



### **MISSION STATEMENT**

**Working together to follow Christ in joyfully serving our neighbors.**

**VIRTUAL SERVICE** – Please be sure to comment when you are watching our virtual service. This is how we are taking attendance and we want you to be counted. And remember, we are open on Sundays for worship if you are comfortable joining with us, using the precautions we have in place.

*Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost*

**September 25**

**SCRIPTURE: Luke 7:18-23**

**Sermon: Are you the one?**

**NAME TAGS** – Be sure to wear your name tags so we can get to know one another.

**THE FLOWERS THIS SUNDAY**- are given to the Glory of God by Rev. Dexter Green in memory of his loving wife, Gloria, who passed in 1998 from the effects of cancer. The flowers are also given to the Glory of God by Cathy and Mike Farnham in celebration of their 17<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary. The peace lily is given to the Glory of God by Betty and George Davis in memory of Charlie Earp.

**ELDER GREETERS** – Barbara Burns, Mike Farnham

**DEACONS** – Megan Winget, Ashley Rawls, Rachel Holzhauer, Allyson Rogers, Crystal Siniarski

**COUNTERS SEPTEMBER 6** – Angie Neel, DeWitt Lauerman

**SIGNERS SEPTEMBER 8** – Linda Elliott, Barbara Burns

**ORDER OF WORSHIP** – Click the QR code below to access the Order of Worship.



**CHURCH ATTENDANCE SEPTEMBER 18**

**Inhouse – 223 – Kids – 23 – Nursery - 12**

**Facebook & YouTube – 367**

**Total – 590**

**THE SESSION HAS CALLED A CONGREGATIONAL MEETING** - for Sunday, October 9, 2022, immediately after worship for the purpose of electing a Nominating Committee.

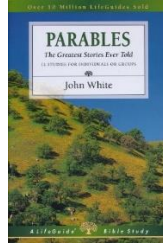
**IMPORTANT MEETING!** - There will be a Fall Festival meeting immediately after church on October 2 in the Parlor.

**CHILDREN’S CHOIR** - will begin Sunday October 2nd @ 9 am in the choir room to begin preparing music for Christmas. Please contact Kelly Byrum with any questions.

**CROP WALK** – will be held on October 16<sup>th</sup> in the Queen City! Registration is now open for our youth and anyone else who would like to walk. Go to [charlotte@cropwalk.org](mailto:charlotte@cropwalk.org) and open SCPCPH Student Life. Can’t walk? We hope you will reach out and sponsor a youth from our church who will be walking.

**JUICE BOXES** – are needed for the J-Walkers. Please consider donating them for our youngest members! You may drop them off in the Admin lobby. Thank you so much!

**YOU ARE INVITED TO CELEBRATE** – five years with West Blvd. Ministry! Bring your family for a night of food, fellowship, and fun to celebrate the with them on October 19 from 6 – 8 pm at the Midnight Mulligan Brewery, 2215 Thrift Road, Unit A, Charlotte. Childcare will be provided. If you have questions you may call Amy Sandrene at 704-288-6121, RSVP by October 1.



**EVERYONE LOVES A GOOD STORY.** But the parables of Jesus are a special kind of story. They sneak up on us, catching us off guard. The familiar suddenly takes an unexpected twist. They illustrate some of Jesus' most important teachings.

A 12-week ladies Bible study on selected parables will begin on Thursday October 6 at 10:00 in the Billie Watt room. Join us for study, discussion, and reflection. Join Grace Saylor and Becky Neely for **Beyond the Word** as we discover new truths through scripture.

**YOUR HELP IS NEEDED** – Please consider helping with set up at 2:00 pm on the following Fridays when we will be hosting the Palisades Football Team for dinner and fellowship: September 30, October 7, October 28. Please contact Betsy Stewart or the office if you can help.



**C HURCH FAMILY WE ARE INVITING YOU** - to join in our commitment to cancer awareness throughout the month of October. As you all know, many in our community and beyond find their lives ravished by this horrible disease. October is cancer awareness month. We are working to establish a donation collection for those suffering currently and will keep you informed. We will have a prayer quilt, and ribbons with a correlating sign indicating which color ribbon represents each form of this terrible disease. Please take time to tie a knot in the prayer quilt while praying for those you love and for those beyond your knowledge, whose names God alone may know. We will have cancer awareness bags available for you to take and will keep you informed as to the donation requests from the cancer center. A member of our congregation, who is a survivor, will be sharing on Oct 23<sup>rd</sup>. Please consider integrating prayers for those suffering from this disease and for those who love them into your daily practice for the month of October. We appreciate all that you each bring to the body of Christ and to our lives directly.

**THE SHANKS FAMILY** – as you know we have been praying for the Shanks family. Corey is now in rehab. A Go Fund Me Page has been set up to help them out. Here is the link if you would like to contribute: <https://www.gofundme.com/f/shanks-family-memorial-recovery-fund> **Please continue to keep this family in your prayers.**



**Saturday, October 22**

**11 am – 2 pm**

**Steele Creek Presbyterian Church at Pleasant Hill**

**Giant Slide, Bounce House, Hayride, Games**

**Pumpkin Decorating, DJ & Balloon Twister**

**11:00 – 11:30 Trunk or Treat**

**Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Drinks to Purchase**

**We need volunteers to help with set up/clean up**

**cooking, games, and trunk or treat area**

**DONATIONS**

**Candy**

**Call the church office, 704-588-1290**

**Crystal Siniarski 810-974-6383**

**Cheryl Simerly 704-577-8717**



### **September 25**

10 Cents-A-Meal

Church Fall Retreat

09:30 am – Sunday School

10:30 am – Worship

02:00 pm – GS Troop 3693

08:00 pm – AA Meeting

### **September 27**

11:30 am – Staff Meeting

06:30 pm – Alianza Youth Mtg.

06:30 pm – Men’s Group Mtg.

### **September 28**

05:30 pm – Faith & Family Night

06:30 pm – Worship Team Rehearsal

07:30 pm – Chor Practice

08:00 pm – AA Meeting

### **September 29**

07:00 pm - Handbell

07:30 pm – Tech Team Teleconference

### **September 30**

03:00 pm – Pumas Dinner

### **October 1**

02:00 pm - Children at the Lord’s Table

### **October 2**

World Communion

09:30 am – Sunday School

10:30 am - Worship

08:00 pm – AA Meeting



Joan Brown	Betty Byrum	Bob Capps
Joyce Carpenter	Frances Currie	Charlie Earp
Dot Earp	Katharine Freeman	Louise Freeman
Joe Furr	Price Gwynn	Danny Martin
Hannah Mauer	Margaret Niell	Marilyn Price
Gerry Roberts	Marjorie Smith	Mike Spratt
Margaret Wert	Wayne Whiteside	Lois Yandle



**PLEASE BE IN PRAYER FOR:**

Condolences to the family of Charlie Earp who passed on September 21 at the age of 101.

Alice Ragan - Recovering from a serious automobile accident - former nursing supervisor of Miriam Pinkston

Walter Brown who passed on September 17 - brother of Leighton Brown and Roberta Harris.

Sandra Harris – knee replacement surgery, recovering at home, in therapy – friend of Margaret Johnson.

Marilyn Price – Health concern.

Gloria Smith – Health concern.

Kathryn Day – trouble with her eyesight – friend of Gail Brenner.

Kathy Hudson - Recovering at home from a heart attack, resting, and doing very well - thank you for all of the prayers and concern - Sister of Grace Saylor

John Hovis – At home recovering.

Hester Shank – Recovering from knee replacement surgery.

Melinda Shows – Cancer – daughter of Betty Byrum.

Maxine Haskett – Liver cancer - Mother of Rebecca Economon.

Danny Martin – Health concerns.

Betty Byrum – Health concerns.

Sara Aldridge - Liver failure & in need of a transplant -friend of Caroline Miller.

Merrill Perkins – At home with health concerns.

Karen Freeman – Health concerns – daughter of John & Annette Freeman.

Jeff Born – Is on two therapies for cancer- Brother of Karen Rawls.

Frances Campbell – At Wellmore.

Nathan Doty – Eleven-year-old fighting blood cancer. Currently undergoing chemo. He is the son of Ken Doty – friends of the Hastons.

Justin Williamson – Both parents are battling cancer – friend of the Hastons.

David Manning – Lung cancer and numerous medical issues – neighbor of Sandy & DeWitt Lauerman.

Addie Williams – Lung cancer – niece of David & Clara Giles.

Kelsey Beaty & Cameron Hays – Please continue to pray for them and Kelsey's daughter, Harper – Niece of Kate & Jeff Lemond.

Pete Mitchell – Undergoing chemotherapy.

Andy Griffith – Has started another round of chemo – friend of Cheryl Simerly.

Harold Meade – Heart issues – procedure delayed – friend of Bob Freeman.

Jim Conner – Cancer – Father of Beckie Ennis.

Lynn Kuehl – Brain cancer, friend of Allyson Rogers.

Bobby Robinson – New treatment for his cancer - brother of Linda Freeman.

Chickie Miller – Undergoing chemo treatment for cancer - friend of John and Karen Shaver.



**Please pray for our Members of the Armed Forces**

Brian Cox – US Air Force, Italy  
Olivia Hommes – US Air Force Academy, Colorado  
Lexie Simerly – US Army – Germany  
Will Warsaw – US Navy, Virginia  
Gabe White – US Army – Fort Wainwright, Alaska



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