



CROSSNORE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH MIDWEEK NEWS

“Growing Deeper in Faith, Reaching Out in Love”

September 28, 2016

Announcements and Items of interest

Sunday, October 2, Worship 11:00—12 noon. Sunday School 10:15 a.m. This Sunday is World Communion Sunday.

Please come and join us tomorrow evening, September 29, 5:00—7:00p.m. We are holding our 6th Annual



Dinner Fund-raiser for Crossnore Elementary School. We host this dinner with

Baptist, Fellowship Presbyterian, and Fletcher Presbyterian congregations. Homemade chili, baked potato bar, salad, and homemade desserts.



All proceeds will go to fund the After School Program for students in need at Cross-

nore Elementary. This is a great opportunity to support our local public school and to enjoy fellowship, a good meal. If you cannot attend and wish to contribute please make your check out to CPC and designate it for Crossnore Elementary.

This Sunday, Oct. 2, there will be a Session Meeting at 12:30 p.m.

This past Sunday, September 25, we collected over one hundred items and \$180.00 for Food for People and Pets.

Thursday, October 6, Crossnore School Day for CPC. Special Talk by Brett Loftis, Lunch with students and a Tour of Crossnore School, 11 a.m.—2 p.m. RSVP by Tuesday, Oct. 4 .

Our beautiful grounds are in need of some TLC. Come and support Charlotte Davila

and our Building and Grounds Committee on our Grounds Work Day on Saturday, Octo-



ber 8, from 9am—12 noon. Bring, gloves weed-eaters, rakes, blowers, garden tools.

Mayland Fellowship at Banner Elk Presbyterian, 5:30 p.m., Oct. 9.

Tuesday, Oct. 11—Special Speaker Series, 7-8:30 p.m. “Who is an American?: The Politics and History of Immigration.” Dr. Karl Campbell, a history professor at Appalachian State University, will discuss the past and present con-



troversies that shape our immigration policy and suggest some ways to move the discussion forward.

October Birthdays

- LINDA HUGHES—OCTOBER 1
- TOMMIE TENNANT—OCTOBER 3
- ROB MARTIN—OCTOBER 4
- SUE EHMIG—OCTOBER 6
- SHARA GRANT—OCTOBER 9
- BETH HOWELL—OCTOBER 9
- MICHAEL RICHARDSON—OCTOBER 11
- JOHN TOGGWEILER—OCTOBER 13
- LESLIE JORDAN—OCTOBER 17
- JOANN HARLEE—OCTOBER 27
- CHERYL HIRES—OCTOBER 27
- BARBARA LOVEN—OCTOBER 30

Prayer Requests

- LARRY BROWN
- KAREN PHILLIPS
- MARK HICKMAN
- BILL BARONE
- PAT ROUSSELLE
- PAT SHRADER
- MYRTLE BAYSE
- BUD AND BETH HOWELL
- BEN AND AMANDA FRAZIER

Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility regard others as better than yourselves. Philippians 2:3



As you read above, there will be a special **Crossnore School Day for our congregation on Thursday, October 6, from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.** If you would like to attend, please R.S.V.P. to the church office (828-733-1939/cpcpcusa@gmail.com), by Tuesday, October 4. We will tour the campus, eat lunch with the students and meet

with Brett Loftis, CEO of The Crossnore School, for a special talk.

The Crossnore School holds a special place in the heart of this church. The school was founded in 1913 by Drs. Eustace and Mary Martin Sloop. They were instrumental in the founding of this church and the building of our historic sanctuary. The Drs. Sloop established the school to address educational, medical, social, and economic needs of the rural mountain communities. Chil-

dren from the school hauled rock used to build the church and attended services here for many years.

Over the years, The Crossnore School has developed into a non-profit residential foster care home for children in crisis in North Carolina. Its mission is to provide a Christian sanctuary of hope and healing where students in need rise above their circumstances and excel both in school and in life.

Crossnore School supports children from infancy to col-

lege-age and serves over 150 children, annually in 14 cottages. There are over 50 cottage parents serving 7 days on/7 days off in each cottage. There are on campus therapeutic services, case management and a medical clinic. The Stepping Stones program provides real life work, finance and transportation experiences for older high school students. College-aged students are part of a Miracle Scholars program providing transitional, independent living experiences.