

Calendar of Events - week of August 23, 2009

Sunday (Back to School Sunday)

9:30 Sunday School
10:00 Chat & Snack
10:30 Morning Worship

Monday

12:00 Emmaus
1:30 Prayer Group - library

Tuesday

9:30 Aerobics - Asbury Hall

Wednesday

6:00 WEF
7:00 Adult Choir Practice
7:15 United Ministry Council

Friday

9:30 Aerobics - Asbury Hall
7:00 - 10:00 p.m. - District Youth Rally -
Asbury Hall

Saturday

10:00 - 1:00 District Youth - Galilee UMC
10:30 - 11:30 Feed the Hungry - Asbury Hall

Visitors - Sunday, August 16

Deryl & Glenda Little, Alexi Little, Mary
Kate, Dylan, & Griffin Bedell, Sue Neely,
Kay Little, Vince Horne, Ruth Funderburk,
Sandy Tallent, James, Debbie, Lauren &
Austin Robinson, Dina Flowers, Didi Lucas,
Rev. & Mrs. Butch Huffman

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Sunday Helpers - August 23, 2009

Ushers: Jay & Janet White, Greg & Gwenn
Price

Lector: Joanna Read

Acolytes: Bradley Patterson, Carter Sutton

Snack & Chat: 3M Sunday School Class

Trustee of the Month: Edith Duncan

Wesley Pines Bus Ministry: Duncan
McGugan

Offering Verification: Luckey Welsh,
Margaret White

Nursery Ministry: Heather Miller/Brittany
Gaines

Stephen Minister: Bob Scott

Dinner Menu

Wednesday, August 26

Salad, Pork Chops, Macaroni & Cheese,
Collards, Dessert, Beverage

Worship Attendance - Sun., August 16

Sunday School 88
Worship 190

Mission Statement

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DISTRICT YOUTH RALLY

Chestnut St. UMC will be hosting a district youth rally, entitled *Youth Link* on Friday, August 28 from 7:00 -10:00 p.m. in Asbury Hall and Saturday from 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. at Galilee UMC, 941 McGirts Bridge Road, Laurinburg, NC. Cost of admission is \$10.00. All youth are invited to attend this time of worship and prayer. Any youth who are available to help in setup and selling CDs for the band, please contact Sarah Ervin at 734-8296.

MISSIONS

Feed the Hungry will be changing its name and input from the members of Chestnut Street is needed. Suggestions for the name change are: The Lord's Table, The King's Table, Christ's Kitchen, Fellowship Meal. Please let a member of the Missions Committee know what you prefer before we make a decision at the September meeting. Members of the Missions Committee are: Mary Anna Gray, Janice Nelson, Debbie Powers, Lynn Compton, Jerry Jordan, Jesse Lamm, Rose Byrd, Marilyn Duncan, Edie Duncan, Steve Little and Donna Valenti.

Mark your calendar!

Back to School Sunday - August 23, 2009

Chestnut Street United Methodist Church

10:30 worship

Bring school supplies to be shared with Southeastern Family Violence Center.....Kindergarten recognition.....Prayer of dedication for all school teachers and students!

Students, wear your school colors

CIRCUIT RIDERS

Sept. 5: The church bus will be going to Bladenboro N. C. to Neil Graham's 90th birthday on Saturday, Sept. 5 at 3:00 p.m. Will return at 6:00 p.m.

Sept. 11: Northwood Temple - Dinner Theatre (2 spaces left). Cost is \$21.00.

October 25 - 28: Florida - Holy Land Trip. (2 spaces are open) - Depart at 1:00 p.m. Eat before you leave. Supper in Savannah, night in Savannah. Oct. 26: Continental breakfast, arrive in Orlando for quick lunch, then on to Silver Springs Park and Ocala.....spend night in Orlando.

Oct. 27: Continental breakfast, then to The Holy Land Park for the day. Depart Orlando at 3:00 p.m. for St. Simon's Island for the night. Depart for home on Oct. 28. Lunch en route. Home around 5:00 p.m. Deposit of \$75 due by Sept. 5. More details about motels coming later.

P.A.T.

Plan to attend P.A.T. on Tuesday morning, Sept. 1 at 11:30. Rev. Harold Salmon will update us on his mission trips. We will be celebrating back to school. Bring a pack of paper, notebook or pencils for us to donate to a local school. This will be our favor this month. Looking forward to seeing as many or more as last month.

Senior Adult Picnic

We will not have a Senior Adult Picnic this year. Rather, we will be supporting the Hearts and Hands Talent Show and Auction. Please plan to attend that this year. They need our support and help.

Aerobics

Tuesdays and Fridays

Aerobics meets every Tuesday and Friday in Asbury Hall at 9:30 - 10:15 a.m. Come join us. It will refresh you.

SAINT of the Week

The nurse of the week is Joyce Musselwhite. She will be glad to assist you with any of your health needs or questions this week. Give her a call.

**Quote: Make time to practice meditation and prayer.
They provide us with daily fuel for our busy lives.**

TIME TO JOIN A SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

All classes meet at 9:30 -10:15 a.m each Sunday!

For more information, call Jan at the church office at 739-3304.

Covenant (E115), Manna (E1110), New Directions (A201), Joy (E104), and Wesley Friendship(E101) Classes

Five of our adult Sunday School classes will begin a new series of lessons in September. Leaders of the Israelite nation: Joshua, Gideon, Ezra and Nehemiah will be examined as "Covenant Leaders" in four sessions. In the following four weeks stories from Mark's Gospel in which Jesus interacted with people and invited them to live in covenant with God will be discussed. In the last five lessons of the quarter First and Second Peter will be taught and will feature qualities of people who are part of God's covenant community.

Morning Glory Class (Ladies Only)

Nancy Everson is the contact person for this class. The classroom is located on the 2nd floor of Asbury Hall in A205. Currently the class is studying the book "When the Game Is Over It All Goes Back In The Box" by John Ortberg. Each week a class leader leads the discussion. Women of all ages are welcome to attend this class.

Koinonia Class

Young couples and singles attend this class which is located in room A203, 2nd floor of Asbury Hall. "Prayer; Does It Really Make A Difference" by Philip Yancey is the DVD /discussion topic used by this class currently. Angela Sumner serves as the contact person for this class.

3M (Mighty Men of the Master) Class

Men of all ages attend this class in room E103. Curriculum includes studies based on current Christian books or books of the Bible. Thru the month of September they are discussing Max Lucado's study on the book of Hebrews. Eddie Smith, Bruce Jobe and Tim Bell serve as discussion leaders.

Report from Finance Ministry

Financials at the end of July, 2009

	<u>Month</u>	<u>Year-to-date</u>
Revenues	\$ 34,004.07	\$300,651.75
Expenses	<u>\$ 46,720.56</u>	<u>\$328,451.34</u>
Over/under	\$-12,716.49	\$-27,799.59

Calling all craftsmen!!
Come and join the fun

This Saturday, August 22
9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Asbury Hall

*Have you ever wanted to make jelly or jam?
Do you like to create Christmas decorations?
Can you make a bow?
Do you like to paint?
Are you good with wood?
Do you have the gift of needle and thread?*

*Our church has so many talented and gifted members,
Will you come and share those gifts with your church family?*

This Saturday, we will be canning preserves.
We need choppers in the kitchen. We also will be doing a variety of
crafts and projects for our Fall Bazaar as well!

See you there!

Myra T. Norton, myranorton@ncrrbiz.com
Phone: 618-9165 (home)

If you have a Prayer Request, please call Jane West at 739-9324.

Rosa Hunnings, Tom Long, John McLellan, Lib Culbreth, Helen Sharpe, Bobby Williams, Margaret B. White, David Thaggard, Rob Barr, Susan McCray, Margaret McKenzie (Buddy Bodiford's mother), Thelma Williams (Monroe Williams' mother), Sam Smith, Vernon Cline, Frank Powers, Peggy Morris, Diantha Parnell, Don Smith (friend of Cathy Bracey), Pearl Bowen (Margaret O. White's sister), Johnny Ormsby (Jean Crouch's brother), Karen Fisher (Essie Stewart's granddaughter), Flora Sealey (Hazel McPhatter's sister), Britain Floyd (daughter of Bobby and Taryn Floyd and granddaughter of Frank and June Floyd).

Golden Living: Pete Cline

Hermitage Retirement Center: Sara Stansel - Room 5 East

Wesley Pines Retirement Center: Mary Fuller, Mary McLean, Lois Huggins, Mildred Lee, Mary Stephenson Townsend, Maurice Mitchell (Mitch's father)

Woodhaven: Jean Decker

Missionaries: Rev. & Mrs. Herbert Zigbuo, Dept. of Vocational Education; United Methodist Church, P. O. Box 10-1010; Monrovia, Liberia

Military: PFC Bergstresser, Mark, 30th BSTB, HHC 1-252 CAB TST, FOB FALCON, APO AE 09361; Major George B. "Tripp" Brown III, HHC, DSTB, 1CD (CMD GRP), APO AE 09344

Attention 5th, 6th, 7th Graders

CALL FOR JUNIOR RINGERS

All are invited to join the junior handbells group for 2009 - 2010. We will practice in the choir room 6:00 - 6:30 p.m. on Wednesdays, beginning September 16th. The Sigmons will work with this group again this year. If you have not already done so, please call the Sigmons now at 738-5520 to let them know you will be a ringer this year. New members will absolutely be welcome. ☺ ☺

Feed the Hungry

The Wesley Friendship Sunday School Class will sponsor "Feed the Hungry Ministry" on Saturday, August 29 in Asbury Hall from 10:30 - 11:30 a.m.

Reminder

Staff-Support Ministry will meet on Sunday, August 30 at 6:00 p.m. in library.

MEMORIALS

In memory of Charles Stansel

For: Undesignated Memorials

Given by: Dr. & Mrs. Ray Pennington,
Elizabeth Bass, Mr. & Mrs. Thomas
Greyard, Mr. & Mrs. Eugene Hackney,
Mr. & Mrs. H. A. McKinnon

For: Building Fund

Given by: Mr. & Mrs. Greg Price, Carl
Stubbs, Jean Crouch, Mr. & Mrs. Henry
Davis, Mr. & Mrs. Bruce Jobe

For: Benevolence Fund

Given by: Mr. & Mrs. Bob West, Dot
Wilkerson, Joy Sunday School Class,
Mary Mason

For: Bus Fund

Given by: Lawton Baker

In memory of Lallage Holtschulter

For: Building Fund

Given by: Mr. & Mrs. Nelson Price

In memory of Roberta Scipio

For: Building Fund

Given by: Mr. & Mrs. Nelson Price, Mr.
& Mrs. Bruce Jobe

For: Benevolence Fund

Given by: Mr. & Mrs. Bob West, Dot
Wilkerson, Joy Sunday School Class

In memory of Henry Floyd

For: Building Fund

Given by: Mr. & Mrs. Wendell Stanton

For: Benevolence Fund

Given by: Dot Wilkerson

In memory of Fannie Burleson

For: Building Fund

Given by: Mr. & Mrs. Heyward Calvert

In memory of Mrs. Ruth Burch

For: Undesignated Memorials

Given by: Mr. & Mrs. William Page, Mr.
& Mrs. Charles Stovall

In memory of Harold McPhatter

For: Undesignated Memorials

Given by: Mrs. Hazel McPhatter

In memory of Derek Britt

For: Building Fund

Given by: Mr. & Mrs. Heyward Calvert,
Mr. & Mrs. Henry Davis

For: Benevolence Fund

Given by: Mrs. June Floyd, Mr. & Mrs.
Bob West

HONORS

In honor of Juanita Collins

For: Building Fund

Given by: Sara Joyce Musselwhite