



Crossnore Presbyterian Church

"Growing Deeper in Faith, Reaching Out in Love"

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Announcements and Items of Interest

Sunday, September 29, Choir—9:00 a.m., Sunday School—10:15 a.m., Worship Service—11:00 a.m. Please join us for coffee fellowship after the service.

Our September Mission Project is providing 1/2 month's salary for Rev. Jody Griffin, the Ecumenical Chaplain at the Avery Mitchell Correctional Center in Spruce Pine which houses over 800 inmates. Our goal is \$1,500. We have raised \$1,227 so far. Rev. Griffin receives no funding from the government; his salary is covered by congregations across the High Country. What a great honor to support for a ministry that is the face of Christ in a place that few of us ever enter. If you would like to make a donation, make your check out to Crossnore Presbyterian Church and designate it for Prison Ministry. For more



information, contact Linda Berkeley, 828-260-7591.

Our 9th annual Chili Supper to raise funds for Crossnore Elementary School will be held tonight, Wednesday, September 25, from 5-7. Every dollar donated is going to help children in need at Crossnore Elementary School. The chili and potato bar supper is sponsored by First Baptist Church, Crossnore, Crossnore Presbyterian Church, Fellowship Presbyterian Church, and Fletcher Presbyterian Church. A Big Thank You to Linda and Carroll Berkeley for organizing our church's role in the supper and all the volunteers who are helping!

Next Sunday, October 6, we will have a special 11:00 a.m. Worship Service featuring the Choir of the First Presbyterian Church, Hickory. The choir members will be joining us for our fall Potluck Luncheon in our fellowship hall. Fried Chicken, coffee, tea and water will be provided. As you what to bring, keep in mind that we will have extra people at the luncheon.



There will be no Choir practice today, Wednesday, September 25 or Wednesday, October 2. Choir warm-up, this Sunday, September 29, will begin at 9:00 a.m. There will be no Choir warm-up on Sunday, Oct 6. Our regular Wednesday practice will resume on October 9 at 5:00 p.m. with Sunday warm up at 9:40 a.m. on October 13.

The Western NC Presbytery is sponsoring a Disaster Assistance Trip to Wilmington, NC, November 3-9. If you would like to participate, please talk to Pastor Kathy.

We are running very low on cookies and snacks for Sunday Coffee Fellowship and Wednesday Bible Study. If you would like donate cookies or snacks please drop them by the kitchen!

September 25, 2019

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

- * Dennis Jones—September 27
- * Beth Foster-Gacek—September 30

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
- * Terry Kidder—October 29

Prayer Requests

- * MISTY JOHNSON
- * BETTY FRANCE
- * FRANK DUNCAN
- * BARBARA & CHARLIE STUART
- * RYAN WATTS
- * VICTORIA RODRIQUEZ
- * SGT. JESSE DOWNING
- * FRANCES McGRUDER
- * JUDY LILY
- * MARTHA HUTCHESON
- * SUSAN HARTLEY

Be still and know that I am God.... Psalm 46:10



1st Tuesday of the month

The next Men's Breakfast will be this Tuesday, October 1, 9 a.m., at Kaye's Kitchen.

Wednesdays

* Knitting Group 1:00 to 3:00 p.m., in the Fellowship Hall. All are welcome. The knitting group knits, hats and scarves for the homeless.

* Bible Study 3 to 4:30 p.m., in the Fellowship Hall. Next week, Pastor Kathy will be discussing the Song of Solomon. Come share, learn and grow in faith.

* Choir Practice 5:00 to 6:15 p.m., in the Sanctuary, Oct 9.

Thursdays

Prayer Group meets on the 2nd and 4th Thursday of each month. 10:00 a.m. Please join us. It is a very special time.

Fridays – Feeding Avery Families really needs volunteers on Fridays from 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. or 12:45 to 4:00 p.m. They are located next to Carolina BBQ in New-

land. This is our church's hands-on mission project.



Mark Your Calendar: The 6th Annual Avery County Hunger Walk, sponsored by Reaching Avery Ministries, will be held, Saturday, Sep-

tember 28, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Riverwalk in Newland. There will be food, music, inflatables, a bake sale and games for children along with the walk around the Riverwalk track. All proceeds will be used to assist local families through RAM's Rack Emergency Food Pantry. Go by the RAM's office to pick up a recruiter packet and collection envelopes and jars. For more information call Janet Millsaps, RAM Director, at

