

PSALM 145:18-19

The Wednesday Connection

January 31, 2024

Pray

Father, we thank you for providing us with everything we need for life. We also thank you for giving us your son Jesus as the source of living water for us to draw upon. We ask that you lead us to the well when we have that thirst for satisfaction. Keep us looking to you in our times of need and away from the streams of the world that tempt us. Your Word tells us to guard our heart, for everything we do flows from it. Guide us with your Holy Spirit and allow the fullness of our hearts to overflow into everything we do. Stretch us beyond our own plans to reach those who we would normally pass by. Show us then how to take delight in you, instead of the things of this world, and help us to realize that our heart's desires can only be satisfied when you are in it. When we hunger or thirst, let it be for righteousness, in Jesus name, Amen.

In Need of Prayer

Paul Anderson
Byron & Betty Bledsoe
Jean Champion
Brian & Stacia Childress
Roxy Giddens' friend
Kim Jordan's family
Kathy & Travis
Kyler
Kay Monello
Rick Tapley
John Yandell

Rehab/Nursing Home

Bill & Lynn Blumreich, at home
Marie Gregory, CRNH
David & Yolanda Keating, at home
Connie Lake, CRNH
Georgia Moultrie, CRNH
Flora Jean Roberts, Union NH
Joan Shields, CRNH
Barbara Van Nus, CRNH
Pat Wright, CRNH
Kay Yandell, Hayesville House

INTERESTED where to Volunteer?

Scan the QR code below to see the all of the areas to serve at McConnell, or go to: mcconnellchurch.org/volunteer



Recovery from Surgery/Illness

Rob Chassner
Patty Nesbitt

*Humble yourselves before
the Lord, and he
will lift you up.*

James 4:10

In the Hospital

Upcoming Surgeries

Pat Hunt, 2/15 Florida

Sympathy

Jerry & Shirley Nichols, at the death of Shirley's brother, Odis Barrett.
Carol O'Dell, at the death of her sister, Jane Henson.
Susan Devries and family, at the death of her father, Jeff Waldroup.

Events from the Church Calendar (2/1 - 2/7)

THURSDAY 2/1	10:00 am - Noon 10:00 a.m. 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. 1:00 - 5:00 p.m. 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. 7:00 - 9:15 p.m.	New - 13 wk Session of GriefShare begins, #219-FLC WMU/Nannie Rose Tatham, #042-LL Hope Room Clothes Closet, Hope Rm Soup's On Fellowship, The Lodge Escape the Coming Night, Study, #042-LL ESL (English as 2nd Language), FLC	MONDAY 2/5	10:00 - 11:00 am 3:00 - 5:00 pm	Prayer for the Country, #Prayer Room Awana Clubs, FLC
FRIDAY 2/2	6:15—8:30 p.m.	Safety Team Meeting, Conference Rm.	TUESDAY 2/6	7:00 a.m. 10:00 - 11:00 am 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. 1:30 p.m.	Men's Prayer Bfst, Mary's Southern Grill Prayer Group, #026-LL Hope Room Clothes Closet, Hope Rm Alz/Dementia Support Group, #219-FLC
SUNDAY 2/4	8:00 a.m. 8:15 a.m. 8:30 - 9:00 a.m. 9:00 - 10:00 a.m. 10:15 - 11:30 am 10:15 a.m. 5:00 - 9:00 pm	Senior Over 60 Breakfast, FLC Band Rehearsal, Worship Center Library Open - before and after services Sunday School for all ages PEAK Kids Sunday School & Worship (nursery available) Morning Worship YHC Ministry - Pathfinders, The Lodge	WEDNESDAY 2/7	10:00 am - Noon 3:00 - 5:15 p.m. 5:15 - 5:45 p.m. 6:00 - 7:30 p.m. 6:00 - 7:30 p.m. 6:00 - 7:30 p.m. 6:00 - 6:45 p.m. 6:00 - 6:45 p.m. 6:45 - 7:30 p.m. 6:45 - 8:00 p.m.	Library Open (also 5:30 - 6:00 p.m.) Summit Students Hangout Time, Lodge EDGE & Summit Family Meal, FLC PEAK Kids Edge, Children's Dept Summit Students, The Lodge Parents Small Group, #233-FLC Wednesday in the Word w/Pastor Steve, Choir Suite The Band, Worship Center Prayer Groups, Conf Rm #2 & #026-LL Choir Rehearsal, Choir Suite

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FINANCIAL NEWS

2024 Offering Envelopes - are available in the Welcome area, please stop by and pick yours up. If you do not see a box with your name on it, there is a sheet on the table to sign-up.

Annual contribution statements were emailed on 1/23/2024 to those with an email address on file. Watch your email for this important message! Be sure to check your junk or spam folder if you don't see it. For those without an email address, statements will be mailed by the end of the month. If you do not receive a statement, please call the church office.

Quarterly Church Conference will be held tonight at 6:00 pm, in the Worship Center.

NEW 13-WEEK GRIEF SHARE SESSION BEGINS | 2/1

GriefShare is a friendly, caring group of people who will walk alongside you through one of life's most difficult experiences. You don't have to go through the grieving process alone. The next 13-week session of GriefShare will begin on Thursday, February 1st, from 10:00 am - 12 noon, in room #219-FLC. If you need more information, please contact the church office.

WMU | 2/1

The Nannie Rose Tatham/WMU monthly meeting will be held on **Thursday, February 1st** at 10:00 am in the Choir Suite Room LL-042. **All are welcome!!!** This is a wonderful opportunity to learn about our specific mission efforts in different areas of the world, and meet new friends. **All regular attendees are asked to bring your February 2024 issue of the Mosaic Magazine.**

SENIOR BREAKFAST/FELLOWSHIP | 2/4

The McConnell Deacon Body would like to invite all senior citizens over 60 to their breakfast fellowship next Sunday, February 4th in the Family Life Center from 8:00 - 8:45 a.m. Come and have coffee and eat with friends!

ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT GROUP | 2/6

The Towns County Alzheimer's & Dementia Monthly Support Group, facilitated by Shannon Larsen, will meet on Tuesday, February 6th at 1:30 pm in room #219-FLC. For more info Call Shannon at: 706-885-4643.

FATHER DAUGHTER DATE NIGHT | 2/9



Hey Dads! Take your daughter out for our Father Daughter Date Night, just in time for Valentine's Day!! This event will be held in The Lodge on Friday, Feb 9th from 6:00 pm—8:30 pm. Dinner will be served with activities to follow. Please wear your *fanciest* attire! If your daughter doesn't have a date, don't worry...we have gentlemen who would love to escort her. Scan the QR code to register or contact Alexis Osborn for more info: 706-994-4188.

Budget Required		Budget Received		Sunday, January 28
Weekly	YTD	1/28	YTD	In Church Attendance — 412
\$35,832.44	\$143,329.76	\$44,009.05	\$129,037.04	Sunday School Attendance — 218