

The Corinthian

"Good News is for Sharing"



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Pastors' Prayer List

Current Items for Praise and Prayer

- D. G. Rowe was hospitalized last week at Frye Regional Medical Center following a fall and head injury.
- Randy Dyson was released from Catawba Valley Medical Center Wednesday, May 21. A blood clot in his heart prevented shock treatment for his irregular heartbeat. Pray that medication will dissolve the clot.
- Robert (Bob) Armfield had successful heart surgery May 21 at Frye Regional Medical Center and was released Saturday morning.
- Don Albright has been released from Vanderbilt University Hospital in Nashville, Tennessee.
- Lynn Geissele's daughter, Melissa, will have nasal and sinus surgery at Catawba Valley Medical Center May 30.
- Melissa Shuford's father-in-law, Ed Shuford, of Vale, NC died of cancer Friday, May 23.
- Kim Ingle request prayers for a co-worker's daughter-in-law, Heather Brown, who has cancer.
- Trevor and Colby Ingle request prayer for a co-worker, Richard Huffman, who was recently diagnosed with cancer.
- Barbara Roithner requests prayer for her father-in-law, Jack Roithner, New Middletown, OH, who was admitted to the hospital for a minor stroke.

Share the Joy

- Jenica Thompson, daughter of Rev. Bob and Linda Thompson of Hickory, has been named an academic honor student at Appalachian State University.

What blessings have come to you or a member of the Corinth family? If you have something to share for this column, please contact the church office, 328.6196, ext 201 or 203, or email office@corinthtoday.org.



King's Brass at Corinth June 5

The King's Brass (www.kingsbrass.org) will have a concert at Corinth on Thursday, June 5, 7:00 pm in the sanctuary. A freewill offering will be taken the night of the concert.

Tim Zimmerman and the King's Brass provide innovative worship for young and old alike through the "best in sacred brass music." By teaming together, these Christian professionals from around the United States perform their original arrangements as heard on their eight recordings. For more than twenty years, The King's Brass have performed over one hundred concerts each season with three trumpets, three trombones, a tuba, keyboards, and percussion. Playing a wide variety of music from Gabrieli to hymn classics, from Handel to jazz spirituals, from Christmas carols to patriotic marches, The King's Brass uses all corners of the concert

hall to lift hearts and spirits in praise.

Race for the Rock

The Abernethy Warlick ladies circle at Corinth is hosting the 1st Annual Race for the Rock 5K, 1-Mile Fun Run, and Tot-Trot, scheduled for Saturday, June 7, 2008.

End of Year Cookout and Swim Party

All youth and their families are invited to a cookout on Saturday, May 31, 1:00 pm at the home of Dan and Kelley Koch. Please meet at the church at 12:30 if you need a ride.

For more information, call Angie Burnham 244.5677, or Paul Cummings 328.6196, ext 209, or email paul@corinthtoday.org, or angieburnham@charter.net.

Monday, June 9

CPR/AED training class will be on Monday, June 9, 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm in the Althouse Room. The Instructor will be Dereck Ellis, American Heart Association and ASHI Instructor. Please contact Betty McGee to register 328.6196, ext 204, or email betty@corinthtoday.org. CPR class is \$20.

Vacation Bible School July 14-18

Vacation Bible School is going to travel in outer space to a place called "Cosmic City." The dates are July 14-18, 9:00 am-12:00 pm.

Sign up by the Fellowship Hall in the hallway or online at www.corinthtoday.org.

The 2008 All-Church Retreat: The Eleventh Commandment

All of Corinth's members and visitors are invited to attend the All-Church Retreat at Blowing Rock Conference Center on September 19-21, 2008. Beyond the chit-chat on Sunday mornings, we have the opportunity to get to know so many others on a deeper level (those who attend other worship services, young, old, married and single). For more information, see the All-Church Retreat Brochure.



Registration is open and is first come-first serve. Come and find out what the "eleventh commandment" is all about and how it relates to our church family. Don't miss this wonderful time to draw closer to God and each other as a church family.

Summer Women's Bible Studies

All women are invited to join us for one of our summer Bible studies. We will be offering "The Power of a Praying Woman" by Stormie Omartian at two different times: Wednesdays - 6:30 - 8:00 pm - in the Althouse Room - Begins June 11
Thursdays - 10:00 - 12:00 noon - in the Althouse Room - Begins June 12

Stormie Omartian has helped millions of women to grow deeper in their prayer lives through her books. In this video/discussion study she will show us how to draw closer to God, to know His plans and purposes for our lives, and how to receive comfort, help, and strength for everyday living. This 10 week series includes a workbook with 5 days of brief homework studying related Bible passages. Workbooks are \$15 for those who are able to pay.

Call the office, 328.6196, ext. 201, or Linda Thompson, 328. 6196, ext. 206 or email linda@corinthtoday.org to sign up.

Childcare will be provided by reservation only.

Looking Forward to Worship

The first Sunday of the month means that we share in the sacrament of Holy Communion in our 8:30 Sunrise service. At 11:00 Heritage, we will honor our 2008 graduates from high school, college, and graduate school.

Read 1 John 3:11-24 as we ponder John's second "test" for a true Christian.

Financial Update

- Offering this week: \$14,128
- Budget needs YTD: \$410,351 (40.4%)
- Offering YTD: \$367,058 (36.2%)
- Needed by 5/31/2008 to stay current: \$55,567



Capital Campaign

- Total this Week: \$2,113
- Total to Date: \$1,094,092

Disaster Relief

People have asked how we can and should respond to the disasters in Myanmar and China. You may designate a relief check to Corinth, and our Board of Community Outreach will forward the contribution to one or more relief agencies. For direct donations and updates, visit -

www.foodforthehungry.org
www.samaritanspurse.org
www.churchworldservice.org

Disaster Relief



Attendance

May 28, 2008

Worship services - 558
Sunday School - 180

Week of June 1

Graduation Sunday
Sunrise Worship, 8:30 am/communion (Sanctuary)
Sunday School, 9:45 am
Heritage Worship, 11:00 am (Sanctuary)
Celebration Worship, 11:00 am (Fellowship Hall)
Twenties N Thirties Bible Study, 7:00 pm
*Alcoholics Anonymous, 8:00 pm
Boy Scouts, 7:00 pm
Men's Bible Study, 6:30 am
Preschool Graduation, 11:00 am
Prayer Group, 2:00 pm
Executive Committee, 7:00 pm
Men's Bible Study, 7:00 am
Spiritual Stretchers, 9:45 am
Men's Bible Study, 8:00 am
Beloved Disciple, 6:00 pm
King's Brass Concert, 7:00 pm
5-K Race (Race for the Rock), 8:00 am
DivorceCare, 10:00 am

Sunday, June 1

Monday, June 2

Tuesday, June 3

Wednesday, June 4

Thursday, June 5

Saturday, June 7

*Non-Corinth - sponsored events.

June 2008

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 8:30/ communion Graduation Sunday 3:00 pm Private Event**	2	3 11:00 Preschool Graduation 7:00 pm Executive Committee	4 6:30 pm Stephen Ministry	5 VBS Meeting, 6:30 pm 7:00 pm King's Brass Concert	6	7 8:00 am Race for the Rock - 5 K
8 2:00 pm Private Event** 6:00pm Private Event**	9 6:00 pm CPR/AED class	10 7:00 pm Boards	11	12 6:30 pm VBS planning	13	14 4:00 pm Private Event**
15	16	17 12:30 pm Cookout Young at Heart (Lake Hickory) 3:00 Blood Drive	18 6:30 pm Stephen Ministry	19	20	21
22	23	24 7:00 pm Consistory	25	26 6:30 pm VBS planning	27	28
29 Combined Services/ New Members	30					

*Non-Corinth Event

**Building/Room reserved

Weekly Scheduled Events

SUNDAY	8:30 am 9:45 am 9:45 am 11:00 am 11:00 am 6:00 pm 7:00 pm 8:00 pm	Sonrise Worship Sunday School Pastor's Class Heritage Worship Celebration Worship TNT (Twenties N Thirties) Sunday Night Fellowship Alcoholics Anonymous*	WEDNESDAY	7:00 am 9:45 am 6:30 pm	Men's Bible Study Spiritual Stretchers Women's Bible Study (starting June 11)
MONDAY	7:00 pm	Scouts	THURSDAY	8:00 am 10:00am 6:00 pm	Men's Bible Study Women's Bible Study (starting June 12) Women's Bible Study
TUESDAY	6:30 am 10:00 am 2:00 pm	Men's Bible Study Staff Meeting Prayer Group	SATURDAY	10:00 am	DivorceCare

Please be sure to check with the church office 328.6196 or email office@corinthtoday.org before scheduling any events/special meetings to be sure a room is available.

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Parish Health Ministry

***WHAT IF.....**

While attending a church function, Ingrid stumbled and took a little fall. She assured everyone that she was fine. She said she had just tripped over the rug because of her new shoes. While she appeared a bit shaken up, Ingrid went about enjoying herself the rest of the evening. Later that evening Ingrid's husband called the minister to tell him that Ingrid had been taken to the ER and passed away. She had suffered a stroke at the church earlier that evening and no one had picked up on the signs.

Recognizing a STROKE:

Remember the "3" steps: STR

1. S Ask the person to SMILE
2. T Ask the person to TALK and SPEAK A SIMPLE SENTENCE
3. R Ask the person to RAISE BOTH ARMS

If they have trouble with ANY ONE of these tasks, call 911 and describe the symptoms to the dispatcher.

While waiting for the EMS, make the person as comfortable as possible.

NOTE: Corinth has a wheelchair and a blanket in the narthex.

**Fast Track First Aid: Jeannie Brackett, RN, Parish Health Ministry*

Young at Heart - Picnic

The Young at Heart will have a picnic at Lake Hickory RV & Resort on June 17. Picnic starts at 12:30 pm.

Please RSVP to Nancy Killian 324.7784 if you would like to attend, and if you need a ride to the park on the church bus.

Join in the fun, bring your fishing pole, swim suit and or walking shoes. Enjoy the grillmanship of Pastor Bill and the hospitality of the parks' openness and view of the lake.

The church bus will leave from Corinth at 11:00 am.

Greater Hickory Cooperative Christian Ministry

The Greater Hickory Cooperative Christian Ministry has partnered with Food Lion to raise money for the ministry through the Food Lion Shop & Share program. Each time you shop at Food Lion and use your MVP card, a portion of your total grocery purchase will be donated to GHCCM. Customers will still enjoy MVP discounts, and no MVP product has to be purchased to participate.

You may link your card by visiting www.foodlion.com and clicking the fundraising button on the left side of the web page.