

# FELLOWSHIP FAMILY NEWS

October 2017



**Finally, brothers and sisters,  
whatever is true, whatever is  
noble, whatever is right, what-  
ever is pure, whatever is lovely,  
whatever is admirable--if any-  
thing is excellent or praisewor-  
thy--think about such things.**

**Philippians 4:8**

## Thanks

Thank you for the yellow mums  
that you sent while I was in the hospital.

I appreciate the prayers, visits, and  
concern for myself and family.

Thank you again.

Terry R. King

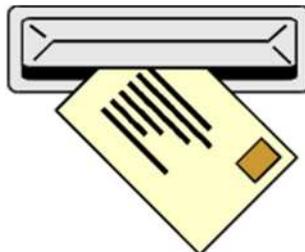


## New Address

Our friend Barbara Linde has  
moved. Her address is:

P.O.Box 145  
Salemburg, NC 28385.

Her email address is:  
eeglindel37@gmail.com



## Ushers

**Oct. 15:** Don and  
Mary Young

**Oct 22:** Dave and  
Brenda Boynton

**Oct. 29:** Lori and  
Cayden Sabella

**Nov. 5:** Roy and Jo-  
Ann Gould

## Acolytes

**Oct. 15:** Lynda Meek  
and Lori Cheney

**Oct. 22:** Kylee and  
Cayden Sabella

**Oct. 29:** Frieda Mau-  
the and Beverly Stew-  
art

**Nov. 5:** John Cole and  
Carol Cookson

## Greeters

**Oct. 15:** Barbara Flip-  
pin and Sandra Thorn

**Oct. 22:** Joe and  
Kathy Amos

**Oct. 29:** Don and  
Mary Young

**Nov. 5:** John and  
Mary Martin



## NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

Norma Beadle 11-9

Lynda Meek 11-12

Norman Hancock 11-13

John Cole 11-13

Barbara and Howard Flippin 11-15

Bruce and Harriet Heiserman 11-15

Dotty Killian 11-18

Thelma Reed 11-19

Mike and Katie Risk 11-20

David Sabella 11-22

Richard Wallace 11-25

Adam Fisher 11-25

Dan Weber 11-27



### Nursery

**Oct. 15:** JL and Peggy Hickman

**Oct. 22:** Kathy Amos and Lizzy Hancock

**Oct. 29:** Barbara Flippin and JoAnn Gould

**Nov. 5:** Terry King and Christy Hancock

## Summary of Actions of Our Session

### By Andy Marts, Stated Clerk of Session

The Session of the Fellowship (Baxter) Cumberland Presbyterian Church met in regular session on Wednesday September 27, 2017 at 7:00 pm in the Hudson Fellowship Hall. Present were the following Elders: Christy Hancock, Glenn Priebe, Joe Amos, Sandra Thorn, John Martin, Dave Boynton, and Roy Gould. Also present was Moderator Gary Tubb, Stated Clerk Andy Marts, and Treasurer Jerry Jones. Sheila Benz and Gay King were absent. John Martin opened the meeting with a devotion followed by prayer.

The minutes for the August 2017 regular meeting were approved.

Accepted the treasurer's report for August 2017.

Approved having our church listed in the Chamber of Commerce year book for \$100.

Approved renewing our HVAC contract with Custom Heating and Cooling another year for \$416.64.

Approved Good Impressions Print Shop doing several small print jobs for us including printing and binding the Session Handbook for \$492.00.

Approved purchasing 5 new aluminum tables and donating the 3 remaining old heavy wood tables to someone like Good Will or Salvation Army.

Approved donating our old (extra) communion set to Camp Peniel.

Approved Gary Tubb trying to schedule Dr. Tommy Thompson and Dr. Tom Campbell to do another CP history presentation in March/April 2018.

Glenn Priebe closed the meeting in prayer.

Next meeting will be Wednesday October 25, 2017 in the Hudson Fellowship Hall.

## Update From a Friend

I haven't attended for some time but I have had a few health issues that are now cleared up. I will not be attending in the future as I am attending to some of my bucket list items most of which have to do with Alaska and my daughter and grand children. So to do that I have just become an Alaska resident and my grandchildren and great grandchildren have taken over my life and absorb most of my time. I will take time to get my deer and bear and caribou and hope I draw a moose tag. The salmon and halibut list items are completed except for my king salmon. I want a 40 lb. and the best I have done is 32.

I think of your little church often and I must say in parting It was a joyous experience attending and worshiping with you all. best wishes to you all. God be with you

Paul Herrick

## *As I See It*

We are a very mobile group of people. I believe that if we were to compare notes with one another on our travels in a year's time, we would find that our congregation has visited nearly every state in the union and a few foreign countries. We have seen sights which astound us for their beauty, grace, elegance, simplicity, and even their bleakness. Each sight is unique to itself and can stir emotions within us which have been felt by many others over the course of time, regardless of length or brevity.

Kim and I have joined you in making the above paragraph true. It is a wonderful thing to be able to see the beauty of the Earth and its fullness. But I want us to consider this: Regardless of all the beauty of the Earth, it pales in relationship to the beauty of what GOD has in store for us when He calls us home.

The Biblical description of Heaven is an attempt to show us Heaven's splendor, but I believe that there are not adequate words to describe what Heaven is really like. Let us strive daily to enjoy what GOD has for us on the Earth while we are preparing for the splendor of our eternal home. Remember this, we are sojourners passing through this world below.

These next few weeks will be very busy here at church and in our own personal lives. Make sure that you clear your calendars for the several special Sundays which are celebrated each year. These mean a lot to the growth and fellowship of the church numerically and spiritually.

1). The first Sunday is Pastor Appreciation Sunday which I like to call Congregation Appreciation Sunday on October 22. You have been wonderful to Kim and me over the nearly five years.

2) November 19 is the Annual CPWM Auction. It is a fun event and a great fund raiser for the CPWM.

3). The third Sunday in November is usually the day for making sure that your Operation Christmas Child shoe boxes have been turned in.

4) December 3 is the Hanging of the Green service held in the evening.

5) Christmas Eve (December 24) service will be held at the 10:30 AM service. It will be our regular service with some special twists. I am looking forward to planning it and using several of you as part of the service.

These special Sundays are great opportunities for us to invite friends who are searching for a new place to worship or are just wanting to see how we worship. It is also a great time to showcase your families, especially the young ones.

The more that you participate in the season the greater the season will mean to you and your families. Time spent in Christian service and in a Christian service will help you grow in your love for the Christ.

We will have other opportunities to be of service in the mission projects, such as Operation Christmas Child, Salvation Army Bell Ringers, Love Loaf offering and Christ the King offering as well as other opportunities.

I look forward to the beautiful colors of Fall, the feasting on the food of the season, festive fellowship with friends and new acquaintances, celebrating and worshipping during the Holy Days which are before us, hearing the music of the season, and seeing GOD's hand at work in His creation.

I look forward to worshipping with each of you. We all have a need to worship the Triune GOD. We all have a need to expend our energy and void ourselves of self-will when we worship and celebrate being in GOD's presence as a worshipping body. GOD has a plan for each of us. Follow it and GOD will bless.

The church house is a greater place when GOD's people come together. I look forward to being with you each Sunday.

Because of the Christ who love us so, Gary



# CPWM Retreat at Camp Peniel

Eight ladies from our church joined many others from across the state of Arkansas for a retreat at Camp Peniel on October 6th and 7th.

Our region was the host region this year. FCPC was in charge of the craft. Thank you to everyone who helped out by donating picture frames.

The theme for the year is "Connecting With Our Neighbor." Marsha Hudson spoke about this with the illustration of our lives being the cup and our support system being the saucer.

It was a fun and meaningful event for everyone who attended.

Photos submitted by Chris Steiger and Facebook.



# Showers of Blessings

On September 9th, a wedding shower for Lauren Barnes and Hunter Brown was held at the church. The couple was married at our church on September 30th. We wish the best of everything in life.



On September 23rd, a baby shower was held at our church for Samuel James Jones, son of Dustin and Aimee Jones, and grandson of Jerry and Marjie Jones. Samuel was born August 18th.



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**MOUNTAIN HOME, ARKANSAS**

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mjjones@suddenlink.net OR drop it in the newsletter box at the church.

**We're on the Web!**  
<http://www.fellowshipcumberland.org/>

## Upcoming Events

### **October 22nd—Pastor appreciation and soup luncheon after church**

Bring your favorite soup, desert or other dish to share, or just come and enjoy the food and fellowship.

### **November 12th—Operation Christmas Child Shoe boxes due**

Make a lot! We want to beat our record from last year. If you don't want to pack a box, you can donate money to the youth group, and they will do the leg work for you. Give the money to Tammy Marts or Christie Hancock.

### **November 19th—Thanksgiving Potluck and CPWM auction after church**

You still have a lot of time to create wonderful items for the upcoming auction. CPWM needs your help to refill the funds so they can continue to help the church and the world. The auction and meal are always a lot of fun.

*Help keep your neighbors warm!*

Warm  
someone's *heart*



**SUNDAY**

**November 5, 2017**

Bring new, portable heaters, new electric blankets, and new or gently used clean blankets with you to church on Sunday November 5th.

(Monetary donations accepted)

Items will be distributed through the **Ozark Center of Hope & the Christian Clothing Exchange**

For more information, please contact:  
**NEEDS OF MANY**

Chris Steiger 870-508-0185 or  
Bette Gould 870-492-6710



Kathy Amos helped promote the “Needs of Many” organization by riding on the float in the fair parade.

## Greeting Cards Needed

Lynn Kelsh sends cards to members on behalf of the church. If you have extra greeting cards that you would like to donate to the cause, you can give those to Lynn.

