

WELCOME! Glade Spring Presbyterian Church endeavors to provide a sanctuary of joy, charity and fellowship in which all feel invited to participate and worship. Whether a member, friend or visitor of Old Glade, each individual is valued and respected as a child of God and as an essential part of the body of Christ. As a whole we, the congregation, seek to grow spiritually, to nurture each other, to respond to the needs of the less fortunate and to serve and praise God. You are welcome here today and year round.

PRAYER CONCERNS David Blankenbeckler (brother of Donna Hutton), Charlotte Callahan Counts, Brenda Street, Sara Beth Heffinger, Polly Heffinger, John Worley, Andy Martin and Matthew Martin (nephews of Tammy Allison), Ann Turner Glenn, Rev. Jerry Williams, Bob and Carol Creasy (Tina Gentry's parents), Fay Brown, Bob Green (father of Lisa Green), Jim Smith, Sara Helton, Robin Burton, Alice Porterfield, Daryl Henegar, John Kelly, Shane Hale, Eleanor Hutton, Carrie Lamie, Nola Ann Rosenbaum, Jewel Osborne, Chris Osborne, Michael Wiley, Carolyn Gentry, Zac Gentry, Shirley Overbay, Jason Waters, Jacob Ritchie, Verna Elizabeth Stephenson Schmidt, Margaret Orr, Eleanor Mahaun, Michele Wagner, John Robinson, Linda Phipps, Juanita Baggett, L. D. Lane, Kathy Dohman, Gary Wallace, George Owens, Bea Mason.

SESSION will meet following worship in ladies' parlor.

THIS AFTERNOON at 2:00 p.m. a celebration of the life of Dr. Robert Lominack will be held at Sinking Spring Presbyterian Church. All are invited to attend the celebration as we remember our dear Dr. Bob. Light refreshments will be served in church parlor following service.

YOUTH will meet today from 6:00-7:30 in fellowship hall.

LYDIA GROUP meets on Wednesday evenings from 6:00 until 7:30.

BEST YEARS will go to Boone, NC for lunch at the Daniel Boone Inn on Thursday, October 24th. Meet at fellowship hall at 11:00. Please call Delores at 429-2117 to reserve a seat on van.

FOOD BANK WORK SCHEDULE – Monday, October 21st, 10:00-1:00; Tuesday, October 22nd, 5:00 -8:00; Friday, October 25th, 10:00-1:00.

PENNIES FOR HUNGER will be collected next Sunday during worship.

CIRCLE NUMBER 4 will meet on Monday, October 28th, at 6:00 p.m. in fellowship hall.

BUDGET AND FINANCE COMMITTEE will meet on Wednesday, October 30th, at 5:30 p.m.

NOVEMBER 3RD – Men's Breakfast at 8:00 a.m.; Board of Deacons at 5:00 p.m.; Session at 6:00 p.m.

ORDER FORMS for bookplate dedications for new hymnals are on the table in the narthex. If you have not dedicated a hymnal, please consider doing this. All monies will go to the Outreach Committee for their local mission projects.

REMEMBER YOUR SOUP DONATIONS. Our current total is 963 cans. Our goal for the year 2013 is 2,013 cans.

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The Session

Class of 2013	James Allison, Jay Robinson Sara Hutton Tallman
Class of 2014	Lee Brannon, Patrick Buchanan Dirk Wilmoth
Class of 2015	Michael Colston, Clark Hutton Irene Ryburn

The Board of Deacons

Class of 2013	Tammy Allison, Nancy Hagen Kay Williams
Class of 2014	Daniel Cline, Alice Freeman Debra Simpson
Class of 2015	Damon Lester, Anita Robinson Bob Stanberry

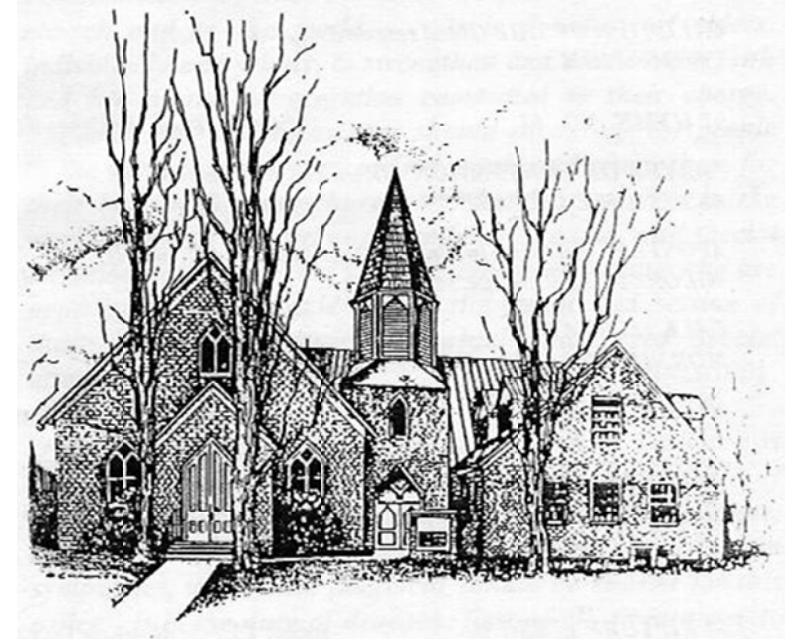
The Trustees

Class of 2013	Frank Buchanan
Class of 2014	Jay Henderson, Jay Robinson
Class of 2015	Rebecca DeBusk, James S. Hutton

The Presbyterian Women

Co-Moderators	Cornelia Little, Bobbi Ryburn
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THE SERVICE FOR WORSHIP ON THE LORD'S DAY

October 20, 2013

11:00 A.M.

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

CHORAL INTROIT

CALL TO WORSHIP: (read responsively)

Leader: No matter how far from God we seem to be, we do not lose heart

People: For the days are surely coming, says the Lord.

Leader: No matter how many obstacles we face in life, in the church, we do not lose heart

People: For the days are surely coming, says the Lord.

Leader: No matter how hard it is to continually pray and work for justice, we do not lose heart

All: For the days are surely coming, says the Lord, when I will forgive and restore my people: when I will equip them for every good work; and when I will grant justice, for I hear their cries day and night.

INVOCATION

+*HYMN 15 All Creatures of Our God and King

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION: (in unison) Lord, You should be our comfort and strength, yet we are ashamed of our weaknesses and are insecure. Instead of being empowered by our faith to strengthen one another, we tend to point out each other's flaw. We are more likely to judge than to share Your grace. Forgive us, Lord Christ, and help us to build each other up with Your spirit. Hear our silent prayers.....

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*APOSTLES CREED (Page 35 in front of hymnal)

*GLORIA PATRI (Page 581 in hymnal)

SHARING WITH CHILDREN

INTERCESSORY PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

(respond

"we cry to you day and night. Help us, O God")

HYMN 442 Just as I Am, without One Plea

GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

*DOXOLOGY Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below; Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

ANTHEM

SCRIPTURE LESSONS John 7:53-8:11

SERMON "PLAYING THE BLAME GAME" Rev. Bird

*HYMN 435 There's a Wideness in God's Mercy

*BENEDICTION

CHORAL RESPONSE

POSTLUDE

*Indicates that those who are able may stand +People may be seated

SCRIPTURE LESSONS

8¹ but Jesus went to the Mount of Olives.

² At dawn he appeared again in the temple courts, where all the people gathered around him, and he sat down to teach them. ³ The teachers of the law and the Pharisees brought in a woman caught in adultery. They made her stand before the group ⁴ and said to Jesus, "Teacher, this woman was caught in the act of adultery. ⁵ In the Law Moses commanded us to stone such women. Now what do you say?" ⁶ They were using this question as a trap, in order to have a basis for accusing him.

But Jesus bent down and started to write on the ground with his finger. ⁷ When they kept on questioning him, he straightened up and said to them, "Let any one of you who is without sin be the first to throw a stone at her." ⁸ Again he stooped down and wrote on the ground.

⁹ At this, those who heard began to go away one at a time, the older ones first, until only Jesus was left, with the woman still standing there. ¹⁰ Jesus straightened up and asked her, "Woman, where are they? Has no one condemned you?"

¹¹ "No one, sir," she said.

"Then neither do I condemn you," Jesus declared. "Go now and leave your life of sin."

