

BIG COVE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH REMINDERS

Week of January 15-22, 2017



WORSHIP LEADERS for *this coming Sunday, January 22:*

9:00 (First Light) Leaders

Greeter: Alaina Harvey
Host/Hostess: Vicki Waldrop
Worship Leader: Ray Waldrop
Power Point: Vicki Waldrop

11:00 (Traditional Worship) Leaders Usher: Hartwell Lutz

Worship Leader: Sandra Stephens
Reader: Todd Worthington (Luke 11:5-13)

Care Center and Wave Team leaders for *the rest of this week, through January 21:*

CARE Center Pick-up: Pat Burke
WAVE Team: Connie Sharp

CARE Center and Wave Team volunteers *next week January 22-29:*

CARE Center Pick-up: Pat Burke
WAVE Team: Linda Wheeler

The Children's Home Box brought in **\$33.00** this week. Thank you!

THIS WEEK:

- **If you have not already turned in a Pledge Card for 2017**, please turn one in soon. Extra cards are in the narthex. Put the card in the offering plate or mail it to the church, attention Diane Lee.
- **NAP Presbyterian Men** will meet on Monday, January 23, 2017 at First Presbyterian Church in Athens. **Notice the deadline for making reservations is today.** Registration will start at 5:30 p.m., and dinner will be at 6:00 p.m. followed by the program with the President of UNA, Dr. Kenneth Kitt as the main speaker. Please contact First Presbyterian, Athens at 256-232-0122 with registration information [by Wednesday, January 18](#)
- **Wednesday Current Conversations** will meet tonight, January 18, at 6:00.
- **Centering Prayer** will meet on January 23. Chris is leader.
- **The Weekly Prayer Group** may have to reschedule its meeting time. Watch for details.

OTHER INFORMATION:

- **Heads up! The Chili Cook-Off and Bake Sale** is coming up February 19th. This event will include a reception for our new pastor. Save the date and watch for more details!
- **The women of Faith Presbyterian want to invite women of Big Cove** to join us for our **Women's Retreat** at the Lakeside Conference Center at Maranatha on February 10-12. Krista Lovell will lead us in "Sisterhood of the Traveling Faith," a study and contemplation focused on how, since Biblical times, women have handed down stories of family and faith to the next generation. The weekend will be filled with Bible exploration, family stories, laughter and good food, and a group mission project for families served by the Presbyterian Home for Children Secure Dwellings ministry. (I would love to have some of my Big Cove friends there!)
***Some retreat brochures are on the table in the narthex. Feel free to take one and read it, fill it out and give it to Mary. If you have any questions, ask Mary via e-mail or phone call!

- **NOW AT BIG COVE: *Steady for Life***, an exercise/ balance/ mental class designed to improve physical balance and mental acuity. The class now meets at Big Cove Tuesday and Thursday mornings at 10:00. Some church members have been long time participants. All are welcome and can come to visit and decide if you want to continue. No charge is attached to a preliminary visit and participation. If you opt to join the group, the cost of the class is \$20.00/person/month. You can check out the non-profit group at www.steadyforlife.org The instructor is Debra Wade. If you have questions, please ask Joyce or Larry Clark or Judy Styles.

****We hope to have a flower calendar up this week**, but if you would like to dedicate flowers for the sanctuary let Mary know. We'll keep a calendar going this way until we have one posted. We are looking at moving the location of the calendar so that one can see better to write on it!!

FYI: January 22, January 29, February 5, February 19, April 2, April 23, June 18, August 20, August 27, October 22, and November 19 have already been reserved for flower dedications.
All other Sundays in 2017 are OPEN!

Happy Birthday this week!
Ryan Renfro on January 16
Jessica Birdsong Selvage on January 19