

CRABTREE VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH



THE VALLEY ECHO

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**SERVING MEALS
TO THE HOMELESS**

We will be helping at the Shepherd's Table soup kitchen in downtown Raleigh on Friday, Oct 7. We will meet at CVBC at 9:45am sharp to carpool, we'll be at the soup kitchen from 10:15-12:15, returning around 12:45pm. Call or see Shirley Keener to participate.



The Pantry is low on the following:

Juice (plastic bottles and individual juice boxes/pouches)
Canned fruit
Cereal, Oatmeal, Grits
Canned meats (chicken, Vienna sausage)
Soup and broth
Canned vegetables (carrots, corn, peas)
Canned or instant potatoes
Toothpaste
Toilet paper
Travel size toiletries (soap, shampoo, etc)



Thought for the Week

If you are looking for a place to visit, let me suggest that you plan a trip to The Sight and Sound Theatre just outside Lancaster, Pennsylvania. Billed as "the largest faith-based live theatre in the country", this theatre and its sister in Branson, MO were visited by nearly a million people from around the world last year.

We have just returned from seeing "Samson" at the 2000 seat theatre that is filled to capacity twice each day. The production was outstanding, inspirational, well done with remarkable talent and almost unbelievable special effects (Samson's destruction of the temple at the end of the drama will leave you spell bound). But even more impressive is the emphasis that all of their productions (We have now seen 4 of them) give to Jesus Christ and the salvation that he offers.

These productions are more than entertainment; they are intentional efforts to call people to Jesus Christ by making the Bible come alive. At the end of the drama, an invitation to receive Christ is offered with counselors available to assist anyone who is interested in receiving Christ as their Lord and Savior.

In a day when good, clean, wholesome entertainment is scarce, it is encouraging to see people from around the world flocking to hear the gospel message through Christian drama.

Over the years, the Sight and Sound Theatres have presented the Biblical stories of Noah, Abraham, Daniel, Joseph, Jonah and Moses and more. By popular demand, Jonah will be the featured Biblical drama returning for 2017.

If you plan to go, be sure that you make reservations online before you travel and that you have an e-z pass for travel on the highways. You can get all the information you need for shows, schedules, prices, etc at www.sight-sound.com. You will not be disappointed.

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
- 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)

Calendar of Events:

October 1-9

Cheryl and Brian Walker – Guatemala Mission trip

Friday, October 7

9:34am Serving at the Soup Kitchen downtown

Saturday, October 15

Crop for the Cure (more details to come)

Monday, October 17

7:00pm Inman Park HOA using Fellowship Hall

7:00pm Deacons meeting

Sunday, October 23

Business meeting

<u>Attendance</u>	<u>9/25</u>
Sunday School	28
Visitors	1
Total	29

Worship Attendance: 50

Deacon for this week: 10/2 Ben Best

Deacon for next week: 10/9 Bonnie Wright

Properties for October

10/2 George Shore
10/9 Randy Walker
10/16 Gene Sherwood
10/23 Darrell Jenkins
10/30 David Jenkins

Ushers for October

Randy Walker Ben Best
Shirley Keener Walt Switzer



Make a call, a visit or send a card!

This week: September 25-Oct 1 Johnnie Grubbs

Next week: October 2-8 Rick and Pam Bilbro

PRAYER CONCERNS:

HOME:

- Frances Viano
- 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:

Music Committee – search for Music Director

Cheryl and Brian Walker – Guatemala Mission trip



During the month of September we will receive the NC Missions Offering. This offering provides funding for the multiple ministries that are totally funded by the NCMO such as Baptist Men, the planting of new Churches and Evangelism, Mission Camps, Associational Mission Projects and the promotion of Missions Education. *Envelopes for this offering are included in your boxes and are available in the Narthex.* Received to date: \$285



This is to notify all church members of a change in Article VIII (Item 4) of our Church Constitution that will be voted on at the October 23rd business meeting and again at the next scheduled business meeting. This change is to reflect our policy regarding the elimination of the need to re-baptize by immersion new members who were previously baptized in a non-Baptist church by another method of baptism. The change in policy has already been incorporated into the Constitution by two previous votes earlier this year. The two upcoming votes will specifically address this new policy as it pertains to ‘watch care’ members, a point that was overlooked during the first voting process on this issue. Please plan to attend these business meetings so that you can cast your vote on this change.



Time to start thinking about Operation Christmas Child!
We will collect boxes through Sunday, Nov 20th.