



Crossnore Presbyterian Church

"Growing Deeper in Faith, Reaching Out in Love"

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Announcements and Items of Interest

October 19, 2022

Sunday, October 23, 2022. The worship service will begin at 11:00 a.m. Please join us for coffee and cookie fellowship following worship.

Dear Wonderful Church Family, Thank you for surprising me with a beautiful glass ball (with a glass tree inside) and a gift certificate to Mike's Inland Seafood Restaurant for Pastor Appreciation Month. I am so grateful to be the pastor of such a faithful, kind, and generous congregation. I will find the perfect place in our house to hang the glass ball so that the light can shine through its beautiful colors. Karl and I will also enjoy a delicious date night at one of our favorite restaurants. Blessings, Pastor Kathy.

We Did It!! Crossnore Presbyterian Church is 1 of 16 grant recipients (2022) from the National Fund for Sacred Places. We have been approved to receive a \$100,000 matching grant for our sanctuary roof repair and replacement project. The "Raising the Roof" Capital

Campaign Committee will be sending out a letter soon to the congregation with information about where we are in the process of fundraising and construction plans. This is a great honor and an exciting time for our congregation and for the future of our Christian ministry and mission. Thanks to all who worked hard to prepare the national grant application—George Riggsbee, Jenny Kilgore, Bob Taylor, Doug Noble, Karl Campbell, Pastor Kathy, and Ashlyn DeWitt.

A new Bible study will begin this coming Wednesday, October 26, 3-4:30 p.m. This will be an in-person and a Zoom study. Jim Taylor is returning to lead a four-week study on the Gospel of Matthew. Please contact Pastor Kathy if you would like to participate in-person or on Zoom:
rev.kathy.campbell@gmail.com: 828-260-2512.

The food for our Chili and Soup Potluck last Sunday hit the spot. It was the perfect menu for a cold fall day. Thank you Gayle Culbreath and all the volunteers who

made it such a wonderful time.



The Knitting Group delivered 129 knitted winter hats and scarves to the Hospitality House in Boone on Wednesday, October 12th. The Hospitality House Director, Tina Krause, welcomed them and thanked them for including winter goods for both adults and children. Thanks to all our knitters who made this annual mission project fun and so important for the homeless who must weather winter in the mountains. The Knitting Group is taking a break for the winter and will resume in the spring.



And a second is like it: 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself.' ~Matthew 22:39

In an effort to support Hurricane Ian disaster relief efforts, our October mission project is collecting donations for Presbyterian Disaster Assistance as they send help to Florida. PDA is working with affected presbyteries and international partners to assess the aftermath of Hurricane Ian and offer resources and support. Emergency grants have been disbursed and National Response Team members are deployed. Make your check out to Crossnore Presbyterian Church and designate it for "Hurricane Relief."

The Church Choir practices on Sundays, 9-10:15 a.m. in the sanctuary. If you love to sing, please join us!

Our September Mission Project for Crossnore Elementary School raised \$3,250 to be used for the needs of disadvantaged students and for school tutors. This is an annual ecumenical fundraising project that is sponsored by our congregation, Fellowship Presbyterian Church, First Baptist Church of Crossnore, and Fletcher Presbyterian Church. Thanks to all who donated to our mission budget—we had enough funds to cover \$2,000.

CPC Women's Gathering met at Charlotte Davila's house Thursday, October 13 and enjoyed getting to know each other a little bit better along with sharing some homemade

appetizers. Thanks to Charlotte for graciously sharing her beautiful home with the women once again.

Feeding Avery Families can always use volunteers on Friday morning or afternoon. Please look at their Facebook page to see how you can help feed the hungry in our country.



- * 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



- * SHIRLEY LAFFREY
- * CINDY BEIMER
- * PATRICIA MCGARR
- * JANE LYON
- * PAUL LYON
- * PAT ROUSSELLE
- * RICHARD BROWN
- * KATHY HUTCHESON
- * FRANCES BROWN
- * WAYNE PINTER
- * KAY HODGES
- * HANNAH ACTON
- * JENNIFER AND RYAN WATTS