



Crossnore Presbyterian Church

"Growing Deeper in Faith, Reaching Out in Love"

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Announcements and Items of Interest

October 24, 2018

Sunday, October 28, 2018—Worship at 11:00 am— Chili Potluck Lunch after worship. Chili and drinks will be provided. Please bring a salad, cornbread, or a dessert if you are able.

During our 3rd Clean-up Tuesday on October 23, the fellowship hall closet was cleaned and reorganized. Thank you to those who came and helped.

Our 4th Clean-up Tuesday will be October 30 from 10 am-12 noon. Please come and join us! We will be cleaning and reorganizing the storage room near the resource center and choir room, most affectionately known as the pit. Volunteers are needed. Please come and join us. We have jobs for all ability and skill levels.

A Big Thank You to Barbara and Charlie Stuart for adding a classy touch to many spaces in our fellowship hall and sanctuary.

Wednesday Bible Study, 3-4:30 p.m.—We are studying the Gospel of Mark, Chapter 10, this week.

Choir practice - Wednesdays, from 5:00 – 6:15 pm.

The Knitting Group meets on Wednesdays, from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm. All levels of knitters are welcome.

Thanks to all who donated to and attended the Annual Chili Supper Fundraiser for Crossnore Elementary School this past Wednesday. We raised \$3,265 and enjoyed sharing the dinner with the local community.

Our November Mission Project is providing Thanksgiving Baskets for 12 needy individuals and families in our county selected by Volunteer Avery. We include a \$100 Ingles grocery card along with toiletries, socks, and some homemade goodies. Please consider sponsoring one Thanksgiving Basket. You can make your check out to Crossnore Presbyterian Church and designate it for a Thanksgiving basket. Thanks for caring and sharing!

The next Presbytery of Western North Carolina meeting will be held at First Presbyterian Church of Hickory this Saturday,

October 27, beginning at 9 a.m.

Daylight Savings time ends the first Sunday of November at 2:00 a.m. This year, the first Sunday is November 4. So, Saturday night, November 3, before you go to bed, turn your clocks back an hour. Otherwise, you will be an hour early for church on Sunday.

The next Session meeting will be held on Sunday, November 4, after coffee fellowship.

Mountain Electric Cooperative - TVA & MEC Major Power Outage. Starting at 11:30 p.m., Saturday night, November 10, 2018. The outage will impact 14,500 customers over much of Avery County including the following communities: Newland, Cranberry, Minneapolis, Banner Elk, Sugar Mountain, Grandfather, Montezuma, Linville, Pineola, Crossnore, Jonas Ridge and Linville Falls. The outage is necessary to replace and/or repair TVA/MEC high-voltage equipment at the Cranberry Substation. Work should be completed, and power restored by 8:30 a.m. Sunday Morning.



OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

- * Linda Hughes—October 1
- * Eric Sowder—October 1
- * Tommie Tennant—October 3
- * Rob Martin—October 4
- * Sue Ehmgig—October 6
- * Shara Grant—October 9
- * Leslie Jordan—October 17
- * Nancy Coleman—October 27
- * JoAnn Harlee—October 27
- * Cheryl Hires—October 27

Prayer Requests

- *GAIL SPOONER
- *JUDY LILY
- *KATHY HUTCHESON
- *TASHA REID
- *RICK & SUSAN CRAWFORD
- *MARIAN BLUE
- *SHIRLEY PRICE
- *SUSAN HARTLEY
- *ANN BLAZER
- *PAT McMANNEN

Give thanks to the Lord, for He is good. His love is eternal. ~Psalm 136:1

In honor of Reformation Sunday: The Geneva Bible

The Bible appears in hundreds of cultures in a variety of languages, interpretations, formats, and sizes. Written originally in Hebrew, Aramaic (the Old Testament), and Greek (the New Testament), the Bible was translated into Latin around 400 CE, largely through the work of Jerome. The Roman Catholic Church used this Latin translation, called the Vulgate, for centuries. Major new translations of the Bible emerged

only with the upheaval of religious thought during the Reformation. These included Erasmus' 1516 revised Greek translation of the New Testament, Martin Luther's 1534 German Bible, and the 1535 English Coverdale Bible. The Catholic reign of Mary Tudor (1553–1558) in England caused Protestants to seek sanctuary on the Continent in havens such as Holland and Geneva, the center of the Reformation. To educate their

families in exile, these English Protestants produced the Geneva or "Breeches" Bible in 1560. This Bible was the first to add verses to the chapters which made locating specific passages easier. In addition, each chapter contained detailed marginal notes to help the reader understand the scripture. So thorough were these notes that many scholars consider this the first "study Bible." A printing error in Genesis 3:7,

where clothing worn by Adam and Eve was translated as "breeches," provided the Bible its nickname. The Geneva Bible became so popular with English speaking Protestants that between 1560 and 1644 at least 144 editions were published. Eventually the Geneva Bible was superceded by the King James Version, first published in 1611. Materials, copyright free Presbyterian Historical Society, for churches of PC(USA)