

CRABTREE VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH



THE VALLEY ECHO

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A Wonderful Valentine Banquet

The official Valentine's Day was February 14, but for CVBC it was February 23. And what a marvelous day it was! Mark it down as one of the best celebrations we have had in a long time. The event was designed to provide great food, warm fellowship, lively entertainment and support the youth of our church in their plans to attend Passport Camp in Greensboro in July. An offering of \$500 was raised. Thanks to all who generously contributed.

Specifically, we owe a great debt of appreciation to Beth & David Jenkins, Ellian & Jeff Buck for preparing the delicious meal and the pies prepared by Yilong Wang. To Cheryl, Randy & Ashley Walker and Brennan Linfield for working with the youth and Children on Mission who served us all in style and decorated the tables so beautifully. To Risa Poniros for singing her heart out and our choir for their lively toe tapping, hand clapping rendition of "Look What the Lord has Done". We were also blessed by the participation of Barbara Best and Sandi Robinson. The contest of compatibility between couples; David & Beth Jenkins, Keith & Claudia Harris, and Randy & Cheryl Walker got a little feisty but provided good fun and laughter for all who looked on. Thanks Church Family for the sweet spirit that made our Valentine Banquet special and memorable.



THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

I am excited about the Wednesday night Bible Study which will begin March 4, and run through April 9, when we celebrate Maundy Thursday. We will be studying about "A Week That Changed the World," namely Passion Week.

Passion Week is an intensely dramatic, power packed, nail baiting, emotionally exhilarating and at the same time emotionally draining week in the life of Jesus. Beginning with Jesus' Triumphant Entry into Jerusalem and ending with His Crucifixion followed by Sunday's glorious resurrection, we have the heart of Christianity, the foundation for all we know believe and teach about Jesus' mission to bring salvation to a lost world.

Over my 60 years of ministry, I have preached bits and pieces of all the stories involved in Passion Week as recorded in the Gospels of Matthew, Mark, Luke and John. But, I realized that I have never led a series of Bible Studies that concentrates on the final days of Jesus before the crucifixion. It is an enormous task, to say the least, to cover so much material in six sessions in approximately 30 minutes per session or a total time of 3 hours. Logically, we can't cover it all in such a short period of time. But we can glean important lessons by looking at the broader picture of daily events that occurred Sunday through Friday and literally changed the world over 2000 years ago. I believe that God has lead me to engage in this concentrated study and I hope that you consider it worthy of your time to attend every session on Wednesday nights at 6:30pm. I covet your prayers as I prepare the study. I will be praying for those that God will lead to participate.

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.

EACH TUESDAY:

6:30pm Triangle Toastmasters

EACH WEDNESDAY:

- 9:00am-12:00pm Hope Pantry is open
- 6:30pm Children and Youth Mission groups
- 6:30pm Bible study & Prayer
- 7:30pm Choir Practice

EACH THURSDAY:

8:00pm Gamblers Anonymous

MONTHLY: (4th Thursday of each month)

Young Hearts (Senior Adults)

Calendar of Events:

Wednesday, February 26

Office closing at noon

Thursday, February 27

Office closed

Sunday, March 8

Daylight Saving Time begins – Spring Forward!

Tuesday, March 10

Deadline to signup for Senior Adult Rally

Tuesday, March 24

Spring Senior Adult Rally at Salem Baptist Church

Attendance 2/23

Sunday School	27
Worship Attendance	67

Deacon for week: 3/1 Peninah Brown

Deacon for week: 3/8 Jean Glosson

Properties for March

Gene Sherwood

Ushers for March

Robert Best Bobby Hayes

Darrell Jenkins Whitt Stallings



SHARE THE SONSHINE

Week of February 23-29 Mary Cain

Week of March 1-7 Greg Small

Share the Sonshine is an outreach ministry. We can all be a part of this ministry by praying for these individuals, sending cards, making phone calls or a visit.

PRAYER CONCERNS:

HOME:

Charlie Capps
Bobby and Faye Hayes
Bonnie Wright
Jetta Lewis

REHAB & CARE FACILITIES:

Jean Greene – Snow Hill Asst. Living - Snow Hill, NC
Mary Cain – 806 Springmoor Circle 27615
Johnnie Grubbs – Cambridge Hills of Pittsboro – Rm 208
Louise Shore – Spring Arbor of Cary Rm 115
1705 Kildaire Farm Rd Cary, NC 27511
Greg Small – Atria Oakridge Room 226
10820 Sandy Oak Lane Raleigh 27614
Anne Jenkins - Morningside of Raleigh Room 132



Please add new member, Dee Bullock to your birthday list from last week's newsletter. Her birthday is March 25th.



The Young Hearts are going to the **Spring Senior Adult Rally sponsored by the RBA on Tues, Mar 24**. This event will be held at Salem Baptist Church in Apex. Cost is \$15pp, which includes your meal and entertainment. **Menu:** Beef Tips and Rice, Green Peas, Yams, Corn Muffins, Desserts and Tea. **Register by: Tuesday, March 10** by signing up in the narthex. We will meet at the church and carpool to this event. Program begins at 9:30 and ends with lunch. Entertainment: **The Presbyterian Home Band**. You've never heard a band quite like this one! A 40-member group that play instruments made from everyday household items; sink stoppers, trowels, bottles, copper pipe, cheese box, vacuum cleaner, funnels and many other things. The band has been featured on UNC-TV, Our State magazine and in many newspapers. **Pepper Choplin** is well-known as a composer, conductor and humorist. He has gained a reputation as one of the most creative writers in church music today. His published work includes over 300 anthems for church and school choir, 20 church cantatas and two books of piano arrangements. His anthems consistently appear in the top seller lists of publishers and distributors. Since 1991, his choral music has sold several million copies.