

CRABTREE VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH



THE VALLEY ECHO

October 21, 2024

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



Wednesday nights at 6:30pm
Our current study is based on the Max Lucado book 'Glory Days'.



Sunday, November 3
Remember to "fall back"
1 hour on Sat night.



Wednesday, November 6
Fall Festival

The children and youth will enjoy a fun evening of games, snacks, and a cake walk.



A WORD FROM OUR PASTOR

This Sunday is a special day as we set aside Lib Gordon to the ministry of deacon. This is a critical position of ministry that stands alongside the pastor in ministering to the church family. I recall the words a pastor friend of mine wrote about one of his deacons, Frank Covey.

"You can't talk about Frank or Helen Covey without talking about the things they do for other people. Their lives have been consumed in ministry to anyone who was in need.---anything from repairing a porch for a shut-in to helping staff members move into their new homes..

In the course of our conversation, he shared what Helen had said about the last moments and hours of the way Frank had spent his last morning. He had asked Helen to buy Valentines for the families for whom he was responsible in our Deacon Family Ministry Program. That morning, Frank wrote each of those families informing them of his desire to minister to them during the next three years of his term on the Body of Deacons. Knowing Frank, those were not empty words. He would have done just that. Frank blessed me through his ministry of helpfulness. Additionally, I realized that Frank was not alone in ministering to the needs of others. Others of you serve your Master by serving "his brethren." May God raise up more Frank and Helen Coveys in our midst."

It is my prayer for our church as well. We all have a ministry. This Sunday we will recognize and celebrate that special calling.

Brave Journey,
Bill

Church office information:
Interim Pastor • Dr. Bill Slater
Music Director • Dr. Risa Poniros
Secretary • Peggy Utley
Youth Director • Ashley Walker
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Weekly Church Calendar

EVERY SUNDAY

9:45am Sunday School
11:00am Worship Service
2:00-5:00pm Christ Connect Church (Filipino)
*Meets first Sat monthly at 9:30am for Men's Bible Study

EVERY TUESDAY & FRIDAY

10:30am – 1:00pm ESL classes for Welcome House

EVERY WEDNESDAY

9:00am-12:00pm Hope Pantry is open
6:30pm Children and Youth Mission groups
6:30pm Bible Study and Prayer meeting

THURSDAY

1st & 3rd - 12:30-1:30pm Crabtree Rotary Club
7:30pm Gamblers Anonymous

SECOND & FOURTH TUESDAY

6:30pm Tarheel Toastmasters

MONTHLY

Young Hearts Fellowship

Prayer Concerns:

HOME:

Sandi Robinson
Jetta Lewis
Margaret Martinez
Bobby & Faye Hayes
Frances Viano

REHAB & CARE FACILITIES:

Anne Barden – Oak Hill Asst Living in Angier
Catherine Mullins – Sunrise of Cary
Betsy Shaw – Group Home/Assisted Living: Val's Place

OTHER:

Sonshine Person of the Week
Hurricane victims



QUARTERLY
Meeting

**This Sunday, October 27 - following worship
Business meeting and Crabtree Café.**

Menu: Smothered Chicken, Rice, Green beans,
Fruit salad, Bread and Desserts



SHARE THE SONSHINE
Make a call, a visit or send a card!

Person of the Week for October 20-26

Betsy Shaw
4910 Morehead Dr
Raleigh, NC 27614



Operation Christmas Child
Shoebbox deadline is Sunday, Nov 17th.

We have boxes, labels and brochures with
packing instructions available for pickup in the lobby.



NOVEMBER
BIRTHDAYS

11/25 Kathryn Nunery
2904 Mark Oak Court 27610

11/30 Bobby Hayes
1112 Shetland Court 27609



Young Hearts trip on Saturday, Oct 26

**Arrive early! Due to the fair and football traffic that
day the bus will leave the church promptly at 9:00am.**



**Holland's Church is having their annual BBQ
fundraiser Friday, November 1**

Location: 9433 Ten Ten Rd Raleigh, 27603
11:00am – 8:00pm
\$12 per plate / \$10 per pound