

CHURCH CALENDAR AND EVENTS

February 12	9:30 a.m. Elders meet for prayer
February 12	9:45 a.m. Sunday School for all ages
February 12	11:00 a.m. Worship Service
February 12	4:00-7:00 p.m. Opening Gospel Conversations Training
February 15	11:30 HARPS meeting for lunch at Mountain View Restaurant
February 16	7:00 Session Meeting
February 26	Soup Lunch Fundraiser for the Music Conference

FAITH PROMISE UPDATE

Faith Promise Update: \$1900 was promised back in the fall, \$680 has been given as of December. If the Lord has led you to give to Faith Promise, please specify your gift using the pew envelopes.

HARPS

HARPS will meet at 11:30 on Wednesday, February 15th at the Mountain View Restaurant in Kings Mountain. Anyone interested in joining us for this time of fellowship is welcome.

SPECIAL GUEST SPEAKER

Next Sunday, Feb. 19th, Rev. Tim Watson, pastor of New Sterling ARP Church, will be sharing with us about the mission efforts over several years in Belize. Some folks from Boyce Memorial ARP Church in Kings Mountain may also join us - folks that have gone on this same trip to Belize with New Sterling. Please join us for a special combined Sunday School. Tim will also preach.



VISITORS, PRAYERS & PRAISE

If you are a visitor and interested in learning more about our church and the Associate Reformed Presbyterian denomination, please see one of the greeters in the vestibule. If you would like to receive our newsletter or other information about our church, by mail or by e-mail, please provide us with any pertinent information using the Yellow Friendship Register found in your bulletin. You may place it in the offering plate or in the wooden Church Office box, located in the vestibule, as you leave this morning. The Yellow Friendship Register can also be used to submit prayer requests or notes of praise.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

The Friendship Sunday School class is in need of a van driver who would alternate with the current two drivers. The need will begin in April. This is a great ministry opportunity. Could your spiritual gift be to drive the van? Romans 12:6 says, "Having gifts that differ according to the grace given to us, let us use them..." Please be in sincere prayer about whether the Lord would have you drive and/or for the Lord to burden the right person's heart to drive. If you have questions see one of our deacons.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

There is a new church policy for Children's Church. It has been simplified to help children in the transition from nursery to "Big church". It is now for children between the ages of 3 and 5.

For children 6 years old and up, a word checklist has been added to the bulletin to help them learn to be attentive to the sermon. After the service, children can show their checklist to Tommy Davidson or Josh Grigg for a small reward.

Children's Church lessons and activities have been restructured to fill the time more appropriately and easily. Please consider volunteering! The more volunteers we have, the fewer times one will need to serve. Our goal is to have Children's Church every week.

CAM-SOUPER BOWL

Last Sunday we took up the Souper Bowl of Caring offering for Crisis Assistance Ministry. Thank you to all who participated in the offering. We collected \$153.41 to send to CAM.

