

AN INDEPENDENT, INTERDENOMINATIONAL CHURCH  
UNIFYING ALL CHRISTIANS THROUGH THE WORD OF GOD  
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# The Chapel Herald



## VILLAGE CHAPEL FAMILY

*Grace and peace to  
you from God our  
Father and the Lord  
Jesus Christ.  
2 Corinthians 1:2*

### *A Word About Membership*

Although the current concept of joining a church is quite

different from the New Testament model, becoming a member of The Village Chapel is an important step in experiencing Christian fellowship and community.

In the New Testament, membership was mainly understood by becoming a member in The Body of Christ, by Grace through faith – then later after a period of catechesis – with a public baptism by water. The first creed – The Apostle’s Creed – was initially used as a profession of faith during the baptismal ritual. Today, the denominational understanding of church membership is understood as a record system, especially when there are thousands of churches within a particular denomination. The information is used to track growth or decline trends, yearly and decadal.

As an independent, interdenominational church, we recognize dual membership – the ability for our members to be members of The

Village Chapel and another church. We have found that some members want to keep their names on the membership roster of their hometown church, or a church that has longstanding, deep ties with their extended family.

We also have a category of regular worshippers we call, “Friends of The Chapel.” This beloved group is highly supportive of our Chapel, in their attendance, giving, and active service. Of course, we would love to have them as members, but we respect their decision to remain friends.

With an upcoming Associate Pastor vote, this week is a good opportunity to prayerfully consider joining. The benefit of membership is having a voice in major decisions that face the Chapel, that directly affect all who worship. If you are unsure about your membership status, please call the Chapel office and we can verify your status. For those who would like to join, please let me know and we can schedule a time to meet this week.



Members of The Kingdom of God,

*~Pastor Ashley Neil Smith*



### *What’s Inside?*

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# Meet the Congregation

**M**ike and Lauren Moody grew up in Matthews, NC. They met in kindergarten, but during their school years they moved in different social circles and after graduation they went their separate ways. Years later Mike reached out to Lauren via Facebook, but she was seeing someone else. Mike continued trying to contact her. When her other relationship ended, she thought, “Why not?” She was surprised at his persistence and decided to give him a chance. A relationship grew into love and they became engaged in 2020 and married in 2021.

Mike knew from an early age that he wanted a military career. He was in ROTC in high school and wanted to join the Marines before his 18<sup>th</sup> birthday. However, the Marines would not take him before he was 18 even with parental consent. So, he switched gears and was inducted into the U.S Army. He was part of the 82<sup>nd</sup> Airborne Division and to maintain his Airborne status he has to make parachute jumps which now total 121. Some of the landings were hard, but God protected him from serious injury. Today he is no longer in the

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82<sup>nd</sup> Airborne, but is now part of the 647<sup>th</sup> Quartermaster Company. He is a master jumpmaster and is getting ready to take over as platoon sergeant. He is now looking forward to retirement from the army in 3 years and 6 months! After retirement he plans to pursue a second career in carpentry and possibly cabinet making.


After high school Lauren went to UNC-Chapel Hill and completed a double major in English and history with a triple minor in archaeology, art history and ancient architecture. Fresh out of college she did a two-year stint in the CIA, but decided to return to NC and enrolled at UNC-Charlotte where she got a Master's degree in history followed by a Ph.D. in Public Policy in 2018. Interestingly, she did her dissertation on North Car



**The Moody Family**

olina's response to the 1918 Spanish Flu Pandemic at state, county, and individual levels. Due to the interest generated by the COVID Pandemic, she was asked to give a presentation on NPR in April 2020. She admits that she was so nervous that she barely remembers it. She said it was live and she was “terrified that she would say something horribly goofy!” Her work led to a job as academic editor with a company called Research Square which allows her to work from home and care for Baby Everett.

They have lived in Moore County in Aberdeen for 3 years. They welcomed Everett during Thanksgiving Week 2021. There is also a 4<sup>th</sup> member of the family, Margorette, a beautiful tortoise coat Maine Coon cat.

Mike was raised in the Roman Catholic faith while Lauren was baptized in the Presbyterian Church. In 2019 they received a mailer from The Village Chapel and the information seemed to convey the traditional church environment that they both wanted. They decided to attend and said that they both felt very welcomed here, therefore it was an easy decision to make The Village Chapel their church home. 

# New Members

## ELIZABETH WEBSTER

Originally from Southern Pines; Elizabeth has lived in DC, Raleigh and Cary; She eventually moved back to Moore County and lives in the Old Town area of Pinehurst. She is formerly a member of Episcopal and Anglican churches

Elizabeth is married and has five children. She enjoys tennis and volunteering with the Life Care Pregnancy Center and the Women in the Chapel. Currently, she is a Realtor with Keller Williams; prior employment included work as an attorney and public policy development and administration



## JACQUELINE WADE

Originally from Virginia, Jaqueline has resided in many different European countries during the past 30+ years, as she managed her company, International Safaris, specializing in photographic safaris.

She and her husband, Donald, live in the Cotswold community, off Linden Road; he is retired regular Army Officer. They have two adult children.

Jaqueline was a lifelong Presbyterian before joining US Embassy & Military Chapels, and now TVC; She is involved with Crosssties. She is an avid reader; and loves all things African and history. Jaqueline has been involved with the Daughters of the American Revolution for many years in leadership capacities.



### NO KID SLEEPS ON THE FLOOR IN OUR TOWN!



*Sleep in Heavenly Peace • Sept. 10, 2022 • Build-a-Bed Project*

## Music Notes



Every so often it can be worthwhile to share what goes into the musical planning of a worship service. While there are many determining factors in planning a Sunday service, the lectionary and liturgical season are the most important. For those unfamiliar, the lectionary is a prescribed set of readings for each Sunday in the church year. The lectionary is made up of a three-year cycle, years A, B, and C. The liturgical year begins with the first Sunday in Advent and ending with Christ the King. We are currently in the second half of year C. The liturgical seasons, be it Lent, Advent, the seasons of Christmas or Epiphany, Eastertide, or the season after Pentecost will always help to drive service planning.

There are then three areas of focus: choral anthems, organ/instrumental voluntaries, and congregational hymns. Choral anthems are always planned the farthest in advance, with organ repertoire and hymn planning next. While the Chapel Choir is blessed with a well-rounded library, the repertoire is ripe with fresh, exciting choral arrangements by new composers, so additions to the library are always being made. Our choral library consists of anthems based on biblical texts, arrangements of favorite hymns, poetry, and oratorios.

Regarding organ voluntaries, once again, the liturgical season or holy occasion usually guides the planning. A selection based on a particular hymn tune might be included because the lectionary suggests it, even if the hymn is not sung in worship the same Sunday. And of course, there is a great deal of organ repertoire to call on that is highly appropriate for sacred use.

Finally, congregational hymns. The demographic of The Village Chapel makes hymn selection a unique and enjoyable challenge. After the weekly lessons have been studied and hymn resources consulted, factors such as familiarity and regularity are considered, as well as overall singability, especially for an unfamiliar text/tune. As most will note, I am not shy about introducing less-familiar hymns if I feel the message or poetry has the potential to deepen one's worship experience.

Something so valuable about our character as an interdenominational church has always been our congregation's vast knowledge and experience of hymns and worship traditions. We come from different traditions that sing both similar and different hymns. Our current hymnal, *Worship and Rejoice* published by Hope Publishing, is meant for use in faith communities such as ours and includes over 700 texts and tunes from German chorales of the 1700s to contemporary hymns and choruses. If we all combined our forces to create a hymnal, the final product would consist of many volumes of hymns. I have found great value in combining our knowledge and traditions and hope you will as well.

**-Stephen** 



# Choir Room and Music Library Updates!



The filing and reorganization of our new music library is now complete! All are welcome to come by for a tour!



THE VILLAGE CHAPEL MUSIC SERIES PRESENTS

# DUKE UNIVERSITY CHORALE



in concert



Dr. Allan Friedman, conductor  
Duke University's premier choral ensemble

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 30, 4:00PM • THE VILLAGE CHAPEL PINEHURST**  
**NO CHARGE FOR ADMISSION**



JOIN US FOR THE

Going Beyond  
SIMULCAST  
PRISCILLA  
SHIRER

Worship with Anthony Evans



2022  
Women's Retreat  
Saturday, October 8

8:30am-3:30pm  
CHAPEL HALL

\$28 per person (includes  
light breakfast and  
boxed lunch)



The Village Chapel  
Angel Tree Sponsor Request

Thank you for your continued support of The Village Chapel's Angel Tree Program! We couldn't serve all these families without your ongoing generosity. Our community's needs are still greater than ever. Please complete the following form so that we can match you with a family in need. After submitting the form a family will be selected based on your preferences and the family's wish list will be mailed to you. ~God bless you.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Can we text you at the number above? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

Desired family size for adoption? \_\_1 \_\_2 \_\_3 \_\_4 \_\_5 \_\_6 \_\_7

I prefer to shop for: \_\_\_\_\_ younger children \_\_\_\_\_ Teenagers \_\_\_\_\_ Adults  
\_\_\_\_\_ No preference

I would like to volunteer for: \_\_\_\_\_ Shopping \_\_\_\_\_ Wrapping- Dec. 5 - 7  
\_\_\_\_\_ Distribution Day- Dec. 10

**Thank you for making Angel Tree part of your Christmas Traditions!**

Please complete form and return to the Chapel office or contact  
Faith Clay at (248) 765-7213 or faithclay@icloud.com

# In Recognition of Roy Longhta



**I**n The Village Chapel's recorded history, many of our vibrant ministries have been born out of the efforts of lay leaders, and they remain vibrant because of the continued efforts of lay leaders.

Roy Longhta and his wife Tove joined The Chapel over 30 years ago after moving to the area. They were warmly welcomed and found themselves impressed with the pastoral staff and immediately became active in Chapel activities. Roy joined the rotation of lay readers at the 11:00am worship service, duties he continued to fulfill until his recent "retirement". Roy has blessed our Chapel with captivating offerings of scripture on Sunday mornings for many years.

In addition to his work as a lay reader, Roy led The Chapel's Shepherd program from 2006-2012, served as member of the Finance committee, the long-range planning committee (1999-2000), Board of Trustees (2000-2003) including chairman for two terms, membership committee, Stewardship committee, and past search committee for an associate pastor.

One of Roy's especially valuable contributions was the development of the Lay Eucharistic Ministry with Don Hamilton. The LEM's primary function is to take communion to homebound members of our congregation once a month and to extend the services already provided by our pastors. This is one of the most important forms of outreach to our homebound members.

As many of Roy's responsibilities in recent years have been centered around Sunday worship, the worship committee wishes to acknowledge him for his many years of dedication and enthusiastic leadership. His energy, dedication, and support to our worshipping community have left an imprint that will be felt by future generations. Bene factum, Roy. ☩

~Stephen Gourley

**...Ever wonder if TVC projects make a difference? Here is just one example of the many lives touched by our Wrap A Child in Love Blanket Project.**



**Thanks to everyone who gave and helped in this effort to comfort those in need.**



# Outreach



## **A note of praise for our donors, supporters, & ever-mighty prayer warriors:**

Recently, a full-scholarship college student walked into our center, just days before she was returning to school in another state. She believed she was pregnant and was not sure she would keep the baby because the baby would end her career aspirations in a highly competitive industry. We prayed and encouraged her to think about the long-term picture. Her mom and boyfriend were present to support her in this decision-making process.

After she saw the baby on the ultrasound, the reality sunk in. We coached her, encouraged her, outlined her options, and empowered her...helping her realize that she IS strong enough to go to school, fulfill her dreams, and choose life for this baby.

We connected her to an affiliate center near her university, and she left feeling supported, knowing help is available to her and that she is not alone. We followed-up with this client a few days later and she was extremely grateful...

...she went to the appointment at the affiliate center, where she felt continued support, and she is scheduled for classes there with her boyfriend.

**~Loving and supporting clients along this journey is exactly what Jesus has called us to do. Your commitment to helping us help moms like this beloved client makes all the difference. Your partnership means so much.**



## *Upcoming Outreach Dates to Remember:*

**Oct 4**

### *Take Back The Night*

*Southern Pines Downtown Park- 6-7 pm*

*Candlelight Vigil, in honor of Domestic Violence Awareness Month. Friend to Friend will honor those in NC who have lost their lives due to domestic violence.*

*For more information:*

*www.friendtofriend.me or call (910)947-1703*

**Oct 13**

### *Harvest the Promise*

*Fair Barn, Pinehurst- 6:00 pm*

*Annual Event for Family Promise of Moore County (FPOFMC), for reservations/tickets and to view silent and live auction items go to [harvestthepromise.org](http://harvestthepromise.org) or call the loop FPOFMC office at (910)944-7149.*

**Oct 25**

### *Young Life Banquet*

*Fair Barn, Pinehurst- 7:00 pm*

*For more info contact them at <https://sandhills.younglife.org>*

### *Sandhills/Moore Coalition for Human Care Needs:*

*Non-refrigerated juice, Jelly, Pasta sauce, Canned beans, Canned meats, low sodium, no salt added, 100% fruit juice, fruit packed in juice or water, and whole wheat options are encouraged in order to provide healthier alternatives for those we serve.*

**MISSION STATEMENT OF THE VILLAGE CHAPEL:** As an independent, interdenominational Church, we unify all Christians through the Word of God, worship God in spirit and truth; teach and encourage the Christian faith; support the spiritual needs of our congregation, and share the Gospel of Jesus Christ through community outreach.

**MISSION STATEMENT OF YOUR OUTREACH COMMITTEE:** "Prayerfully and earnestly distribute budgeted funds of the Village Chapel to vetted entities through rational giving, while encouraging congregational participation with organizations we support."

# Families and Youth



# Trunk *or* Treat



**Candy  
Needed!!**

**Monday, October 31  
5-7pm**

**Volunteers  
Needed!!**

Come out in your best costume and "Trunk or Treat" in the front parking lot of the church.

## **Our Vision...**

We would like to provide a safe, healthy, and fun alternative for the children and youth of our community.

Please help us by volunteering! Please contact Ms. Vickie if you can help!

[vickie@tvcpinehurst.com](mailto:vickie@tvcpinehurst.com)

# Confirmation

Confirmation Sunday will be held on **October 30** This will be a Unity service at 10:00 am. Please join us in honoring our new confirmands.

**PARENT'S  
NIGHT OUT**  
FRIDAY, NOV. 4  
6-8:00PM HERITAGE HALL



**STOP BY THE VILLAGE  
CHAPEL BOOTH  
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2022  
10 AM – 4 PM**

**A Pet's Ten Commandments**

1. My life is likely to last 10-15 years. Any separation from you is likely to be painful.
2. Give me time to understand what you want of me.
3. Place your trust in me. It is crucial for my well-being.
4. Don't be angry with me for long and don't lock me up as punishment. You have your work, your friends, your entertainment, but I have only you.
5. Talk to me. Even if I don't understand your words, I do understand your voice when speaking to me.
6. Be aware that however you treat me, I will never forget it.
7. Before you hit me, before you strike me, remember that I could hurt you, and yet, I choose not to bite you.
8. Before you scold me for being lazy or uncooperative, ask yourself if something might be bothering me. Perhaps I'm not getting the right food, I have been in the sun too long, or my heart might be getting old or weak.
9. Please take care of me when I grow old. You too, will grow old.
10. On the ultimate difficult journey, go with me please. Never say you can't bear to watch. Don't make me face this alone. Everything is easier for me if you are there, because I love you so.

# Farewell

## Remembering Alex Del Bueno

Earning the respect of others is one of life's great accomplishments. Keeping that respect is one of life's treasures. The challenge lies in earning everyone's respect. Alex Del Bueno earned everyone's respect. While Alex has gone to his eternal rest, we continue to celebrate his legacy here at The Village Chapel.

Alex was a great lover of reading, studying history, writing (including poems for his dear Sybil), and music. Musical highlights for Alex included live performances by Louis Armstrong and Benny Goodman, and a young and then-unknown Barbara Streisand.

Even after retiring to Pinehurst following an illustrious career with Johnson and Johnson, Alex refused to rest on his laurels. His community work in Pinehurst included membership and leadership roles with civic groups and charitable organizations, including Board of Trustees of the Sandhills Community College Foundation. This community work was preceded by years of similar service while he was an executive. He even managed to find time for a few games of golf.

During the last decade, Alex was able to complete his memoir, *La Buona Vita*, in which he beautifully illustrates his life and career, effuses pride in his three children, Lois, Christine, and Michael, fondly remembers his marriage to Susan and later his good times with wife Sybil.



He also offers a poignant account of his involvement in Exercise Desert Rock V, an air explosion of the atomic bomb. We are working to have copies of his book reprinted for those interested.

Marriage to Sybil brought Alex to The Village Chapel 15 years ago. His service to The Chapel included stints on the Finance and HR committees and serving as treasurer. Alex writes in his memoir that these volunteer opportunities provided him the chance to return the favor for the blessings bestowed upon him from God above. Alex's final gift to The Chapel was the vision and oversight for the creation of a scholarship endowed by The Chapel's Foundation.

Alex was viewed as a mentor even by his peers and will be remembered for his calming presence and singular sense of humor by those who worked with him and knew him closely. Chapel member John Rowerdink remarked at Alex's memorial service that a crisis always managed to bring out the best in Alex, whether in matters of Chapel business or his own failing health. Even in times of disagreement, Alex held the respect of all who worked with him.

In his eyes, Alex Del Bueno lived the good life, and how lucky we were to have been included. May he rest in peace and rise in glory. ☩

~Stephen Gourley

## HERITAGE HALL – ENGRAVED BRICKS

With the excitement about the Heritage Hall Dedication, we've had a few inquiries about purchasing a brick to add to the beautiful display on the plaza.

To give additional TVC members an opportunity to add your name or memorial to the pavement, we are running a final campaign for bricks.

**THE CUT-OFF IS NOVEMBER 1.**

Bricks may be ordered via the pamphlet at the church office or by contacting:

**Mike Fusselbaugh at [Fusselmrf@gmail.com](mailto:Fusselmrf@gmail.com) or 910-603-5506.**

**EACH BRICK STILL COSTS \$125.**

## Moore County Caregiver Dementia Support Groups

*1st Tuesday 11 a.m.*

“Caregiver” Fox Hollow Senior  
Living Community

190 Fox Hollow Road | Pinehurst

Virtual Link:

910-695-0011 | rhutchings@5ssl.com

*3rd Tuesday 11 a.m.*

“Caregiver” Moore County Senior  
Enrichment Center

8040 NC 15-501 | West End, NC

(910) 947-4186

contact: [aperson1@moorecountync.gov](mailto:aperson1@moorecountync.gov)

*1st Wednesday at 4:00 p.m.*

Dementia Care and Partners Support  
Group

125 Everette Rd. | Pinehurst, NC |

Church Parlor

(910) 295-6848 or [ainsliepic@gmail.com](mailto:ainsliepic@gmail.com)

*2nd and 4th Wednesdays 10:30 a.m.*

Dementia Caregiver

Shadowlawn Room | Clara McLean House

20 FirstVillage Drive, Pinehurst

*When we tell our stories in a safe  
community, all those things that  
separate us go away*

## October Birthdays

- |    |                 |                    |
|----|-----------------|--------------------|
| 1  | Polk Dillon     | Betsy Barnard      |
|    | Jim Corcoran    | 17 Don Hanson      |
|    | Scot Shumski    | 18 Juanita Milam   |
|    | Mike McBrayer   | 19 Tom Shirk       |
| 2  | Esther Acker    | 20 Ava Taylor      |
|    | Jim Rogers      | Walker             |
| 3  | Gavin Obst      | 21 Mark Reif       |
|    | Jim Nelson      | Nancy Clay         |
| 4  | Jim Rohr        | 22 Steve Young     |
|    | Gunnar Adams    | Stephanie Raine    |
|    | Mary Wehking    | 23 Roslyn Sherwood |
| 6  | Mateja Torok    | Alma Buck          |
| 7  | Michele Miller  | Janice Bezanson    |
| 8  | Darlene Wilhelm | 25 Wes Smith       |
| 9  | Betts Turner    | Caroline Cordell   |
|    | Sharyn Simmons  | 26 Thomas          |
|    | George Vickers  | Sherwood           |
|    | Anna Smith      | 27 Phyllis Hudson  |
|    | Philip Kirol    | Aaron Bell         |
| 10 | Allyson Schoen  | M.J. Pizzella      |
| 11 | Larry Magruder  | 28 Thomas Walker   |
| 12 | Leda Eaton      | 29 Kenneth         |
|    | Betty Ayers     | Goodman            |
| 13 | Betty Hamblin   | Matthew            |
|    | Scott Krom      | Goodman            |
| 14 | Katie Barrett   | 30 Stephanie       |
| 15 | Mark Acker      | Edwards            |
|    | Mike Kallam     | Patrick Dewar      |
|    | John Orban      | 31 Kathy George    |
| 16 | George Trail    | Kimberly           |
|    | Jeff Holm       | Lindenberger       |

## Happy Anniversary

- 2 *Ralph & Dana Bowen*
- 4 *Steve & Jacqueline Woodward*
- 8 *Rita & Lawrence Burnat*
- 9 *Adam & Linda Wall*
- 12 *Jim & LuAnn Schneider*
- 18 *Steve & Rosalind Young*
- 20 *Philip & Marilyn Kirol*
- Dube & Deborah Putz*
- Thomas & Mary Ellen Sherwood*
- 23 *Mark & Esther Acker*
- 25 *Robert & Ruth Stolting*

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

***The vibrancy that defines The Village Chapel's congregation is readily observed through the work of our numerous committees.***

*These bodies reflect the diverse professional and spiritual backgrounds of their members. In coming editions, the Herald will describe the role played by each of our 16 committees and how achieving their objectives contributes to the Chapel's broader community outreach and enriches the congregation.*

## **The Village Chapel Men's Ministry**

The Men of the Chapel is a brotherhood promoting the love of Jesus Christ, providing fellowship opportunities, service to the Chapel and greater Community, while bringing joy to families. The Village Chapel Men's Ministry exists to support the Mission of The Village Chapel, that is our mission! To accomplish the mission of the Chapel we focus on four goals:

- I. To increase the Men's Ministry membership from The Village Chapel Congregation.
- II. To "Pass the Baton" for Men's Ministry Leadership Positions to younger men in the Congregation.
- III. To Emphasize "Family Participation" when planning Men's Ministry activities.
- IV. To encourage Members of the Men's Ministry to set an example for all Congregation Members by attending as many Village Chapel Functions as possible.

### **Active Men's Ministry Activities**

**Community Men's Bible Study:** occurs on Thursday afternoons from 4-5PM in the Care Cottage during the Fall, Spring, and early Summer. It is during these sessions that men from various religious backgrounds gather to share their insights of God's word. **Men's Ministry Assistance Teams:** Assists as required congregation widows and the families of deployed military personnel with home emergencies **Annual Community Men's retreat:** is a half day event that occurs in the Fall on a Saturday. This year's event is on Saturday, Nov. 19<sup>th</sup>, from 08:30-12:30 at Pinehurst #9 Ballroom.

### **Community Service:**

- Unaccompanied/homeless youth of Moore County: we work with TambaPlace, Sandhills Student Assistance, and Moore County Social Workers to provide food and clothing to unaccompanied youth. Additionally, "Graduation Guardian Angels" is an annual Spring fund-raising effort that allows the Chapel to present graduating unaccompanied youth, continuing their education, a \$500 gift to fuel their efforts.
- Build-A-Bed: we assist building bunk beds for youth lacking a bed
- Increase Human Trafficking Awareness: work with Friend to Friend, Changing Destinies Ministry, and the N.C. Demand Reduction Task Force to educate the public on Human Trafficking (HT) and thwart HT efforts in Moore County
- We help: First responders, the Academy of Moore County school, and Sandhills Classical Christian School
- We volunteer: Habitat for Humanity: a hard-working organization, supported by hard working volunteers

### **Support to Chapel Activities:**

- Annual Angel Tree Distribution
- Chapel Youth activities (Easter Egg Hunt, Parent's Night Out, FUGE)
- Special Musical presentations
- Building and Grounds, Finance, Outreach, Media and Communications, Nominating Committees

### **Activities Currently Paused due to Covid:**

#### ***Christian Men's Fellowship Monthly***

***Breakfasts:*** Occurs the third Thursday of each month includes a devotional time and fellowship with Christian men from the greater Community. ***Recreational activities:*** Attend as families and friends a Durham Bulls baseball game and Carolina Hurricanes hockey game.

#### ***Annual Fall Family Cookout & Youth Activities:***

An annual event that occurs that occurs in Cannon Park. The Men's Ministry hosts this event for the congregation.

# SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

*...we must always cherish the words of our Lord Jesus, who taught,  
"Giving brings a far greater blessing than receiving." ~Acts 20:35*

**Children and Youth Sunday School** teachers are needed. As well as Nursery volunteers. Please contact Pastor Vickie 910-992-8309 if you are willing to serve.

**Ushers/Greeters**, please contact Fred Fox: [pfredfox23@icloud.com](mailto:pfredfox23@icloud.com)

**Small Group Leaders**, and hosts needed.

Please contact John Rowerdink: [jrowerdink@aol.com](mailto:jrowerdink@aol.com)

**Tables of Eight** -meal fellowship. Please contact Julie Huggins: [hugginsj4@gmail.com](mailto:hugginsj4@gmail.com)

**Volunteers needed** to blow off church steps and surrounding walkways before 8:15 service.

Please contact Pastor Ashley 910-992-8308 or [ashleyneilsmith@aol.com](mailto:ashleyneilsmith@aol.com)

**Care of Congregation Committee** needs volunteers who can write cards to our shut-ins, widows, and infirmed, and volunteers to make periodic phone calls to the same population.

Please contact Pastor Ashley 910-992-8308 or [ashleyneilsmith@aol.com](mailto:ashleyneilsmith@aol.com)

**Parents' Night Out** needs chaperones for October 7 and November 4 from 6-8 pm.

Please contact Pastor Vickie 910-992-8309 if you are willing to serve.

**Visitor Table Volunteers** are needed at each service to hand out visitor packets to first-time visitors while manning the welcome table in the narthex.

To volunteer, please contact Bill Miller at [millerwcjr@gmail.com](mailto:millerwcjr@gmail.com).

**Prayer Ministry volunteers** needed to pray for prayer requests.

Please contact Nancy Clay- [nclay1@nc.rr.com](mailto:nclay1@nc.rr.com)

**Altar Guild** needs volunteers to assist with the altar at all three services.

Please contact Bev Raffaele at [bevraffaele@gmail.com](mailto:bevraffaele@gmail.com)

**ScriptureGram** — Try to determine the scripture verse below using the given letters.

ARPLNFC CFXMRPJ TPMV LW CFR PVSA: TWA FR MFTPP  
 NLER CFRR CFR ARMLSRM VJ CFLWR FRTSC  
 -OVVG VJ IMTPUM

*Solution on page 7*



## 2022 Community Men's Retreat: Greater Pinehurst, Southern Pines, Aberdeen area

Pinehurst #9 clubhouse (formerly National)  
**Saturday, Nov 19th, 8:30-12:30**  
**\$35.00 per person**



Breakfast, lunch and refreshments are included.

It's time for the annual Community Men's Retreat! This is a community event so you're encouraged to bring a guest!

*This year's featured speaker is*

*Dr. Lance Plyler*

Chief Medical Officer for Samaritan's Purse



payments can be made online at: [www.tvcpinehurst.com](http://www.tvcpinehurst.com) or at the church office.  
For more info please call 910.295.6003

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