

Youth Ministry!

Our youth are sponsoring the "Give a Kid a Coat" campaign. Please bring new and gently used coats to the youth room by Wednesday, Nov. 12th. Sizes include children to adult.

Help support the Youth Ministry by purchasing a beautiful 2015 "God's Creation" calendar. The cost is \$10.00 each. They make great gifts. Please see one of our youth if you would like to make a purchase.

Game Night Fellowship! Come on out for a night of old-fashioned fun, Saturday, November 15th at 7 PM. Bring your favorite games, your favorite snacks, and your favorite friends and join us for a good time!

Parents Night Out – We'll be offering the community a Parents Night Out on Friday, December 5th. We'll need volunteers to help make this happen! See Kathryn Ashworth to sign up or for more details.



Don't forget to set your clocks back one hour before going to bed on Saturday, **November 1st**.



November Birthdays

11/7	Russell Lauten
11/9	Adam VonCannon
11/10	Larry Snyder
11/13	Darren Lauten, Dorcas Weavil
11/17	Kathy Beekman
11/18	Keith Striplin
11/21	Dennie Weavil
11/22	Becky Longworth
11/25	Alice Striplin
11/28	Gayle Wimbrow, Lindsey Parnell

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UCBC Coffeehouse
November 1st @ 7pm

Family Game Night
November 15th @ 7pm

Lovefeast @ UC Moravian
November 26th @ 7pm

Chrismon Service
November 30th @ 7pm

Dr. H. Mark Ashworth
Mrs. Marisa Fraley
Mrs. Gayle Wimbrow
Rev. Marty Daniels
Mrs. Angie Weavil
Mrs. Becky Longworth
Mrs. Teresa Tucker

Pastor
Minister of Youth & Children
Minister of Music
Minister of Education
Organist
Pianist
Secretary

Welcome, Marisa!

We are excited to welcome Marisa Fraley as our new Minister to Youth and Children. Marisa is a Virginia native and a first-year student at Wake Forest University School of Divinity. She officially begins her ministry with us on November 1. Take time to get to know her—and remind her of your name (there are more of us than there is of her!) Keep her in your prayers and offer her your encouragement as she comes to provide leadership in these two crucial areas of our church life. We're glad you're here, Marisa!



Invite a friend and come out Saturday, November 1st at 7:00 pm to the UCBC Coffeehouse. We'll have live music featuring blues duo *Wicker & Jones*. Admission and refreshments are free.

Church Council meeting will be held Sunday, November 9th, at 4:00 pm. We will be planning next year's calendar. All committee chairpersons are encouraged to attend.

Senior Moments Highlights

The Senior Moments Group will be going to the Southern Supreme Fruitcake Co. in Bear Creek, NC. on November 18th meeting at the church at 8:00am. Please let Carole Blakley know if you would like to attend by Nov. 5th. Lunch will be at the *Two Sisters Buffet*. Our covered dish Thanksgiving luncheon will be on November 20th at the church at 11:00am. So bring a dish and join in the fun.

Chrismon Service

Sunday, November 30th,

You are invited to participate in our annual Chrismon Service held at 7:00 pm in our sanctuary. This special service marks the kick-off to the season of Advent. Following the service we will share in a time of fellowship and refreshments. Please plan to come and start your Christmas season off right.

Nursery Schedule

November 2, 2014 (Sun)	Tammie & Katie Weavil AM
	Edna Bond PM
November 5, (Wed)	Alice Striplin PM
November 9, (Sun)	Marianne & CC Casas AM
	Nancy Clodfelter PM
November 12, (Wed)	Brenda Grose PM
November 16, (Sun)	Tina & Crista Church AM
	Alice Striplin PM
November 19, (Wed)	Edna Bond PM
November 23, (Sun)	Kathy & Lauren Horton AM
	Brenda Grose PM
November 26, (Wed)	No Service PM
November 30, (Sun)	Kathy Idol & Susie Hilton AM
	Robin French PM

Children's Church & Wee Church Schedule

November (Wee Church)	Jane Sutphin
November 2 (Children's)	Julie Striplin & Dale Lakey
November 9 (Children's)	Neal & Lindsey Parnell
November 16, (Children's)	Randy & Cathy Honeycutt
November 23, (Children's)	Marisa Fraley
November 30, (Children's)	Melissa Little

Financial Summary

	October 5, 2014	
Undesignated Gifts	\$	6,707.59
Designated Gifts	\$	1,199.90
Total Offering	\$	7,907.49
	October 12, 2014	
Undesignated Gifts	\$	4,491.00
Designated Gifts	\$	619.00
Total Offering	\$	5,560.00
	October 19, 2014	
Undesignated Gifts	\$	3,191.00
Designated Gifts	\$	892.00
Total Offering	\$	4,083.00
	October 26, 2014	
Undesignated Gifts	\$	2,905.00
Designated Gifts	\$	473.09
Total Offering	\$	3,378.09
	General Fund	
September General Fund Receipts	\$	14,101.34
September General Fund Expenses	- \$	18,731.69
September General Fund Net	- \$	4,630.35
September Fund Balance	- \$	29,312.09



October 5th and 6th marked the dates items were delivered to the Hospice Homes in WS and HP. Mark your calendar our next "Cookies for Hospice" will be **Sunday, November 9.**

Hopefully by the time this newsletter arrives you have already begun filling your Operation Christmas Child Shoebox. Contrary to earlier beliefs, this ministry does provide for children in the US in extreme poverty or disaster stricken areas. Please remember there are pamphlets and boxes available to aid you in filling your box and just as a note, stores like Dollar Tree are excellent places to shop very economically. As stated in the bulletins, your box may be the only gift "your" youngster ever receives. The deadline for this project will be Wednesday, **November 19.**

Can you believe it is time to begin thinking of Christmas? While we are reluctant to think that far ahead, there are many youngsters in this area who will have a joyous Christmas this year through our gifts to the Pilot Mountain Baptist Association Toy Store. Once again children birth through the 8th grade will be served and these are children who will **not** be receiving gifts from other organizations. Gifts ranging from \$10 - \$30 will gladly be received and donation baskets will be in the Office/Fellowship Building. Since the toy store in our area will be held on December 6, if you have not already started, now is the time to begin looking for those special sales.— there are bargains out there!

Wednesday night, November 5 will be our next meeting immediately following the fellowship supper at which time we will be finalizing our plans for 2014. Come be a part of this. With the season of Thanksgiving now approaching, let us all remember in what manner God has blessed us and how He would want us to exhibit to our community the ways **UNION CROSS REACHES OUT TO SHOW HIS LOVE.**



Can you believe it? It's time to start ordering Poinsettias for Christmas. If you would like to place one in the sanctuary in honor or in memory of someone, please fill out the form located in the sanctuary foyer between Nov. 9th and 23rd and return it along with your money in an envelope to Debbie Slaydon, Kathy Mills or Sharon Thompson. Cost is \$6.25 each. Please make checks payable to the church.