

OUR KNOWN HOSPITAL PATIENTS

Awilda Stowe is at Gaston Memorial.

THE FLOWERS IN THE SANCTUARY TODAY are given to the glory of our God.

CAM

Across our church, as well as volunteers at the Crisis Assistance Ministry are now seeing many people who have lost their jobs and are in need of assistance as well as elderly people whose only income is social security benefits.

Crowders Creek ARP Church is one of the contributing churches to the Crisis Assistance Ministry in Gastonia. Funds are allotted through the budget to assist this ministry, along with one month in the year that we are committed to help provide food for the pantry (September). Instead of collecting food items, we collect money to allow CAM to purchase more items through a food bank in Charlotte. Please pick up one of the banks in the vestibule for placing your donations for food. The CAM Committee will receive these between now and the middle of August. The money collected will be counted and one check will be sent by the first of September. (Those who wish to donate by check can make the checks out to the church and turn these in to the committee). If you do not see a member of the committee you may place the banks in the wooden box in the vestibule.



Pastor Ben will out of the office for vacation July 5-10, 2011. In case of an emergency, please contact the office during normal office hours, Monday-Thursday 9:00-1:30. After office hours please contact Cathy/Bill Best, or your shepherd leader. They can reach Pastor Ben on his cell.

SOCIAL CONCERNS OFFERING

The quarterly offering for our **Social Concerns Ministry** will be received Sunday, July 17th. This ministry affords our assisting individuals in the community who experience temporary financial needs. If you would like to contribute, please use a special offering envelope provided in each pew, notating "Social Concerns."

COMMUNION SUNDAY

July 17th

Take time to reflect and prepare for this special time.

CHURCH CALENDAR AND EVENTS

TODAY:

- 9:00 a.m. Session meets for prayer in the Library
- 9:45 a.m. Sunday School classes for all ages
- 11:00 a.m. Worship Service

- July 10-15.....Bonclarcken Music Conference
- July 17.....Communion Sunday/Social Concerns Offering
- July 18-21.....Growing Girls in Christ 9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon
- July 20.....Annual Church Cook-out at 6:00 p.m.
- July 25-28.....Family Bible Conference, Bonclarcken
- July 30.....Kelly Brooks Bridal Shower 10:00-11:30 a.m.
- August 1Salvation Army Breakfast
Ruth Grier Circle at 7:00 p.m.
- August 2Minnie Alexander Circle at 2:00 p.m. at Bess Burghen's
Mollie Falls Circle at 7:00 p.m.
- August 10.....Deacon's Meeting at 7:00 p.m.
- August 12-14.....Bonclarcken Weekend
- August 17Session Meeting at 7:00 p.m.

	Children's Church	Nursery Schedule
7/10	David & Ginny Styers	Carolyn Champion, Heather Owenby, & Marilyn Brooks
7/17	Martin & Allison Moses	Rick & Chris Oates
7/24	NONE	Peggy, Bob, & Josh Grigg
7/31	Laurie Murphy & Shirley Edwards	Charlie & Christy Rhyne

July Visitor Sheets:

Join us on Sunday mornings for a new summer sermon series!

**“Soul Searchin” based on the book of
Ecclesiastes**

Come and learn how to:

“Find your place in light of eternity”

“Find your place on Monday morning”

“Find your support people”

“Find your place in God’s house”

“Find the purpose of your possessions”

“Find perspective in the Real world”

“Find meaning in a paradoxical world”



BONCLARKEN WEEKEND

August 12-14, 2011

The Bonclarken Committee would like to remind everyone of our annual Bonclarken weekend in August. There are still rooms available. Once again, we will be meeting in the Conference Room in The Lodge for our meals, devotions, etc. There is a layout of the various rooms and camp sites posted and a list of those still open. This annual event is truly a good time for fellowship with your church family and friends. If you have never attended before or it has been a long time since you have, we want to encourage you to consider joining us this year. If you have any questions or need further details, please see Dave Brooks, Bonclarken Committee Chairman, or any member of the Bonclarken Committee.

Growing Girls in Christ

For Girls 6th-8th Grade

July 18-21, 2011

9:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon

\$15.00 per person

Join us for a fun-filled week as we worship, fellowship, and study from the book of Ruth.

****For more information contact Jennifer Wingard.***



If you would like to place flowers in the sanctuary on a special occasion please check the calendar in the vestibule. If you have questions please see Cathy Best.