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JANUARY 2013



Our Deepest Sympathy

To The Family of: Mrs. Mary Lee Johnston Tabor. Passed into the arms of the Lord Nov. 24, 2012. God's blessings still flow as he promised.

Your Church

HELPING HANDS BACKPACKING

Our Helping Hands Backpacking Ministry to NEMS is going well. The next packing will be on Jan. 3, 2013 at 6:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall. Please check your calendar for packing dates. We need volunteers to help with the packing. Please let any CACS member or Ed Tiller know if you can volunteer. Please come and join in this great ministry to NEMS students.

BIBLE STUDY RESUMES

Sundays @ 6:00 PM

January 13, 2013

**Women of the Bible in the New Testament.
Fellowship, Munchies and Great
Discussions.**

OFFICIAL BOARD MEETING

January 9, 2013 7:00 PM

Fellowship Hall

CWF Day Group will meet Jan. 8, 2013 12:00 PM at Anna's Restaurant. Every woman in the church is invited because you are a member of CWF. We will have a planning session of activities for the New Year 2013.

Linda Tiller President

PLEASE DON'T FORGET

The birthday party for residents at Riverview Nursing and Rehabilitation will be on Thursday, January 10, at 2:30 PM.

If you would like to help, contact Sandra Spangler. Please come and help us make the residents birthday special.

Donations to help with the cost can be placed in the offering plate and mark it for Riverview birthday party.

Epiphany Begins Jan. 6. This is the celebration of the visit of the Magi to see Jesus.



PRESCHOOL
NEWS



Greetings to all,

The first half of the year has flown by and it is great to be back working with the children. Thank you for all the support given to us in so many ways. Happy New Year to all of you.

Ms. Shelia

MINISTER ON VACATION

Ed and Linda will be on vacation in a warm climate December 26, 2012, to January 3, 2013. In case of an emergency, contact John Robertson or Glenn Shrader.

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

CWF Night Group, Church January 8, 2013
7:00 PM

ATTENTION CHURCH OFFICERS

On Sunday, January 6, 2013 an installation service is planned for all church officers. If you serve as an elder, a deacon, a deaconess, a junior deacon, a junior deaconess, a trustee, a board officer, or department chairman, please plan to attend this special service.

A reminder to all church officers: part of your responsibility as an officer of the church is to be on the official board. The official board meets on the 2nd Wed. in the months of Jan., April, July, and Oct. at 7:00 PM. Please mark these dates on your calendar and plan to attend.

We are grateful for all who serve the Lord in our church.

In Case of Inclement Weather

If we have inclement weather (snow, ice, etc.) on Sat. night and or Sun morning, the chairman of the official board, John Robertson, and the minister will determine if it is safe to have services. If they determine there will be no services, the prayer chain will be activated and announcements will be placed on TV channels 7 and 10. You may also call John and Ed.

POETRY OF THE MONTH

Grandma's Specials

In the kitchen of our home that grandmaw shared, was a wood burning stove for all who cared. To satisfy themselves with heat and food, hot water and baking that smelled so good.

My grandmaw had a remedy for all our ills, funny thing was she used no pills. Those were left to Dr's Carr and Newton while she concentrated on her herbal concoction. Some favorites-her's, an certainly not mine were for a stuffy nose, sniffing sap of pine. A nasty cough or cold, called for baked onion from that handy ole stove with juice ah running.

Just the thought would make you better, no avoiding it cause grandmaw's the sitter. Castor oil was special you see, to release that congestion, but not for me.

I preferred a sweet little drink, called a toddie, rock candy and whiskey, to the right degree. Love was shared, but all could see she also liked a snort of that little toddie.

To prevent catching what I had, oh me, what I wouldn't give for a taste, Whee! Of love gone by and yet I know, I was only a lad, what a show.

Pastor Ed

Series A
No. 2
12-7-12

**NOTICE OF COMING EVENTS
AND RESOLUTIONS**

Jan. 16, 2013-Epiphany-Installation of officers

Jan. 13 and Jan. 17 2013-To Our House Homeless Ministry (2 meals)

Jan. 14, 2013- Calling Post-Church Communication Program

Bible Study-Five Great Religions
Scholarship-Church & Group Opportunity
Pastor's Class-Leading Up To Easter
Boy Scout Sunday and Young Adult Week
Girl Scout Sunday-Bring a friend
Lent Too Easter
Pulpit Search and Ordinations

Look out for these special events and include your Resolution
Tp support the Lord's work.

Your Pastor

To Our House

The women will serve the homeless men on Jan. 13, 2013 and the men will serve them on Jan. 17, 2013.

YOU CAN HELP

When you leave any room in our church, please turn off the lights, turn off the heater/air conditioning (downstairs), and close the door behind you. We need to conserve as much as possible. Closing all doors is extremely important in case of a fire.

Thank you for your help.

**SOMEONE, SOMEWHERE, NEEDS A
BLANKET**

On the second, third and fourth Sundays of January, the Christian Women's Fellowship will be promoting Blanket Sundays. For only \$5.00 we can purchase a warm blanket for someone who may not even have a home.

The total amount given for blankets was \$1,660.00 which purchased 332 Blankets.

Please give generously as we reach out in the name of Jesus to help people in need. Special offering envelopes will be provided for your gifts of love. Make checks payable to FCC Christian Women's Fellowship. More details will follow on Sunday mornings.

DISTRICT MINISTERS MEETING

January 10, 2013-Blacksburg, Va. 7:00 PM

VFW BOXES FOR OUR TROOPS

Packing for the troops will be on Jan. 8, 2013 at 7:00PM

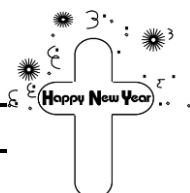
**SAVE YOUR
ALUMINUM CAN
POP TABS**



The Youth Department invites you to join them in helping support the Ronald McDonald house in Roanoke. It is very simple to do!

All you have to do is remove the pop tabs on aluminum cans and bring them to the church. There will be a special container for collecting them in the narthex.

We first make our habits, and then our habits make us.



January

1	Genesis 1 – 3 ; Matthew 1
2	Genesis 4 – 6 ; Matthew 2
3	Genesis 7 – 9 ; Matthew 3
4	Genesis 10 – 12 ; Matthew 4
5	Genesis 13 – 15 ; Matthew 5:1-26
6	Genesis 16 – 17 ; Matthew 5:27-48
7	Genesis 18 – 19 ; Matthew 6:1-18
8	Genesis 20 – 22 ; Matthew 6:19-34
9	Genesis 23 – 24 ; Matthew 7
10	Genesis 25 – 26 ; Matthew 8:1-17
11	Genesis 27 – 28 ; Matthew 8:18-34
12	Genesis 29 – 30 ; Matthew 9:1-17
13	Genesis 31 – 32 ; Matthew 9:18-38
14	Genesis 33 – 35 ; Matthew 10:1-20
15	Genesis 36 – 38 ; Matthew 10:21-42
16	Genesis 39 – 40 ; Matthew 11
17	Genesis 41 – 42 ; Matthew 12:1-23
18	Genesis 43 – 45 ; Matthew 12:24-50
19	Genesis 46 – 48 ; Matthew 13:1-30
20	Genesis 49 – 50 ; Matthew 13:31-58
21	Exodus 1 – 3 ; Matthew 14:1-21
22	Exodus 4 – 6 ; Matthew 14:22-36
23	Exodus 7 – 8 ; Matthew 15:1-20
24	Exodus 9 – 11 ; Matthew 15:21-39
25	Exodus 12 – 13 ; Matthew 16
26	Exodus 14 – 15 ; Matthew 17
27	Exodus 16 – 18 ; Matthew 18:1-20
28	Exodus 19 – 20 ; Matthew 18:21-35
29	Exodus 21 – 22 ; Matthew 19
30	Exodus 23 – 24 ; Matthew 20:1-16
31	Exodus 25 – 26 ; Matthew 20:17-34

February

1	Exodus 27 – 28 ; Matthew 21:1-22
2	Exodus 29 – 30 ; Matthew 21:23-46
3	Exodus 31 – 33 ; Matthew 22:1-22
4	Exodus 34 – 35 ; Matthew 22:23-46
5	Exodus 36 – 38 ; Matthew 23:1-22
6	Exodus 39 – 40 ; Matthew 23:23-39
7	Leviticus 1 – 3 ; Matthew 24:1-28
8	Leviticus 4 – 5 ; Matthew 24:29-51
9	Leviticus 6 – 7 ; Matthew 25:1-30
10	Leviticus 8 – 10 ; Matthew 25:31-46
11	Leviticus 11 – 12 ; Matthew 26:1-25
12	Leviticus 13 ; Matthew 26:26-50

13	Leviticus 14 ; Matthew 26:51-75
14	Leviticus 15 – 16 ; Matthew 27:1-26
15	Leviticus 17 – 18 ; Matthew 27:27-50
16	Leviticus 19 – 20 ; Matthew 27:51-66
17	Leviticus 21 – 22 ; Matthew 28
18	Leviticus 23 – 24 ; Mark 1:1-22
19	Leviticus 25 ; Mark 1:23-45
20	Leviticus 26 – 27 ; Mark 2
21	Numbers 1 – 2 ; Mark 3:1-19
22	Numbers 3 – 4 ; Mark 3:20-35
23	Numbers 5 – 6 ; Mark 4:1-20
24	Numbers 7 – 8 ; Mark 4:21-41
25	Numbers 9 – 11 ; Mark 5:1-20
26	Numbers 12 – 14 ; Mark 5:21-43
27	Numbers 15 – 16 ; Mark 6:1-29
28	Numbers 17 – 20 ; Mark 6:30-56

March

1	Numbers 21 – 22 ; Mark 7:1-13
2	Numbers 23 – 25 ; Mark 7:14-37
3	Numbers 26 – 28 ; Mark 8
4	Numbers 29 – 31 ; Mark 9:1-29
5	Numbers 32 – 34 ; Mark 9:30-50
6	Numbers 35 – 36 ; Mark 10:1-31
7	Deuteronomy 1 – 3 ; Mark 10:32-52
8	Deuteronomy 4 – 6 ; Mark 11:1-18
9	Deuteronomy 7 – 9 ; Mark 11:19-33
10	Deuteronomy 10 – 12 ; Mark 12:1-27
11	Deuteronomy 13 – 15 ; Mark 12:28-44
12	Deuteronomy 16 – 18 ; Mark 13:1-20
13	Deuteronomy 19 – 21 ; Mark 13:21-37
14	Deuteronomy 22 – 24 ; Mark 14:1-26
15	Deuteronomy 25 – 27 ; Mark 14:27-53
16	Deuteronomy 28 – 29 ; Mark 14:54-72
17	Deuteronomy 30 – 31 ; Mark 15:1-25
18	Deuteronomy 32 – 34 ; Mark 15:26-47
19	Joshua 1 – 3 ; Mark 16
20	Joshua 4 – 6 ; Luke 1:1-20
21	Joshua 7 – 9 ; Luke 1:21-38
22	Joshua 10 – 12 ; Luke 1:39-56
23	Joshua 13 – 15 ; Luke 1:57-80
24	Joshua 16 – 18 ; Luke 2:1-24
25	Joshua 19 – 21 ; Luke 2:25-52
26	Joshua 22 – 24 ; Luke 3
27	Judges 1 – 3 ; Luke 4:1-30
28	Judges 4 – 6 ; Luke 4:31-44
29	Judges 7 – 8 ; Luke 5:1-16
30	Judges 9 – 10 ; Luke 5:17-39
31	Judges 11 – 12 ; Luke 6:1-26

APRIL

1	Judges 13 – 15 ; Luke 6:27-49
2	Judges 16 – 18 ; Luke 7:1-30
3	Judges 19 – 21 ; Luke 7:31-50
4	Ruth 1 – 4 ; Luke 8:1-25
5	1 Samuel 1 – 3 ; Luke 8:26-56
6	1 Samuel 4 – 6 ; Luke 9:1-17
7	1 Samuel 7 – 9 ; Luke 9:18-36
8	1 Samuel 10 – 12 ; Luke 9:37-62
9	1 Samuel 13 – 14 ; Luke 10:1-24
10	1 Samuel 15 – 16 ; Luke 10:25-42
11	1 Samuel 17 – 18 ; Luke 11:1-28
12	1 Samuel 19 – 21 ; Luke 11:29-54
13	1 Samuel 22 – 24 ; Luke 12:1-31
14	1 Samuel 25 – 26 ; Luke 12:32-59
15	1 Samuel 27 – 29 ; Luke 13:1-22
16	1 Samuel 30 – 31 ; Luke 13:23-35
17	2 Samuel 1 – 2 ; Luke 14:1-24
18	2 Samuel 3 – 5 ; Luke 14:25-35
19	2 Samuel 6 – 8 ; Luke 15:1-10
20	2 Samuel 9 – 11 ; Luke 15:11-32
21	2 Samuel 12 – 13 ; Luke 16
22	2 Samuel 14 – 15 ; Luke 17:1-19
23	2 Samuel 16 – 18 ; Luke 17:20-37
24	2 Samuel 19 – 20 ; Luke 18:1-23
25	2 Samuel 21 – 22 ; Luke 18:24-43
26	2 Samuel 23 – 24 ; Luke 19:1-27
27	1 Kings 1 – 2 ; Luke 19:28-48
28	1 Kings 3 – 5 ; Luke 20:1-26
29	1 Kings 6 – 7 ; Luke 20:27-47
30	1 Kings 8 – 9 ; Luke 21:1-19

MAY

1	1 Kings 10 – 11 ; Luke 21:20-38
2	1 Kings 12 – 13 ; Luke 22:1-30
3	1 Kings 14 – 15 ; Luke 22:31-46
4	1 Kings 16 – 18 ; Luke 22:47-71
5	1 Kings 19 – 20 ; Luke 23:1-25
6	1 Kings 21 – 22 ; Luke 23:26-56
7	2 Kings 1 – 3 ; Luke 24:1-35
8	2 Kings 4 – 6 ; Luke 24:36-53
9	2 Kings 7 – 9 ; John 1:1-28
10	2 Kings 10 – 12 ; John 1:29-51
11	2 Kings 13 – 14 ; John 2
12	2 Kings 15 – 16 ; John 3:1-18
13	2 Kings 17 – 18 ; John 3:19-36
14	2 Kings 19 – 21 ; John 4:1-30
15	2 Kings 22 – 23 ; John 4:31-54

16	2 Kings 24 – 25 ; John 5:1-24
17	1 Chronicles 1 – 3 ; John 5:25-47
18	1 Chronicles 4 – 6 ; John 6:1-21
19	1 Chronicles 7 – 9 ; John 6:22-44
20	1 Chronicles 10 – 12 ; John 6:45-71
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24	1 Chronicles 22 – 24 ; John 8:28-59
25	1 Chronicles 25 – 27 ; John 9:1-23
26	1 Chronicles 28 – 29 ; John 9:24-41
27	2 Chronicles 1 – 3 ; John 10:1-23
28	2 Chronicles 4 – 6 ; John 10:24-42
29	2 Chronicles 7 – 9 ; John 11:1-29
30	2 Chronicles 10 – 12 ; John 11:30-57
31	2 Chronicles 13 – 14 ; John 12:1-26

JUNE

1	2 Chronicles 15 – 16 ; John 12:27-50
2	2 Chronicles 17 – 18 ; John 13:1-20
3	2 Chronicles 19 – 20 ; John 13:21-38
4	2 Chronicles 21 – 22 ; John 14
5	2 Chronicles 23 – 24 ; John 15
6	2 Chronicles 25 – 27 ; John 16
7	2 Chronicles 28 – 29 ; John 17
8	2 Chronicles 30 – 31 ; John 18:1-18
9	2 Chronicles 32 – 33 ; John 18:19-40
10	2 Chronicles 34 – 36 ; John 19:1-22
11	Ezra 1 – 2 ; John 19:23-42
12	Ezra 3 – 5 ; John 20
13	Ezra 6 – 8 ; John 21
14	Ezra 9 – 10 ; Acts 1
15	Nehemiah 1 – 3 ; Acts 2:1-21
16	Nehemiah 4 – 6 ; Acts 2:22-47
17	Nehemiah 7 – 9 ; Acts 3
18	Nehemiah 10 – 11 ; Acts 4:1-22
19	Nehemiah 12 – 13 ; Acts 4:23-37
20	Esther 1 – 2 ; Acts 5:1-21
21	Esther 3 – 5 ; Acts 5:22-42
22	Esther 6 – 8 ; Acts 6
23	Esther 9 – 10 ; Acts 7:1-21
24	Job 1 – 2 ; Acts 7:22-43
25	Job 3 – 4 ; Acts 7:44-60
26	Job 5 – 7 ; Acts 8:1-25
27	Job 8 – 10 ; Acts 8:26-40
28	Job 11 – 13 ; Acts 9:1-21
29	Job 14 – 16 ; Acts 9:22-43
30	Job 17 – 19 ; Acts 10:1-23

SERVING IN JANUARY 2013

If you are unable to serve, please arrange for a substitute and contacted Ed Tiller at 726-2111 so he will be aware of who is serving.

<p><u>ELDERS</u> Greg Lee John Robertson Kevin White, alternate</p>	<p><u>DEACONS</u> Sharon Shrader* Josh Palmer Jean Johnson Allie Riffe * denotes chairperson of groups</p>	<p><u>DEACONESSES</u> 6th Freda Wright* 13th Cindy Light 20th Tina Blaker 27th Darlene Payne</p>
<p><u>JUNIOR DEACON</u> Chase Lawson <u>LOCK BUILDING</u> John Robertson</p>	<p><u>GREETER</u> 6th Elizabeth Hughes 13th Stan Ferguson 20th Jean Johnson 27th Pete Ferguson</p>	<p><u>NURSERY</u> 6th Chris Trent 13th Jennifer Crawford 20th Rachel Palmer 27th Lynda Atkins</p>
<p><u>ACOLYTES</u> 6th Huntar Ferguson, Cristin Blaker 13th Ty Robertson, Mya Robertson 20th Chad Blaker, Emily Beaver 27th Tyler Wofter, Grace Trent</p>	<p><u>CHILDREN'S SERMON</u> 6th Michelle Robertson 13th None 20th Hollie Ferguson 27th None</p>	<p><u>READ SCRIPTURE</u> 6th Paula Lee 13th Jean Johnson 20th Donna Dunn 27th Glenn Shrader</p>

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