

CRABTREE VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH



THE VALLEY ECHO

March 15, 2021

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Church Office hours: Monday-Thursday 9am-3pm (closed on Friday)

GUEST PREACHER

Guest Speakers for March

March 21 - Rev. Johnny Richards
March 28 - Rev. Michelle Anderson



DEACON OF THE WEEK:

3/14 Ben Best
3/21 Peninah Brown



Tune in weekly for our Virtual
Worship Service which is released by
11am on Sunday

<https://www.crabtreevalleybaptist.org/sermons/> You can also find current and past sermons on Youtube.

https://www.youtube.com/results?search_query=crabtree+valley+baptist+church

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Have Faith, Spring is Coming!

In the dead of the Winter, God, I'm gardening. I don't doubt the outcome because I learned at your knee to live in faith, knowing that Spring will come. Then, with Solomon, I will rejoice. "See! Winter is past...flowers appear on the earth; the season of singing has come, the cooing of doves is heard in the land."

How does a Winter garden grow? With hope. It grows brighter each time, because I live knowing that you, O God, color even our wintery days from love's Spring palette.

God's plan, like lilies, pure and white, unfold; We must not tear the close-shut leaves apart; Time will reveal the chalices of gold.

Mary Louise Riley Smith (*Poem - Sometime*)
From the book, "Prayers for Life"



While the earth remains, Seedtime and harvest, Cold and heat, Summer and winter, And day and night Shall not cease. Genesis 8:22

There is an appointed time for everything. And there is a time for every matter under heaven: A time to give birth and a time to die; A time to plant and a time to uproot what is planted. Ecclesiastes 3:1-2

*For behold, the winter is past, The rain is over and gone.
The blossoms have already appeared in the land;
The time has arrived for pruning the vines,
And the voice of the turtledove has been heard in our land.
Song of Solomon 2:11-12*





SHARE THE SONSHINE

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

Person of the week – March 14-20

Johnnie Grubbs
Cambridge Hills of Pittsboro – Room 208
140 Brookstone Lane
Pittsboro, NC 27312



Palm Sunday - March 28

Easter Sunday – April 4

Office closed for Easter – Mon, April 5

Annie Armstrong Easter Offering

Our church goal: \$600.00

If you have these envelopes in your boxed set, you may use them. If not, just note on your check Easter offering. We will receive this offering through the end of April.



Good Food Alert!

Holland’s United Methodist Church will host their semi-annual DRIVE-THRU BBQ on Friday, April 9, 2021, from 11am until the food runs out. The price is \$10 per plate including dessert. This is Beth Jenkins’ home church. You may recall that this BBQ was served at one of our Crabtree Cafes. Worth the ride to 9433 Ten-Ten Road, Raleigh 27603, 919-772-5294, www.hollandsumc.org.

Prayer Concerns:

HOME

Dianne Ferguson – receiving treatment at Duke
Faye Hayes – upcoming eye surgery
Virginia Dixon – recovering from knee replacement
Norwood Walker – Randy’s father, under Hospice care
Anne Barden
Jetta Lewis
Charlotte Phelps (friend of Jean’s)
Marci Phelps – Charlotte’s daughter (friend of Jean Glosson)

REHAB & CARE FACILITIES:

Anne Jenkins – Morningside on Dixie Trail - Room 132
Johnnie Grubbs – Cambridge Hills of Pittsboro – Room 208
Greg Small –Atria Oakridge- Apt 214
Bonnie Wright – The Reserve at Mills Farm in Apex

OTHER:

Sonshine Person of the Week
The Price family – Missionaries in Wales



Using your
spiritual
Gifts

Think on These Things

You were custom-designed by God with talents, gifts, skills and abilities in order to serve God by serving others. Contrary to popular opinion, God wired everyone to have a ministry, or serving niche. The way you’re wired is not an accident. God didn’t give you your abilities for selfish purposes. They were given to benefit other people just as others are given abilities for our benefit. The Bible says, God has given each of you a gift from his great variety of spiritual gifts. Use them well to serve one another. Do it with all the strength and energy that God supplies. Then everything you do will bring glory to God through Jesus Christ. --Rick Warren

