



Crossnore Presbyterian Church

"Growing Deeper in Faith, Reaching Out in Love"

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Announcements and Items of Interest

March 27, 2019

4th Sunday of Lent, March 31, 2019 —Choir Practice— 9:00 a.m., Sunday School—10:15 a.m., Worship—11:00 a.m. Please join us for coffee fellowship after worship.

We collected Food for People and Pets this past Sunday. If you couldn't bring your donation last week, please know that you can bring it anytime and we will be sure it gets to Volunteer Avery. They need canned goods including vegetables, fruits, meats, soups and peanut butter & jelly. If you prefer you can write a check, make it out to Crossnore Presbyterian and designate it for Volunteer Avery.

Thank you to everyone who brought food for our potluck last Sunday. The soups, sandwiches, and desserts were great! It was a good time of fellowship. A special thanks to Charlotte Davila, for organizing the luncheon.

Our Lenten Mission Project began Sunday, March 9. Our goal for this project is

\$3,000 for 30 educational scholarships for children and youth in Guatemala through our sister congregation, Libano Presbyterian Church, in Los Cerros, Guatemala. We are over half way to our goal. We have collected \$1675.00 so far. This is our sixth year of supporting children in Los Cerros who would not have an opportunity to stay in school past the third grade. It only costs \$100 a year to keep a child in school and this donation covers the cost of books, school supplies, and the required uniform. Every year the Elders of Libano Presbyterian Church, who administer the program, send us a report with the original receipts, a photo of each child, the career they want to pursue, and the grade they have just completed. Checks should be made out to Crossnore Presbyterian Church and designated for the Guatemala Scholarship Fund. Thanks for caring and sharing!

Patricia McGarr has moved

to Charlotte. If you would like her new address, please call the office. 828-733-1939.

There will be a Session meeting held after worship and coffee fellowship, Sunday, April 7.

Wednesday, 1:00 to 3:00 pm. Knitting Group - All are welcome. The knitting group knits hats and scarves for the homeless. All are welcome. If you are a beginner, Janis Kenyon will help get you started.

Bible Study Wednesdays: 3:00 – You are invited to join us on Wednesdays, from 3-4:30 p.m., For Lenten Study, we are walking with Jesus through Holy Week studying the Gospel accounts and sharing the book, Entering the Passion of Jesus: A Beginner's Guide to Holy Week by Amy-Jill Levine, Professor of New Testament and Jewish Studies at Vanderbilt Divinity School and College of Arts and Sciences.



MARCH BIRTHDAYS

- * Susan Hartley—March 1
- * Lou Martin—March 2
- * Jonathan Kidder—March 4
- * Linda Drivas—March 8
- * David Ehmgig—March 10
- * John Delaney—March 14
- * Jim Harlee—March 14
- * Bob Hardee—March 16
- * Heather Jordan—March 16
- * Betty Redman France—March 18
- * Linda Berkley—March 21
- * Mary Noble—March 28
- * Leslie Richardson—March 29
- * Bobby Taylor—March 29
- * Clay Beattie—March 30

Prayer Requests

- *LARRY BROWN
- *BARBARA STUART
- *FRANCES McGRUDER
- *BILL AND LAURA LIND
- *ARCHIE McMANNEN AND FAMILY
- *GORDON GACEK
- *ANN BLAZER
- *GAIL SPOONER
- *JUDY LILY
- *KATHY HUTCHESON
- *SUSAN HARTLEY

You visit the earth and water it, you greatly enrich it... ~ Psalm 65:9a

The Men's Breakfast group is meeting at 8:00 a.m. at Kaye's Kitchen in Newland on the first Tuesday of each month. April's meeting will be on April 2, 8:00 a.m., at Kaye's. Carroll Berkley is leading this group. Please contact him if you have any questions. (828-898-3855)

Our Prayer Group meets the first and third Tuesday of each month at 10:30 am. The next meeting will be on April 2. We welcome you to join us in the parlor/conference room off the fellowship hall.

Hands-On Service Project: Thursday, April 11, 9 a.m.-12 noon—Reaching Avery Ministry Food Pantry and Ram's Rack Store. Please contact the office for more information and to sign up. 828-733-1939.

Palm Sunday, April 14: 9 a.m.—Choir Practice; 10:15 a.m.—Sunday School; 11 a.m.—Worship and Communion; 12 noon—Coffee Fellowship

Tuesday, April 16 from 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.: We need volunteers to help clean the sanctuary for Easter Service.

Maundy Thursday, April 18: Dinner and Worship in the fellowship hall: Dinner begins at 6 p.m. and Worship begins at 6:45 p.m. Fletcher Presbyterian Church will be joining us again this year.

Easter Sunday, April 21: 9 a.m.—Choir Practice; 10 a.m.—Easter Breakfast: coffee, orange juice, and pastries; 11 a.m.—Celebration of the Resurrection, Easter Worship Service; 12 noon—Coffee Fellowship

Mayland Fellowship will hold Holy Week Services

at 7:00 p.m., Palm Sunday, April 14, through Wednesday, April 17, at First Presbyterian Church in Spruce Pine (970 Greenwood Rd, Spruce Pine, NC 28777). The worship services will be followed by refreshments each evening.

