

Announcements for Jan 20, 2018

HICKORY POTLUCK MEAL

The Sabbath of January 27th, is our 1st Potluck of the year.

Please bring the usual: a large main dish or a salad and a dessert. Drinks are often in short supply, so bring something to share here as well.

That's not all. We will be using our creative side by making greeting cards to send to brethren when needed.

Please bring whatever supplies you have that can be used to make the cards: cardstock, scissors, paper trimmers, ribbon, stickers, glue-on's, punches, designer paper, old cards with appealing visuals that can be cut out & reused, blank box cards to be embellished.

Put your supplies in a plastic box that will be assigned to one table to keep the supplies from being mixed up.

If your creative gene is on vacation, you can help by looking up or writing out pertinent scriptures or assisting the other card makers.

If you have any questions see Kristin Bettes or Rachel Dillard.

Don't be surprised if one day you get a beautiful card in the mail from your caring and creative brethren.

See you on the 27th for a productive and enjoyable Sabbath.

Southeast Regional Teen Prom Weekend: A Black & White Ball...& Paintball!

Nashville invites teens and their families to a weekend of fun March 9-11, 2018. We'll begin Friday evening with an all-family Welcome Reception offering warm fellowship, delicious desserts, and hymn singing. 2pm Sabbath services and the teen prom will take place at the Memorial Building [308 W 7th Street Columbia, TN 38401](https://www.google.com/maps/place/308+W+7th+Street+Columbia,+TN+38401/@35.5988,-86.2518,15z). The theme is a "Black and White Ball" and attendees are encouraged (but not required) to wear black and white formal attire. We look forward to honoring the graduating seniors and helping everyone to enjoy a memorable evening. There will be a "Younger Siblings Party" nearby with pizza, games, & movies for 4-12 year olds. Early registration is \$30/teen (\$35 after Feb 10.) After a good nights rest, teens are welcome to join the local young adults to play paintball on Sunday. \$35 includes equipment rental, paint, & all day play. Rooms are available at the nearby Hampton Inn for \$85/night + tax and include breakfast for up to four guests. Complete details and links to register and to volunteer (we need you, parents!) are on Facebook @SERegionalProm. Contact Sharon Babcock at [763-486-7877](tel:763-486-7877) or sharontb@gmail.com with questions. We hope to see a great turnout from across the region for this exciting weekend of activities!

NORTH CAROLINA ANNUAL SUPER SOCIAL

UPDATE:

So Today you might ask, "What is happening with "Super" Social?"

We are sure you are wondering!

Hopefully most of you have sent your payment (and thereby made your reservation) for the Friday night “Super” buffet dinner. The cost will be \$20 per person.

Children aged 5 to 12 will be \$10.

Children 4 and under will be free.

If you are still undecided, remember that some funds have been made available to help in that regard. We can still add names to the buffet list up through the middle of February. Although it may seem so, this does not actually give you permission to procrastinate! Funds should be sent to Greensboro Treasurer Sylvia Robertson. Her address is:

Sylvia Robertson

[3900 Brook Hollow Rd.](#)

Whitsett, NC 27377

Remember dinner will be followed by a dessert reception adjacent to the hall from the dinner.

A new activity has been added for more mature adults (that’s a code word for “older”) following dinner on Saturday night. We will have about a one-hour game called “What’s My Line?” — based on the old (really old) TV show from the ’60’s (or was it the ’50’s). Jane Dean of the Asheville congregation will be emceeing the event.

There are lot of other activities that have been laid out in other announcements. Don’t forget the barbecue brisket!!

We hope you will make your plans to be in Greensboro for the Super Social weekend. This is a chance to fellowship with your brethren from all over the area and chat with COGWA president Mr. Jim Franks and his wife Sharron.

And we hope everyone will be willing to pitch in and help make it a success. Your presence and your participation will go a long way to that end.

Please remember to sign the food sign-up sheet, for the Sabbath evening meal at the Super Social. The list will be on the announcement table.

Location for the hotel is the Airport Holiday Inn. Address is: [6426 Burnt Poplar Rd., Greensboro, NC 27409](#). Remember, cost of the hotel will be \$79.00 per night which is a significantly discounted rate. When making reservations; be sure to mention “Cogwa”. The phone number for reservations is: [\(336\) 668-0421](#).

If you are planning to attend, but have not yet made your reservation, we request that you please consider making your reservation this week so we will know if more rooms need to be blocked.

Saturday’s events will be at the Southwest Middle School [4368 Southwest School Road, High Point, NC 27265](#). — a seminar by Mr. Franks beginning at 11:00am, lunch, Sabbath Services at 2:30pm a brisket and turkey dinner, and evening

activities. The evening activities include basketball and volleyball in the gym until 9:30pm; and activities for the younger kids too! It should be a great day!! Later that evening there will even be an opportunity for Karaoke back at the hotel (for those staying there or those who would like to drop by.).

Another seminar by Mr. Franks will be held at the hotel on Sunday morning at 10:00am followed by a Q & A session and then a group lunch at the J & S Cafeteria; [5835 Samet Dr, High Point, NC 27265](https://www.google.com/maps/place/5835+Samet+Dr,+High+Point,+NC+27265).

ROOM SHARING?

If anyone would like to share a room at the Holiday Inn for the Super Social, but hasn't been able to find someone to share with, would you please let Mr. Kelley know ASAP?

Also, if anyone has transportation needs that have not been able to be met, please make that known as well.

MEN'S CLUB

We will be starting our Men's Club meetings again beginning next Sabbath, January 27th in Raleigh and February 3rd in Hickory and Greensboro. All the men should have received an Email or a letter outlining the club format and the material that will be covered this year.

Please make plans to stay over for these important meetings which will begin 10 minutes after services and last approximately 45 minutes.