CRABTREE VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH

"CONTINUE IN PRAYER"



November 5, 2018

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General Office hours: Monday-Thursday 9am-3pm (closed on Friday)



"I Love My Church" Thanksgiving Offering Sunday, November 18

We will receive this offering during the morning worship service to start building a fund for the replacement of AC/HEAT units. Over the last several months we have had many expensive repairs with our older units. Having this fund established will start preparing the church for when these units need to be replaced. This offering should be above and beyond your regular offering.

From the Deacons

Church office contact information:

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THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

"Church Chuckles" is a delightful little book compiled by Ellen Blooming and Paul Seaburn. A caption on the cover says, "Laughter is Divine". In these serious and trying times a little laughter goes a long way in helping us keep our sanity and perspective. In this delightful book, a little boy is praying,

"Dear God, please take care of Daddy and Mommy and my sister and my brother and me. And please take care of yourself, God. If anything happens to you, we're gonna be in a big mess."

The Psalmist understood the importance of God in his life. "God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble." (Psalm. 46:1) "The Lord is my rock, my fortress and my deliverer...He is my shield and the horn of my salvation, my stronghold." (Psalm 18:2) "He lifted me out of the slimy pit, out of the mud and mire; he set my feet on a rock, and gave me a firm place to stand. He put a new song in my mouth, a hymn of praise to our God." (Psalm 40:2-3)

We can take comfort in knowing that the God who made us has the power to keep us. The Bible does not promise us an easy life on this earth but God does promise to be with us until the end of this earthly life and into eternity if we have accepted Jesus Christ as our Savior.

Living in an uncertain world, as we do, Proverbs 3:5-6 has been my "go to Bible Verse" for as long as I can remember. "Trust in the Lord with all your heart. Lean not unto your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge Him and he shall direct your paths. With God we can have soul peace in a troubled world. Without him, we're gonna be in a big mess.

In His Love, Charles

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: (4th Thursday of each month)

Young Hearts (Senior Adults)

Calendar of Events:

Week of November 12

Peggy on vacation - Office open only Mon & Wed 9am-noon

Sunday, November 18

Deadline for Christmas Child –shoeboxes are in the lobby.

Special offering

Monday, November 19

7:30pm Deacons meeting

Wednesday, November 21

6:30pm Thanksgiving Eve service

Thursday, November 22

Office closed for Thanksgiving

Attendance	11/4
Sunday School	29
Worship Attendance	60

Deacon for week: 11/11 Whitt Stallings **Deacon for week:** 11/18 Gene Sherwood

Properties for November

Darrell Jenkins

Ushers for November

Robert Best Bobby Hayes
Darrell Jenkins Whitt Stallings



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

November 4-10 Rick and Pam Bilbro
November 11-17 Jean Greene
November 18-24 Mary Cain

Lists are available on the lobby table.

PRAYER CONCERNS: HOME:

George and Louise Shore Bonnie Wright 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 Room 132



Operation Christmas Child The deadline to turn in boxes is Sun, Nov 18th.

We have boxes, labels, and brochures with packing instructions (in English and Spanish) available in the lobby. Please include the shipping donation of \$9 per box. Place it in the envelope and make your check to Samaritan's Purse.



Our Secretary, Peggy, will be on vacation the week of November 12-16. The church office will be open on Monday 9am-noon while Barbara Best will be in to answer phones and on Wednesday, Jean Glosson will be in to cover the Pantry 9am-noon. There will not be a newsletter that week.

