

## **BIG COVE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH MID-WEEK REMINDERS**

Week of August 10-16, 2014



### **WORSHIP LEADERS for *this coming Sunday, August 17:***

**9 AM:** Greeter: Sean Pepper  
Host/Hostess: Sally Harris  
Worship Leader: Gary Indihar  
Power Point: Kirk Finley

**11 AM:** Usher: David Lilly  
Worship Leader: Neva Beasley  
Readers: Todd Worthington (Genesis 44: 1-7; 14-15)  
Kathy Barnhart (Psalm 133)

Care Center and Wave Team leaders for *the rest of this week, through August 16:*

Care Center Pick-up: Joyce Clark  
WAVE Team: Jeff & Vicki Irons

Care Center and Wave Team leaders for *next week, August 17-23:*

Care Center Pick-up: Kay Hanks  
WAVE Team: Hartwell & Pat Lutz

**The Children's Home Box brought in \$25.00 this week. Thank you!**

### **MEETINGS and Activities this week:**

- **Thursday morning prayer group** will meet at 10:00 on August 14.
- **Important Youth Meeting this Sunday, August 17**, between services in the Fellowship Hall of the white church. Parents and kids grades 6 and up invited!
- **Prayers for Healing:** This Sunday, the sermon topic will be "Do You Want to be Healed?" With so many different types of illnesses--emotional, spiritual, and physical--in our world today, we, as the church, can offer each other prayers of healing. You will be invited to receive a blessing and anointing with oil, for yourself or for someone you love.

### **Important Announcements, Events-to-Come, Deadlines, Etc.**

- **If you are interested in participating in the Immersion study on Luke**, please contact the pastor so that we can order enough books for everyone.

- **If you haven't looked at our church's website lately**, you're in for some surprises! Check it out – click on the pictures – scroll down the extended screens – see the expansions and updates that have been added to almost every page. Even the lowly “directions” tab on how to get to our church has additions. We also have the beginnings of a “photo album” section on the site. Take a few moments to re-familiarize yourself with it, and then tell others about it. But look quickly.... more advances and upgrades are in the planning stage now, and may begin showing up soon!  
[www.bigcovechurch.org](http://www.bigcovechurch.org)  
A VERY BIG **THANK YOU** to Mike Feehan for his hard work on the website!!
- **Special Guest on August 24:** Come hear our friend Heidi Meadows from First Presbyterian, Huntsville, share a Minute for Mission about NAP mission work in Kigali, Rwanda, East Africa! We will also be showcasing our local mission opportunities.
- **"Praise and Prayer" service** on August 31 at the 11 am worship service. Peruse our hymnal and find your favorite hymn that offers praise, thanksgiving, gratitude, and lifts up our Lord! Give your suggestion to Carla by August 24!
- **An important change** is taking place in the **Second Saturday Bible Time** -- which has traditionally been aimed at Men only. Hooray, the barrier has been breached, and **next time will be Open To All!** Come try it, on Saturday, September 13, at 9:30 am, in the upstairs classroom. A special time, under the tutelage of David Lilly, a free and open discussion of the Gospel of Luke, starting at Ch. 14!
- **The Fall Gathering for Presbyterian Women** is September 9 at Camp Maranatha. Registration at 9:15 and meeting at 10:00 am. The Rev. Tammy Gregory Brown, our new Executive Presbyter, will lead the group in our Bible study review "Reconciling Paul: A Contemporary Study of 2 Corinthians." Contact Gail Birdsong to make reservations. Lunch is \$10.00
- **Please note a change of date:** The Holiday Craft Bazaar will take place on November 22!

\*\*\***Opportunities for service**\*\*\*

- **Outreach Opportunity - "Pack Day for PDA!"**

We asked for donations for the hygiene kits for the Presbyterian Disaster Assistance effort to aide refugee children stuck at our borders, and BOY did you deliver!! Over 100 washcloths, 72 bars of soap, and scads of bandages!!!!

We will be having our "pack day" on **August 24** between the two church services, in the large classroom upstairs.

\*\*\*\****If you wanted to donate, but missed the deadline, all is not lost!!*** We are still in need of **nail clippers, wide-tooth combs, toothbrushes (individually packaged), and hand towels.**

\*\*\*Please bring your donations to church **THIS WEEK.**\*\*\*

The collection basket will be in the sanctuary.

Please contact Debbie Book if you have any questions.

- \*\*\***For the month of August, focused donations for The CARE Center** will include these items that are ALWAYS in demand: Canned Fruit  
Canned Vegetables  
--Thanks!!

- **\*\*\*Curb appeal tasks:** As we begin to head into the fall, please consider “adopting” the church for a week to do spit and polish work like removing branches from sidewalks and parking lots, weeding the beds a bit, sweeping the areas in front of the doors, taking finger prints off the glass doors, etc. The sign-up sheet is on the table in the stairwell vestibule.

**Happy Birthday this week!**

Susan Bridges on the 11<sup>th</sup>

Nicole Harris on the 14<sup>th</sup>

**Happy Anniversary this week!**

David & Renay Nunn on the 17th