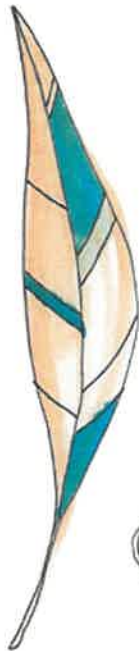


The Informer

September 2020

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ecclesiastes 3:1

A NOTE FROM TRACY

After a five month hiatus due to COVID-19, we have launched our Town Hall meetings to begin the work we need to do before calling our new pastor. Thank you to everyone who participated in the first session where Janet re-introduced the committee and I shared an overview of the process.

The next Town Hall meetings will be Sunday, September 13th after worship and Wednesday, September 16th after Bible Study. Remember that both of these meetings will cover the same material, and you only need to attend one or the other. At this meeting, we will begin to look at our history (the search committee will likely host 2-3 meetings focused on our history). At the each meeting, we will gather in small groups and ask everyone to reflect on 2-3 key questions. Please reflect on and pray about your answers to the following questions and come prepared to share your answers on September 13th or September 16th:

1. What are the most important things that this faith community has contributed to your life?
 - A. Who or what made a difference?
 - B. How did it affect you?
2. How have you experienced Christ's love from other members of Farmville Baptist? Describe what happened.
3. What re-occurring event most describes our church?

Please remember that everyone's feedback is essential to the process. If you cannot join the conversation in person or online, please write your answers to the questions and mail them to the church care of Janett Southall, Search Committee Chair.

Also remember that worship moves to 10:00 a.m. beginning September 6!

On the journey with you,

Tracy

ZOOM LOG-IN INFORMATION

If you haven't joined us on Zoom yet, here are the very simple instructions to get started.

If you are logging in via the INTERNET follow the below steps.

1. Go to zoom.us.
2. Click on the tab labeled "Join a Meeting".
3. Click the box that says "Meeting ID or Personal Link Name". Type in corresponding meeting ID for either Worship Service, Daily Devotions, or Wednesday Night Sunday School as listed below and click "Join".

If you are calling in via PHONE, you do not need to follow these steps; just simply dial +1 253 215 8782 or +1 301 715 8592 and enter the corresponding meeting ID for either Sunday Worship Service, Daily Devotions, or Wednesday Night Sunday School as listed below followed by #.

This information and more can also be found on our website at <http://www.farmvillebaptist.org/virtual-gatherings/>

**SUNDAY MORNING
WORSHIP SERVICE
AT 11:00 AM**

Meeting ID :
626 833 551
Password:
592659

**DAILY DEVOTIONS
(MONDAY—FRIDAY)
WITH TRACY AT
12:15 PM**

Meeting ID :
844 110 379

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT
SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS
WITH KEN COPELAND
AT 7:00 PM**

Meeting ID :
271 659 616
Password:
688863

WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS

If you are able to volunteer for our upcoming services please contact Sandy Yeatts or the church office at (434) 392—5041.

Circling the Church in Prayer

Although we are unable to gather together in person each Sunday, we still encourage you to spend each Sunday morning at 10:15am praying for our church.

During this time we pray for discernment—What is God's plan for our church? How will God use our church within our community now, and in the future?

God honors bold prayers and bold prayers honor God!

In-Person & Virtual TOWN HALL MEETINGS



~ Town Hall Meeting Dates are as listed below ~

Sunday, October 4th
Wednesday, October 7th

Sunday, October 25th
Wednesday, October 28th

Sunday, November 15th
Wednesday, November 18th

Sunday, December 6th
Wednesday, December 9th

***The meeting content each Sunday will be repeated on Wednesday, so we encourage you to join either Sunday or Wednesday, there is no need for you to attend both.
Each week's meeting will address a different topic.***

Sunday afternoon meetings are in-person and virtually directly following Worship Service
Wednesday evening meetings are ONLY virtually and directly following Bible Study

ANNUAL CHURCH PICNIC

We are planning to have our Annual Lakeside Worship Service and Picnic for late September 2020. We will worship lakeside on Wilck's Lake Island beginning at 10:30AM. To keep the environment safe and properly socially distant we invite families to pack and enjoy their own picnic lunch following Worship around the lake. We will release the exact date and more information once we get the final approval from the Town of Farmville.

PAINT THE TOWN PURPLE

SEPTEMBER 1-30, 2020

Help us raise awareness about Alzheimer's and dementia and the Farmville Walk to End Alzheimer's by participating in our 1st Annual Paint the Town Purple Event!

How To Participate

Wear purple clothing

Decorate your business with purple ribbons or displays

Feature purple treats, drinks or other items

Contact

CE Nichols | Walk Chair

mrcsmnichols@yahoo.com

304.813.8728

Millennial Support Group for caregivers & family members in their 20s & 30s

2nd Tuesday of each month | 7:00—8:00 P.M. EST

Call the Alzheimer's Association 24\7 Helpline at 800.272.3900 to receive login information for each meeting.

ARTMATTERS Early Stage Engagement

September Topic : Dan Dailey Character Sketch

Friday, September 11 | 10:30 A.M. EST

Art Matters is a socialization engagement virtual program for people recently diagnosed with early stage Alzheimer's disease or another form of dementia and their care partner(s). Each program is held via Zoom and is free, BUT YOU MUST REGISTER to participate. Please call 757.459.2405 to register.

Virtual Alzheimer's Community Forum : Hampton Roads LGBTQ Community

Wednesday, September 16 | 3:00—4:30 P.M.

Register through the Alzheimer's Association 24\7 Helpline at 800.272.3900

Virtual Alzheimer's Community Forum : Portsmouth

Wednesday, September 23 | 3:00—4:30 P.M.

Register through the Alzheimer's Association 24\7 Helpline at 800.272.3900

Virtual Alzheimer's Community Forum : Suffolk

Wednesday, October 6 | 3:00—4:30 P.M.

Register through the Alzheimer's Association 24\7 Helpline at 800.272.3900

SEPTEMBER 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 Happy Birthday Erin Copeland	2 12:15pm : Daily Devotional Via Zoom with Pastor Tracy 7:00pm : Bible Study via Zoom	3 Happy Birthday Christopher Barnett & Casey Watson 12:15pm : Daily Devotional Via Zoom with Tracy Hartman	4 12:15pm : Daily Devotional Via Zoom with Tracy Hartman	5
6	7 Happy Birthday Nancy Phaup 9:15am-Circle the Church 10:00am-Worship Service	8 Happy Birthday Teddy Cryat 12:15pm : Daily Devotional Via Zoom with Tracy Hartman	9 Happy Birthday Darlene Bratcher 12:15pm : Daily Devotional Via Zoom with Tracy Hartman 7:00pm : Bible Study via Zoom	10 Happy Birthday 12:15pm : Daily Devotional Via Zoom with Tracy Hartman 7:00pm : Deacon's Meeting	11 Happy Birthday H.A. Saxton 12:15pm : Daily Devotional Via Zoom with Tracy Hartman	12 Happy Birthday Michael Burruss
13	14 9:15am-Circle the Church 10:00am-Worship Service 11:00am-Town Hall Meeting	15 12:15pm : Daily Devotional Via Zoom with Tracy Hartman	16 12:15pm : Daily Devotional Via Zoom with Tracy Hartman 7:00pm : Bible Study via Zoom	17 12:15pm : Daily Devotional Via Zoom with Tracy Hartman	18 12:15pm : Daily Devotional Via Zoom with Tracy Hartman	19
20	21 9:15am-Circle the Church 10:00am-Worship Service 11:00am-Pastor Search Committee Meeting	22 Happy Birthday Michael Barnett 12:15pm : Daily Devotional Via Zoom with Tracy Hartman	23 12:15pm : Daily Devotional Via Zoom with Tracy Hartman 7:45pm : Town Hall Meeting	24 Happy Birthday Kim Davis 12:15pm : Daily Devotional Via Zoom with Tracy Hartman	25 12:15pm : Daily Devotional Via Zoom with Tracy Hartman	26 Happy Birthday Patricia Amos, Patricia Moorefield & Carolyn Overton
27	28 Happy Birthday Tyler Lane Cristo & Charlotte Huskey 9:45am-Circle the Church 10:30am-Worship Service Lakeside @ Wilck's Lake	29 Happy Birthday Harold Saxton 12:15pm : Daily Devotional Via Zoom with Tracy Hartman	30 12:15pm : Daily Devotional Via Zoom with Tracy Hartman			
Notes:						

UPCOMING DATES TO REMEMBER

September 6	10:00am	Worship Service In-Person or Virtually via Zoom with Meeting ID : 626 833 551
September 9	7:00pm	Virtual Bible Study with Ken Copeland via Zoom—Meeting ID : 271 659 616
September 10	7:00pm	Virtual Deacon's Meeting via Zoom—Meeting ID : ??? ?? ???
September 13	10:00am	Worship Service In-Person or Virtually via Zoom with Meeting ID : 626 833 551
September 13	11:00am	Town Hall Meeting In-Person or Virtually via Zoom with Meeting ID : 626 833 551
September 16	7:00pm	Virtual Bible Study with Ken Copeland via Zoom—Meeting ID : 271 659 616
September 16	7:45pm	Town Hall Meeting In-Person or Virtually via Zoom with Meeting ID : 626 833 551
September 20	10:00am	The Lord's Supper & Worship Service In-Person or Virtually via Zoom with Meeting ID : 626 833 551
September 20	11:00	In-Person or Virtual Pastor Search Committee Meeting via Zoom with Meeting ID : 626 833 551
September 23	7:00pm	Virtual Bible Study with Ken Copeland via Zoom—Meeting ID : 271 659 616
September 27	10:30am	Worship Service In-Person or Virtually via Zoom with Meeting ID : 626 833 551
September 30	7:00pm	Virtual Bible Study with Ken Copeland via Zoom—Meeting ID : 271 659 616

Financial Report Through August 31, 2020	August Receipts	\$11,668.41
	YTD Receipts	\$91,779.01
	YTD Expenditures	\$71,672.21
	YTD Receipts vs. Expenditures	\$20,106.80

REMEMBER YOU CAN ALSO STAY INFORMED BY FOLLOWING OUR SOCIAL MEDIA PAGES!

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DEACON FAMILY MINISTRIES

Chuck Daniel	A—Bh	Jordan Whiley	Dr—E	Jack Davis	P—R
Jack Davis	Bi—Coo	Kathryn Copeland	F—L	Chuck Daniel	S—Tn
Janett Southall	Cop—Dq	Becky Kelly	M—O	George Carter	To—Z

LIFE DEACONS

Peggy Cave, Jack Davis, Jim Davis, Joyce Davis, Gene Watson, Cecil Yeatts