



# The Link

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**LAKESIDE INVOLVED**  
**A DAY OF MINISTRY TO OUR COMMUNITY**  
**Saturday, November 7**  
**7:30 a.m. • Fellowship Breakfast in Robbins Hall**  
**Devotion and Instructions about Projects**  
**8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. • Ministry Projects**

On Saturday, Lakeside members will spend the morning in service to our community. It is not too late to join your friends in completing one of the many worthwhile projects that are planned. Today we highlight another popular project.

Lakeside's Little Free Libraries have been used and enjoyed at sites in Rocky Mount and Conetoe during the past two years. This year we will varnish one of the Little Free Libraries and do some landscaping at two of the sites. Donations of new or gently-used hardback children's books are needed to replenish these libraries.

Please join us in fellowship and service to our community. A sign-up list was included in a previous edition of *The Link* and is available on our website and in the office or call Joanna McDevitt at 446-8580. Please call now!

Many thanks to everyone who helped us reach our goal for the Red Cross Blood Drive on Monday. We are grateful to Angela Allen, Ann Chappell, Mary McAdams, and Karla Willcox for assisting with the event.



## WE WELCOME OUR NEW SECRETARIAL ASSISTANT

Liz Broomell joined our church staff this week as our Secretarial Assistant, replacing Chris Feno who is leaving to pursue her theological education.

Liz is familiar to many folks at Lakeside. She is a member of West Haven Presbyterian Church and has helped with Vacation Bible School for many years. She and her husband Phil have four children. Their sons Alex and Jack have participated in Workcamp and some of the activities of our youth group.

When you call or visit the office, please introduce yourself to Liz and help her get acquainted with our Lakeside family.



## ENJOY A "CUP OF WARMTH"

Come have a cup of soup, homemade bread, and a slice of pie to support United Community Ministries. Artist William Mangum will speak about homelessness in our state and present his 2015 Honor Card. The luncheon will be held in Robbins Hall on Thursday, November 12, from 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. The cost is \$10 per person and all proceeds benefit the shelters and soup kitchen. RSVP by November 1 to Faye Sprye at 937-2044 or fsprye@gmail.com. Soups are provided by local restaurants. Remaining soup will be sold for \$10 per quart.



## OUR PRAYER CONCERNS

Please remember the following persons who need our prayers and support:

### At Home:

**Bettina Godwin Batts** (Betty Godwin's daughter)  
**Ernest Bridgers**, 4758 Gardenia Circle (04)  
**Lee Broughton**, 516 Pelican Drive East, Pine Knoll Shores, NC 28512  
**Natalie Stewart Cortez**, 6410 Lakewood Blvd., Dallas, Texas 75214  
**Royal David**, 3172 Oak Leaf Drive (04)  
**Hank Dunham**, 1109 Meadow Drive, Townville, SC 29689  
**Brenda and John Hartness**, 1041-I North Jamestown Road, Decatur, GA 30033  
**Vernon Hoyle** (Bill Hoyle's brother), 201 J Morgan St., Forest City NC 28043  
**Harlon Mosley**, 421 Charlotte Avenue (04)  
**Frances Pittman** 580 Coral Drive, A-4 Westport 1, Pine Knoll Shores, NC 28512  
**Cristi Gonzales Pollock**, 5032 Crown Point Lane, Wilmington, NC 28409  
**Cody Richardson**, 1518 Fountain Branch Road (03)  
**Jean Sykes Smith**, 23 Weatherstone Drive (04)  
**Tim Valentine**, 205 South Fort Street, Nashville, NC 27856  
**Betty Watts**, 616 Nichole Lane (03)  
**Tom Wicker**, c/o Andy Barker, 6313 Sapony Trail, Elm City, NC 27822  
**Andy Wiggs** (Jim Wiggs' son), 523 Ward Street, Graham, NC 27253

### Our Members-at-Home

**Grace Beasley** (Edna Corn's mother), Brookdale of Rocky Mount, 650 Goldrock Rd (04)  
**Nancy Henry**, The Fountains at the Albemarle, 200 Trade St., Tarboro, NC 27886  
**Lambert Sutton**, 3400 Hawthorne Road (04)

We offer our sympathy to Lindy Brice Schmidt and her family in the death of her son-in-law, John Huffman, on October 27.

We offer our sympathy to Billy and Ginny Etheridge in the death of their sister-in-law, June Etheridge, on October 31 in Norfolk, Virginia.

We offer our sympathy to Kathy Hutcheson and Margy Brantley and their families in the death of their father, Leon Mitchell, on November 1.

## FLOWER CALENDAR

You may reserve dates for altar and narthex floral arrangements by signing up on the 2016 Flower Calendar in the office hallway or by calling the church office.

## DISCUSSION CLASS GUEST SPEAKERS

Over the next two weeks, the Discussion Class will continue to explore what it means for us to be a good neighbor in Rocky Mount as we welcome two people who are working to make life better for some of our neighbors.

On November 8, local developer Van Joines will discuss his involvement in the Beal Street Corridor project and how our congregation might partner in some of the outcomes.

On November 15, Cynthia Kornegay, Director of My Sister's House, will share with us her vision of this critical ministry and the ways in which we can participate in helping people escape and recover from domestic abuse.

The Discussion Class meets in the Lecture Room at 9:45 a.m. on Sundays.

**Congregational Forum - November 8 at 5:00 p.m., Lecture Room**  
**Annual Congregational Conference - November 15 following worship**  
*See the enclosed brochure for committee reports.*

## YOUTH NEWS

Youth, please let me know immediately if you will participate in Lakeside Involved on Saturday. Ski trip participants, a non-refundable deposit of \$45 is due by November 8. We will have a regular schedule of choirs, dinner, and SNL on Sunday night. For Sunday night's Bible study, please plan to bring two or three items or pictures to represent people, things, or activities that have influenced you and the ways you are blooming into the person you were created to be.

I hope to see you for Sunday School and worship on Sunday. Elizabeth

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

The youth will hold a combined Casserole Sale/Yard Sale on Saturday, March 5, 2016. We will begin collecting donations for the yard sale soon after the start of the new year. Watch future editions of *The Link* for more details.

## MUSIC NOTES

Children's Choir: What a SUPER group of singers! Great job on Sunday. I love having you all in my choir! I Hope to see you all on Saturday for Lakeside Involved and on Sunday for worship and Missions and Music.

Youth Choir: You will sing in worship on Sunday, November 15.

Lakeside Ringers: You will lead in worship on Sunday, November 22.

Chancel Choir: Beautiful singing on Sunday. Thank you for commitment. As always, attendance at rehearsal is important as we prepare each Sunday's worship, Advent, and the *Messiah* performance on December 6. Amy

## CNN HERO OF THE YEAR NOMINEE

For his work with the Conetoe Family Life Center and Community Garden, Rev. Richard Joyner has been named among the Top Ten CNN Heroes for 2015 and will be honored during, "CNN Heroes: An All-Star Tribute," on Sunday, December 6, on CNN. You can vote once a day for Richard as Hero of the Year through November 15 by using the link found on the home page of our website.

## SUNDAY AT LAKESIDE

Deacon Greeters - Carol Barker and Jennifer Cobb

Ushers - Group II, Ray Weathers, Captain

Crucifer - Jacob Watkins; Acolyte - Edward Evans

Extended Session - Kathy Hutcheson; Nursery - Dawn Cuthrell

Audio Booth Volunteer - John Farmer

### LAKESIDE'S MISSIONS AND MINISTRY PLAN

2015 Missions and Ministry Budget: \$637,111

	Week	YTD
Anticipated Giving	\$12,252	\$539,094
Receipts November 1	\$7,443	\$451,419
Variance	-\$4,809	-\$87,675

### LAKESIDE AT WORSHIP

November 8, 2015

Old Testament Lesson: Joshua 4:1-9

Gospel Lesson: Luke 9:10-17

Sermon: "What Pulls Us Together?"

Adult Choir Anthems:

"Serve the Lord with Gladness" - Dillworth

"Rise, O Church, Like Christ Arisen" - Cherwien

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## LAKESIDE CALENDAR

### Thursday, November 5

12:00 p.m. Meditation Group, Parlor

### Sunday, November 8

9:45 a.m. Sunday School

10:00 a.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal

10:30 a.m. Coffee and Fellowship, Education Building Foyer

11:00 a.m. Worship

5:00 p.m. Forum on the Nominating Report and Ministry Plan, Lecture Room

5:00 p.m. Preschool Storytime, Children's Missions Activities, Youth Choir

5:45 p.m. Dinner for Preschoolers and Children

6:00 p.m. Dinner for Youth

6:15 p.m. Preschool Music and Activities, Children's Choir

6:30 p.m. SNL

### Monday, November 9

7:00 p.m. WMU Group 10, Parlor

### Wednesday, November 11

6:30 p.m. Lakeside Ringers Rehearsal

7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal

### Thursday, November 12

11:30 a.m. UCM "Cup of Warmth" Luncheon, Robbins Hall

1:00 p.m. Meditation Group, Parlor