



# Crossnore Presbyterian Church

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

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### Announcements and Items of Interest

August 10, 2022

**Sunday, August 21, 2022—Worship beginning at 11:00 a.m. We will not have coffee fellowship following worship. Our annual church picnic will be held at The Point in Linville Land Harbor this Sunday, August 21, beginning at 1:00 p.m.** Hotdogs, burgers, buns, water, and condiments will be provided. Please bring a side dish to share.

The Mission Committee has given \$500 to the Avery County

to knit are welcome. Yarn is provided. The group delivers knitted winter scarves and hats for the Hospitality House, the High Country Homeless Shelter.



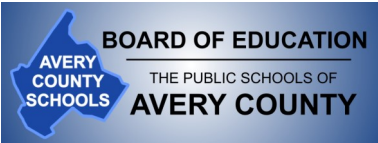
The Church Choir meets for regular practices Sunday mornings from 9:30-10:30 a.m., in the sanctuary. If you love to sing, please join us!

Our next event in our 2022 Summer Speaker and Music Series will be "An Appalachian Murder: Depictions of the Tom Dula Murder Trial in the Postwar Press" Tuesday, August 23, 7 p.m. Allison Fredette, Assistant Professor of History, ASU. Nineteenth-century newspapers were filled with lurid tales of crime and murder, designed to attract an audience, and sell papers, but how did these murder mysteries shape readers' views of different regions in this era? Specifically, how did the cov-



erage of the now infamous murder of Laura Foster feed into growing stereotypes about Appalachia? Dr. Allison Fredette, a women's historian at Appalachian State University, will discuss the press coverage of a series of famous postwar murders, as well as the coverage of the Laura Foster case and how it helped define the country's ideas about Appalachia.

Thanks to all who gave a little extra in the offering plate last month. We are back on track with our monthly budget and appreciate and depend on all our regular offerings!



Board of Education to help purchase backpacks and school supplies for students getting ready to go back to school in August.

The Bible Study group continues its study of Adam Hamilton's book, *Why? Making Sense of God's Will*, Wednesday from 3-4:30 p.m. Jim Taylor is leading.

The Knitting Group meets on Wednesdays, 1-3 p.m., in the fellowship hall. Knitters and those who would like to learn how

### August Birthdays

- \* ASHLYN DEWITT—AUGUST 1
- \* PEGGY HALIFAX—AUGUST 1
- \* FRED FRANCE—AUGUST 3
- \* PEG PRIOR—AUGUST 6
- \* RICHARD AKELEWICZ—AUGUST 7
- \* NANCY CABANISS—AUGUST 8
- \* LEE BATES—AUGUST 9
- \* SANDY BUCKNER—AUGUST 13
- \* DOUG NOBLE—AUGUST 13
- \* JANET SCHANZLE—AUGUST 13
- \* DAN YARBOROUGH—AUGUST 13
- \* BARBARA STUART—AUGUST 15
- \* BILL GRANT—AUGUST 16
- \* HERB GILL—AUGUST 18
- \* CLARENCE KENYON—AUGUST 24
- \* BOB TAYLOR—AUGUST 25
- \* JONNIE MCBRYDE—AUGUST 26
- \* LARRY BROWN—AUGUST 28
- \* CLAY HARTLEY—AUGUST 28

*He said, "My presence will go with you, and I will give you rest." ~Exodus 33:14*



The Crossnore Presbyterian Women's Gathering will meet at Charlotte Davila's house on Thursday, August 25, at 4:00 p.m. Bring a sweet or savory snack to share and bring your own beverage. Please call the church office (828-733-1939) or email: [cpcpcusa@gmail.com](mailto:cpcpcusa@gmail.com) to get directions to Charlotte's house. Carpooling is recommended.

The Worship Service Sunday, August 14, with Woodie and the String Pullers was beyond expectation. The band played

and sang beautifully, and the congregation joined in frequently. Over 100 people were in attendance.



Mel Wilhite's Memorial Service was held August 13, in our sanctuary. Thanks to those from our church who helped to make it a special day: George Riggsbee, Kathy Hutcheson, Pastor Kathy, the church choir, Gayle Culbreath, Linda Drivas,

Diane Kehoe and Richard and Jan Akelewicz. Please continue to keep Sally and her family in your prayers in this time of grief and gratitude.

The night of Appalachian music and storytelling this past Tuesday, August 9, was well received with over 90 people in attendance. Our outstanding musicians were Zack Allen and Maggie Lauterer; Lynn Church and his sons, Ethan and Eli; and the 4-H Junior Appalachian Musicians (JAM). What a great night of music.



### Prayer Requests

- \* SALLY WILHITE & FAMILY
- \* BILL LIND
- \* DAVID LAFFREY
- \* PAT ROUSSELLE
- \* RICHARD BROWN
- \* DAVID LAFFREY
- \* KATHY HUTCHESON
- \* FRANCES BROWN
- \* PAUL LYON
- \* WAYNE PINTER
- \* KAY HODGES
- \* HANNAH ACTON
- \* JENNIFER AND RYAN WATTS
- \* TASHA REID