



The Chapel Herald

A House United

By Pastor John Jacobs



Four months after the Battle of Gettysburg, on November 19, 1863, President Abraham Lincoln addressed a divided and warring nation, explaining as Commander-in-Chief why Americans were fighting each other, and articulating – better

than any President ever has – the need to take up arms in the sacrifice of our nation’s manhood.

Lincoln never joined a church, yet no President has ever quoted the Bible, or alluded to the spiritual nature we share, more than Lincoln. He famously described our United States as “a house divided,” reminding us of Jesus’ words in Mark’s Gospel, and then he asked whether our nation, so conceived and so dedicated to liberty, can long endure.

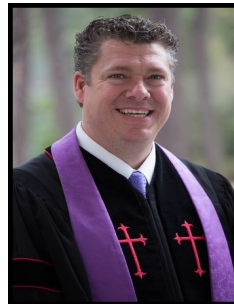
I begin with this historical episode because, in a nation today so divided and estranged, we are reminded that The Village Chapel is still one church representing three different traditions of Christian worship, each expecting to receive the music and preaching they believe will nourish and enrich their souls on Sunday. All three services represent brothers and sisters in Christ seeking an offering of diverse worship unique in most places, in a tradition distinctive to The Village Chapel.

Rather than stumbling in our differences, why can’t we rejoice in our common objective to

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Summer “To Do” List

by Pastor Ashley Smith



1. Sign up for "Tables of 8" fellowship meal by contacting Julie Huggins at hugginsj4@gmail.com You can either host a meal and/or sign up to be a part of an existing group. You can even select your own group. Three groups have already formed involving 26 people- sign up today!

2. Host or lead a small discipleship group. If you would like to offer your home or you would like to lead a small group (you choose the topic) then contact the Christian Education Committee to let them know of your interest. We already have eleven groups that will present discipleship offerings in the Fall (seven was our goal). Small groups are a great way to grow in your faith and get to know people across the different worship services. Contact Bill Bremer at billnshirleneb@aol.com to express your interest.

3. Make plans to attend Invitation Sunday. Mark your calendars for worship (in person if possible) on Sunday July 4th. Our Chapel Choir will be leading the congregation in worship; Holy Communion will be served at the altar, and around the tables at the 9:30 worship service; there will be a reception in Chapel Hall after the 11 o'clock service. Nursery will be provided at all services. This is a great way to make an official return to worshipping together with your Chapel family.

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serve and glorify God singularly and courageously as has been our Chapel's identity? It's a rhetorical question, because, as Senior Pastor, I don't question our resolve to do exactly that – to place our worship of the one and only Savior who unifies us, before anything that might divide us.

May that Savior who prayed in John 17 that we all may be one, continue faithfully to keep us together – just as he brought us together in his grace – so that The Village Chapel, “so conceived and so dedicated, may long endure.”



Pastor John

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4. Pray for the Youth. The youth will be going to F-Fuge Camp at Liberty University, in Lynchburg, VA, from June 21-25. They will worship with youth from all over the southeast and will serve in the local community through various outreaches. The youth will attend small groups for discipleship to learn how to integrate their faith into their everyday lives. Please pray for spiritual eyes to be opened and for hearts to be healed, in Jesus's name.

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

The Women of the Chapel currently needs a Chair to lead the group and someone to plan the Christmas Brunch. Please contact Lori Valentinas, if you are interested, at valentinas2277@sbcglobal.net

An assistant is needed to help Betsy Jacobs with the Sunday flower arrangements. Duties might include rearranging one of the altar arrangements into a smaller bouquet for our shut-ins and helping with the delivery schedules. Please contact Betsy at 910-986-7215 or email: betsy@tvcpinehurstcom.

“Greeters / Ushers for the 11:00 Service” We are in need of several members of our congregation to volunteer to take part in our Greeter/Usher Ministry for the 11:00 Service. The requirements are minimal: Greet/Usher every four (4) to six (6) weeks, wear a blue sport coat with grey pants. Duties are: Hand out service bulletins and assist as necessary. This is a great way to meet your fellow members of The Village Chapel. If interested, please contact Fred Fox 910-235-5389 - pfredfox23@icloud.com.

Readers are needed at the 8:15 service. If you would like to be a reader for this service, please contact Darlene Skinner at dskinner4@nc.rr.com

Children and Youth Sunday School teachers are needed. Please contact Pastor Vickie at (910) 986-8309 if you are interested.

Sandhills Adult and Teen Challenge

Sandhills Adult and Teen Challenge is one of the recipients of funds provided by The Village Chapel. This drug and alcohol recovery program is a faith based 501(c) 3 entity serving people of North Carolina 18 years of age and older. Currently, clients are aged 19 through 67 years old. These people are self-determined, court mandated, family intervened, bottomed out, and/or homeless. The recovery from drug and alcohol addiction program is 14 months long followed by learning life skills through connections with the Community College to enhance their skills & abilities to succeed when they finish the program. Last year with prayer and generous giving they were able to achieve the following:

- 69 men were able to attend the residential disciple recovery program
- 14 church services were done with the choir ministry
- 21 outreaches and community events were conducted
- Over 21,000 students were addressed with the message of hope
- 80 people made decisions to follow Jesus
- Facilitated weekly Stepping into Freedom 12-Step recovery groups for inmates at Cabarrus County Jail
- Networked with over 300 substance abuse services and over 500 churches in North Carolina
- Their first student earned his GED on their campus as a result of their continued partnership with Sandhills Community College

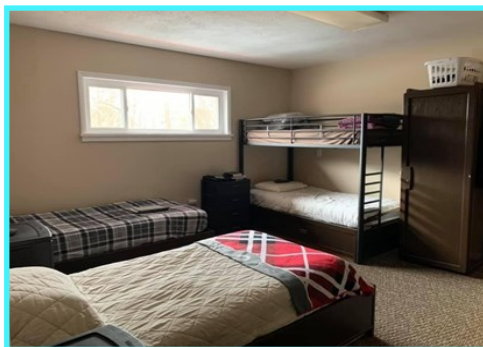
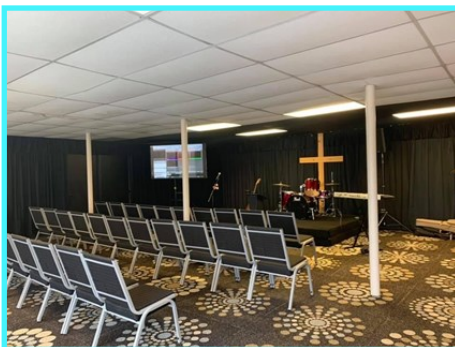
Their vision for this year is as follows:

- 120 men into the residential discipleship recovery program
- Minister to 90 churches with the choir
- Reach 100,000 students and youth with the message of hope
- Participate in 90 outreaches and community events
- Continue to bring hope, healing, and recovery to our communities

Facilities include their Kannapolis Center (Phase I site) and Moore County (Phase II site). Moore County consists of 31 tranquil acres of a repurposed farmstead with office space, gym, stage, cafeteria, dormitory, classrooms, and computer lab. Teen Challenge has been in operation for 31 years. Budgetary spending breakdowns consist of:

- Programs 77%
- Administration 16%
- Fund raising 7%

Adult Teen Challenge is a strong faith based, private organization, serving of “the least of us” aspects but also transition to their futures. Modest facilities, committed staff, and a comprehensive program leaves one truly impressed with the worthiness of our support. Adult & Teen Challenge of Sandhills provides food, clothing, a warm bed, academic materials, etc., which are necessary to ensure the student receives the spiritual, emotional, vocational, and academic training required to help him overcome the problems which led to his addiction.



Music Notes

It is time to sing! We are looking forward to welcoming our Chapel Choir back to our services and leading our congregation in song on July 4. While we will not be offering the opportunity for the congregation to request hymns as in past summers, hymn requests from past summers will be considered along with the usual adherence to the lectionary.

Steinway Piano Dedication

At the beginning of May, we were privileged to dedicate the Steinway M studio grand, donated by Grace Kocher in memory of her late husband, David, a long-time choir member and devoted member of this Chapel. On Tuesday, August 17 at 7:00PM, we will be presenting Dr. Kristina Henckel in a dedicatory concert. We have been blessed by Dr. Henckel's gifts in our worship services and look forward to her artistry in exploring the full capabilities of this gorgeous instrument. We are especially excited to welcome an in-person audience to experience this special occasion. A livestream option will be available.

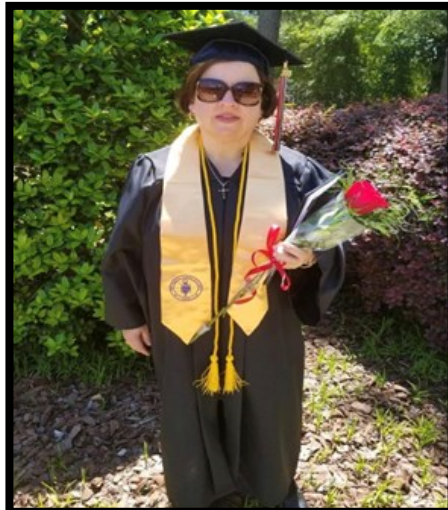
Congratulations to the Class of 2021



Gibson Macrae, Rob Jackson, Jesse Ingham, Nic Granata, Taylor Edrington,
Grace Edrington, Sarah Smith, Jonathan Stansel



Jennifer Imperial
SCC Nursing School



Julie Huggins
SCC Culinary School



Tim Richardson
The O'Neal School

A Tribute to Our Village Chapel Heroes

Let us remember those who sacrificed their lives
for the peace and security of our country



Dave Anderson
Captain
U.S. Army
1955-1959



Charles W. Barrett
Captain
Supply Corps
U.S. Navy
WWII, Korea



Ed Bartley
Lieutenant
U.S. Coast Guard
1942-1945
WWII, Pacific



David Bigler
Airman First Class
U.S. Air Force



Alan Birchler
Specialist Third Class
U.S. Army
1954-1956



Richard Bisbe
Lieutenant
U.S. Navy
WWII 1943-1947
Korea 1951-1952



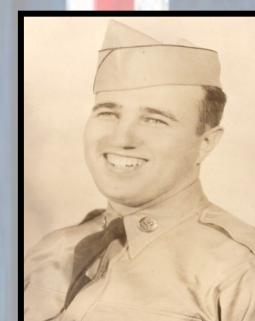
Paul Borel
Captain
U.S. Navy



Albert F. Boyer
Lieutenant jg
U.S. Navy
1964-1968
Vietnam



James P. Brown
LTJG
1954-1956



David L. Burton
U.S. Army



Elmer Caldwell
Colonel
U.S. Army
Vietnam



Lou Clay
Sergeant
U.S. Marine Corps
1948-1952



Emerson Cole
Lieutenant
U.S. Navy
WWII, Pacific



Mike Connelly
First Lieutenant
U.S. Army
Korea



Dan Corell
Lt. Colonel
U.S. Marine Corps
WWII, Korea



Ronald Davis
Fighter Pilot
U.S. Air Force
1950-1955



Bob DeSandy
Master Sergeant
Combat Medic
U.S. Army 1943-1945
Michigan National
Guard 1947-1950



Robert M. Duncan
Lt. Colonel
U.S. Navy
1951-1981



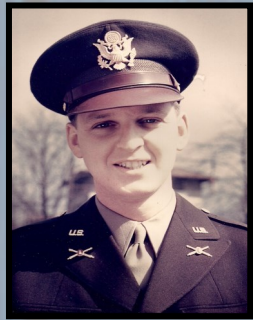
Don Edwards
Sergeant First Class
U.S. Army
1952-1953



Bradford A. Evans
Lt. Colonel
U.S. Air Force
WWII, Korea



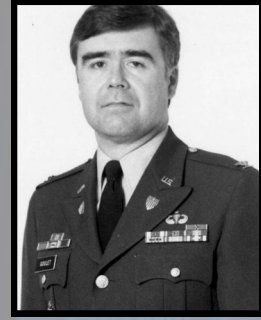
Samuel Evans
First Lieutenant
U.S. Army Air
Force -1944



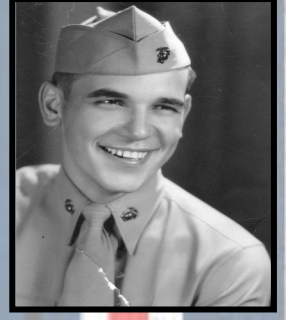
Charles E. Fallon
Colonel
U.S. Army
WWII, Europe



Edwin Glatzhofer
Corporal
U.S. Army



Don Goulet
Colonel
U.S. Army
1960-1984
Germany,
Vietnam, Korea



Harry Hoffman
Hospitalman
Third Class
U.S. Navy
1952



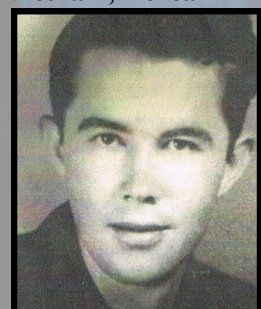
Thomas Hurst
Lieutenant
U.S. Navy
1942-1946
1952-1956



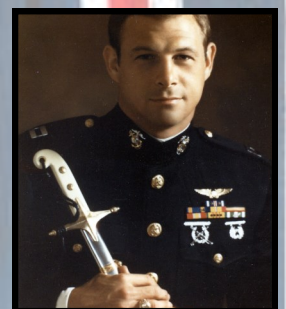
Charlie Jackson
Airman First Class
U.S. Air Force



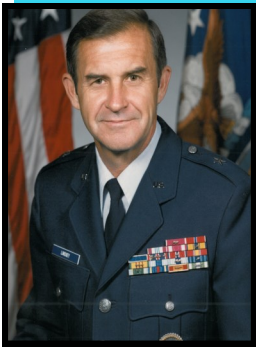
Clifton Jackson
Major
U.S. Army



Leon Holmes Jones
U.S. Army
WWII
1943-1946



Albert Gus Leader
Captain
U.S. Marine Corps
Vietnam



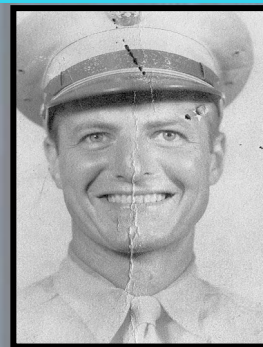
Clarence Lindsey
Brigadier General
U.S. Air Force
1958-1989
Vietnam



Rufe Livingston
Lt. Colonel
U.S. Air Force
1941-1964
WWII, Pacific



Burlin Lowry
Major
U.S. Air Force



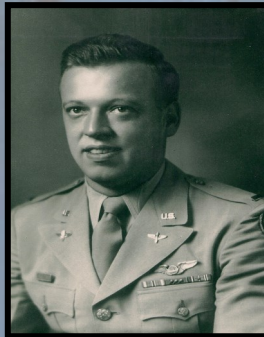
Bob Luhrs
Staff Sergeant
U.S. Army Air Force
1942-1947



Harry L. Martin, Jr
Seaman Second Class
U.S. Navy
1944-1947



Warren L. Mathes
Captain
U.S. Army Air Force
1943-1946
WWII



Calvin "Mac" McLean
First Lieutenant
U.S. Army Air Force
WWII, Europe



John Leroy Mims
Lt. Colonel
U.S. Marine Corps
WWII, Korea



Robert Mumford
First Lieutenant
U.S. Army



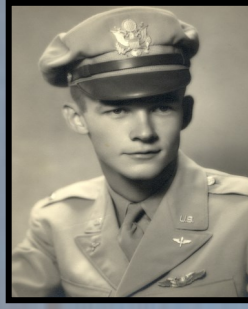
Nancy Burnside Murray
Women Air Force
U.S. Army Air Force
1944



Jack Neely
U.S. Army Air Force
WWII



Joe Oxendine
Private First Class
U.S. Army
1954



Charles B. Parkhill
First Lieutenant
U.S. Army Air Force



Stanley Porter
Staff Sergeant
U.S. Army
WWII



Charles Powers
Master Sergeant
U.S. Army
1951-1975
Korea, Vietnam



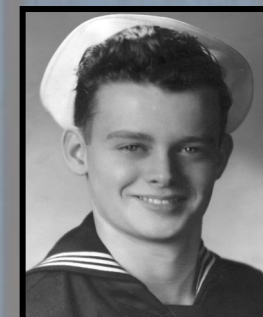
Sinclair Raynor
Master Sergeant
U.S. Air Force
1941-1945



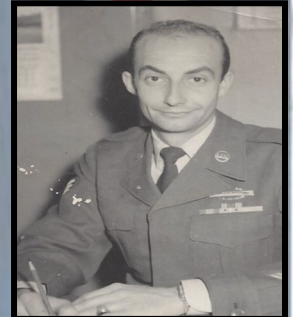
Walter W. Reid
Chief Warrant Officer
U.S. Army
1940-1945



Francis J. Roberts
Brigadier General
U.S. Army
1940-1980



Dave Scyster
Seaman First Class
U.S. Navy
1945-1946



Russ Shafer
National Guard 1947-52, Staff Sergeant
U.S. Army 1953-54
Airman 1st Class 1955-



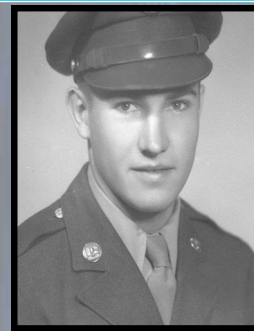
William J. Shannon
Lieutenant Colonel
U.S. Army
1941-1963



Woody Shaulis
Colonel
U.S. Air Force



Donald N. Shaw
Lieutenant Colonel
U.S. Air Force
1941-1972 WWII
Korea, Vietnam



Robert D. Shoemaker
Sergeant
U.S. Army Air Force
1943-1946
WWII, India



Donald J. Shumate
Captain
U.S. Navy
1928-1975



David A. Southon
Sergeant
U.S. Army
1968-1970
Vietnam



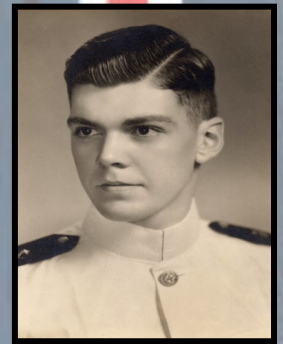
William L. Taylor
Colonel
U.S. Army



Tony ten Braak
Second Lieutenant
Royal Netherlands
Air Force
1953-1955



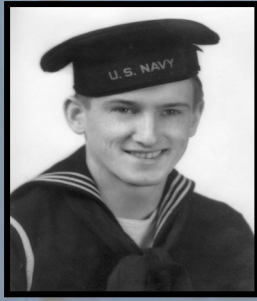
Frank Tucker
Sergeant
U.S. Air Force
1944-1948
WWII



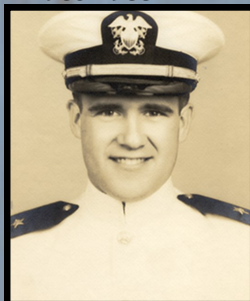
William VanderWolk
U.S. Navy



Bert Van Horn
Petty Officer
First Class
U.S. Navy
1941



Bill Wardle
Radioman
Second Class
U.S. Navy
1945-1952



Malcolm Ware
Lieutenant
U.S. Navy
1941-1945
WWII



Don Weaver
Petty Officer
Third Class
U.S. Navy
1945-1947 WWII



Richard Weibel, Jr.
Sergeant
U.S. Army Air Force
1942-1945
WWII



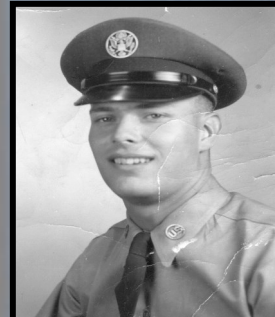
Charles L. Wellard
Lieutenant
U.S. Navy



Gene White
First Lieutenant
U.S. Army
1955-1956
Korea



Jack M. White
Captain
U.S. Navy



Tom Williamson
Staff Sargant
U.S. Air Force
1952-1956



Art Young
Ensign
U.S. Navy
1943-1945
WWII

Thank you, Graduation Guardian Angels

In the Gospel of John Jesus tells us, "A new command I give you: **Love one another**. As I have **loved** you, so you must **love one another**. By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you **love one another**." The Pastors and the Men's Ministry thanks you for supporting the Chapel's Graduations Guardian Angel effort and showing your enduring love for God's children, Your efforts allowed the Chapel to assist 23 Moore County unaccompanied youth from Pinecrest, North Moore, and Union Pines High Schools, the Community Learning Center at Pinckney, and the Boys and Girls Club of the Sandhills. Thank You notes are posted in the office hallway from the graduates!



Construction of Heritage Hall

Over the past month, construction of Heritage Hall has been moving right along. Trees were cleared, drainage was set up, and the footers have been set. We have closed off the rear driveway and the garden area of the breezeway for the time being.



Heritage Hall – Help Pave the Way

With groundbreaking completed, we have another opportunity to contribute to the construction and outfitting of our new building. Between the building and driveway will be some beautiful brick walkways and a “plaza” area. We intend to fill the plaza with brick pavers that include special messages from the congregation and church friends. Full details are on the church website and flyers in the church office. You can order and pay for a brick online if you like and create your special message. Examples include: your family, memorials, honoring parents, children, grandchildren, past pastors, teachers, special occasions, church youth and more. There is no limit to the number of bricks that can be purchased. Each brick costs \$125.

Happy Anniversary

- 4 Carl & Sherry Wood
- 5 Alan & Diane Hall
John & Kathy Rowerdink
- 6 Robert & Elaine Workman
- 7 Wes & Anna Smith

- Sam & Faith Clay
- 8 Fred & Anne Fox
- 14 Gerald & Susan Jacobsen
- 16 Alex & Sybil Del Bueno
- 17 Fred & Jean Williams
Robert & Arlene Knapp
- 20 Rudy & Betty Austin
- 21 Alan & Christine Mimms
Bob & Maggie Ihde
- 23 Chris & Jennifer Imperial
- 26 Ray & Barbara Barnes

- Kenneth & Laura Goodman
- 29 John & Connie Hopkins

Please contact the office if your birthday or anniversary information is incorrect, or if you need to be added to the list.

June Birthdays

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|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| 1 June Metro | Kay Beran | 19 Phil Fulghum | 29 Nicolas Granata |
| Elaine Workman | Bev Raffaele | John Hopkins | 30 Rachel Shattenkirk |
| 2 Marianne Haefele | Noah Lashmit | 20 Linda Covington | |
| Charlsa Guinn | 12 Kathy Hawks | 21 Yvonne Taylor | |
| 4 Georgene Edwards | Lauren Moody | 22 Sue Fisher | |
| 5 Jack Sadler | 14 Sharon Lawson | 24 Lisa Kruse | |
| 7 Tracy Barrett | 14 Eleanor Hargan | John Zumwalt | |
| Sharon Schnauffer | Nancy Manley | Judy Townley | |
| Zaira Aguilar | 15 Regis Sholtis | Alan Hall | |
| Connor Jones | 16 Ann Whitley | 26 Shirley App | |
| 8 Carole Weaver | Ralph Bowen | Flossie Parks | |
| Eleanora Voelkel | 17 Denise Lundmark | 27 Ann Blackwell | |
| Jerry Taylor | Ellis Hawthorne | Jeannie Riggins | |
| 9 Stephen Wilson | 18 Ellen Woodard | 28 Barbara Weeks | |
| 10 Linda Wall | Nancy Carlson | Mark Valentinas | |
| | Bryan Carter | Shannon Fox | |

HERITAGE HALL-A-PALOOZA

It's going to be a doozie!

Save the date

Wednesday, October 13, 2021

The Fair Barn | Pinehurst

An evening fund-raiser to benefit the furnishing of Heritage Hall

Live auction (Hint: Bring your 'Bucket List')

Authentic Jordan's BBQ dinner with fixin's

Live music by the McKenzie Brothers

A raffle you won't want to miss

Details: Contact Steve Woodward (630.670.0389)

woodward.stephen@gmail.com

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