# CRABTREE VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH



**October 7, 2024** 

Please mail all correspondence to: P.O. Box 30954, Raleigh, NC 27622

Church location: 4408 Lead Mine Rd Raleigh, NC 27612 Phone: (919) 781-5345 Email: cvbc@crabtreevalleybaptist.org Website: www.crabtreevalleybaptist.org Church Office hours: Monday-Thursday 9am-3pm (closed on Friday)



# Wednesday nights at 6:30pm

This month we will begin a new study based on the Max Lucado book 'Glory Days'. You may purchase the book if you'd like, but it is not necessary in order to attend in the study.



The RBA is collecting items and monetary donations to help with the recovery efforts. Here at CVBC, we will collect items and Ben and Barbara Best will deliver them to the RBA. There is a list of items in lobby. If you would prefer to give money, you can make a check to CVBC – note on it 'RBA' and we will send one donation to them. You can also give to RBA online. The deadline for all donations is this Wed. Oct 9.

Church office information:
Interim Pastor • Dr. Bill Slater
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## A WORD FROM OUR PASTOR

"Even the wind and the waves obey him." (Matthew 8:27)

It is almost beyond comprehension to imagine the effects of Hurricane Milton following right behind the historic damage caused by Helene. At the same

time it is equally moving to see the response of people everywhere giving time, resources, donations of every kind in response.

I sat in a meeting this morning at the Raleigh Baptist Association and learned of tractor trailers departing daily filled with supplies provided by RBA Churches. If you wish to donate there is a bin outside the church office and you can also donate financially by designating your check for WNC Rescue. The sheer numbers are overwhelming. RBA reports 420 churches in NC damaged or destroyed by Helene.

My daughter in St. Augustine has made necessary preparations. Dear friends in Sarasota have already evacuated to Orlando for 3 nights.....and so stories on top of stories are being made, some heroic, some heartbreaking, and all deserving of not only our prayers, but our actions.

It is not for me or any of us to understand. Clearly such devastation is not in the plans of God but is the result of living in a world where the rain falls on the just and the unjust. The real question is not "Why?" but "What next?' What will I do to help and heal and will I realize how blessed I am.

Join me in prayer and action. Make a donation, say a prayer, and may God have mercy. By the time you read this Florida will be yet another story.

Brave Journey, Bill



## **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

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**Properties for October:** Whitt Stallings



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

## Person of the Week for October 6-12

Mr. Charlie Capps 3325 Ashby Place Raleigh, NC 27604



# MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Thursday, October 17 10am-3pm - Blood Mobile

Sponsored by the Crabtree Rotary Club

Sunday, October 20

Observance of The Lord's Supper

# Sunday, October 27

Deacon Ordination for Lib Gordon Following worship: Business meeting and Crabtree Café

> Wednesday, Oct 30 Fall Festival

# **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



**Raleigh Baptist Association Fall Senior Adult Rally** Monday, October 14, 2024

Please sign up in the lobby if you'd like to attend.

Host Church: Central Baptist Church, 11109 Poole Rd, Wendell, NC

**Time:** Registration begins at 9:30am Program begins at 10:00am and concludes with lunch

**Cost:** \$15.00 per person (payable at the door) (Call or email CVBC before Oct 14 if want to attend)

Menu: Boneless Chicken Breast, Wild Rice, Carrots, Peas, Cornbread Muffins, Assorted Desserts

**Entertainment:** Adoration Ouartet

Mission Emphasis: Rev. Matt Martin, NCBAM



On Sunday we welcomed Don and Bettie Phillips as a members of Crabtree Valley Baptist Church. We are delighted that they have chosen to be a part of our church family and ministry. (Don will be a Watch-care member)