

Announcements February 10, 2018

COGWA.TV PASSWORD CHANGE:

All English-speaking webcasts will have a unified password: fot

RALEIGH AREA:

Time change, potluck and "Sprinkle"

On February 17th 2018, services in Raleigh will begin one hour later at 2:30 pm. This is to accommodate our evening activities, a potluck followed by a "Baby Sprinkle," for the Lamberts. We are also delighted that Mr. and Mrs. Maranville are scheduled to visit Raleigh on the 17th too. More details on the "Sprinkle" are listed below.

Potluck and "Sprinkle" for the Lamberts - February 17th, 2018 in Raleigh

The Lambert's little girl is due to arrive in early March. We would like share in the happy occasion by hosting a "Sprinkle" for them on February 17th, 2018. Services will begin one hour later that day at 2:30 pm, followed by a potluck and then the "sprinkle," which will begin at 6 pm, shortly after the Sabbath.

For those who are not familiar with the term "sprinkle," it is a mini-shower held for mothers who already have at least one child and therefore have most of the big baby items already. If you would like to bring a gift, there are still many smaller items that are needed, like clothes, diapers, toys and toiletry items.

All ladies are invited, though we would not turn away any gentlemen that would like to attend too!

If you have any questions or you would like to help, please see Magnolia Ko or Margaret Villaescusa.

Card Making Party - Sunday, February 11th

This activity has been postponed and will be rescheduled at a later date.

BIBLE STUDY

We'll have our congregational Bible Study 10 minutes after the conclusion of services today in Raleigh. The Bible Study will be held next Sabbath after services in Hickory and Greensboro.

NORTH CAROLINA ANNUAL SUPER SOCIAL

We are only 2 weeks away!

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 which includes all you can eat prime rib and chicken piccata. Children aged 5 to 12 will be \$10. Children 4 and under will be free.

Registration for the dinner picked up quite a bit this week as we now have 75 scheduled to attend the dinner.

We can still add names to the buffet list up through Monday, February 12th. This will be our cut-off date. 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 emceeding the event.

We hope you will make your plans to be in Greensboro for the Super Social weekend. There will be no local services in Raleigh or Hickory that Sabbath. 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.

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 **and includes a full breakfast**. When making reservations; be sure to mention "Cogwa". The phone number for reservations is: (336) 668-0421. **The hotel will be releasing our blocked rooms after this week, so if you're going to make a reservation, do it this week or you will not receive the discounted rate.**

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](#).

ROOM SHARING AND TRANSPORTATION

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. We don't want someone to not attend because they cannot find transportation.