



CROSSNORE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH MIDWEEK NEWS

“Growing Deeper in Faith, Reaching Out in Love”

September 14, 2016

Announcements and Items of interest

Sunday, September 14, Worship 11:00—12 noon, Sunday School, 10:15—10:45 a.m.

Bible Study is on Wednesdays from 3:00 to 4:30 p.m. This week, we will continue our study of Paul’s letter to the Phillipians.

Choir practice is on Wednesdays from 5:00-6:15 p.m.

Be sure to mark your calendar for this Saturday, September 17, 7:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. for our special concert: Musical Musings: A Concert of Music and Readings. The concert features Anne Trenning, pianist, performer, and composer of classical, contemporary music. Anne will be joined by Ed Williams, former editor of The Charlotte Observer, who will share some of his inspiring essays. All donations go to Avery County Habitat for Humanity. Light refreshments will be served.

Our Special Speaker Series on Tuesday, September 20, from 7:00 – 8:30 p.m., will feature Reverend Charles Alonso, who has served as a public school teacher and as a pastor to the Hispanic Community in the Mitchell-Avery-Yancy area. He is very knowledgeable and uniquely aware of the struggles that are encountered by many of the Hispanics who are living in area.

Sunday, September 25, we will collect our Food for People and Pets donations. After worship we will have a Barbecue Luncheon. More information later.

6th Annual Dinner Fundraiser for Crossnore Elementary School., Thursday, Septmeber 29, 5:00—7:00 p.m. We host this dinner with Crossnore Baptist, Fellowship Presbyterian, and Fletcher Presbyterian congregations. We will serve homemade chili, baked potato

bar, salad, and homemade desserts. Donations go to support the children at Crossnore Elementary School. Call Linda Berkley to make chili, provide salad ingredients, or help to serve or clean-up (828-898-3855; or carrollberkley@yahoo.com).

Sunday, Oct. 2, World Communion and PC(USA) Peace and Global Witness Special Offering. Session Meeting at 2:30 p.m.

Thursday, October 6, Special Talk, Lunch and Tour for CPC at Crossnore School, 11 a.m.—2 p.m. Sign up by Oct. 2.

Saturday, October 8, Grounds Work Day, 9am—12noon, Bring weed-eaters, rakes, blowers, garden tools.



September Birthdays

- MARY GRASHOF—SEPT. 1
- JUNE BAGBY—SEPT. 3
- KARL CAMPBELL—SEPT. 3
- PAMELA KIDDER—SEPT. 4
- MARILYN GASCHO—SEPT. 12
- PEPÉ ABRUSCI—SEPT. 13
- GOLDIE DELANEY—SEPT. 13
- PAT ROUSSELLE—SEPT. 16
- BUD CRONEAL—SEPT. 17
- MARY LOUISE ALDRIDGE—SEPT. 18
- DENNIS JONES—SEPT. 27
- BETH FOSTER-GASEK—SEPT. 30

Prayer Requests

- KAREN PHILLIPS
- MARK HICKMAN
- BILL BARONE
- PEPE ABRUSCI
- ELIZABETH WOMACK
- PAT ROUSSELLE
- PAT SHRADER
- MYRTLE BAYSE
- BUD AND BETH HOWELL
- BEN AND AMANDA FRAZIER

O Lord, you have searched me and known me.Psalm 139:1

We extend a huge thank you and congratulations to Pepé Abruscic and her team of Country Breakfast organizers and volunteers for another successful summer of Saturday Country Breakfasts. This has been a great outreach to our community and a wonderful opportunity for fellowship. The Country Breakfast Team has also raised over \$4,000 to put toward our mortgage on the Fellowship



Hall. We had an average of 25 volunteers each Saturday and averaged 150 paid meals.

Keeping You Up-to-Date: Donations for the maintenance/removal of selected trees reached \$1,900. This



portion of the Grounds and Trees Project has been completed. From organizers to donators, thank you to all who supported this much needed maintenance.

Donations raised for the New Opportunity School for Women Scholarship totaled \$2,500. The

money will help support a low income woman’s participation in a 3 week residential program at Lees McRae Collge. The self-esteem boosting curriculum explores career optins, educational goals and leadership development