

CRABTREE VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH



THE VALLEY ECHO

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**Make plans to be here on Sunday,
January 24 for Worship and lunch!**

Everyone is cordially invited to join us as we welcome Andrew McCullagh as our new Youth Leader. We will be having a luncheon for Andrew and his wife, Andrea, in the fellowship hall following the morning service. Please sign up in the narthex to help with food.



Sunday, January 24

The monthly business meeting will follow the luncheon.

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Work willingly at
whatever you do,
as though you were
working for the Lord
rather than for people.



Thought for the Week

Cal Ripken has the distinction of being the best short stop and third basemen in baseball history. In his 17 year career, Ripken played in 2,632 consecutive games, compiled 3,184 hits, 431 home runs and 1,695 runs batted in. He was known as the man who showed up. But Ripken did more than just show up. In his own words, he said, "I didn't just show up for work, as has sometimes been said. I also showed up to work."

Among the many good things we can say about Cal Ripken two things are outstanding. He was consistent and he lived with a purpose. He said, "If you do a job, do it right or there is no point."

Last Sunday, the sermon was about Plowing New Ground. It was about living with a purpose and being consistent for the Glory of God.

Consistency in our daily living - consistency in living our lives as Christians is essential if we are to honor Christ and inspire and impact the lives of others.

Being hot or cold in our relationship to Christ and His church is not pleasing to our Lord. Of the seven churches described in the Book of Revelation, the Church in Laodicea was rebuked because it was neither hot nor cold. It was rebuked for its lack of consistency. It was in fact, repulsive to our Lord. He said, "because you are lukewarm - neither hot nor cold - I am about to spit you out of my mouth (Rev. 3:16).

At Crabtree Valley Baptist Church we need consistency: consistency in Sunday School, Worship and Prayer Meeting attendance, consistency in giving tithes and offerings, consistency in intentionally inviting others to worship and to study the Bible, consistency in praying and witnessing to those who do not know Christ, consistency in encouraging one another, consistency in promoting the church and speaking well of it and consistency in using our gifts and talents for the Glory of God

As we plow new ground in 2016, let us all ask God to help us be consistent. Let us not only show up, but let us show up with a mind to work for Christ.

In His Love,
Charles

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
- 6:30pm Children and Youth Mission groups
- 7:00pm Bible study & Prayer
- 8:00pm Choir Practice

EACH THURSDAY:

8:00pm Gamblers Anonymous

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

MONTHLY: (4th Thursday of each month)

Young Hearts (Senior Adults)

PRAYER CONCERNS:

HOME:

- Sandi Robinson
- Grace Small
- Darrell Jenkins
- Sue Edwards
- Greg Small
- 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 – Springmoor Health Center - room 103-A

Calendar of Events:

Each Wednesday

- 6:30pm Children and Youth Mission groups
- 7:00pm Bible study & Prayer
- New study begins on Sermon on the Mount Matthew 5-7*
- 8:00pm Choir Practice

Monday, January 18

7:00pm Deacons meeting

Sunday, January 24

Welcome luncheon for Andrew and Andrea McCullagh
Business meeting to follow luncheon

Thursday, January 28

Young Hearts going to Brig's Restaurant for lunch
Sign-up in the Narthex.

Sunday, January 31

5th Sunday Benevolent offering



The Young Hearts are going to Brig's Restaurant for lunch at noon on Thursday, January 28. Please sign up in the nathex if you plan to attend!



On Sunday we welcomed April Brown, our Music Director, as a new member of our church family. If you haven't already met April, please introduce yourself and give her a big, warm welcome!

Attendance 1/10

Sunday School	33
Visitors	
Total	33

Worship Attendance: 47

Deacon for this week: 1/17 Larry Nunery

Deacon for next week: 1/24 Ben Best

Properties for January

George Shore

Ushers for January

Robert Best Darrell Jenkins
Bobby Hayes Whitt Stallings



SHARE THE SUNSHINE

Make a call, a visit or send a card!

This week: Jan 10-16 Lee & Iva Snyder

Next week: Jan 17-23 Greg Small

Schedules for January-April 2016 are available on the lobby table.