

BIG COVE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH MID-WEEK REMINDERS

Week of October 19-26, 2014



WORSHIP LEADERS for *this coming Sunday, October 26:*

9 AM: Greeter: Whitney Smith
Host/Hostess: Ross Rutledge
Worship Leader: Ross Rutledge
Power Point: Gary Indihar

11 AM: Usher: Kay Hanks
Worship Leader: Neva Beasley

Readers: Larry Clark (Deuteronomy 34:1-12), Tennent Lee (1 Thessalonians 2:1-8)

Care Center and Wave Team leaders for *the rest of this week, through October 25:*

Care Center Pick-up: Gary Bass
WAVE Team: Pam Worthington

Care Center and Wave Team leaders for *next week, October 26-November 1:*

Care Center Pick-up: Gail Birdsong
WAVE Team: Linda Wheeler

The Children's Home Box brought in \$30.00 this week. Thank you!

MEETINGS and Activities this week:

- **Wednesday Night Immersion continues** on October 22, focusing on Chapter 7 of Luke. 6:00-7:00 (with BYO brown bag meal and fellowship time at 5:30)
- **Thursday morning prayer group** will meet at 10 on October 23rd, but will not meet on October 30.
- **The Owens Cross Roads Homemakers Group** is having a Craft Bazaar at Owens Cross Roads Elementary School this Saturday, October 25, 9-3 o'clock. The proceeds go to support Owens Cross Roads School. Contact Neva Beasley if you need more details.

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

- **Guest Preacher:** Big Cove's former pastor, Rev. Skip Babcock, will be preaching at both services on October 26. Let's give him a hearty welcome back!
- **At the 11:00 service on November 9th**, the choir will present a patriotic medley of the songs of each of the armed services, *in recognition of Veterans Day*. All veterans of the armed forces are invited to stand during the song of their branch of service. Members of the congregation are also welcome to bring a picture of a family member who served or is serving in the military, and to stand with the photo to honor that family member during the song of their respective service. We hope you'll join us for this salute to all of our veterans.

- **Mark your calendar and bring your friends to a very special Big Cove Christmas program.** At 6 PM on Sunday, December 7th, our choir will perform “*When Earth Received Her King*”, a Christmas Cantata arranged by *Marty Parks*. Fresh and unique arrangements of favorite carols and hymns are woven together with connecting scriptural references, in a moving celebration of the Christ-child’s birth. Refreshments will follow. Please join us!

Big Cove Holiday Bazaar News

- *****Remember the Big Cove Holiday Bazaar**—Saturday, November 22, 9a.m.-3:00 p.m.—in your prayers. Proceeds this year will go to the Presbyterian Home For Children and to the Bags of Blessings program at the CARE Center. Check with Jeff Irons, Vicki Waldrop, or any member of the Outreach Team to ask how you can help.
- *****Baked items are needed for the Big Cove Holiday Bazaar.** Plan to bring some items that can be used for Thanksgiving or Christmas. For those that don’t bake, you can donate money for making dishes that Presbyterian Women will prepare. Make checks payable to Presbyterian Women or contact Gail Birdsong to donate.
- *****If you want to help prepare items for the Presbyterian Women Bake Sale** at the bazaar, read this announcement from Kathy: *Since it is so close to Thanksgiving*, in addition to our baked items, we are going sell a few frozen side dishes to go with a Thanksgiving meal. ***We’d like some help!*** Anyone wanting to volunteer should meet at the church at 9 am, Monday, November 3 for a little chopping, a little sautéing, a little baking, & some fun fellowship in the kitchen. You can either email Kathy Barnhart to let us know you’re coming, or just show up on Monday morning the 3rd.
- **Interested in a booth for the Holiday Bazaar?** If you would like detailed information and an application form, contact Debbie Book or the church office.

*****Opportunities for service**

- *****Big Cove will once again be providing Christmas** gifts for children at the Presbyterian Home for Children. Watch for specific details to come.
- *****The CARE Center family food pantry is out of canned veggies!** Please help if you can. Please leave supplies in the stairwell vestibule.
- *****From New Hope Children's Clinic:** our supply of children's pain relievers is running low. We are on our last bottle of *Advil (Ibuprofen)* and almost out of *Tylenol (acetaminophen)*. Donations of these *children's pain relievers in liquid form* would be greatly appreciated as we head into the winter and the illnesses that go with it. Thank you!! Please leave supplies in the stairwell vestibule.
- *****For the rest of October and November, focused donations for The CARE Center** will be canned vegetables and canned fruits. *Thank you!*

Happy Birthday this week!

Janet Indihar on the 23rd
Connor Ferneau on the 25th