

14th Annual "A Night to Remember"

Give My Regards to DayStay

Saturday, September 15, 2018

Reception begins at 5:30 p.m.

The Barn at Gladys
735 Upper Gladys Fork Road,
Candler NC 28715

• Silent Auction • Cash Bar (Beer/Wine) • Dinner •

• Broadway Entertainment •

Tickets are \$50 per person (seating is limited)

Sponsorship opportunities are available.

Can't attend, but want to make a donation?

www.daystayasheville.com/a-night-to-remember

Or contact Rachel Miller at 828-665-1575

2018 CROP HUNGER WALK SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 30

END HUNGER AT HOME AND AROUND THE WORLD
Join the CROP Hunger Walk

www.crophungerwalk.org/ashevilenc



Community Concert

loving our neighbors

A Night of Songs and Stories With
Cheri Keaggy

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 7:00 PM
135 CANDLER SCHOOL ROAD



Tickets are a
suggested donation of \$10.

Donations can be made at
www.hominybaptist.com
or at the door.

All proceeds will benefit:

Daily Bread, Room In The Inn, and Habitat for Humanity



Get recharged and refocused with your church family each Wednesday!

Beginning on September 12th

Let us know if you will be attending each Wednesday
to ensure we have enough for everyone to enjoy
at 667-4541 or hominy@bellsouth.net

The meals are \$7 for adults and \$5 for children (ages 3-12)
Families will pay a reduced maximum fee of \$24.
You are invited to share the meal whether you can pay or not.

- 11:00 am Pastor Joe's Morning Bible Study;
"Dietrich Bonhoeffer's Costly Theology"
- 3:45 pm Young People's Choir & Band (5-12 grades)
- 5:30 pm Fellowship Dinner
- 6:00 pm *Children's Missions (K-4 grades)
*Intermediates (5-6 grades)
*Youth Group (7-12 grades)
- 6:15pm *Bible Study "3 for 3" led by Paul Raybon
*Women's Bible Study Class; "Make Over"
facilitated by Melissa Hughes
- 6:30 pm Celebrate Life hosted by Phil Martin
- 7:30 pm Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

Mark Your Calendar

Fall Activities and Events

- Sunday, October 7 Smith-Werhan Distinctively Baptist
- Monday, October 8 Hominy hosts the meal at Montmorenci
- Sunday, October 14 Combined Worship at Tried Stone Church
- Sunday, October 21 Children's Sabbath
- Wed., October 24 Church Conference
- Sat., October 26 CBFNC Children's Mission Day-Mars Hill
- Sunday, October 28 Trunk-or-Treat at Hominy
- Sunday, Nov. 4 All Saints' Day
- Sunday, Nov. 4 WNCBF Fall Gathering at Hominy
- Saturday, Nov. 10 Holiday Bazaar
- Sunday, Nov. 18 Heritage Day w/Trey Doyle, guest preacher



...Thank you! I've been blessed in so many ways. Though I've not always treated my body as "the temple of God" I have been blessed with reasonable health. I have been given an abundance of caring friends who make my life sweet and deep. My family has consistently enriched me and made me smile, they are one of God's richest gifts to me. Then, there is this astounding family called "Hominy Baptist." In our community you are known for the many, many things you do to make God's kingdom come near. For almost twenty-two years, I've had ample opportunity to witness more than "what you do." I know WHO YOU ARE! You should know that the past few years have been the happiest and most fulfilling of my four decades in ministry. Thank you for making that happen.

Our good church is grateful for the resources you provide. Please be reminded that as churches struggle nationwide, and certainly our church is no exception, your gifts to your church matter more than ever. You see, there are fewer of us than twenty years ago, yet our ministry reach and weight has grown consistently. Thank you for being faithful in the sacrificial ways you bless your congregation.

May I give you a wonderful update regarding our Smith/Werhan Distinctively Baptist Preaching Day...always the **first Sunday of October**. One year ago, T and Kathie Thomas agreed to lead the S/W Day with a 10a.m. time of dialogue regarding Cooperative Baptist Fellowship **missions** as well as the 11a.m. worship time. T and Kathie are the very first Cooperative Baptist Fellowship missionaries....EVER! Their story is one every Hominy-ite needs to hear. Spread the word!

On another note, I just celebrated my 63rd birthday. How odd that seems to me. In so many ways I still feel quite young, but the mirror betrays that. My mother was 63 when she was diagnosed with Alzheimer's Disease. I am therefore, keenly aware that each day from this moment forward in which I can celebrate reasonably clear thinking is a gift. My mother was not granted that gift. Oh, how I learned to hate that disease, and all diseases that slowly take our beloved away from us. Still, in her eleven-plus year battle with Alzheimer's I learned some important lessons. Upon my 63rd birthday, it seems incumbent that I share some of them with you in this space.

Lesson #1, now is now and it's the only now you'll have. Dragging the past around like a ball and chain robs the present. Fretting over the future equally robs it. This is your NOW, so live it wisely.

Lesson #2, anyone you value needs to know that you value them. They need to hear it from you. They need to hear it again and again.

Lesson #3, anything that you feel led to accomplish, this is your appointed moment to get underway. If it is going back to school...GO! If it is finally doing as you long-ago promised your spouse you'd do...move the couch to the other side of the room, do it NOW! Your moment of capability is ticking down. Your moment of opportunity is at hand.

Lesson #4, learn from those you initially thought have nothing to teach you. My mother in her sunken-state "appeared" to have little or nothing to enrich or offer. How wrong-headed that is. Mama taught we who loved her so very much as we became to her a parent, and she became to us, a child.

Lesson #5, search for God until you find God. Some of the most poignant moments I've had with God came about in the company of "the least of these." Vanquish disbelief from your life, embrace mystery, and trust, even when shadows seem to be everywhere. Joe

The welcome center is complete except for a few pieces of furniture to be assembled and the remote TV hookups to be set up. Those are volunteer tasks if you would like to help.

The Youth Room floor will be refinished the first week of October. The old concrete floor will be ground smooth and polished and sealed with a stain. It will look great and require no ongoing maintenance. Phil will be looking for some moving and decorating volunteers when that is done.

There will be some gutter work and masonry work done in the coming weeks in preparation for the new ramp canopy, but the contractors are "on hold" in rebuilding the ramp until they get specifications for the footings for the canopy from the manufacturer. All that work should be completed this Fall.

You may have noticed the painting going on in the office hallway. Kody Joyner is volunteering her time and skill to repaint that area to match the new upstairs foyer.

Outside, Janice Squire and her volunteer crew (Jana and Doug Williams, Bobby and Shelia Morris, Joe Johnson, and Elaine Sutton) are landscaping the front beds to be beautiful and functional in channeling water where it needs to go. The dogwood planted on the front lawn (replacing the one we lost in the courtyard honoring Chuck Vidock) is getting lots of water and love getting it off to a good start.

And of course, Jerry Sutton, Larry Brooks and Janice Squire volunteer every Tuesday morning to take care of countless maintenance jobs that have to be done on a regular basis.

I hope you noticed how many times I used the word "volunteer." Our church has always depended on many hands to care for God's House. **Thank you!** And if you're looking for something to do....

Take Care
Paul

Hominy Staff

Dr. Joseph E. Yelton
Senior Pastor

Dr. Paul Raybon
Associate Pastor

Rev. Melissa Hughes
Pastor to Families

Rev. Phil Hall
Student Life & Community Engagement

Kristen Dominguez
Minister of Music & Creative Worship

Kody Joyner
Ministry Assistant

Rachel Miller
DayStay Executive Director

Andy Gibson
Child Care Executive Director

Brandon Long
Custodian

Karen Morgan
Director of Keyboard Ministries

Pat Kirby
Assistant Director of Keyboard Ministries

Nicole Chockley
Nursery Worker

Volunteers

Acolyte
Ashley Robinson
Deacon Leader
Morris Morgan
Deacon Greeter
Main Entrance:
Morris Morgan
Ramp Door:
Charles Kirby
Ushers
Joe Johnson
Bobby Morris
Shelia Morris
Jim Causby
Sound
Gene Willard
Multimedia
Jessica Willard
Kim Honeycutt
Nursery Worker
Candace Osteen
Children's Worship
Gloria Trexler
Greg Hughes
Security/Parking
Donna McCulloch
Blood Pressure
Corinne Yelton
Intermediate
Breakfast
Tracey & David
Truesdale
Youth Breakfast
Melissa Hughes

This Week At Hominy

SUNDAY, September 16
10:00 am Bible Study
11:00 am Worship Service
12:30 pm Spiritual Formations Team Mtg.
2:00 pm Open Gym
MONDAY, September 17
6:00 pm Community Meal/Montmorenci
7:00 pm Praise Team Rehearsal
TUESDAY, September 18
10:30 am Staff Meeting
12:00 pm Pickleball
7:30 pm Volleyball Game at Pole Creek
WEDNESDAY, September 19
11:00 am Pastor's Morning Bible Study;
"Dietrich Bonhoeffer's Costly Theology"
3:45 pm Young People's Choir & Band (5-12 grades)
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THURSDAY, September 20
7:00 am Men's Prayer Breakfast
11:00 am DayStay Worship
12:00 pm Pickleball
6:30 pm Boy Scouts and Cub Scouts
6:30 pm Yelton's Life Group Meeting
FRIDAY, September 21
6:30 pm Volleyball Game at Pole Creek
SATURDAY, September 22
7:00 pm Cheri Keaggy Community Fundraising Concert
"Loving Our Neighbors"
SUNDAY, September 23
10:00 am Bible Study
11:00 am Worship Service
5:00 pm House Blessing for Keith & Amy Rice

Current Prayer Requests

IN THE HOSPITAL:

UPCOMING SURGERY:

Sept. 21: Debra Uyeoka, consultation -left hip.

RECOVERING:

Bob Maute	Rodney Morris
Edee Daniels	Kay Riddle
Judy Shelton	Richard White
Barbara Hall	Hank Williams
Myra Scruggs	Cindy Robinson
Alvin Hall	Sheila Hand
Diana Johnson	Bobby Wright
Danny Biddix	Nellie Warren
Larry Trimnal	Iva Lee Elingburg
Reva Ferguson	
Carolyn Ivey	
Danny Widener (Melissa Hughes' step-father)	
Hayley (Granddaughter of Katy Pless)	

FAMILY & FRIENDS:

Amy Sprinkle, cancer treatment
Cathy DeWeese's family
Sylvia Bennett (Tracey Lockhart's mom)
Amy Robinson (Mike & Kay Robinson's daughter-in-law)
Devon Michael (friend of Dan McCurry)
Noah McFall (9 yr. old boy w/Cystic Fibrosis)
Mary & George Hardin (parents of Sheila Gee)
Barbara Kirby (Charles Kirby's mother)
Jennifer Owenby (partner of Terri Meadows)
Vicky Moore (daughter of Laura Debord)

ADULT CARE FACILITIES:

Heather Glen: Judy Taylor
Pisgah Manor: Louise Gosnell, Bob Morris, Sr.
Oaks/Sweeten Creek: Clara West

MILITARY FAMILY:

US Air Force: Colby Alexander
US Marine Corps: Levi Vess
National Guard: Seth Aaron Wright, Karina Padilla, CJ Pryce, Chris Rice
Coast Guard: Marc Todd
Hargrave Academy: Jackson Stewart

COLLEGE STUDENTS:

Kelsie Hughes, ETSU
MacKenzie Rice, UNCA
Lindsey Bull, NCSU
Chelsea Nave, WCU
Nick Williams, AB Tech
Christian Donaldson, AB Tech

Attendance & Budget for 9/2

Sunday School	Worship Service.....	103
Budget Giving.....		\$ 3,476.00
Budget Receipts Year to Date.....		\$ 61,759.88
Designated DayStay		\$ 1,700.00
Designated Church.....		\$ 253.25
Designated Total		\$ 1,953.25
Budget Weekly Need		\$ 6,826.92
Budget Need Year To Date		\$ 75,096.12
Budget deficit/surplus		\$ -13,336.24

This is not the official financial report of the church. These are estimates at the time of printing.



Hominy Baptist Church

*Loving God, Loving Others, Loving You
with all our heart, soul, mind and strength!*

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All Teachers...

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 16
after morning worship

We will gather together as a group look at where we're going in the coming year and how we want to get there. How can we best equip our learners of all ages to grow as healthy Christians?

We will have a light lunch and be done by 2:30. We appreciate your faithfulness and willingness to serve in shaping the faith of our church family.



Trip to the NC Mountain State Fair
Thursday, September 13, 4-8 pm

We will meet at the church at 4:00 pm. The cost will be \$20 for the wristband to ride the rides, plus the cost of any food they want to eat. The church will cover their gate admission for those who have signed up in advance. Your Intermediate is welcome to bring a friend. Please let me know if they are interested in going with us! ~Melissa

lifegroups MEETINGS

Yelton's LifeGroup September 20 at 6:30 pm:
at Joe & Corinne Yelton's Home

Johnson's LifeGroup September 27 at 6:30 pm:
at Joe & Sandra Johnson's Home

Collecting for Christmas Shoeboxes

In September we are collecting SOCKS



Your donations can go in the round barrel just outside the sanctuary in the Bennett Lounge area.



YOUTH 80'S BOWLING NIGHT

Friday, September 14 at 6:00 pm

ASHEVILLE/BUNCOMBE

CROP HUNGER WALK

Sunday, September 30 at 2:00 pm