

Announcements March 23, 2019

ADOLPH MURDOCK PRAYER REQUEST

Most of you received this Email last night.

The surgeon found extensive infection in the right foot toes, and has determined he must amputate the leg just below the knee.

The additional surgery will take place today. He seems to be accepting this OK and appreciates all your prayers for him.

He is in Moses Cone Hospital; 5th floor; Room 12.

I'll continue to update as I have further information

NICK BOLINGER UPDATE

I received a letter from Nick Bolinger on Wednesday that was written last Sabbath. It has some potentially good news. Mr. Bolinger wrote the following:

"I talked to my Programmer about a level change to a 2 so I could get sponsor passes for 6 hours where I could go to church services and start to get back into society again. Well, he told me yesterday (March 15) to come and see him Monday (March 18) and we could talk about things. The court has told the NC government to start letting the old law inmates out; so they have started that again. So spread the word, that I need all the prayers I can get".

So far, I haven't heard anything more from Nick, but I'm hoping to receive good news about this soon.

RALEIGH POTLUCK

The next potluck meal in Raleigh will be after services April 13. Since this is just prior to the Days of Unleavened Bread, we will feature using the last of our leavened products in our food selections.

FI SEMINARS REGISTRATION

Foundation Institute, Center for Biblical Education, is pleased to announce a weeklong seminar in the headquarters office of the Church of God, a Worldwide Association, in McKinney, Texas. Because the headquarters ministry have other commitments, there will be only one seminar this summer, but the new FI classroom will allow us to accept up to 48 participants.

The seminar will be the week of July 15 to 19, 2019, and classes will be taught by several ministers in the office. In fact, there will be some 38 hours of Bible instruction. Details about class offerings are not confirmed yet, but will be announced in due time.

The tuition cost is \$75 per person, or \$125 for a married couple. The fee will cover administrative costs for the program and a light lunch each day.

Registration will open at 10 a.m. Central Daylight Time (Texas time) – that's 11:00am our time) on Sunday, March 31, 2019. Beginning at that time you may send an email to David Johnson at david.johnson@cogwa.org. Those accepted will receive a confirmation email and further details about the program.

We look forward to seeing you here in Texas for our first Continuing Education seminar in the new office.

MEN'S CLUB DATES

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.

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.

PASSOVER LOCATIONS

The date of Passover is the evening of April 18th with the service **beginning at 8:00pm** in all locations.

Raleigh – Potter's Hand Bible Church: 3468 Apex Peakway, Apex, NC 27502

Charlotte – Hampton Inn: 11935 N. Community House Rd. Charlotte, NC 28277

Greensboro – Gate City Vineyard Church: 204 S. Westgate Dr. Greensboro, NC 27407

Hickory – La Quinta Hotel - 1607 Fairgrove Church Rd SE, Conover, NC 28613

FIRST DAY OF UNLEAVENED BREAD

The date is on the weekly Sabbath of April 20. Services are in our normal current locations with all services being held at 1:30pm.

LAST DAY OF UNLEAVENED BREAD

The date is Friday, April 26. Both locations will have services at 10:30 and 2:30.

Mebane – Community Arts Center - 633 Corregidor St, Mebane, NC 27302

Morganton – Community House - 120 N King St, Morganton, NC 28655

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

Hopefully most of you now have plans to celebrate the Night to Be Much Observed with a small group. If you have no plans yet, or would like to be invited to be with a small group, please let an Elder or Mr. Kelley know soon. We would be happy to assist in helping insure everyone has a place to celebrate this very special evening with other church members.

NOT NECESSARY TO READ THESE – JUST HERE FOR EASY REFERENCE

Raleigh Phone Hookup – If you ever have to miss Sabbath services you can call in to a central number and connect to the live phone hookup via FreeConferencing.com. At 1:30 pm you need to dial the conference number and then enter the participant access code, and that should connect you.

The dial-in number is: **(712) 432-0900**. The participant access code is: **500686#**.
If you have any questions please contact Julius AungMin.

ACCESSING OUR LOCAL MEMBERS WEBSITE

The new website is still under development to include all the information we had previously. The 3 congregations are being combined as they essentially contain the same information. The best way to access the new site is:

<http://greensboro.cogwa.org/>

Then you will see a small place in the upper right hand corner of the page to enter in a user name and password:

Login: nc_member

Password: 4cogwaNC

Note this is case sensitive a change from our previous login and passwords.