

CRABTREE VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH



THE VALLEY ECHO

February 3, 2014

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BIRTHDAYS

2/1	Ellian Jenkins 8109 North Creek Run 27613
2/2	Pam Bilbro 119 Byron Place 27609
2/5	Iva Snyder 11404 Dunleith Dr 27614
2/9	Bonnie Wright 1555 Laureldale Dr 27609
2/13	Mariangely Miranda 4109 Cross Crk Ct Apt A 27607
2/14	Catherine Mullins 4505 Woodbury Dr 27612
2/16	James Greene 5804 Wintergreen Dr 27609
2/20	Elizabeth Jenkins 8109 North Crk Run 27613
2/26	Steve Wheeler 6108 Godfrey Dr 27612



This Sunday Feb 9: John 15:9-17 and 1 Corinthians 12:31-13:13. **Next Sunday Feb 16:** 1 Corinthians 3:1-9



At about this time last year, I had the privilege of preaching in two very different Baptist congregations. One church met in a large fellowship hall. The worshipers sat on folding chairs and wore blue jeans. The lyrics were projected on a big screen while a band played contemporary songs with their guitars, a keyboard, and drums. The other church was

traditional and formal. Most of the women wore dresses and the worshipers sat on pews, singing along with a traditional choir and using a hymnal. It was a great experience to see the diverse ways in which NC Baptists worship. In both cases, the reason I was invited to preach was because the congregations were participating in Martha Stearns Marshall Month of Preaching.

Martha Stearns Marshall was an 18th century Separate Baptist – and a preacher! In 1810, Virginia Baptist historian Robert Semple wrote: “...without the shadow of a usurped authority over the other sex, Mrs. Marshall, being a lady of good sense, singular piety, and surprising elocution, has, in countless instances melted a whole concourse into tears by her prayers and exhortations!”

Since 2007, Baptist Women in Ministry (BWIM) has invited Baptist churches to participate in Martha Stearns Marshall Month of Preaching by having a woman preach during the month of February. According to the BWIM, “the annual event has been a deeply significant source of joy and discovery for many women and churches.” As a church that already has a female preacher, Crabtree is using this as an opportunity to stand with and support Baptists who are still hoping for and dreaming of the day that their church will allow women to preach.

Caitlin Estes will be the Martha Stearns Marshall preacher at Crabtree Church on Sunday, February 16. Caitlin recently graduated from Campbell Divinity School with an M. Div. degree. She has a desire to see young people empowered to think beyond what was culturally acceptable. During a research project funded through the Fund for Theological Education in 2011, Caitlin began looking into the interaction between faith and culture in Western society. Her research took her across Europe and back to the States, where she continued the conversation with individuals, articles, and more. This led her to develop “More than Millennial” (www.morethanmillennial.com), where she is founder and creative director. I look forward to hearing Caitlin preach on the 16th and to her meeting the fellowship of believers at Crabtree Church.

Yours in Christ, Pastor Nola

Church office contact information:

Pastor • Nola Boezeman pastor@crabtreevalleybaptist.org

Office hours: Mon-Tues: 8am-3pm & Wed: 8am-2pm

Secretary • Peggy Utley cvbc@crabtreevalleybaptist.org Mon-Thurs, 9am-3pm

Music Minister • Mr. Ernie Rushing music@crabtreevalleybaptist.org

Website maintenance: webmaster@crabtreevalleybaptist.org

Weekly Church Calendar:

EACH SUNDAY

9:15-9:30am – Prayer – Ben Best classroom

*9:45am Sunday School

*11:00am Worship Service

*Child care provided downstairs.

2:30-7:00pm Kenyan Fellowship

EACH MONDAY AND WEDNESDAY

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

EACH TUESDAY: 6:00-7:30pm Kenyan Fellowship

EACH WEDNESDAY:

6:30pm Children and Youth Mission groups

7:00pm Bible study & Prayer

7:45pm Choir Practice

EACH THURSDAY:

8:00pm Gamblers Anonymous

EACH FRIDAY: 7:00-9:30pm Kenyan Fellowship

MONTHLY: (4th Thursday of each month)

6:00pm Young Hearts (Senior Adults)

Calendar of Events

Sunday, February 9

Exploring Membership Luncheon

Monday, February 10

7:00pm Stewardship meeting

2:00-8:00pm Pictures

Tuesday, February 11

2:00-9:00pm Pictures

Saturday, February 15

Valentine Banquet

Attendance 2/2

Sunday School 43

Visitors

Total 43

Worship Attendance: 60

Deacon for this week: 2/9 Barbara Best

Deacon for next week: 2/16 Walt Switzer

Greeter Schedule (front entrance)

2/9 Grace Small 2/16 Jim Greene

Properties for February

Randy Walker

Ushers for February

Randy Walker Bobby Hayes
Walt Switzer David Jenkins

Alternate: Robert Best



Valentine
Fellowship
Dinner

Valentine Banquet
Saturday, February 15
Special music provided
by Ernie Rushing
Appetizers 5:45-6:00,
Dinner at 6:00pm

*Come enjoy an evening of delicious food, delightful
entertainment and Special music!*

Glazed pork medallions, Parmesan mixed vegetables,
Roasted potatoes, Fruit cup, Buttered Rolls, Fruit cobbler
or Strawberry Shortcake. **Please sign up in the Narthex.**

PRAYER CONCERNS:

HOME:

Shirley Keener

Louise Shore – pneumonia

Pat Jenkins

Walt Switzer

Jetta Lewis

Mildred Jenkins

Eleanor Aker

Cassie Glover

Tom Haag

Jack Porter

Susan Carden – Frances Viano's daughter

Van Phillips

Lee Snyder

Jean Greene

Pam Bilbro

REHAB & CARE FACILITIES:

Elouise Leffler – Crabtree Valley Rehab center - Room 412-A

Lois Capps – Rex Rehab - Apex

Al Coley – Sunrise at North Hills – Room 286

Wilton Harris – Heritage Woods Ret. Comm. - Winston-Salem

HOSPITAL:

Eddie & Heather Sutton – UNC Burn Center (Jim Weaver's niece)



Photography slots are filling up fast.

Thank you to all those who have already signed up!

Please note that a 20% discount will be given for orders placed on picture day, and you can receive \$5.00 off when you bring items for our Pantry. Pictures will be taken in the fellowship hall, so remember to park in the lower level, and enter there. There are still a few slots left for **Mon, Feb 10 and Tues, Feb. 11.** Please see Frances Viano at church, or give her a call at (919-785-1707) to sign up for your time slot. You do not have to be a church member to have your photo taken, and you will still receive a free 8x10 photo. To submit photos for activity pages, send them to cvbc@crabtreevalleybaptist.org



Exploring Membership Luncheon: If you are not yet a member of Crabtree Church, and would like to know more about our church, you are invited to join Pastor Nola for a casual lunch (which will be provided) in the small fellowship hall after worship on Sunday, February 9. If you are planning to attend, please call the church office or Pastor Nola.