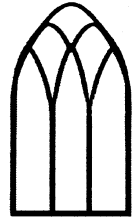




# THE WINDOW



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## Give Thanks

*Give thanks with a grateful heart. Give thanks to the Holy One.  
Give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ, His Son.  
And now let the weak say, "I am strong."  
Let the poor say, "I am rich because of what the Lord has done for us."  
Give thanks.*

Giving thanks is an annual ritual with thanksgiving coming up in November. We will be singing this song with the lyrics above each Sunday before Thanksgiving to remember that thanksgiving is an everyday act of faith for those who trust and believe in God. Even in the midst of difficulty and struggle, give thanks.

As you count your blessings in the days ahead, remember the little things, the taken for granted things, and the things that are pure gift. Give thanks for clean air, for education, for daily bread, for relationships, for word to do, for all the things that God gives to sustain our living. But also take time to give thanks with your actions: serve the needy, love your neighbors, give generously, tell people you love them, bring canned goods for Clemson Community Care, and in a world bent on division, seek to listen. Give thanks for the work of God done through God's church and your ability to take part in it. Give thanks for Jesus who came to make all things new and offer life abundant. And be a part of that newness, transformation and Good news.

I'll bet you will find yourself giving thanks all the time. And after Sunday worship, I hope you just keep singing this song, *Give Thanks*, not just on Thanksgiving, but everyday.

Together in Christ,  
Laura Conrad, Pastor



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*Joining together on a journey of Christian faith, we seek to be Disciples of Christ and to share God's love in our community and around the world.*

*We do this as we Glorify God, Grow Disciples, Meet Human Need.*

## Upcoming Scriptures for Sunday Worship

**11/6 — 32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
*Joshua 24:1-3a, 14-25; Psalms 78:1-7;*  
*1 Thessalonians 4:13-18; Matthew 25:1-13*

**11/13 — 33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
*Judges 4:1-7; Psalms 123;*  
*1 Thessalonians 5:1-11; Matthew 25:14-30*

**11/20 — Christ the King/Reign of Christ**  
*Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24; Psalms 100;*  
*Ephesians 1:15-23; Matthew 25:31-46*

**11/27 — 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent**  
*Isaiah 64:1-9; Psalms 80:1-7, 17-19;*  
*1 Corinthians 1:3-9; Mark 13:24-37*

### November 2011 The Window Deadline

The deadline for articles, announcements, and features for the November 2011 issue of *The Window* is **Wednesday, October 19**. Please email your item as a Microsoft Word document (.doc) to the church office at [window@forthillchurch.org](mailto>window@forthillchurch.org) or type the item directly into your email and send. If you don't have access to a computer, please leave the item in *The Window* mailbox in the FHOG office.



**Sunday, November 13, 2011**  
**Stewardship Dedication Sunday**



## Thanksgiving Worship Service at Old Stone Church

10 am, November 24, 2011

Join your neighbors in giving thanks. Old Stone Church meeting house is on the corner of Hwy. 76 and Old Stone Church Road. Together we will worship and praise God for the abundance of gifts God has shared with us. Remember the stone building is not heated and often does not warm up until the afternoon, so bring a coat and/or a blanket.



I recently shared with you a list of practices for Christian discipleship to help us all grow in faith. One of those practices is to pray daily. Your Advent team has prepared some ways that you can pray daily through the season of Advent. Be on the lookout for a calendar of Bible readings which will come in your bulletin the first Sunday of Advent, November 27. For our families with children, we will be receiving a family-friendly booklet to be a part of your advent practice while we actively wait for the birth of Jesus into our lives once again. In addition, this year we will also have available the booklet, *Thy Kingdom Come*, by Robert Hereth. In this booklet, Robert Hereth reflects upon the numerous and various ways Jesus uses the term to assert that God rules, and how God rules.

## Advent Decorating Elves Needed

We will deck the halls and decorate the Chrismon Tree on Sunday, November 20, and will be working from 2-5 pm. Contact Evanne Thies ([evanne.thies@gmail.com](mailto:evanne.thies@gmail.com)) or Eddie Payne ([eddiewpayne@gmail.com](mailto:eddiewpayne@gmail.com)) for more information and to volunteer.



## Decorations for the Christmas Season

You can help us decorate our beautiful church by making contributions for the purchase of wreaths and poinsettias in memory or in honor of that someone special in your life.



Wreaths are \$35 each and poinsettias are \$17 each. Please see your bulletin or the church office for the order forms. Your contributions will be recognized in the bulletin and *The Window*.



# Time to Think Christmas 2011!

We set a new record last year! The “committee,” Susan Brown, Nan Jones, and Dianne Haselton, organized food, names, boxes, whatever, **but you made it happen!** With all the volunteers, we helped 195 families to have a holiday with plenty of food. That’s 390 boxes! And, once again, it was done in record time. After all these years, I believe we have figured out the system for getting a big job done quickly and efficiently!

This is a traditional holiday activity for Fort Hill, so you can be sure it will happen again. Once again, **Christian Action Ministry is asking for your help.**

The Committee includes a new member, **Linda Gahan**. Linda will be in charge of food, **Diane Haselton** (donor list) and **Nan Jones** (boxes). The dates this year are **Friday, December 16** and **Saturday, December 17**. **Mark your calendars!** Food will be picked up from Bargains in Pelzer on Friday. Last year the trucks were at Fort Hill in the morning. Volunteers will pack as many boxes as possible. Work will continue on Saturday morning, with delivery volunteers showing up at 9:00 am to deliver.

In case you are new to our church, or haven’t followed this mission in the past, following is a sample list of items (depending on availability) each family receives:

Green beans	white rice	pears or fruit cocktail
yams	grits	apple sauce
diced tomatoes	spaghetti noodles	apples, bag
corn	stuffing mix	other fruit as available
spaghetti sauce	pinto beans	peanut butter
carrots, bag	macaroni & cheese	jelly
potatoes, bag	margarine	sugar
tomato soup	holiday cookie mix	gelatin
green peas	saltines	plus meat

## **What do we need to make this ministry a success?????**

**We need monetary donations!** Last year’s total was over \$5,000. If you can make a monetary donation to help with the cost of purchasing food, it will be blessed! Please send your donation to Fort Hill and note “Christmas boxes” on the check.

**We need donations of CANNED HAM!** No turkeys, please. A 3-pound ham works well. The smaller size is good for our 1– or 2-person families.

**We need volunteers!** Watch the December *The Window* for details about signing up to help with the details. **Danny Presley was a huge help last year picking up the food in Pelzer.** Any questions, contact Dianne Haselton (654-4316, dhltn@nctv.com), Linda Gahan (654-2953, glinda1942@gmail.com), Nan Jones (654-1539, jones4927@bellsouth.net). **With your help, we can put smiles on the faces of more families this Christmas season.**



# Sunday Servants

## Pastor on Call

11/6	Laura Conrad
11/13	Rodney Norris
11/20	Laura Conrad
11/27	Mary Gause

## Elder at the Font — 8:30 Service

11/6	Melanie Job
11/13	Laura Shick
11/20	Joanne Trenholm
11/27	Helen Wooten

## Elder at the Font — 10:30 Service

11/6	Jeral Shelton
11/13	Hack Trammell
11/20	Finley Wiles
11/27	Art Williams

## Infant Nursery

11/6	Megan & Eddie Chavis
11/13	Don & Janna McKale
11/20	Eva Williamson
11/27	Kitty Dunn

## Toddler Nursery

11/6	Jackie & Virginia Ellis
11/13	Lauren & Samantha Young
11/20	Joan Dixon
11/27	Tommy & Tracy Bolger

## 2 & 3 Year Old Nursery

11/6	Kerri Kwist
11/13	Dan & Denise Anderson
11/20	Barbara Westall and Claudette Bennett
11/27	Donna McCubbin and Audrey Thompson

## 4 & 5 Year Old Nursery

11/6	Melanie & Emma Job
11/13	Linda, Ben & Anna Wofford
11/20	Carolyn & Benja Mohr, Beth Durham
11/27	Pete & Jake Crowther, Amy Elrod

## Offering Counters

11/6	Grace & Walter Cook
11/13	Fred Burgett and Diane Sherrick
11/20	??
11/27	Linda Gahan and Janet Bean

# Announcements & Concerns



## CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY is extended to:

- The family of Tim Howard whose father, Rowland Howard, passed away on October 13.
- The family of former member, Jim Neal, who passed away on October 3.

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**Sermon Starters** meets each week at 3:00-4:00 pm at the Clemson Downs Corley Center except this November 23rd due to the Thanksgiving holiday. Also, please join the fellowship at the **Apple Pie Social** on Wednesday, November 16, at 3:00 pm at the Corley Center. No Sermon Starters that day.

**Discovering Faith at Fort Hill** is an opportunity for newcomers to explore membership. We will meet next on Sunday, November 13, from 11:30-2:00 pm. Childcare and lunch are provided. If you are interested in learning more about the mission and ministry, please let the church office ([melissa.shook@forthillchurch.org](mailto:melissa.shook@forthillchurch.org)) know so someone can contact you.

**Apple Pie Social at Clemson Downs** — Fort Hill members and “Friends of Fort Hill” living at Clemson Downs are invited to an **Apple Pie Social** on Wednesday, November 16 at 3:00 pm in the Ernie Corley Center—upstairs. RSVP to the church office, 654-2061.



**Save the Date! Angel Vespers** — our annual impromptu child’s Christmas pageant will be on Wednesday, December 14, 5:30-7:00 pm.



## Rev. Mark Adams — November 6th

All are invited to join Rev. Mark Adams on Sunday, November 6, at 9:30 am in Tartan Hall as he shares insights on and the impact of immigration issues and the PCUSA’s ministry at Frontera de Cristo. Mark is our Fort Hill sponsored PCUSA missionary who serves the border ministry of Frontera de Cristo in Mexico and is leading us in worship on that Sunday as well.

## Sunday School Classes

Classes for all ages meet each week at 9:15 am. Adult classes include:  
**Contemporary Issues** (Library) — The Reason for God by Timothy Keller  
**Cooper Bible Class** (Room 210) — Proverbs, Ecclesiastes, Song of Solomon using Uniform Lesson Series  
**Net Mendors** (Bethlehem Hall #2) — NOTE CHANGE: *Philippians* by NT Wright  
**Seekers** (Room 205) — Changing the World by Mike Slaughter  
**Sojourners** (Club Room) — Christian Doctrine by Shirley Guthrie  
 Children/Youth meet in various locations throughout the church. Nursery available.

## Gift Day

Believe it or not, Gift Day is right around the corner! This annual gift-making workshop for our children from two years old through 6<sup>th</sup> grade will be held Sunday afternoon, December 4<sup>th</sup>, from 2:30-4:30 pm. The cost is \$10 and children will create gifts to give to their family and friends. Call (654-1235) or email ([jells@clemson.edu](mailto:jells@clemson.edu)) your reservations to Jackie Ellis **no later than** Monday, December 1<sup>st</sup>.

We are also in need of craft leaders and assistants...and Jackie has an idea book FULL of possibilities. To learn more or sign up to help, please contact Jackie.



## P-P-P-Party in the PSA

All 1<sup>st</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Graders are invited to wear their pajamas, bring their pillows, and join together at the PSA for pizza, popcorn, play and a Picture Show! We will gather together from 6-8:30 pm at the PSA center for an evening of fellowship fun. RSVPs to Mary at [mary.gause@forthillchurch.org](mailto:mary.gause@forthillchurch.org) or 654-2061 are always helpful!



## Choir Corner

Have you ever wondered why the organist sometimes goes wild and does strange things with the hymns? This technique is known as hymn re-harmonization and it comes from a very ancient tradition of the church.



Centuries ago church music consisted only of the chanting of psalms. Then as the service developed, the organ became the prime mode of service leadership due to its size, versatility, and power. As early as 400 years ago, J.S. Bach was using re-harmonizations to energize the hymns in the service. The idea, of course, is to keep the hymns fresh and exciting.

We are blessed at Fort Hill Church to have a beautiful pipe organ which was designed and built for our new sanctuary in 1990 by Randall Dyer of Jefferson City, Tennessee. Please feel free to come up and take a look at the console after the services. You will be surprised at how many bells and whistles are needed to produce all the different sounds of the organ.

Did you know that the organ is called "The King of Instruments"? That is because it can produce so many different sound qualities and at many different dynamic levels.

Another way that we attempt to keep the music alive and interesting is through the use of descants. Sometimes on the last verse of a hymn you will hear the sopranos "take off" on a beautiful counter melody to enhance the original tune of the hymn.

Those of us who lead the service with music sincerely hope that the listener finds meaning in the Prelude, Anthem, Offertory, Postlude, Hymns, and see the connection that these music selections have with the lectionary for the day. So the next time you hear the organist change to a different key, or begin a new harmonization, or the choir begin a descant, just join right in with enthusiasm and help make a joyful noise to the Lord.

*Judy Bonham*



**December 18 — Lessons & Carols!!**

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This will be our gift to all of you from the Music Ministry in praise to God for His son, Jesus Christ, by the Chancel Choir, Chancel Bells, JAM and Jesus Jammers. Advent is such a wonderful time here at Fort Hill. It will be here before you know it at the end of November!!! Mark your calendars — you don't want to miss it!!

## Ministers' Cook-Off

Bring your appetite to the First Baptist Church Family Life Center on Tuesday, November 8 (5:30-7:00 pm) and join your neighbors for the 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Ministers' Cook-Off. Ministers from area congregations (including Pastor Rodney Norris) will be showing off their culinary skills in support of Safe Harbor II. Taste tickets at \$1.00 each will be available at the door or in advance in lots of ten individual tickets from Joanne Trenholm, Sandy McLeod, Carol Pollock, or Jane Polk. (If you aren't able to attend but would like to support the event, we'll be happy to accept a contribution.

Safe Harbor II is an emergency shelter for victims of domestic violence who live in Pickens, Oconee, and Anderson counties. Services provided include emergency housing, meals, counseling, clothing, parenting classes, and referrals to other support groups. When clients leave the shelter, Safe Harbor II helps furnish housing needs and basic clothing.

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## Medicare Enrollment Help

Medicare Enrollment begins and ends early this year. The annual period to sign up or make changes to your plan begins on October 15, 2011, a month early. The most important change is the cutoff date: circle the date on your calendar, because the enrollment period now ends on December 7, 2011. This way you'll have your card at the beginning of the New Year.

As always, you only have this one time per year to make any changes to your coverage for 2012. Changes can include Medicare Advantage, your drug coverage (Medicare Part D), Medigap supplemental or your regular Medicare.

Lee Churchfield, who is a certified SHIP Counselor with the Appalachian Council of Governments, will volunteer to help our members who are over 65 if they wish to make changes using the Medicare.gov website.

She will be available on Friday, November 4 with one hour sessions. Please call the FHOG volunteer to set up your appointment.

# News from Presbyterian Women



## Operation Christmas Child/Samaritan's Purse

Presbyterian Women through their circles will participate in this project of filling cardboard shoeboxes with a variety of small gifts for boys and girls of various ages from 2-4, 5-9, and 10-14. These children living in Third World countries where they face poverty, war or disaster, will receive these shoeboxes as an expression of hope and love. Gift suggestions include school supplies like pens, pencils, sharpeners, crayons, markers, stamps and ink pad sets, writing pads, solar calculators, coloring and picture books; toys such as small cars, balls, dolls, stuffed animals, jump ropes, yo-yos; hygiene items such as toothbrushes, toothpaste, soap, combs, washcloths; and other items like hard candy, lollipops, mints, gum, T-shirts, socks, ball caps, sunglasses, hair clips, watches, solar flashlights. Please bring filled shoeboxes, or items to fill shoeboxes, to the Collections Room by **November 9**. Contact Eva Henry for more details at 654-3737.

## Presbyterian Women Collect Magazines, Books, and Puzzles

In November, Presbyterian Women will collect magazines, books and puzzles for the Richard Campbell Nursing Home and the Harris Psychiatric Hospital. Please place these items in the Collections Room from November 9 to November 30.

## Laptop Needed

Presbyterian Women and their Circles are looking for a used laptop (with a CD/DVD drive) to use in their Bible Study and meetings. If anyone has a good, used laptop, please contact Laura Lefevre at 944-6813 or lefevelaura@hotmail.com. Thank you!

# Fort Hill Medical Missions

Over the past several years, the Fort Hill Medical Mission has taken teams to remote locations in the world where eye surgery needs have been completely or significantly unmet. The mission has been to relieve as much needless suffering from curable blindness as possible, always done through the love of Jesus Christ. The efforts have been strikingly successful, obviously blessed by God's providence. The teams have been superb, the equipment first-class, the supplies plentiful, the funds always adequate for each trip. All of this has been possible because of the love, encouragement, and support of the Fort Hill Presbyterian Church. The teams have certainly worked hard but there has never been a significant problem in 34 trips made to 13 countries, and 167 airline seats have been warmed by Fort Hill teams. The Fort Hill Medical Mission is an example of outreach made possible by simple determination and dedication — that it **will** be done, it **will** be accomplished, it **will** be useful and helpful to those in need. Fort Hill has the most powerful engine ever known — the engine of love.

Because of that love, Fort Hill provides very strong shoulders on which the Mission can stand. Love from Fort Hill covers each patient who lies down on the operating table and who then has the patches removed the following morning, and you would be so gratified to see the love that heads back Fort Hill's way as new sight is recognized, new sight which will continue to improve each day as the healing completes. Imagine that joy!

God bless you all!!

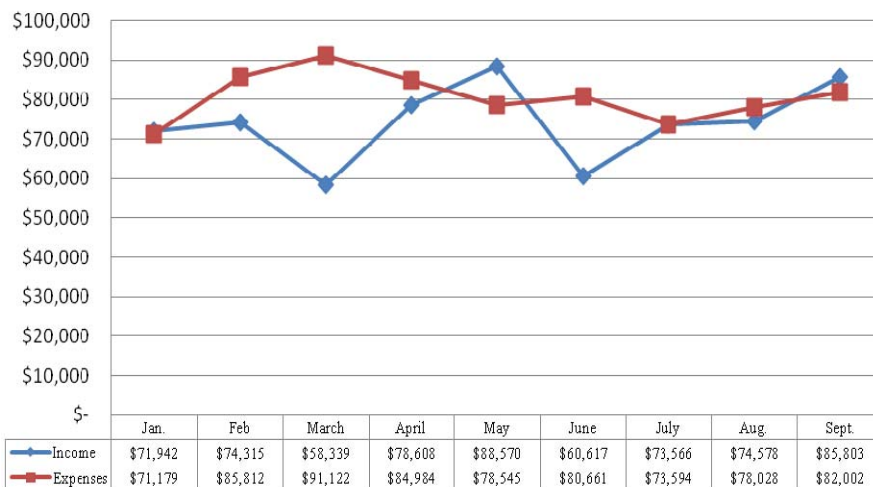
Bob Brown, for the Fort Hill Medical Mission

# Finance Update

Through September, total income was \$666,406 while expenses for the first nine months were \$725,928 for a deficit of **\$59,522**. Income for September exceeded expenses by \$3,801 which helped to reduce our deficit for the year. Session Ministries continue to do an outstanding job of managing their budgets as expenses are at 75% of budgeted. Income lags behind as it is at 70% of budgeted. Please review your pledges and offerings to Fort Hill Church, so we can reduce the deficit.

The mortgage balance as of 9/30/2011 was \$145,930.69, and will be retired next year.

Fort Hill Income/Expenses 2011





## Church Mouse

Oh, my. I heard most delightful sounds coming from the sanctuary one Sunday afternoon in late September. So I rushed up from taking my nap and heard the brass quintet of: BRUCE WHISLER, BRYAN DANIELS, JONATHAN and NICHOLAS BARRY, and PAUL BLICHMAN playing. Later I heard ISA HEROLD and RAY SPIRES play the flute and oboe. Then the little ones played and sang under the direction of KRISTY MACRAE, those cute little ones following her direction were: BENNETT BOST, SAM BRUCE, CATHERINE JONES, MAC MARTIN, CODY SATZGER, KRISTEN SMITH, SYDNEY WEEKS, KATHERINE WHISLER, ALLY WILSON, of the JAM group and WILL GREY GAUSE, MARY LIMBER, EMMA MACRAE, HENRY MARCUM, JEB MARTIN, CATHERINE NORRIS, MARY KATE TURNER, REID SMITH, and CALIA WORLEY of the Jesus Jammers also sang. Then the Chancel Bells performed under the direction of JUDY BONHAM with the following ringing the bells: LINDA DAVIS, BOB FOLSOM, RON HUGHES, ROSEMARY ROSS, ETE RUPERT, MARION SIEFFERT, CATHY SPRAGINS, and CAROL TODD.

Then MARGARET MACKAY directed the Chancel Choir through numerous pieces. These members were: MARY & CHARLES BARRON, TERRI BRUCE, DIANE & CHIP EGAN, CHARLOTTE GRUOSSO, SARAH MORRISON, MARLENE NICHOLAS, RAMETH OWENS, VERNIE ROBERTS, ETE RUPERT, CATHY SPRAGINS, CAROL TODD, RITA VAN LENTEN, DONNA CRADER, KATHY HUGHES, LAURA LEFEVRE, KRISTY MACRAE, MONICA MCGREGOR, SHIRLEY MUZII, EVELYN RABEY, BETH WILKINSON, GARLAND GRAVELY, JOHN SHERMAN, GEORGE DUNKELBERG, BOB FOLSOM, HENRY MELTON, and GARY MOHR SR. Plus I watched MARCIA SHERMAN turn the pages as JUDY BONHAM played the piano and the organ.

Then just the other Sunday I saw these serving communion: ALISON REYNOLDS, ART WILLIAMS, JOY VAN DAELE, NAN JONES, HELEN MOHR, ALLISON YOUNG, JOHN McROBERTS, MELANIE JOB, KRISTEN McINNIS, JAN VAN SENUS, and HACK TRAMMELL.

I sure do miss DR. JACK STEVENSON who for so many years kept me company down in his office of Pastoral Counseling. I know he helped so many people in the church and others in the community. We all need to give him a big THANK YOU. He retired and is going to enjoy his time to relax.

I heard that the church is again looking for new officers. The Officer Nominating Committee is hard at work: CHRIS BANDY, KENNY MOHR, JAN BECKWITH, DON MCKALE, DOUG CARLSON, GRACE COOK, REEL ADAMS, KATHY MCGEE, and LINDA GAHAN, Chair.

Now that Clemson is up and running, the PSA is back in full swing under the able leadership of the following students: SARAH KOLACKI, COLIN PETTIGREW (child of our church), REBECCA FULMER, MORGAN HAMILTON, MATT KOLACKI, KATIE GRAY, LEE SOMERFIELD, CHARLES DUBOSE, JESSICA MOYLES and JULIE MATTHEWS.

You know those college kids eat lots of food so various groups and individuals have already fed them or are planning to feed them this semester: MARV & JOAN DIXON, MARY GAUSE, MIKE & JUDY BLACKWELL, BOBBY & JOY SKELTON, MARGARET MACKAY, The TUMPLIN Family, MELODY LUTZ, PAULA KOLACKI, LISA STREET, CIRCLES 5, 2, 7, 1, 3, MIDWAY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, MT. ZION PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, WALHALLA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, MEN OF THE CHURCH, SEEKERS SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS, NET MENDERS SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS, and YOUNG ADULTS.



## Water Missions International

Scriptures:

*Matthew 10:42 — “And if anyone gives even a cup of cold water to one of these little ones because he is my disciple, I tell you the truth, he will certainly not lose his reward.”*

*John 7:37-38 — “If anyone is thirsty, let him come to me and drink. Whoever believes in me, as the Scripture has said, streams of living water will flow from within him.”*

It is scripture on which the Vision and Mission Statements of Water Missions International (WMI) are based: “...that no person should perish from want of safe drinking water or an opportunity to hear the Living Water message...and to provide sustainable access to safe water and an opportunity to hear the Living Water message in developing countries and disaster areas.”

WMI is a nonprofit, Christian-based engineering organization that provides safe-water solutions that bring immediate and lasting benefits in health, dignity, education, productivity, and income generation to some of the world’s most marginalized and forgotten people. To date, WMI has provided the life-saving gift of safe water for more than 2.0 million people in need in 49 countries. Their ministry plans to continue this demonstration of God’s love, grace and mercy with the implementation of additional safe-water projects in 2011-2012.

Fort Hill Presbyterians under the leadership of the Christian Action Ministry lend support to this mission, through financial contributions, as well as sending teams of volunteers to the international headquarters in Charleston to assist in production of these safe-water systems.

Your funds and time contribute in quenching the physical and spiritual thirst of the nearly one billion people around the world who lack access to safe water.

Water Missions  
International

# Gifts to Fort Hill Presbyterian Church—How Can I Get More Information?

Throughout the year, you have heard and read about some of the opportunities our church provides for sharing accumulated resources or future earnings that can help secure a healthy legacy for our congregation and the mission of our church. As a next step in our communications, the Trustees are beginning to dialog with various professionals who might assist in hosting a seminar to delve deeper into the various ways to make a legacy gift to Fort Hill Presbyterian Church. We want to gauge your interest. **If you would attend a one hour informational session to learn more about planned giving and/or the current opportunities for giving at Fort Hill Church**, please call or e-mail a Trustee or fill out the information below and drop it in the collection plate or mail it to the church to the attention of the Trustees.

Robin Weeks, # 646-6733, newoaks@att.net

Wes Koch, # 654-0808, wes1koch@gmail.com

Steve Lefevre, # 944-6813, stevelefevre@hotmail.com

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**I AM INTERESTED IN ATTENDING A ONE HOUR INFORMATIONAL SESSION TO LEARN MORE ABOUT PLANNED GIVING AND/OR CURRENT OPPORTUNITIES FOR GIVING AT FORT HILL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Email:** \_\_\_\_\_



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# November 2011 Fort Hill Church Activities

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		<p>1 7am TH—MOC Breakfast 10am CR—OLLI 6pm TH—Folk Dance 6pm CR—B&amp;G Ministry 6pm Lib—Fellowship Ministry 7pm Conf Rm—P&amp;PS Ministry 7:15pm Rm 206—CE Ministry</p>	<p>2 10:30am Rm 205— Disciple Bible Study 3pm The Downs— Sermon Starters 6pm Choir Rm— Chancel Bells 6:30pm YR—Youth Choir 7:15pm Choir Rm— Chancel Choir 7pm TH—BSA</p>	<p>3 9:15am CR— Preschool Chapel 10:30am CR—OLLI 2:15 Lib—OLLI 6:30pm YR—Y&amp;YA Ministry 8pm Rm 205—AA</p>	<p>4 12:30 Rm 205—AA 4:30pm TH—Boy Scouts 6pm CR/BH— Children's Fellowship</p>	<p>5</p>
<p>6 1pm TH &amp; Sanctuary— Presbytery Meeting 11:30am CR—Seneca Area Circle of Care, Mary Barron deacon 2pm CR—NAMI 4:30pm JAM 4:30pm YR—Mdl Sch Grp 5pm Jesus Jammers 6pm CR—Youth Dinner 6:30pm YR—Sr. High Grp 8pm Rm 205—AA</p>	<p>7 9am CR—OLLI 10am TH—OLLI 12:15 CR—PW Circ 1 3pm CR—PW Circle 5 5:30pm Lib—CA Min 7pm Rm 205— Disciple Bible Study 7pm CR/TH/Dung— Boy Scouts</p>	<p>8 5:30pm Conf Rm— Music Ministry 6pm TH—Folk Dance 6:30pm Rm 210— Finance Ministry 6:30pm Conf Rm— Worship Ministry 6:45pm BH— Webelos 1 7:30pm Lib—PW Circle 2 8pm Rm 205—AA</p>	<p>9 10:30am Rm205— Disciple Bible Study 3pm The Downs— Sermon Starters 6pm Choir Rm— Chancel Bells 6:30pm YR—Youth Choir 7:15pm Choir Rm— Chancel Choir 9pm BH—Kappa Alpha Order</p>	<p>10 9pm Conf Rm— Transformation Team meeting 9:15am CR— Preschool Chapel 2:15 Lib—OLLI 8pm Rm 205—AA</p>	<p>11 12:30 Rm 205—AA 4pm CR kitchen— BSA BBQ Fundraiser 6pm TH/BH— Children's Fellowship</p>	<p>12 <i>Home Game— Wake Forest</i></p>
<p>13 11:30 Conf Rm— Discovering Faith 11:30 TH—Seekers' lunch 11:45 CR—Deacons' Mtg 4:30pm JAM 4:30pm YR—Middle School Group 5pm Jesus Jammers 6pm CR—Youth Dinner 6:30pm YR—Sr. High Grp 8pm Rm 205—AA</p>	<p>14 9:30am CR—PW Circle 3 10am TH—OLLI 4pm CR—Girl Scouts 2851 7pm Rm 205— Disciple Bible Study 7pm CR/TH/Dung.— Boy Scouts</p>	<p>15 9:30am CR—PW Coord. Team Meeting 6pm TH—Folk Dance 7pm CR—Session meeting 8pm Rm 205—AA</p>	<p>16 10:30am Rm205— Disciple Bible Study 3pm The Downs— Apple Pie Social 1:30pm CR—OLLI 6pm Choir Rm— Chancel Bells 6:30pm YR—Youth Choir 7:15pm Choir Rm— Chancel Choir 7pm TH—BSA</p>	<p>17 9:15am CR— Preschool Chapel 10am CR—OLLI 11am Conf Rm— Pastor Cluster 2:15 Lib—OLLI 2:30 CR—Baby Shower 5pm Lib—Fort Hill Investment Club 8pm Rm 205—AA</p>	<p>18 12:30 Rm 205—AA 6pm TH—Cub Pack 235</p>	<p>19 6pm BH/TH—CAPS</p>
<p>20 10am Session Meeting (new members) 1pm TH—CAPS 1pm CR—AA District Meeting 4:30pm JAM 4:30pm YR—Middle School Group 5pm Jesus Jammers 6pm CR—Youth Dinner 6:30pm YR—Sr. High Grp 8pm Rm 205—AA</p>	<p>21 7pm Rm 205— Disciple Bible Study 7pm TH/Sanctuary— BSA Court of Honor 7pm CR/TH/Dung.— Boy Scouts</p>	<p>22 6pm TH—Folk Dance 6:45pm BH— Webelos 1 8pm Rm 205—AA</p>	<p>23 10:30am Rm 205— Disciple Bible Study</p>	<p>24 <b>Office Closed for Thanksgiving</b>  8pm Rm 205—AA</p>	<p>25 <b>Office Closed for Thanksgiving holiday</b>  12:30 Rm 205—AA</p>	<p>26</p>
<p>27 8pm Rm 205—AA</p>	<p>28 4pm CR—Girl Scouts 2851 7pm Rm 205— Disciple Bible Study 7pm CR/TH/Dung. Boy Scouts</p>	<p>29 6pm TH—Folk Dance 8pm Rm 205—AA</p>	<p>30 10:30am Rm 205— Disciple Bible Study</p>	<p><b>SUNDAY SCHEDULE:</b>  8:30 am Worship— Tartan Hall  9:15 am Sunday School  10:30 am Worship— Sanctuary</p>		<p><b>Key to Abbreviations:</b> CR—Club Room TH—Tartan Hall Conf Rm— Conference Room CCR—Cooper Classroom BH—Bethlehem Hall Lib—Library YR—Youth Room</p>



**This**  
*Month's*  
**Birthdays**

- 11/1 Veta Finch  
Will Gustafson  
Kay Harkins  
Janet Johnson  
Marie Nebesky  
Steve Poteet  
Bruce Whisler
- 11/2 Harold Harris
- 11/3 Betty Cruickshank  
Samantha Young  
Cortland Young
- 11/5 Nancy Hawkes  
David Hendricks
- 11/6 Ette Ruppert
- 11/7 Norman Ellis  
Evan Hicklin  
Elise Hollingsworth
- 11/8 Bill Cato  
Bobby Skelton  
Bob Williamson
- 11/10 Walton Bost  
Anne Dickey  
Sally Poole  
Kenneth Sitton
- 11/11 Jake Crowther  
Bill Phillippi
- 11/12 Mary Hughes  
Lisa Street  
Andrew Trammell  
Kyle Winchester  
Bryan Young  
Mason Young

- 11/13 Gary Gardner  
Robby Lightsey  
Rose Marie McDonald  
Riley Richardson
- 11/14 Lin Dearing  
Sue Hunter  
William Spitler
- 11/15 Mik Fredman  
Marjorie Lovelace
- 11/16 Eleanor Herr  
Benjamin Martin
- 11/17 Jim Eidson
- 11/18 Savannah Aaron  
Austin Adams  
Evelyn Doerr  
Nick Holmes  
Fran Lilly
- 11/20 Teresa Hollingsworth  
Monica McGregor
- 11/21 Sally Alexander  
Helen Drew  
Joanna Martin
- 11/22 Barbara Alspaugh  
Benton Dahill  
Larry Sloan
- 11/23 Charlotte Poteet  
Danny Winchester
- 11/24 Martha Lindsay  
Noelle London
- 11/25 Barbara Colman  
Jan Fredman  
Kerri Kwist  
Joy Skelton
- 11/26 Mary Barron  
Greg Bearden
- 11/27 Bob Tollison
- 11/28 A.J. McRoberts  
Trey Smith

- 11/29 Carter Bandy
- 11/30 Dan Anderson  
John Bennett  
Kenny Mohr  
Margaret Wetsel  
Savannah Worley



**This**  
*Month's*  
**Anniversaries**

- 11/3 Gerald and Pam Waddle
- 11/6 Paul & Gail Caley
- 11/20 Troy & Susan Nunamaker
- 11/21 Bud & Leslie Hicklin
- 11/22 Charles & Peggy Rutland
- 11/25 Chuck & Betty Cruickshank
- 11/29 Stephen & Ethel Pettigrew