

Announcements August 25, 2018

WILL AND SHARON SWANSON

Will and Sharon are off to Mexico next Tuesday, August 28, for Sharon's 3 weeks of treatment at the Sanoviv Clinic just across the border from San Diego. They are very encouraged by the amount of love and support shown and ask for your continued prayers as they begin this phase of specialized treatments. Haven says she will be sending us updates.

CINDY MCCAULEY

Cindy McCauley of the Hickory congregation had surgery this week at Caldwell Memorial Hospital in Lenoir, to treat a Stage 4 decubitus ulcer. During the procedure she lost a lot of blood and soon her condition became critical. She was admitted to ICU and given transfusions. Within a day she stabilized and should be moved to a regular room as soon as today. She will be then transferred to a Rehab Unit for about 30 days for continued therapy and recovery. Cindy and her Mom, Barbara Sprouse, appreciate your concern and prayers for her recovery.

CHANGING HICKORY SERVICES START TIME

We are going to begin having services start in Hickory at 10:30 for SOME of the Sabbaths beginning in September. Some will still have to be at 10:00am. These are on the weeks I am in Hickory and then have to travel to Greensboro. A complete schedule will be printed and available on the information table. Also, the schedule has been sent to your email and should be posted on the local website soon. The first 10:30am start date will be next Sabbath, Sept. 1.

TIME OF SERVICES CHANGES IN HICKORY:

Schedule for reference is:

September 1 – 10:30am

September 8 – 10:30am

September 10 (Trumpets in Morganton) - 10:30am and 2:30pm

September 15 – 10:00am

September 19 – (Atonement in Hickory) – 1:00pm

September 22 – 10:30am

October 6 – 10:30am

October 13 – 10:00am

October 20 – 10:30am

October 27 – 10:30am

November 3 – 10:30am

CHARLOTTE CHURCH

The next date for a service will be Sept. 8 at the home of Josh and Samantha Beattie. If you don't know the address, you can ask the Beattie's or obtain the address from Mr. Kelley. In October, the date is October 27 with the location to be determined.

MEN'S CLUB

Men's Club will be in Hickory on Sept. 1.

RALEIGH POTLUCK

Our next Raleigh potluck will be after services on September 8. Please plan to stay over and enjoy a special afternoon meal together. Let's feast before the Feast of Trumpets. Chef Jeff Cox will be providing and grilling chicken. We should all bring other items such as potato salad, salads, veggies, and, of course, desserts.

TRUMPETS AND ATONEMENT SERVICES

For Trumpets, Sept. 10th, Hickory and Asheville will combine at the Collette Street Recreation Center, 300 Collett St, Morganton, NC 28655.

Raleigh and Greensboro will again combine at the Mebane Community Arts Center 633 Corregidor St, Mebane, NC 27302.

Services in both locations will be 10:30 and 2:30.

For Atonement, Wednesday, Sept. 19, all 3 congregations will be at their normal location and services will be at 1:00pm

FEAST OF TABERNACLES

From Tom Burrow:

Usher's needed at Pigeon Forge, TN.

We are in need of more usher's at the Feast. Please contact Tom Burrow at tom.burrow@cogwa.org if you would like to serve in this area.

CHURCHES HAVING SERVICES SABBATH BEFORE FEAST

I have available a listing of churches and locations that are having services on the Sabbath just prior to the Feast of Tabernacles. If you are traveling and need this information, please let me know.

HOLY DAY OFFERING ENVELOPES

You should have received your Fall Holy Day offering envelopes by now. Please be sure to secure them in a place where you know you will have them with you on the Holy Days for the offering. We will only have a limited number of extra envelopes to hand out. If you did not receive your envelopes, now would be a good time to contact Headquarters Office by calling: (972) 521-7777.