

Announcements March 9, 2019

HICKORY CLOTHING SWAP:

“FROM ME TO YOU CLOTHING SWAP”

The Hickory Ladies Club is sponsoring a clothing swap schedule for Saturday, March 23rd. We ask all participants to bring (10 items or less). Items must be in very good condition and laundered. There will be areas set up to place your items 1 hour prior to service. Please bring clothing on designated date of swap. If you have any questions, see designated coordinators Martha Roark or Gale Maranville. Further information is available on the information table.

BIBLE STUDIES

Bible Study will be held after services next Sabbath in Hickory and Greensboro.

RALEIGH COFFEE SERVERS NEEDED

We are in need of coffee/snack volunteers in Raleigh. Please email Carol Renegar this week or talk to Bill today to volunteer.

MEN'S CLUB DATES

Hickory – March 23

Raleigh – March 30

Greensboro – April 6

The topic will be from Lesson 7 of the Christian Leadership Training Manual and will cover the subject of the 4 tools of Christian Growth: Prayer, Bible Study, Fasting and Meditation. If you would like an assignment, please see your club President to volunteer.

HOLY DAY OFFERING ENVELOPES

You should have received your Holy Day Offering Envelopes with your recent new booklet; God's Purpose For You.

Please secure your envelopes in a place where you will be sure to have them with you for the Holy Days. We will only have a limited supply of extra envelopes available.

SUMMER CAMP APPLICATIONS

Camp Application System Open

The camp application system is open and active as of March 1 at 10 a.m. There was a slight makeover of the website, and the camp details for 2019 were made available on the site in mid-February. You may now start applying for the camp(s) of your choice by clicking the “Apply Now” button on that camp’s web page. Alternatively, you may also begin by logging into your Portal account (<https://portal.cogwa.org/acct/login.php>) and looking for the “Click Here to Apply” button on the bottom left of the home page.

Please note: The system was changed this year to **require** that a new photo (taken within the last three months) be uploaded and the date entered before you will be allowed to fill in an application for camp. Just click on the red camera icon to the left of the “Enter Applicant Details” to upload a new photo and enter the date it was taken.

NIGHT TO BE MUCH OBSERVED

Now is the time for all of us to begin making our plans to celebrate this very special evening. The date will be Friday evening, April 19th. Currently there are no plans to have a catered meal at any central location, so the plan is for some to host smaller groups in their home. This is often the preferred way of celebrating by several members. The idea is to include everyone in the planning and preparation as well as the enjoyment of the evening together.

I would highly suggest making your plans very soon.

It is a very special observance commemorating the Israelites march to freedom from slavery in Egypt and today our deliverance from the enslavement of sin.