Announcements July 20, 2019

GREENSBORO PICNIC AFTER CHURCH

Greensboro congregation will hold their annual summer "after church" picnic on August 3. The location will be behind the building just across the driveway. There are several nice picnic tables there. Details will be coming, but please plan to stay over and enjoy a summer picnic dinner with the family.

RALEIGH - SPECIAL SNACK DAY

On Sabbath of August 3, we're planning to have a special "Kid Friendly Snack Day". This is the date of our next Sabbath School class. Let's prepare special treats that our kids of all ages will enjoy.

HICKORY POTLUCK

Hickory will be having a "Cool Summer Afternoon" potluck. Bring ONLY cold foods, such as cold cuts, potato salad, summer sausage and crackers and the like. Two rules: NO Crock pots and everyone must stay and enjoy the fellowship.

RALEIGH JULY POTLUCK IS COLD

For our potluck meal for July 27 - let's bring cold cuts for a warm summer afternoon. Two rules: everything must be cold and no crock pots.

RALEIGH Volunteer Opportunities Card Program

We currently have need of a volunteer to help with writing cards for our sick and shut-in brethren. We work on a monthly rotation, with each volunteer generally serving three times a year. Please see Mrs. Villaescusa if you are interested.

RALEIGH FOI AUCTION COMING

We are planning to have an Auction/Bring and Buy Sale in Raleigh towards the end of this year. The proceeds would be given to Foundation Outreach International. If you have items you would consider donating, please set them aside. These might include gently used clothes, toys, household items etc.

If you would like to help organize this event, please see Mrs. Villaescusa.

ANNUAL SUMMER PICNIC AT SWARTZ

Mark your calendars for *September 1st*. Planning is in the works for a fun filled Labor Day Picnic at the Greg and Jan Swartz home. Come join your fellow family members and enjoy fellowship, games and plenty of fun. *Details will be forthcoming.*

ASHEBORO ZOO TRIP

On Sunday, *September 15th* we're planning a trip to the Asheboro Zoo. Bring your family, friends and come "Roam the World's Largest Zoo!

Since we plan to purchase group rate tickets, all those who are attending should plan to arrive no later than 9:30am so we can purchase tickets together and enter at the same time. Cash payment should be prepared in advance.

Ticket Information and further details are available on the Information Table.

ROANOKE PIZZA DINNER AND FAMILY DANCE

Mr. Lambert is trying to determine interest from our areas about whether we have members who would like to participate in a pizza dinner and family dance to be held after services in Chatham, VA. This location is approximately 2 ½ hours from Hickory; 1 hour from Greensboro; and 1 hour 45 minutes from Raleigh. The date of this event is November 16th. The closest hotel for any desiring to stay overnight is the Camber Inn, in Gretna about 11 miles away. The rates are \$109 per night for a king or \$119 per night for 2 queens. Some rooms offer a mini fridge and microwave. But they do offer free breakfast. Mr. Lambert would like to know approximately how many might come for this event from our area to help him with their planning. If we have sufficient numbers from Greensboro, there is the possibility of having combined services with Roanoke at this location. Some may remember we did this in the past when we combined at the Reynolds Homestead in Critz, VA.

If you believe this is something you are interested in doing (no commitment at this time), please notify Mr. Kelley tonight or tomorrow by text or email if you think you might attend. Thanks!