

# CRABTREE VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH



## THE VALLEY ECHO

August 8, 2016

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### Extravaganza

Training



#### RBA Training Extravaganza

Saturday, August 20

Note this year's location:

**Forest Hills Baptist Church**

201 Dixie Trail, Raleigh

**23 Conferences** focusing on Discipleship, Evangelism, Missions, Leadership and Administration.

For details, please visit [www.raleighbaptists.org/](http://www.raleighbaptists.org/) or pickup a handout in the lobby.

#### Schedule:

8:15 - 9:00 am - Continental Breakfast

9:15 - 10:30 am - **Session One Conferences**

9:15 - noon - **Leadership Lab #1**

*Principles for Living an Authentic Christian Lifestyle at Work*

#### **Leadership Lab # 2**

(offered @ 9:15-10:30 & 10:45-noon)

*Building Relationships, Dispelling Fear with our Hindu, Islamic and Buddhist Neighbors*

9:15 - noon - **Leadership Lab # 3**

*Protecting Your Ministry's People & Property*

Each participant will receive a copy of The Safety and Security Guidebook (\$40 value)

10:30 - 10:45 am - Break

10:45 am - Noon - **Session Two Conferences**

12:00 - 12:30 pm - Lunch (for pre-registrants)

12:30 - 2:00 pm - **Leadership Lab #1**

*Difficult Issues: Exploring a Faith Response*

12:30 - 2:00 pm - **Leadership Lab# 2**

*Building Cross Cultural Relationships for Kingdom Purposes*



### THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Some of life's experiences have happened A long time ago and yet they linger in our memory as if they happened yesterday. The year was 1969, and we were home on furlough from our missionary service in Brazil. During a three week period we camped across the United States with friends from Salisbury, NC. I will never forget traveling

across the barren land in the Pan Handle of Texas with a limitless view of dessert and no trees in sight. The same scene continued into New Mexico with straight roads as far as the eye could see and no trees. And then, we arrived in Flagstaff, Arizona with the beautiful, tall ponderosa pine trees lining the road on both sides. It was like arriving at an oasis in the desert. I can still vividly remember how refreshing it was to four North Carolinians to see greenery again.

A similar refreshing experience in the midst of months of political debates, advertisements, negative ads, insults and character assignments', TV talk show speculations and hype has now been given to us with the arrival of the Olympics in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

We all need breaks in life from the mundane, the routine, the aggravation, the frustrations and even the day to day grind. When crowds pressed in on him, Jesus was known to get away from it all either by going fishing with his disciples or going up into the mountains to rest and pray. His strategy for coping with life's pressures was to come apart from the pressures and stresses before you fall apart.

Vacations, breaks and pauses are healthy and should not be neglected. Last May, before summer began, I urged you to get away from your routine responsibilities and enjoy some quiet time of physical and spiritual renewal. From time to time we all need an oasis, scenes of refreshment and times of renewal. If you have not gotten away for a time of refreshment, why not plan it right now.

In His Love,  
Charles

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## Weekly Church Calendar

### EACH SUNDAY

- \*9:45am Sunday School
- \*11:00am Worship Service
- \*Child care provided downstairs.
- 2:00-7:00pm Kenyan Fellowship

### EACH MONDAY:

9:00am-12:00pm Hope Pantry is open

### EACH TUESDAY:

6:00-8:00pm Kenyan Fellowship

### EACH WEDNESDAY:

9:00am-12:00pm Hope Pantry is open  
7:00pm Bible study & Prayer  
8:00pm Choir Practice

### EACH THURSDAY:

8:00pm Gamblers Anonymous

**EACH FRIDAY:** 7:00-10:30pm Kenyan Fellowship

**MONTHLY:** (4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of each month)

Young Hearts (Senior Adults)

### Calendar of Events:

**Saturday, August 20**

RBA Training at Forest Hills Baptist Church

**Monday, August 22**

7:00pm Deacons meeting

**Sunday, August 28**

6:00pm Fellowship meal

7:00pm Business meeting

### Attendance 8/7

Sunday School 34

### Visitors

Total 34

**Worship Attendance:** 50

**Deacon for this week:** 8/7 Peninah Brown

**Deacon for next week:** 8/14 Tom Edwards

### Properties for August

Randy Walker

### Ushers for August

Randy Walker Shirley Keener

Walt Switzer Ben Best



*SHARE THE SONSHINE*

***Make a call, a visit or send a card!***

This week: August 7-13 Rick & Pam Bilbro

Next week: August 14-20 Jean Greene

## PRAYER CONCERNS:

### HOME:

Frances Viano  
Faye Hayes  
Lee Snyder  
Ed & Cassie Glover  
Pam Bilbro

### REHAB & CARE FACILITIES:

Al Coley – Sunrise at North Hills – Room 286  
Wilton Harris – Heritage Woods Ret. Comm. - W-S  
Jean Greene – Snow Hill Asst. Living - Snow Hill, NC  
Mary Cain – 806 Springmoor Circle 27615

### OTHER:

Christine and Haline Eller – upcoming move  
Music Committee – search for Music Director  
Melissa James – job search



### **Below are items currently needed:**

Fruit juice (Apple juice in plastic bottles preferred)  
Vegetables (do not need corn)  
Canned meats: chicken, spam, Vienna sausages  
Canned or dried beans, Pork-n-Beans  
Spaghetti sauce  
Mac and Cheese, Rice, Ramen noodles  
Canned or Instant potatoes  
Canned fruit & Jelly  
Toilet paper and toiletries



### **Raleigh Baptist Association Fall Senior Adult Rally September 27, 2016**

Location: Central Baptist Church  
11109 Poole Rd  
Wendell, NC 27591

Registration Begins: 9:00 am  
Program Begins: 9:30 am

*Guest Speaker: Bill Leslie, WRAL*  
*Special Music: New Covenant*

Menu: Beef Tips w/ Rice, Green Peas, Carrots,  
Cornbread Muffin, Assorted Desserts & Tea  
Cost: \$12.00