# **CRABTREE VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH**

"CONTINUE IN PRAYER"



**September 24, 2018** 

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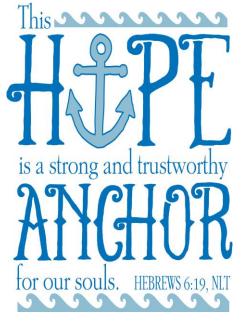
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### THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Over the past two weeks with the trauma of Larry Nunnery's unexpected death in our church family, the loss of Ronnie Stallings, Whitt's brother and the devastation of Hurricane Florence, an uplifting song of inspiration and consolation has been on my mind. It's entitled "The Solid Rock". The words are worthy of our deepest reflection

In times like these you need a Savior In times like these you need an anchor Be very sure, be very sure You anchor holds and grips the Solid Rock

This Rock is Jesus, Yes He's the One This Rock is Jesus, the only One Be very sure, be very sure Your anchor holds and grips the Solid Rock

This beloved and comforting hymn was written by Ruth Caye Jones, wife of evangelist Bert Jones, during the fearful days of World War II. In 1948 Bert and Ruth founded a radio ministry out of their home in Erie, Pennsylvania which they called, "A Visit with the Jones'. While house cleaning, Ruth was thinking about the uncertainty of the time in which she was living. Feeling the strong presence of the Holy Spirit the words of the song and the music to accompany them filled her mind. Ruth stopped her house cleaning, sat down, and penned the words and music exactly as God revealed them to her. Not only did this message from God bring Ruth peace and comfort in the moment, but years later she found the message one of hope and encouragement as she recovered from a serious illness. This inspired hymn has touched and blessed the lives of countless numbers of distressed souls in times of trouble, anxiety, fear and uncertainty. Only God knows the number of people who have surrendered their lives to Jesus because of this hymn.

There is no doubt that the times we now face in North Carolina call for an anchor, a Savior, a Rock. Is God speaking to us through this tragedy? Although we have been greatly spared in this hurricane, we cannot and must not forget those who are caught right in the middle of it. Next time, it could be us. The message that God revealed to Ruth Jones demands our full attention in times like these.. "Be very sure, be very sure your anchor holds and grips the Solid Rock. This Rock is Jesus, the only One."

In His Love, Charles

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# **Weekly Church Calendar**

#### **EACH SUNDAY:**

\*9:45am Sunday School \*11:00am Worship Service

\*Child care provided downstairs.

## **EACH TUESDAY:**

6:30pm Triangle Toastmasters

#### **EACH WEDNESDAY:**

9:00am-12:00pm Hope Pantry is open

6:30pm Children and Youth Mission groups

6:30pm Bible study & Prayer

7:30pm Choir Practice

#### **EACH THURSDAY:**

8:00pm Gamblers Anonymous

**MONTHLY:** (4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of each month)

Young Hearts (Senior Adults)

# **Calendar of Events:**

Thursday, September 27

Peggy off – office closed

Saturday, September 29

3:00pm Walker wedding

Sunday, September 30 ~ 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday

Benevolent Offering

Sunday, October 7

Communion

3:00pm Concert – The Three Triangle Tenors

Sunday, October 28

Quarterly Business meeting and Cafe

Attendance 9/23

Sunday School 26

Worship Attendance 43

**Deacon for week:** 9/30 Elizabeth Best **Deacon for week:** 10/7 Frances Viano

#### **Properties for October**

Whitt Stallings

#### **Ushers for October**

Randy Walker Ben Best
Walt Switzer Frances Viano



Make a call, send a card, or make a visit!

September 23-29 Jean Greene
September 30 – October 6 Mary Cain

New lists are available on the lobby table.

# PRAYER CONCERNS: HOME:

George & Louise Shore Greg Small Joe Clary Eleanor Cromartie Pam Bilbro

#### REHAB & CARE FACILITIES:

Jean Greene – Snow Hill Asst. Living - Snow Hill, NC Mary Cain – 806 Springmoor Circle 27615 Anne Jenkins - Morningside of Raleigh 801 Dixie Trail 27607 - Room 132



We express our sympathy to Whitt Stallings for the loss of his brother, Ronald Stallings, who passed away last Thursday, September 20. Services were held on Friday, September 21, 2018. Here is the obituary: <a href="https://www.brightfunerals.com/tributes/Ronald-Stallings">https://www.brightfunerals.com/tributes/Ronald-Stallings</a>. Please pray for the Stallings family during this time.



Sunday, September 30 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Benevolent offering Helping those in our community in their time of need.



# **Fall Concert**

Sunday, October 7 at 3:00pm
We are excited to welcome back
"The Three Triangle Tenors"
Invite your family, friends and neighbors!

Admission is free, we will receive a love offering to benefit the recent victims of Hurricane Florence. All proceeds will be given to Baptist Men for their recovery work.