



# Cullowhee Baptist Church

*a place of grace and peace*

October / November 2018

## On Our Journey Together ...

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“Preacher, you need to talk about money more in your sermons.” When one of our elderly (now departed) saints made this comment it seemed she was joking. She was not. As a cornerstone of the finance team she knew we needed more money. She was interested in a balanced budget, enough payroll for our employees, money to pay the steam bill in winter, and plenty to give away to missions and ministry.

It turns out that she was right, we don’t talk about money very much on Sunday mornings. And yet members and guests, family and friends, continue to give their money to support the ministries of this church. Why? Just read this newsletter!

The ways in which Cullowhee Baptist Church is invested in the Gospel’s work right here in this building, throughout Jackson County, and way beyond our borders is evident. This mission work requires us - congregation members who will work, go, or give to make sure that needs are met and the Gospel is taught. In the pages of this newsletter you will read about our church’s response to immediate needs like the cleanup from Hurricane Florence, as well as partnering

with Christians in Brazil that will have an impact for the Gospel for decades. These kinds of mission efforts display the miracle of turning money into ministry.

Over the past year we have seen a lot of work on the church itself—a new playground, new flower beds, a new front yard and sidewalks (coming soon!), and a new front sign. Within the next year, other building improvements and repairs will also take place. We celebrate every work and can clearly see how these things are tools for ministry. And, yes, we will ask you to give money to support these projects. Yet worship, discipleship, ministry, and missions remain the most important work of this church. Again, you will find this reality reflected in this newsletter.

Thank you for being disciples of Jesus who are willing to reach out with care and responsibility and resources to make sure that God’s work in this world continues through our calling as Christians in this world.

*Grace and Peace, Tonya and Jeffrey*

## World Communion Sunday, October 7

Many Protestant Christians designate the first Sunday in October as World Communion Sunday. A practice that began in the Presbyterian church in the 30’s, on this Sunday Christians celebrate our oneness in Christ with our sisters and brothers around the world. We live in different places, we celebrate communion differently, we worship in different kinds of buildings, we are parts of different Christian groups, but we are all one in Christ Jesus our Lord! At CBC we practice an open communion which means everyone who professes faith in Jesus is welcome to share the bread and cup with us when we observe communion.

## Sunday Sermons

**October 7**

**World Communion Sunday**  
**20th Sunday of Pentecost**

Psalm 8  
1 Corinthians 11:17-26

**October 14**

**21st Sunday of Pentecost**

Amos 5:6-7, 10-15  
Mark 10:17-31

**October 21**

**Children's Sabbath**

**22nd Sunday of Pentecost**

Psalm 91:9-16  
Mark 10:35-45

**October 28**

**23rd Sunday of Pentecost**

Jeremiah 31:8-9  
Mark 10:46-52

**November 4**

**Communion Sunday**

**All Saints Sunday**

Deuteronomy 6:1-9  
Mark 12:28-34

**November 11**

**Anniversary Sunday**

**25th Sunday of Pentecost**

Psalm 146  
Mark 12:38-44

**November 18**

**Thanksgiving Sunday**

Psalm 126  
Matthew 6:25-33

**November 25**

**Reign of Christ Sunday**

Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14  
Psalm 93  
Revelation 1:4b-8

## Time and Talents

The church is the body of Christ, serving as the hands and feet of God in the world. Wonderful opportunities therefore abound for each of us to share the love of Christ in a variety of ways. During the month of October, the Nominating Committee will be asking each of you where within the church family you would like to serve the Lord. Opportunities for service are endless. Adam Holt, Sandy Davis, and Charles Hill, who have just rotated off the Diaconate, will be organizing the church family so that we can do the work of the Lord. We have nine teams on which members and non-members alike may want to serve: Discipleship, Missions, Worship, Finance, Congregational Care, Properties, Personnel, Officers, and History. Church officers must be members and include: Clerk, Financial Secretary, Treasurer, and Trustees. Detailed descriptions of each committee and office are located in the church office. May the Lord bless our work!

### 1 Kings Wednesday Night Bible Study

October and November Wednesday night Bible study for college students and adults will continue studying the honest and unflinching Old Testament book of 1 Kings. Come meet the wealthy king Solomon, the honest prophet Elijah, talented craftsman Hiram, the Queen of Sheba, the Widow of Zarephath, King Ahab, and innocent Naboth. Within this book lies the foundation for the prophets' cries for justice. A lot of power struggle is going on here, making the necessity for the Way of Jesus Christ more urgent.

### Wednesday Evenings for Youth and Children

Wednesday nights at Cullowhee Baptist are a blast for everyone! After a yummy dinner coordinated and most often cooked by Kristin Holt, the youth venture to the 3rd floor for a relaxing evening of listening and engaging discipleship discussion. This fall the youth are listening to the 1997 Newbery Medal Nominee, *Belle Prater's Boy* by Ruth White. Pam Martin and guest lead the youth in exploring how to live the way of Jesus Christ in response to the concerns and issues brought up by the book. Thank you, Pam, for finding creative ways for our youth to learn how to live their faith in the world. While the youth are listening, imagining, and wrestling up on the 3rd floor, the children are being perfect little angels learning about the Christian faith. Tonya is teaching them more about the Bible: how it is organized, what books are where, what are the names of the books, and the purpose of the Bible in the lives of Christians. Later the group will begin learning more amazing stories of Jesus, building up that sense of honor and wonder of our Lord Jesus. They may even pull the tone chimes out this fall! Don't miss out on some wonderful adventures in faith especially designed for children and youth.

## Sunday Morning Bible Study for Everyone

Every Sunday morning before worship, Bible study classes are offered for all ages. On the sanctuary level you will find the King's Daughters' Class for our saintly women; the Acts Class for adults led by Dianne Yount; and a Young Adult class for those in their 20's led by Jeff Davis. On the first floor level you will find the nursery & preschool led by our wonderful childcare workers; an elementary age class led by Meagan Wilmoth and guests; another adult class led by Jeffrey Vickery; and the college and recently graduated class led by Tonya Vickery. And last, but never the least, on the third floor of the church almost in the attic rafters are the youth, grades 6-12 led by Elizabeth Vickery and AJ Hawkins. There is always a place for you to study God's word every week.



## Bicentennial Plans

### *Football Concessions* *October 13, November 3 & 10*

How can you help raise money for the 200th Anniversary Fund? Volunteer to help in the WCU Football Concession stand this fall. With only 3 more games to go, we always have room for more and more people to come have fun with us! Selling everything from drinks, chips and pickles, to pretzels, hummus, and bbq sandwiches, we volunteer to "work" for Aramark, and Aramark donates 15% of the sales to the Bicentennial Fund! No cooking required, only friendly faces, and an expectation to have fun. If you are interested in helping, contact the church office.

### *Landscaping*

At the time of this newsletter printing, we were sitting on the very edge of our seats eagerly anticipating the date B.H. Graning will begin the front yard landscape project. New sidewalks will be poured, shrubs and flowering plants will be planted, and more. Plans are posted on the bulletin board outside the sanctuary for those interested. We are all leaning on the saying, Good things come to those who wait....

### *New Front Sign*

Within days of receiving this newsletter a new sign for the front yard of the church will be installed. Using the poles from the original sign, local blacksmith David Burress has crafted a beautiful iron work frame of dogwoods and a cross and Tyler Cook has created a sign to hang in the frame. Thank you to deacons Tyler Cook, Kelly Doppke, and Kristin & Adam Holt for taking the lead in getting the landscape and signage ready for our 200th anniversary.

### *The Offices are Moving*

With a present need for more accessible Bible study rooms on the sanctuary level, the church office and the pastors' office will be moving to the ground level. The new church office will be located in the room with the direct access to the side parking lot. The pastors' office will be moved to the back corner room right beside it. The pastors are working the Properties Committee to secure bids for work that cannot be done by church volunteers, such as certain carpentry and electrical work. If you would like to help paint, remove wallpaper, pack, or carry multiple boxes of books down a flight of stairs, please contact the church office.

## *Church Cookout* *Wednesday, October 3*



As autumn begins to change the air, the church family will get together on Wednesday night, October 3, for a cookout and night of fellowship and games. No reservation is required. Just bring along a store bought or homemade side or dessert. The church will provide the meats, drinks, and accompaniments. We will "picnic" at tables in the parking spots between the church and the ATM. (Have you ever wondered why we have an ATM sitting in the middle of our parking lot? The church owns all the spots between the church and Homebase. We loan 5 spots to Homebase for their ministry needs. We rent the spaces between the ATM and Homebase to WCU for a small amount. We also rent two parking spots to Wells Fargo for the ATM. The rental money from WCU and the ATM supports the ministries and mission of the church.)



### *Fall Hike, October 28*

If the weather holds, bring your hats, gloves, mittens, jackets, water bottles, and great attitudes to take a hike after church on Sunday, October 28 to Siler Bald. We will leave the church around 1pm, venture out into the great wilderness, and return around 6pm. Everyone of all ages is invited to come!

### *Children's Sabbath Covered Dish Meal*

This fall we will celebrate the children of our church and nation on Sunday, October 21. Worship will be dedicated to learning more about the urgent problems our nation's children face. The Bible teaches us to love and protect children, but we must be aware of their needs in order to do so. Worship will be followed by a covered dish meal in the fellowship hall. Everyone is invited and encouraged to come!

### *Thanksgiving Sunday and Fellowship Meal* *November 18*

Thanksgiving will be the theme for worship on Sunday, November 18. Ephesians 5:20 teaches us to give thanks to God at all times and for everything in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ. The Book of Psalms provides us excellent examples of how we can worship God with grateful hearts. Join us after worship for a covered dish fellowship meal as we share our bounty and abundance with one another.

## ***Cullowhee Baptist Church on Mission***

### **Hands on Jackson - November 1**

On Thursday, Nov. 1, organizations, businesses, and individuals throughout the county will lend a helping hand to residents in need. Mountain Projects is heading up the day with the financial support of many community partners including the church. So when you see our name on the back of the t-shirts or on social media outlets, know that our missions funds are serving our community.

### **Congregação da Alegria - Brasil**

At the end of February we received word that an Alliance of Baptist congregation in Maceio, Alagoas, Brazil needed a building. The projected cost for the entire project is \$10,000. So through the blessing of the financial gift from former church member, Barbara Cospers, the church family voted to tithe the gift amount of which \$10,000 will be sent to Brazil to help our sisters and brothers build a place for worship and ministry.

By the time we received the first part of the Cospers gift, the leadership of the Brazil Alliance of Baptist rotated, which of course means changes of names on financial accounts and such. So giving them time to make those arrangements, we will be sending the gift soon so that the love of Christ can be shared by our friends in Brazil.

Additionally, they have invited Tonya to preach in Brazil for their 7th anniversary and building dedication in September 2019!

### **Parking Lot Ministry**

One Sunday afternoon in late July, a mom stood at the end of the Walmart parking lot holding a sign saying her family needed money for food and gasoline. Stopping to talk with the young woman, she and her husband and two sons had traveled in their aged but maintained RV from Arizona to the Cashiers area for promised work. The work did not pan out. Without being able to get sustainable work, the Eastern European couple realized that it was best to return to Arizona where the children could return to a community and school familiar to them. However, the family did not have enough money for gas and food. So that Sunday afternoon, your tithes and offerings humbly filled up that tank plus two additional gas cans with fuel. Individual members graciously gave money for food and personal care items. And standing in the parking lot of the gas station, a prayer for blessing and safe travels was offering up for the family. Blessed be our Lord and Savior Jesus, who binds us together to serve one another. Without a doubt, I know that family prayed for our church family as they traveled back to Arizona.

### **Feeding our Community**

Summer MANNA Food Deliveries were a Huge Blessing! Thank you for providing space, time, cars, and muscle this past summer delivering groceries to 124 children each week. From Skyland Drive, to the end of Cullowhee Mountain Road, past the big huge curve going to Cashiers and beyond, love, care, friendly faces, food, and blessings were delivered every Thursday from the church. A special thanks go to those who helped deliver: Donna Hugellet, Mary Youmans, Tessa Davis, Kendra Graham, Calley Anthony, Jeffrey Vickery, Dale & Michele Galloway, Emily Burttram, Pam & Tom Martin, Galen Martin, Donna West, Muff Lyons, Joyce Pope, and Charles Hill. Additional thanks to MANNA Food Bank of Asheville for providing the food and fresh produce.

### **School Year Backpack Program**

Twenty-two million children receive free or reduced-price meals through the National School Lunch Program and the National School Breakfast Program. For many of these children, school meals may be the only meals they eat. What happens when they go home over the weekend? The Feeding America Backpack Program has been helping children get the nutritious and easy-to-prepare food they need to have enough to eat on the weekends. For our county, bags of food are assembled at MANNA Foodbank of Asheville. School social workers identify the students in need and sign up for the food through MANNA, then MANNA delivers the food to our church. On Thursday mornings, church volunteers deliver the food to schools, and teachers make sure that the students go home on Fridays with the food in their backpacks. Presently, our church delivers to Scotts Creek and Cullowhee Valley Schools. Thanks to Don Guise and Joyce Pope for serving!

## Church World Service Hurricane Florence Response

Along with our prayers for those effected by Hurricane Florence, the children of the church invite you to put together Hygiene Kits and a couple of Cleanup Bucket Kits. Like the School Kits we assembled in years past, these kits will be distributed by Church World Service, a faith-based organization transforming communities around the globe through just and sustainable responses to hunger, poverty, displacement and disaster.

CWS was born in 1946, in the aftermath of World War II. Seventeen denominations came together to form an agency "to do in partnership what none of us could hope to do as well alone." The mission: Feed the hungry, clothe the naked, heal the sick, comfort the aged, shelter the homeless. Now CWS has over 37 member denominations including the Alliance of Baptists. The immediate response to the storm will include providing material supplies to affected communities: Hygiene Kits, School Kits, Emergency Cleanup Buckets, and Blankets.

Want to join the children in putting together hygiene kits? Here's what they need for each one gallon plastic zipper closure bag:

- One hand towel approximately 15" x 28" to 16" x 32" (no fingertip, bath, dish towel or micro-fiber)
- One washcloth
- One wide-tooth comb removed from the package
- One fingernail or toenail clipper removed from the package

- 1 bath-size bar of soap in the wrapper
- One toothbrush in the package
- Ten standard size Band-Aids

Would you like to put together an Emergency Cleanup Bucket? Here are the instructions:

All cleaning items must be new; all liquid items must be capped and securely tightened. Place all items into the bucket, making sure they are packed securely to avoid damage during shipment. Snap the lid on tight and seal with packing tape.

Buckets should include these items:

- One 5-gallon bucket w/resealable lid (if bucket has been used, clean well but do not use if it has held chemicals of any kind.)
- 4 scouring pads
- 7 sponges (one large)
- One scrub brush
- 18 reusable cleaning towels (e.g. Easy Wipes)
- 1-50 oz. or 2-25 oz. bottle (s) of liquid laundry detergent
- One 16-28 oz. bottle of liquid disinfectant dish soap
- One 12-16 oz. bottle household cleaner that can be mixed with water (no spray bottles)
- 1 package of 48-50 clothespins
- Clothesline, (2) 50 ft. or (1) 100'
- 5 dust masks
- 2 pairs heavy-duty, waterproof dishwashing gloves (latex-free, non-surgical)
- 1 pair work gloves, cotton with leather palm or all leather
- 24-28 heavy duty or contractor type 30-45 gallon trash bags on a roll and removed from carton
- (1) 6-9 oz. bottle of non-aerosol insect repellent

You may drop off materials to the church office.

## Ramp Building in Cullowhee

As church member Annelise Davis was recovering from her recent back surgery and doing physical therapy, a hearty group of volunteers from CBC designed and built a wheelchair accessible ramp at her home on Bo Cove Road.

Special thanks to Charles Hill, Dale Brotherton, John Bell, Jake Jacobsen, Al Webster, Fred Harris, and Jeffrey Vickery for their volunteer labor and skills.

## Nursing Home Worship

Please join us in bringing the joy of worship to Morningstar Assisted Living at 3:00 pm on Sunday, December 30.

## Shampoo Collection for United Christian Ministries



UCM is the only place in the county where residents can get help with hygiene and self-care items. In addition to our regular budgeted financial support of United Christian Ministries, our church provides bottles of shampoo for UCM to give to those in need. Our goal is at least 20 bottles of shampoo a month.

The children will be keeping a tally of our donations to help ensure that we meet our goal. A collection box is on the table in the church foyer. Coupons are also available to for you to use. Thank you!

## ***Thank you to Cullowhee Baptist Church***

Cullowhee Baptist Church,

On behalf of the Hands on Jackson team, thank you for your sponsorship of our first annual volunteer day of service. All funds are used to assist our community. Thank you for caring about Jackson County

Yours in Christ,  
Elijah Brown, Baptist World Alliance

Dear Pastor Tonya and Congregation,

Thank you for partnering with the Family Resource Center to provide backpacks for students in Jackson County Schools. What an awesome evening as we provided backpacks for approximately 150 Jackson County School students (40+ families).

We appreciate your donations of backpacks. Thank you also for helping through your summer feeding program to distribute the flyers with information about our Open House.

Sincerely,  
Marilyn Chamberlin, Director

### **Condolences**

The church family expresses their condolences to Lila "Sissy" Buchanan on the loss of her husband and church member Kenny Buchanan on Thursday, September 20. A graveside memorial services was held at Fairview Cemetery in Sylva on Friday afternoon, September 21.

## **Anniversary Sunday November 11**

Our church family overall is just a wee bit old. Not that our average age is in the retirement bracket, but that our church was born in the good old year of 1821. That makes us 197 years old. Sunday morning, November 11, we will celebrate our good long heritage by giving thanks to God from where we have come and seek God's guidance for where we are to go and what we are to do. Take time as you pray over the next few weeks to give thanksgiving to God for Cullowhee Baptist Church.

## ***Welcome New Members***

Welcome to new members Reagan Thompson and Michelle Provost both joining by transfer of letter from sister congregations. Reagan is a sophomore here and a member of the Pride of the Mountains Marching Band where she plays percussion.

Michelle is a Jackson County native and graduate of WCU. She teaches Physical Education at Fairview School and can outrun any CBC member, although Connor Davis may dispute this. Welcome Reagan and Michelle to the church family! If you are interested in joining, talk with Tonya or Jeffrey for more information. CBC is a great place to grow your faith in Christ.

## **All Saints Sunday, November 4**

During worship on November 4, the church family will remember family, friends, and church members who within the past year have left this earthly home and who now reside in the fullness of God's presence. On this Sunday we celebrate those who came before us in time who lived faithfully for Jesus. If the women at the tomb had not told the others about Christ's resurrection from the dead; if the Word had not been shared freely with everyone of every race, nation, gender, economic level and religion; if the Word had not been shared down through all the ages; our faith would have been in jeopardy. In honor of those who remained faithful to God even unto death, may we give God the glory and honor.

## **School Backpacks**

Before school even began, the Jackson Family Resource Center provided backpacks with school supplies to approximately 150 Jackson County students. Through the church's missions budget and additional donations, our church donated over 20 backpacks and miscellaneous school supplies. Thank you for investing in the children of our community. What a blessing that they had the opportunity to begin the school year ready to go!



## ***Birthdays and Anniversaries***

### ***October Birthdays***

- 5 James Dooley  
6 Steve Bryson  
8 Joyce Pope  
11 Charles Huguelet  
12 JoAnn Bryson  
13 Alizabeth Holt  
15 Galen Martin  
16 Vera Guise  
17 Rebecca Fox  
18 Ed Thompson  
19 Michelle Provost, Brenda Wike  
21 Alex Helms  
22 Donna Huguelet  
23 Kim Poteet  
24 Bonnie Hooper, Deborah Justice

### ***October Anniversaries***

- 18 Onifer and Meagan Wilmoth  
23 Dale & Michele Galloway

### ***November Anniversaries***

- 15 Matthew & Megan Brown  
27 Ed & Vicki Lewis

### ***November Birthdays***

- 4 Madison Lovedahl  
5 Sandy Davis  
7 Mandy Nicholson  
9 Brandon French  
10 Kathy Lovedahl  
12 Carol DeHart  
13 Anita Pannell, Jordan Fox  
14 Harold Dean Smith, Robin Pope  
15 Colin Martin, Charles Greer  
18 Mindy Cook  
18 Carolyn Wike  
19 Jim Bryson  
20 Cathie Clayton, Stanton Kidd  
22 Rick Pannell  
26 Brenda Gray  
26 Ray Spears  
27 Ansley Wilmoth, Mitch Mincey  
28 Barbara Dooley  
28 Mary Lou Millwood  
30 Eloise Stephens

## **Poinsettia Orders**



Poinsettias will adorn the sanctuary for the Advent / Christmas season. You can provide these by purchasing one, two, three or four (!) poinsettias in honor or memory of your family, friends, or just for yourself. Order forms will be in the October bulletins, or you may call or email the church office to order. You may take home your poinsettia(s) after the Christmas Eve worship service.

## **2019 Proposed Budget**

The Finance Team is working hard to prepare a proposed budget for 2019. A copy of the budget will be emailed or mailed to church members, and copies may also be picked up at the church. The church family will meet in conference on the 2nd Sunday of November to discuss and vote on the budget.

## **Thank you to our Deacons**

The church family expresses their gratitude to Sandy Davis, Charles Hill, and Adam Holt for their service and dedication to God by serving the church family the past three years as deacons.

Beginning in October, Emily Burtram, Jeff Davis, and Onifer Wilmoth will begin a three year term of active service. The church family will celebrate in worship Emily's ordination to the diaconate on Sunday, October . In addition to the these three new deacons, Ethere Chancellor, Laura Stiens, Kelly Doppke, Pam Martin, Michele Galloway, and Tyler Cook serve on the Diaconate. Each deacon has a list of church members and regular attenders for whom they pray. Additionally, each week a deacon assists the pastors in meeting the needs of the congregation. The weekly deacon schedule is printed in this newsletter on the front page sidebar, or can be found online at the church website calendar at [www.cullowheebaptist.com](http://www.cullowheebaptist.com).

### **Honoraria**

*In Honor of*  
*Joseph Edward Wiemuth Jr.*  
Terry & Niall Michelsen

*In Honor of*  
*Debbie & Robert Rowland*  
Mary Youmans

### **Flower Calendar**

#### ***October***

- 14 Phoebe Hooper  
21 Dale & Michele Galloway  
28 Marcella Huguelet

#### ***November***

- 11 Bonnie Hooper  
18 Mary Lou Millwood  
25 Joyce & Robin Pope

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### **Children's Sabbath, October 21**

In our rich nation today, one out of every 5 children lives in poverty. That is over 13 million children in the United States living in poverty. Children are considered poor if they live in a family of four with an annual income below \$24,563 (\$2,047/month, or \$68/day). But about 3 million children in the U.S. live in extreme poverty - their families are trying to survive on \$2 a day for each family member. This rivals child poverty in some of the world's poorest countries. This fact alone should be a call to action for us all. More than ½ of all poor children live in 8 states: CA, FL, GA, IL, NY, OH, TX, and NC. In North Carolina, almost 500,000 children live in poverty. Over 200,000 of these children are extremely poor. Hispanic children are the largest group of poor children.

Freedom and justice are non-negotiable to those who truly seek to honor God. No child should suffer poverty. This year's Children's Sabbath's theme is "Realizing Dr. King's Vision for Every Child: Lives of Hope, Not Despair." We will join with the faithful across our nation and with people of every religious tradition to work for a hopeful future in which no child suffers poverty. God values each child as God's own sacred gift, regardless of race, ethnicity, religion, gender identity, sexuality, or national origin. All children deserve lives of hope, not despair. Working together, we have the capacity to overcome the injustice of poverty. Let Sunday, October 21 be a day you become inspired, informed, and determined to overcome injustices that keep people poor. May we work as long and as hard as it takes until our nation loves, respects, protects, and welcomes all children as our Lord Savior Jesus Christ does.