

February, 2016, NEWSLETTER

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Another month has flown by and February is here. I would like to comment on a few things that are taking place and update you with the progress.

Our deacon ministry team is stepping up its' efforts to become more engaged with the needs of our people. In a few days we will have the deacons listed with their contact numbers and the assigned families listed on the church web site at Corinthbcrosehill.org. If you do not know your deacon assignment or do not find your name listed, then please call the church office and inform Judy Williams of the deacon of your choice. We will need your name, family's member's names and contact information. We may have to reassign some in order to keep the load balanced between our deacons.

Also in keeping with the commitment to be more accessible and responsive to our people, we have upgraded and placed our phone tree back into service. We are making plans to use this method of contact to keep you informed of the changes or church news that happens between meeting times. However, in order to be contacted, **YOU MUST PROVIDE A CURRENT AND WORKING TELEPHONE NUMBER**. Please call Judy Williams at the church office between Tuesday and Friday of the week to give her the number and information.

The personnel committee has met and has updated a job description for the now vacant position of Student Pastor. They will be presenting the new job description for confirmation vote by the church within the next few weeks. Please be assured however, that the Student Pastor Search Committee has been active in seeking resumes, contacting and interviewing potential candidates for that position and seek your continued prayers and support.

Our Brotherhood and WOM teams are active and have several projects in the works. The men are responding to and planning for "help" projects within the community to folks that need both physical and spiritual help. Our WOM have on-going projects, bible studies and outreach activities such as collecting money to provide drinking water wells in countries where people are dying due to the lack of sanitary water.

Both our Student Ministry team and children's ministry teams are doing a great job and are planning more activities for the soon coming spring and summer seasons.

At the request of some of our young men within the church, we have started a bible study-basketball program that is held in the gym starting at 7:00 p.m. Sunday evenings after the Bible studies and Student programs finish. So far the attendance has primarily been visitors to our church and we consider this a positive step in reaching the community and region for the Lord. We pray that this will grow and be a spiritual success for the Lords work at Corinth.

There is a renewed interest within our people for an active outreach to the community. You are vital to the success. Begin where you are, invite someone to the services, and pray, pray, pray. If you feel that any of the sermons would be helpful in your outreach, then let Adam or Sharon know and they can provide you a DVD copy that you can share with others.

Also, the prevalent use of Facebook and other social media gives us a good opportunity to spread the information of the activities and opportunities at Corinth. I would ask those of you that visit on the sites to make positive comment and encourage others by referring to our Web page etc. This is perhaps the most economical and timely way that we can effectively reach others and encourage them to be a part of serving the Lord at Corinth.

While we are aware that others are taking note of the changes at Corinth, we are also aware that so is Satan. Therefore, be cautious, pray and seek God's will in all that we do. We must not allow the old devourer to damage, delay or destroy the Good Work that GOD has commenced and continued at Corinth Baptist Church

Again, my thanks and my love are with you always.

Philip Eakins

Pastor

Women on Mission – February WOM will meet at 7 PM on Thursday, February 4 – place to be determined.



WOM Pure Water Project – – Our WOM Ministry is asking everyone to support their current project. How can the church help?? Simply drink a bottle of water, fill that bottle up with your loose change and place in basket located in front of church. This money will be used to provide pure drinking water – something we all take for granted – in places where there is no decent drink water.



BAPTIST BROTHERHOOD. The next Baptist Brotherhood Breakfast is scheduled for February 21 @ 8 AM.



*Come in out of the cold and join us at noon on **Tuesday, February 16** for some home-made soup and sandwiches! What a great way to spend some time with friends and family!*

Joy for Janiah Benefit - February 12th

Sign-up sheets are located in the Family Life Center. The benefit is February 12 at the Rose Hill Town Square. If you can prepare a cake, please deliver sliced and individually wrapped to the FLC by 4 PM on Thursday, February 11. There are also sign-up slots available for volunteering the day of the benefit. If you are unable to bake a cake or volunteer, please consider purchasing a BBQ plate on the 12th at the Rose Hill Town Square. Donations can be made to the Joy for Janiah Account at First Bank in Rose Hill. Please contact Shannon Jackson (910-284-7130) with questions or ideas.

Women's Ministry News . . .

Dates for *Women of Joy* in Myrtle Beach, SC, is April 29 - May 1. Ladies planning to attend, please sign up by February 7 and secure ticket with \$75 deposit. Total cost will be \$150 which will be partially offset with a later fundraiser.



Women's Bible Study - "War Room," begins on Wednesday, February 10, at 7 PM, and will run for five weeks.

Women's Ministry

SUBMERGED: FINDING TRUTH BELOW THE SURFACE: Grab your goggles, step into your flippers and dive in to find the truth deep within the mysterious sea!

Vacation Bible School: Sunday, July 10 - Thursday, July 14;

Commencement: Sunday, July 17

Let me know if you can help! Rhonda Bond, VBS Director (285-6434)



CALLING ALL BASKETBALL LOVERS!



Some of the young men at Corinth has begun a basketball outreach on Sunday nights after our Bible Studies - about 7 PM. This is a great opportunity to get others in our community involved. So invite your friends to join us for our 6 PM Bible Study and have them stay for a game of **BASKETBALL!**

NURSERY SCHEDULE – February

Sherri Mency

CHILDREN’S CHURCH – February

2 & 3 Year Olds: Hazel Fussell, Makaela Petterson

4 & 5 Year Olds: April Fussell, Rena Baker

YOUTH TEAMS – February

WEDNESDAYS	SUNDAYS
2/3: Camron Jackson*, Mike Rogers, Matthew Merritt, Laura Payne	2/7: Camron Jackson, Allen Jackson, Karen Knowles*
2/10: Camron Jackson, Mike Rogers*, Matthew Merritt, Adam Baker, Rena Baker	2/14: Sean Knowles*, John Outlaw, Kathy Sanderson
2/17: Camron Jackson*, Mike Rogers, Matthew Merritt, Kristen Fowler	2/21: Camron Jackson, Will Rumbold, Kristen Fowler*
2/24: Camron Jackson, Mike Rogers*, Matthew Merritt, Sylvia Johnson	2/28: Allen Jackson, John Outlaw, Sylvia Johnson*

* *Responsible for teaching lesson*

DEACONS OF THE WEEK – February

2/7 – 2/13: Will Rumbold 910-463-8141
2/14 – 2/20: Anthony Teachey 910-260-0121
2/21 – 2/27: Sean Knowles 910-284-6327
2/28 – 3/5: Camron Jackson 910-284-6426

USHERS – February

2/7: TM 7: Carl Carpenter, John Outlaw, Jeffrey Quinn, Will Rumbold
2/14: TM 8: Jason Fussell, Matthew Merritt Jarret Price, Anthony Teachey
2/21: TM 1: Ryan Fussell, Blake Sanderson, Danny Sanderson, Courtney Swanson
2/28: TM 2: Adam Baker, Gary Boney, Joe Quin, Caleb Teachey

TELLER MINISTRY – February

2/7: Sean Knowles (Standby: Amy Peterson)
2/14: Rose Smith (Standby: Joe Fussell)
2/21: Richard Williams (Standby: Althea Blanton)
2/28: John Outlaw (Standby: Cheryl Brinkley)

***SUNDAY EVENING REFRESHMENTS - February**

2/7 & 2/21: TM 1 : Althea Blanton, Catherine Fussell, Charlene Jones, Vickie Merritt, Sandra Norris, Lisa Rogers, Sharon Teachey, Tracy Knowles, Inez Baker, Rena Baker, Penny Henderson, Linda Mott, Donna Outlaw, Karen Snyder

2/14 & 2/28: TM 2 : Linda Brinkley, Susan Dempsey, Hazel Fussell, Sylvia Johnson, Willa Newmons, Amy Peterson, Lena English, Karen Knowles, Patsy Batts, Lindsay Rumbold, Nancy Smith, Rose Smith, Kathy Sanderson

** On First & Third Sundays Team 1 is responsible for refreshments and on Second & Fourth Sundays they will be provided by Team 2. On Fifth Sundays, both Teams.*

Celebrating Birthdays in February

2	<i>Kelly Dempsey</i>
6	<i>Kyle Matthews, Sarah Beth Sessoms</i>
9	<i>Trudy Cook</i>
16	<i>Vickie Merritt</i>
20	<i>Tommie Blanton, Tracy Knowles</i>
22	<i>Lindsay Rumbold</i>
23	<i>Ryan Fussell, Ed Jackson</i>
24	<i>Jace Jackson</i>
26	<i>Willa Newmons</i>
29	<i>Marionna Matthews</i>

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES – February

1	<i>Ed and Eunice Jackson</i>
3	<i>Steve and Jackie Wood</i>
15	<i>Gary and Barbara Boney</i>
18	<i>Courtney and Heather Swanson</i>