



Crossnore Presbyterian Church

*"Growing Deeper in Faith,
Reaching Out in Love"*

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Announcements and Items of Interest

August 15 2018

Sunday, August 19, -9:40 am.,
Choir Practice – 10:15 am,
Sunday School – 11:00 am,
Worship

Jo Johnson passed away
August 9 at Cannon Hospital.



Jo's memorial service will be held Friday, August 17, at Reins-Sturdivant Funeral Home in Newland. Visitation is from 3:00-4:00 pm and the service is at 4:00 pm, Pastor Kathy will be officiating. Please keep her daughter Tasha Reid, in your prayers. In lieu of flowers, please send memorial donations to the Avery County Senior Center. Cards and letters may be sent to Tasha Reid at 2268 Mt Pleasant Rd, Newland, NC 28657 until next week. At that time, Tasha's address will be 5608 Farley Drive, Raleigh, NC 27609.

Dr. Karl Campbell, will be speaking in the Crossnore Presbyterian Church Fellowship Hall on Tuesday, August 28, at 7:00 pm. He will speak on "Our Democratic Heritage:

A Historian's Perspective on Civil Discourse and Civic Responsibility". The foundation of our democracy is not an idea but a process. Freedom can only exist if engaged citizens respectfully debate divergent opinions, entertain competing viewpoints, and accept reasonable compromises. Recent events suggest that some Americans have abandoned this democratic process. The results could be tragic. The study of history can improve the quality of our civil discourse by correcting logical fallacies ("historic sins") that confuse our perceptions and cloud our judgment. Dr. Campbell will discuss a few of these historic sins and suggest how many Americans on all sides of our current political crisis might better understand the past, present, and futures of our state and nation. Karl has



shared this topic as part of a Leadership North Carolina week tour from Wilmington to Asheville.

Wednesday Knitting Group, 1-3 pm! New knitters and beginning knitters are welcome. Join in the fun and fellowship weekly!

Wednesday Bible—We have begun a study of the Gospel of Mark. Please come and join us on Wednesdays from 3:00 – 4:30 pm.



AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

- *Ashlyn DeWitt—August 1
- *Peggy Halifax—August 1
- *Fred France—August 3
- *Peg Prior—August 6
- *Nancy Cabiniss—August 8
- *Sandy Buckner—August 13
- *Doug Noble—August 13
- *Janet Schanzle—August 13
- *Nancy Yarborough—August 13
- *Bill Grant—August 16
- *Herb Gil—August 18
- *Becky Doran August 22
- *Clarence Kenyon—August 24
- *Jonnie McBride—August 26
- *Kay Sherwood—August 27

Prayer Requests

- *TASHA REID
- *RICK & SUSAN CRAWFORD
- *MARIAN BLUE
- *SHIRLEY PRICE
- *CARROLL & LINDA BERKLEY
- *SUSAN HARTLEY
- *ANN BLAZER
- *PAT McMANNEN

He loves righteousness and justice; the earth is full of the steadfast love of the Lord. ~ Psalm 33:5

Wednesday Choir Practice begins at 5 pm and finishes around 6:15 pm. If you are here full-time or part-time and you enjoy singing, you are invited to join our choir.

The Mission Committee would like to thank all who contribute to the Mission fund. Our congregation was able to donate \$1,500 to the next Avery County Habitat Build, \$1,000 to the Summer 4-H Program for three boys in need, and \$500 to the Back-to-School Bash for our county

school children who cannot afford school supplies. Thanks for caring and sharing!

"Godspell" will be presented at Banner Elk Presbyterian Church on August 21, 22 and 23 AT 7:00 pm. It is directed by Janet Speer, past head of Lees-McRae College Performing Arts Department and leads the Lees-McRae Summer Theater. This is a non-ticketed event and is a

gift to the community by Banner Elk Presbyterian Church. Donations will be accepted if you wish to contribute.

There will be a Pipe Organ Recital at the Church of Our Savior in Newland, NC, on Sunday, August 26, at 4:00 pm. The organist will be Dr. Joby Bell, ASU Professor of Music. There will be a reception following the program.

Volunteer Avery' Cindy

Lindecamp sent us a thank you note and shared some of the ways our support has helped the community. Our donations have gone to heating and oil, home repairs, medication, Utilities, and children's needs to name a few. Our support makes a difference.