



Crossnore Presbyterian Church

“Growing Deeper in Faith, Reaching Out in Love”

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Announcements and Items of interest

November 30, 2016

Sunday, December 4, Second Sunday of Advent, Worship 11:00 a.m.—12 noon.



Sunday School 10:15 a.m. Choir Practice at 9:00 a.m.

Our Mission Project for the month has been the 2016 Presbyterian Build for Avery County Habitat for Humanity. Our church pledged \$5,000 and we have already raised \$3,500!

Wednesday Bible Study, 3:4:30 p.m. We are studying the Book of Ruth. Join us for good study, discussion, and fellowship.

Advent Workshop and Decorating the Sanctuary for the Christmas Season on Saturday, December 3. The Advent Workshop will be held from 10 a.m.- 12:30 p.m. with lunch provided. We will be baking cookies, making ornaments, and writing notes for care packages to

be sent to our students in college and the School of the Arts. **We will begin to decorate the Chrismon Tree and the sanctuary at 12:30 p.m.** Join us for all or part of this fun day. Please RSVP for the Advent Workshop by tomorrow, Thursday, December 1, by calling the church office, 828-733-1939.

Thank you to Doug Tennant and Clay Hartley for putting up our Chrismon tree and getting it ready to be decorated. Wrangling the tree into the sanctuary and getting it placed in the stand is no easy task.

It is time to order Poinsettias for the sanctuary. They are the focal point of our decorations and are provided by individuals who place them in honor or memory of loved ones or to the glory of God. The order form with additional information is attached to this Midweek Newsletter email. The cost of a poinsettia

is \$10.00. Please place orders by December 18.



Sunday, December 4, Session will meet following Coffee and Cookie Fellowship.

Thursday, December 8, 9:30 a.m.- 12:30 p.m., Work Day in the Kitchen and Fellowship Hall. It is time to clean up before Christmas. Join in the fun! We will head over to Loaves and Fishes for lunch after we are finished.

Would you like to go Christmas Caroling with the choir? Let Kathy Hutcheson know. We will meet at the church at 5:00 p.m., on Tuesday, December 13, make our rounds and meet for dinner at Puerto Nuevo! It is great fun!

December Birthdays

- PATRICIA MCGARR—DECEMBER 1
- ANNMARIE HARRIS—DECEMBER 5
- BEN JORDAN—DECEMBER 7
- SARAH ISLES—DECEMBER 12
- JOHN TOGGWEILER—DECEMBER 12
- TASHA REID—DECEMBER 16
- DAN YARBOROUGH—DECEMBER 20
- BUDD HOWELL—DECEMBER 23
- LINDA TAYLOR—DECEMBER 24
- RON SEEGER—DECEMBER 26
- BILL SILVIA—DECEMBER 27

Prayer Requests

- GARY & MARILYN GASCHO
- LOARRAINE ALLS
- PAT McMANNEN
- CHARLES BERKLEY
- JOHN BERKLEY
- EL WILSON
- KAREN PHILLIPS
- MARK HICKMAN
- BILL BARONE
- MYRTLE BAYSE
- BEN AND AMANDA FRAZIER

Prepare the way of the Lord, make his paths straight. Mark 1:3

Our Christmas Potluck Luncheon will be on Sunday, December 18.

Thank you to all who have donated money, cookies and coffee for our after worship fellowship time.

Mary Jo Hege has sold her home in Gingercake. (Wonderful news Mary Jo!) She is having an estate sale on Saturday, December 10 from 9:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m. and on Sunday December 11 from 12:00—3:00 p.m. The address is 7250 Laurel Hill Dr., @ Gingercake Acers off Highway 181.

Several repair, preservation and resoration projects have begun and/or are completed.

The sanctuary floor beneath the windows behind the piano had deteriorated but repairs are completed!



The connector between the upper and lower parking lot has been repaired and paved.

Cleaning of the outside of the church and roof in preparation for sealant has begun. Part of the rock walls and roof have been cleaned. The remainder of the roof will require a crane and plans are being made to complete that process. The sealant will then be applied.

Top—Cleaning of Parking Lot Side Partially Complete



Bottom—Cleaning of Parking Lot Side Complete.

