deadline:** December 15, 2008.

### **Interfaith Holiday Service**

**Dec. 16** – Interfaith Holiday Service  
Grace Episcopal Church  
5:30-6:00 Social, Common Room  
6:00-7:15 Service, Sanctuary  
(Muslim, Greek Orthodox, Jewish)  
Members are encouraged to invite guests.

### **Holiday Get-together**

**Dec. 30, 6:30 p.m.** – Library Lounge, Truman Hotel  
Music – Mike Michelson  
Members are encouraged to bring guests to this social. The club will not be funding this event.