

STUDY GROUPS *Bible Study* **STARTING Sept 16**
EVERYONE IS WELCOME - JOIN US THIS WEEK

- The Quest 6:15 pm Monday Ladies in the Parlor*
- Men Breakfast group 1st & 3rd Tuesday "Hebrews"
- Jean Teague Ladies Mission Circle 1st Tuesday 10am
- Irene B Smith Ladies Mission Circle 2nd Monday 7pm
- Why Missions? Wednesday 6pm FH *
- Sunday School at 9:45am for all Ages*
- Youth Study & Fellowship Wednesdays at 6pm*
- Kids Missions & Music Sundays at 5pm

Memorial Remembrance Worship Service
 11 am October 28

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

To remember a loved one recently passed, please give name to the office by October 22.

Ministry Leaders, Teachers, Deacons, & you: *connect, invite, encourage, attendance, messaging, resources, reporting, directory, ordering, information, events, resources*

Are You in the... realm?

Get connected! Call for an appointment to get help with the new Canton FBC Connect AP!

Connect with our church community with **realm**

Weekly Item Collection:
 October 14: Craft, Activity & School
 October 21: Personal Care, Hygiene
 October 28: Toys & Wow Items



Packing Party: Saturday, Nov 3, 1-3pm
Celebration Ingathering: Sunday, Nov 11
 See handout or contact Wendy Reid for details

Homecoming
Sunday, October 7, 2018

Invite Friends, Family and Former Members now to join us for this Sunday Worship & Fellowship Covered Dish Luncheon!

Join us following worship for a Covered Dish Luncheon

FAMILY FALL FESTIVAL
 Fun for the whole family!
 CANTON FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 At Canton Armory
 4:00 pm to 7:30 pm
 Sunday October 28, 2018

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Dear Canton First Family, Do we push ourselves enough? It's easy to get into a routine, become comfortable with that routine, and limit our lives to the scope of the familiar. Is that what God wants us to do?

If the Bible is a reliable witness to God's preferences (and I believe it is), then no. God calls an old man to leave everything he's known behind, tells a murderer with a speech impediment to lead a nation out of bondage, repeatedly calls on the weak to rise up powerfully, and saved the world with a carpenter's son who was born into homelessness. So the familiar doesn't seem that interesting to God. This September, and October, as the leaves and temperatures turn, I hope you'll look beyond the limits of familiarity to where God might lead you. It's intimidating, I know, but you won't be alone. I will be doing likewise.

In October, I've been asked to do two things I have never done before in one event. I will be preaching a revival (never done that) in a church whose congregation is predominantly composed of African Americans attendees. All of them that I have met are exceedingly nice, welcoming, and in no way threatening but it is still a frightening thought. Is this something I am capable of doing? Will I disappoint them, myself, or the God I serve? You see, even when God gifts us for tasks, being called beyond the limits of familiarity can be scary. Most things worth doing, however, are terrifying. I hope you will expand your horizons as we head into the fall. With new Bible studies starting (one tonight, as I write this, will begin studying missions, and I hope you will attend), new mission opportunities, new people to reach who are moving into town each day, the opportunities are endless. How will you grow beyond your routine? Rev. Court Greene



WHY MISSIONS
 WHY HERE? WHY NOW?



Wednesdays at 6:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall.

6 SESSIONS

The Quest

BY BETH MOORE



JOIN US! Ladies Bible Study
 Mondays at 6:15 pm
 September 17-Oct 22
 CFBC Mann Classroom




Feed the Bears Ministry!

3:30pm Sept 14 Varsity
2:50pm Sept 27 CMS



Nov 1 CFBC Day of Service
BackPack Ministry
 See Susan Shumolis

VOLUNTEER TODAY!
 ARE YOU WILLING TO SERVE?
 Community Kitchen Ministry Team
 Volunteers rotate every 3 or 4 months on the 1st Thursday from 4-6:30 pm: Team prepares, serves & cleans up. See Cathy Walsh or Lorene West

Volunteer for this Community Outreach

CANTON CANDY WALK
9:45 AM
OCTOBER 31



FALL FESTIVAL
 CANDY COLLECTION IN VESTIBULE AND HALLWAY



Volunteers Needed
 Fall Festival

Cake Walk Cupcakes Hot Dog Supper
 Drinks Games Booths Inflatables &
 More Fun For All

Volunteer with Kevin or the Church office

DRUGS IN OUR MIDST
PRAYER WALK
 2pm SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 30
 Meet at corner of S Main & Academy in Waynesville, NC



Wear church shirt & carry banner
 Bus Available for those unable to walk

Starting Sept 18


THE LORD'S PRAYER

6pm Tuesday Study Group
 Meets in Fellowship Hall

Women's Mission Groups Invite You:
 Jean Teague Ladies Group
 Meets the first Tuesday of the month at 10am
 Contact Nancy Mann 828.648.6056

Irene Berry Smith Ladies Group
 Meets the second Monday of the month at 7pm
 Contact Gail Bradburn at 828.508.2200

School Partnership Ministry
 North Canton Elementary



Reading Buddies
 NCES Reading Buddies Training
 Thursday, September 20, 2018
 10-11 am or 4-5pm

There is a place for you
 Grow Closer To God, Grow Closer To
 Others...Sundays @ 9:45




Saturday, Sept 15
Dinner @ Tommy's

Saturday, October 13
Lunch at Farmer's Daughter, TN

Wednesday, October 24
Drive Linn Cove Via-duct & Lunch at Louise's

Saturday, Nov 10
Catered Lunch in Fellowship Hall

PLEASE JOIN US

MEN'S PRAYER MEETING

BREAKFAST BIBLE STUDY
 7AM 1ST TUESDAY CLYDE'S RESTAURANT
 3RD TUESDAY BOJANGLES CANTON

5th Sunday Food Drive

April 29
 July 29
 Sept 30
 December 30

Please place non-perishable food in the grocery carts located throughout the church.

BUDGET

REQUESTS DUE SEPTEMBER 30

BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 16 @ 5:00 PM SUNDAY NIGHT

KIDS MISSIONS & MUSIC & FALL BIBLE STUDY GROUPS WEEKNIGHTS



Weekly Events & Activities

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| Sunday | 9:45 | Sunday School for all ages |
| | 11:00 | Worship Service for all ages |
| | 5:00 | Kids Missions & Music— Beginning Sept 16 |
| Monday | 11:00 | Bulletin, Screens & Witness information updates needed |
| | 6:15 | Ladies Bible Study The Quest in Mann Classroom Sept 17-Oct 29 |
| Tuesday | 6:00 | The Lord's Prayer Study Group in Fellowship Hall Sept 18 |
| Wednesday | 6:00 | Why Missions? Study Group in Fellowship Hall Sept 12 |
| | 6:00 | Youth Study & Fellowship |
| | 7:00 | Sanctuary Choir |

Reservation & Event Information is needed at least 8 weeks in advance to accurately and fully resource and promote on website, FB, bulletin, announcements, and screens. Please call or email with all of your holiday and fall events as soon as possible. Thank you!

Upcoming Events & Activities

Subject to change— Always check www.canton-fbc.org, FB, and bulletin

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| Sept 14 | 3:30 | Feed the Bears Varsity & Devotion in Fellowship Hall |
| Sept 15 | | Fellowship Hall Reserved |
| | 3:00 | JOY Club to dinner at Tommy's Rest - RSVP 648-2367 |
| Sept 16 | | National Back to Church Sunday |
| | 5:00 | Kids Music & Mission & Youth Sunday Funday begins |
| Sept 17 | 6:15 | The Quest Ladies Bible Study Group starts weekly in Parlor |
| Sept 18 | 7:00 | Men's Breakfast Bible Study & Prayer @ Bojangles |
| | 6:00 | Lord's Prayer Bible Study Group starts weekly in FH |
| Sept 23 | 5:00 | Deacons - Mann Classroom |
| Sept 26 | 7:00 | See You At The Pole Every School Community Pray at flagpole |
| Sept 27 | 2:50 | Feed the Bears CMS Locker Room |
| Sept 30 | | 5th Sunday Food Drive, Budget Requests Due |
| Oct 2 | 7:00 | Men's Breakfast Hebrews Study & Prayer @ Clyde's Rest. |
| | 10:00 | Jean Teague Ladies Mission Circle Group |
| Oct 7 | 11:00 | Homecoming - Rev. Court Greene |
| | | Lord's Supper |
| | | Operation Christmas Child Collections begin |
| Oct 8 | 7:00 | Irene B. Smith Ladies Mission Circle Group |
| Oct 12 | TBA | Court Preach at Harris Chapel Revival, Canton |
| Oct 13 | 2:00 | JOY Club to Farmers Daughter, RSVP to 648-2367 |
| Oct 21 | 5:00 | Quarterly Deacons Mtg |
| Oct 24 | 9:15 | JOY Club to Louise's & Linn Cove Via-Duct - RSVP |
| Oct 27 | 6:00 | HBA Youth IGNITE @ Calvary Rd Baptist |
| Oct 28 | 11:00 | Memorial Remembrance Day |
| | 4:00 | Fall Festival @ Canton Armory |
| Oct 30 | 10:00 | 5th Tuesday Ladies Mission |
| | 6:00 | Men's Night Out |
| Oct 31 | 9:30 | Canton Candy Walk |
| Nov 1 | | Backpack Day of Mission Service |
| Nov 3 | 1:00 | Operation Christmas Child Packing Party |
| | | DLs ends Fall Back - Change Clock Back |
| Nov 4 | 5:00 | Budget Discussion Church Conference |
| Nov 9 | 3:30 | Feed the Bears & Devotion Pisgah Varsity if make play offs |
| Nov 10 | 12:00 | JOY Club Catered Lunch in FH - RSVP to 648-2367 |
| Nov 11 | 11:00 | Budget Affirmation Vote in Morning Worship |
| | | Operation Christmas Child Ingathering |
| Nov 14 | 6:00 | Thanksgiving Feast - Covered Dish |
| TBA | | Operation GUM (God Use Me) Drop |
| Nov 18 | 6:30 | Community Thanksgiving Service @ TBA |
| Nov 25 | 11:00 | Hanging of the Greens |
| Nov 27 | | Deacon Poinsettia Ministry |
| Nov 28 | | Prep for Community Children's Ministry Party |

We extend Christian love, sympathy, and prayers for the families of: Harold Childers.

