

Meetings & Events

Sunday, 8/15

Finance Committee Meeting

9:00 a.m.

Parlor

Wednesday, 8/18

7:00 p.m. Annual Meeting Fellowship Hall
Building and Grounds Committee

(7:30 p.m. - Following the Annual Meeting)

Sunday, 8/29

Deacons' Meeting

5:00 p.m.

Parlor



School Supplies

During the month of August, the WMU will collect much needed school supplies for area foster children. A collection box will be located in the Children's dining area of the Children's Center.

Reminder From the Deacons

After a report from the LISTEN Team many have volunteered to lead a Team or join a Team in serving our church. There is still time to volunteer for an area of ministry that interests you. The sign up forms are in the church office.

Dr. Ray Howell - Sabbatical

Dr. Howell will be on Sabbatical from now until the first of November. Our thoughts and prayers are with he and Joyce as they travel and are away from us. They will be attending some seminars and visiting family. They will also be traveling and hopefully resting.

Annual Golf Tournament

Saturday, August 21

11:30 a.m. - Sapona Country Club

Extended Session

August 15: Bed Babies - Margaret Ann Maddox & Miranda Rhodes **Toddlers & 2 Year Olds** - Carol Stutts Wall & Jackson McCarthy **3 & 4 Year Olds** - M/M Phil Mickey

August 22: Bed Babies - Jen Fuller Allen & Brooke Williams **Toddlers & 2 Year Olds** - M/M Charlie Pyle **3 & 4 Year Olds** - M/M Kyle Kepley

Summer Sermon Series

Seven Sins

August 15 - Gluttony

August 22 - Lust

August 29 - Greed

September 5 - Sloth

September 12 - Anger

Seniors & Jr/Sr's

Monday, August 23 will leave the church at 9:00 a.m. and have lunch at Shatley Springs. Then on to West Jefferson to tour the Cheese Factory. The rest of the afternoon you will be free to stroll around Blowing Rock or just sit in the park and enjoy the mountain atmosphere. We will return to the church by 5:00 p.m. Cost is \$20.00. We need at least 10 people to make this trip possible.

Tuesday, August 31, we will leave the church at 4:00 p.m. and have dinner on the way to watch the Winston-Salem Dash versus Lynchburg Baseball Game. The cost of the game is \$10.00 and we must have at least 20 people to get our discount.

Sign up sheets are in the SS Classes or call the church office.

Fellowship Hall - Closed

August 31 - September 14

This is the time when the floor in the Fellowship Hall needs to be completely cleaned, stripped, and waxed. We appreciate your cooperation as we prepare for the fall activities.

Welcome New Members

June 27, 2010

John Carlton Shoaf III
"Trey"
408 Duke Drive
Lexington, NC 27292
249-7474



July 18, 2010

Ray & Tina Williams
509 Westside Drive
Lexington, NC 27292
249-1528



July 25, 2010

Sarah Elizabeth Hall
7003 Courtland Drive
Thomasville, NC 27360
476-5136



Urgent Need

Grape Jelly and Tomato Soup

It has been the responsibility of our church, for many years now to supply grape jelly and tomato soup for Crisis Ministry. Please be mindful of this ongoing need and make it a habit to pick up an extra jar of grape jelly and a couple of cans of tomato soup whenever you visit the grocery. If everyone would do a little, we would exceed our commitment!

Memorials

HVAC: Charles McDade by Richard & Lois Perryman, Bob & Ann Cole; Evelyn Tate by Gerald Smith, Tom & Betsy Riggs, Adrian & Mary Neal, Alpha Delta Preceptor, Bob & Ann Cole, Dot Walser, Richard & Lois Perryman, Robert S. Tucker, Marylyn Hilton, Austin & Kathryn Frye, Richard & Becky Reese, Jackie Inman; Keith Johnson by Nevin & Suzanne Rohrbaugh, Doug & Alice Pearson; Kelly Lowder by Harold & Cindy McNeill, Jackie Inman, Dot Walser, George & Amy Chambless, Catherine Pritchard; Roberta Smith by Jackie Inman, Betty Sink; Sarah Copley by Dot Walser, Bob & Ann Cole, Nancy Copley, E.A. Hoover, Dwight & Kathleen Hedrick, Marylyn Hilton; Mary Jo Pickett, Evelyn Underwood, Mickey LeCroy by Dot Walser; Jack Sink by Richard & Lois Perryman; Iris Queen by Marylyn Hilton; Michael Minor by Catherine Pritchard; Jacob Foster Nance by Phoebe Curry; **MBCC:** Noel Young by John & Betty Lou Conrad, Dot Walser & Carol Young Family, Richard & Jean Delille; Kelly Lowder by Gerald Smith; **Jean Reid Bowen Youth Fund:** Evelyn Tate by Louise Tate; **General Fund:** Kelly Lowder by Jim & June Honeycutt; Cheryl H. Wicker; Evelyn Underwood & Mickey LeCroy by Cheryl H. Wicker; Evelyn Tate by The Faithful Workers SS Class; **Building Fund:** Michael Minor by Bill & Betsy Medford; Kelly Lowder by Bill & Betsy Medford, Ardell & Edna Lanier, George Grubb, Tony & Deobrah Harrison, Judy LeCroy, Bob & Doris Butchart, Jim & Evelyn Harris; **Small Jobs Ministry:** Kelly Lowder by Austin & Kathryn Frye; **Music Ministry:** Evelyn Tate by Rejoice Ringers of Becks Baptist Church;

Honorariums

HVAC: Susan Bryan by Marylyn Hilton;

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TOGETHER WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE

Vacation Bible School officially launched the church's and the Martha Best Children's Center efforts in recycling. Throughout the church you can recycle. In an effort to renew God's creation we ask you while at church and home and your work place and school to recycle to keep God's green earth - GREEN. Lets all recycle!

Youth News

Saturday, August 21 - Upcoming 6th grade orientation at 6:00 P.M. at the Garrisons. Snacks and drinks provided.

Sunday, August 22 - Youth Messy Night. Meet at church 5:00 p.m. Come prepared to get down-right dirty.

Saturday, August 28 - Youth Brigade 2010 featuring DecemberRadio at Crossroads Church. Meet at the church at 4:00 p.m. Pizza to be sold at the concert. Return to the church around 9:00 p.m. Free Admission.

September 10 - 12 - Back to School retreat at the Frank's place in Boone. Meet at the church at 5:00 p.m. on Friday. We will return around 6:00 p.m. on Sunday. If you have a tent we can use let us know.

June 26 - July 1, 2011 - PassPort in Macon, GA. Open to all youth again this year. \$100 deposit is due by October 31. See Kelly Hamrick to sign up.

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Annual Church Business Meeting

Wednesday, August 18

7:00 p.m. - Fellowship Hall



The 2010 - 2011 Nominating Committee Report has been mailed in preparation for the upcoming Annual Business Meeting. Additional copies will be available in the church office and will be distributed prior to the meeting.

Business items on the agenda for the Annual meeting include:

1. Approval of the Nominating Committee Report - this report contains a listing of our church leadership including the Diaconate, all Sunday School Leadership, and member of various committees and ministries who will serve during the new church year.
2. A Financial update: On the General Fund.. The HVAC fund and the loan balance, and the Endowment Fund.

Sabbatical Renewal

The Sabbatical experience for our church and pastor, "This is Our Story, This is Our Song," has begun. A vital element of defining "Our Story" will be the video-taping of members sharing stories and memories of our church. We have recently purchased some equipment from the grant to do the video - taping. We have a few who have volunteered to help coordinate and record the interviews but still need others. We also are asking for individuals who have a story and want to be videotaped to call the church office as we begin to put together a schedule.

Belize - Mission Trip

February 5 - 12, 2011

A work team is being assembled to go to the camp in Belize and work. If you have any interest please contact Vinnion Williams at 596-0504. Arrangements for the trip and tickets will need to be purchased in the near future.

Family Night Opening Celebration

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