



# The Messenger

## Laurinburg Presbyterian Church

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### Sunday, August 30 Worship at 11 am Blessing of the Backpacks, Presentation of Bibles to 3rd Graders and Commissioning of Sunday School Teachers and Youth Advisors

Christian Education kicks off a new year! All students and educators are invited to bring their backpacks or brief cases to be blessed as part of our service. The Deacons wish to thank those who gave money or contributed backpacks and school supplies as part of our mission to the children at North Laurinburg School. Thanks to you these children are now ready and prepared for another great school year.

CNE wishes to thank these people who will lead and teach our children, youth and adults this year.

#### Sunday School Teachers

for Explorers (3 years-1st grade):

*Kristen and Ryan Anderson, Chris and Eddie Carmichael, Bill and Julie Carmichael, Mary and Wesley Quick, Carolina Caddell and Pam Hill*

#### Sunday School Teachers

for Trekkers (2nd-5th grade):

*Kristin and Kitson Broadbelt, Denise and David Herr, Catherine McLaurin and Lynn Massey, Jamie and Debra Sutherland, Annette Morgan and Candy Nichols*

Children's SS Substitutes: *Sue Schulz, Sarah Williams, Dawn Sellers, Meredith Bounds*

#### High School Youth Advisors:

*Leslie Coughenour, Maggie Liles, John McLaurin, Amy Sloop, Bradley Williams*

#### Middle School Advisors:

*Brian Bounds, Mary Taylor Britt, Susan Hartwell, Sherrie Phillips, Jamie Sutherland*

#### Jr. Youth Advisors:

*Bette Sellers, Leslie Sellers*

Adult Sunday School Classes meet Sunday morning at 9:45 am. Teachers for the Men's Class: *Scott Miller, Fred Mabry, Hew Fulton, Clint Willis*; 3 Ms Class: *Ramona Wright, Lillian Boger, Carlene Willis, John Baker*. The Fun Adults Class which resumes September 20th, has various teachers including *Doug Hix, Bill Loftus and Tim Verhey (Asst. Professor of Religion and Philosophy at SAU)*. *Neal Carter* teaches the Part-time class the weekly lectionary study at 10 am. *Neal* also teaches the weekly lectionary study at Scotia on Wednesdays at 1:30 pm.

### Sunday, August 30 from 5-8 pm is the new time for required training for All Employees, Youth Advisors and Children's Sunday School Teachers

\*Please don't hesitate to volunteer with our children! If you are unable to attend this training session, you are still able to volunteer! We are grateful for all teachers, leaders, advisors and assistants that serve our ministry of working with our children. If for any reason, you are unable to attend the Required Volunteer Training, please contact Rev. Lyndsey McCall 919-656-2718 for instruction on how to get this training at a later date.

### Hymnfest Sunday, September 27 at 5 pm

Mark your calendar and make plans to join us for an evening concert and festival of hymns in the sanctuary. Our Chancel Choir will be accompanied by brass, bells, clarinet, cello, organ and bagpipes! Solos are planned by *Fabian Griffith, Deandrea Hargett and Leigh Montague*.

### Capital Project Financials 8/11/15

As of August 11, 2015, here is an update on our capital project. We have completed the purchase of the two church buses. All expenses associated in acquiring the buses resulted in an expenditure of \$115,363

which was \$8,637 less than budgeted. We have completed the repair of the sanctuary roof and are well underway with the installation of the metal roof on the fellowship hall. The total roof contract was \$251,000. To date, we have spent \$177,587 on the roof project in addition to the \$21,000 contingency budgeted. The contingency was spent for mortar repair on the sanctuary building and metal fascia for the fellowship hall. Neither of these were included in the original roof contract. We have used much cash on hand to fund this project and have borrowed \$175,000 to date on this three year project. The sanctuary emergency lightning (\$10,000) and the fellowship hall restroom renovation (\$30,000) are on hold pending campaign funding. The capital campaign needs about \$47,000 to be fully funded. Many thanks to those who serve on the Building, Equipment and Grounds (BEG) Committee for their great oversight of this project.

David Harling, Chairman  
Finance & Administration Committee  
Laurinburg Presbyterian Church

### Message from the Clerk of the Session

A member of the congregation recently approached the Session with a request for us to build a columbarium at Laurinburg Presbyterian. The Session has approved the concept for later consideration of a columbarium following our completion of our current construction projects and our three year capital campaign that is in progress.

William R. Purcell, II  
Clerk of Session  
Laurinburg Presbyterian Church

### Peace & Global Witness Offering: Blessed are the Peacemakers

What you've known as the Peacemaking Offering has been transformed into the Peace & Global Witness Offering. This new Offering will have a greater global reach, more significant impact, and bring peace to people through Christ.

The Peace & Global Witness Offering is received during the Season of Peace, which ends on World Communion Sunday. However, you can help sustain the important PC(USA) ministries and programs that

are supported by this important Offering by making an online gift at any time throughout the year.

#### How is my Gift Used?

A gift to the Peace & Global Witness Offering enables the church to promote the Peace of Christ by addressing systems of injustice across the world. Individual congregations are encouraged to utilize up to 25% of this Offering to sustain their local peacemaking ministries.

### From Our Pastor

Post-Traumatic Church Syndrome: A Memoir of Humor and Healing is the recounting of the spiritual dilemma Reba Riley, a 33-year old from Cincinnati, faces in her late 20s. Brought up in a Christian household, Riley soon realizes that the questions she has about her faith aren't being answered by the theology preached by her family's church.

The spiritual crisis prompts her to embark on a wild journey through 30 different religious traditions in just one year. While half of these are various strands of Christianity — from Mormonism to the practices of the Amish, the other half include Hinduism, Paganism and others.

The purpose of the quest isn't necessarily to find a new faith, but rather to combat the bitterness that has grown in her heart when she thinks about God.

Three years after her experiment concludes, Riley now calls herself a Christian, but with many, many qualifiers. Her faith is now about practicing love and finding God in unexpected places.

Post-Traumatic Church Syndrome is not Riley's attempt to diagnose anything medical or mental health-related; rather, this is her way of talking about a condition of spiritual injury that occurs as a result of religion, faith, and/or the leaving, losing or breaking of those things.

For Riley, her religious experiences lead to tremendous amount of hurt, bitterness and anger. She realizes that if she didn't get rid of these things she'd never be a healthy person. She also realizes that she needs to take responsibility for her spiritual health.

It's really death by a thousand cuts. You find cracks in your faith and you express them and you try hard to hide them and reason your way out of them.

Riley claims:

The project was never really about finding a religion. I didn't know where the journey was going to lead, but I had this vague notion that if I did this, it would change me. And it worked.

What does she discover?

The number one thing she finds is that God is bigger than any lines we can draw. Riley feels that a lot of times religion is how we try to draw those lines, so we can call God our own and say we've figured it out. What she sees as she goes to all these different places is that wherever there is truth and light and love, that's where God's Spirit is found.

Hopefully, we do not have to struggle through various religious dogmas or religious institutions to discover that God stands above all of our lines.

Ephesians 2:14 (NRSV)

*For he is our peace; in his flesh he has made both groups into one and has broken down the dividing wall, that is, the hostility between us.*

Galatians 3:28 (NRSV)

*There is no longer Jew or Greek, there is no longer slave or free, there is no longer male and female; for all of you are one in Christ Jesus.*

We all have cracks in our faith. In the Reformed Tradition, we allow space for these cracks. We are even open to seek out the answers, even if the answers aren't the ones we expected in the first place.

May we always be a people of faith that we are willing to know the God who is bigger than any lines we can draw. May our faith lead us to places where there is truth and light and love, for that is where God's Spirit is found.



## Sunday Worship

**August 30, 2015 - Ordinary 22B**

Neal's sermon: *"Simplify"*

Song of Solomon 2:8-13 or Deut 4:1-2, 6-9; Ps 45:1-2, 6-9 or Ps 15; James 1:17-27; Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

1st Hymn 12 Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

2nd Hymn 630 Fairest Lord Jesus

Offertory Anthem: Teach Me, O Lord, Attwood

3rd Hymn 14 For the Beauty of the Earth

In lieu of flowers a donation will be made to Pastor's Discretionary Fund in memory of Dr. & Mrs. S.H. Fulton, Katherine Fulton, & Warren & Jeannie Fulton by Hewitt Fulton.

**September 6, 2015 - Ordinary 23B**

Neal's sermon: *"The Golden Rule"*

Proverbs 22:1-2, 8-9, 22-23 or Isaiah 35:4-7; Ps 125 or Ps 146; James 2:1-10, (11-13), 14-17; Mark 7:24-37

Baptism of Ellison Rebecca "Ellie" Young. Ellie, born March 26, 2015, is the daughter of Chris and Mollie Young, and granddaughter of Mac and Becky McKeithan, and great-granddaughter of Norma McKeithan.

1st Hymn: 634 To God Be the Glory

Anthem: There is a Balm in Gilead

2nd Hymn: 177 I Will Come to You

3rd Hymn: 353 My Hope is Built on Nothing Less

In lieu of flowers a donation will be made to Pastor's Discretionary Fund in memory of Mary Crowell & Mr. & Mrs. Robert Lee Davis by Frances & Hal Jernigan.

**September 13, 2015 - Ordinary 24B**

Neal's sermon: *"Are You Sure?"*

Proverbs 1:20-33; Psalm 19; James 3:1-12;

Mark 8:27-38

1st Hymn: 15 All Creatures of our God and King

Anthem: Alleluia, Sing to Jesus (Moklebust)

2nd Hymn: 438 Rock of Ages

Offertory Solo: Take My Life and Let it Be (Beck)

3rd Hymn: 453 Open Your Ears, O Faithful People

**September 20, 2015 - Ordinary 25B**

Neal's sermon: *"Significant Pulpits"*

Proverbs 31:10-31; Psalm 1 or Psalm 54;

James 3:13 - 4:3, 7-8a; Mark 9:30-37

1st Hymn: 459 O Word of God Incarnate

Anthem: The God of Second Chances (Haas)

2nd Hymn: 707 Take Thou Our Minds, Dear Lord

Ladies Ensemble: Prayer Litany (Kemp)

3rd Hymn: 373 O Day of Peace

**September 27, 2015 - Ordinary 26B**

Lyndsey McCall preaching

Esther 7:1-6, 9-10 & 9:20-22; Psalm 124;

James 5:12-20; Mark 9:38-50

1st Hymn: 1 Holy, Holy, Holy

Anthem: When in Our Music God is Glorified  
(Stanford/Ziegenhals)

2nd Hymn: 637 O Sing to the Lord

3rd Hymn: 634 To God be the Glory

### **October 4, 2015 - Ordinary 27B**

World Communion Sunday - we will celebrate Communion with gluten-free wafers as usual.

Neal's sermon: "Burnt Toast"

Job 1:1; 2:1-10 or Genesis 2:18-24; Psalm 26  
or Psalm 8; Hebrews 1:1-4; 2:5-12; Mark 10:2-16

Joyful Singers Call to Worship: Uyai Mose/Come All You People

1st Hymn: 20 All Things Bright and Beautiful

2nd Hymn: 753 Make Me a Channel of Your Peace

Offertory/Anthem: Hope for Resolution, Caldwell/  
Ivory (w/ Joyful Singers) sop sax, violin, percussion

3rd Hymn: 372 O For a World

### **Other Communion Dates in 2015**

Sunday, November 1\*

Sunday, November 22 Christ the King

Thursday, December 24 5:30 and 11 pm

*\*Note November 1 is also St. Andrews Sunday and covered dish luncheon.*

### **Calling All Dancers:**

We are gathering all levels, abilities and ages to help with a World Communion Sunday (October 4th) processional liturgical dance. Are you interested?? Please let Rev. Lyndsey McCall know and join us for practice on Sunday, September 20 & 27 at 5:00 pm.

### **Youth/Parent's Night Sunday, Sept. 13:**

Parents of Middle and High School Youth: Please join us for an important meeting for all parents and youth on Sunday, September 13 at 5:45 pm in the fellowship hall.

### **5th-6th Graders Intro. to Worship Class:**

The CN&E has endorsed a program of Nurture and Education for the children and youth of the Laurinburg Presbyterian Church. This program includes a 6-week study for our 5th-6th Graders during the 11:00 hour, following the time with the children, Fifth & Sixth Graders are a part of our corporate worship experience and we would like to provide them with an opportunity to explore

the aspects of worship. This will include looking at the form of worship we follow, what it means to be a Presbyterian worshipping community, being part of Baptism and Communion and participation in worship at the close of the study. Rev. Lyndsey McCall will teach this course Sept.13 - October 25.

### **New Curriculum for Children's SS**

We've got an exciting Sunday School year ahead of us with a brand new curriculum called "Growing in Grace and Gratitude." I've talked to several of my Christian Educator friends and they're all jazzed up about this new curriculum which is rooted in the foundation of Presbyterian identity — where God's grace and our gratitude are the heartbeat of our faith, life, and worship. The curriculum extends an invitation to discipleship that "inspires children to learn and practice hospitality, generosity, and love; and reaches beyond Sunday morning, encouraging children to live their lives as an expression of God's grace."

"Growing in Grace and Gratitude" has a downloadable free E-book is available for families to use at home. <http://www.growinggracegratitude.org/for-the-home.html#ebook> Grace Sightings and audio recordings are downloadable resources that include the story for the week's session and age-appropriate activities for children to do at home with their parents or caregivers. With "Grace Sightings," sessions reach beyond Sunday morning, encouraging children to live their lives as an expression of God's grace at home and at school.

In an article from the PCUSA entitled "Out with the old, in with the new," it stated this about the new curriculum: We Believe debuted in fall 2003, grounded in the Reformed tradition through the use of the study catechism. It saw many revisions in its time, but remained solid in the biblical and Reformed foundations that characterized the curriculum from its inception. Growing in Grace & Gratitude is different from previous PC(USA) denominational curricula, including We Believe, as it reveals in key Bible stories the grace of God and our gracious response. It offers the same story, but a different emphasis, making it much more transformational. About 18 months ago . . . we were wrestling with how to develop a curriculum that articulates our denominational identity while encouraging children to

practice Christian community, proclaim the gospel, and work for justice," said Clare Lewis, publisher, Congregational Ministries Publishing. "[The curriculum] needed to be more than just informational. It needed to be transformational."

So, are you ready to help transform the lives of our children this year?? We hope so! For more information on the new curriculum, please check out the website:<http://growgracegratitude.org>. Note when you look at the website, look for the materials for children age 3-5 (our Explorers class) and multi-age for children age 5-10+ (our Trekkers class).

May our lives be transformed, as we help transform the lives of the children at LPC!

Rev. Lyndsey McCall, Director of Christian Education

### 1st-2nd Graders Communion Class:

1st -2nd graders are invited to attend Jr. Youth with 3rd-5th graders for dinner and a Communion Class on October 25 at 5:45 pm at the Hut.

### Joyful Singers & Ringers Resume Sept. 2 Rehearsals begin Wednesday, September 2

**6:30-7:10 in Room 219.** We have lots of exciting musical service opportunities planned for this fall: singing in the Hymnfest on September 27, participating in worship on October 4 and November 8, presenting our Christmas Program on December 13, and performing at the Scotland Memorial Library's holiday party on December 16. All kids in the congregation (1st grade & older) are welcome to join us! Talk to Jaime ([jam6ah@gmail.com](mailto:jam6ah@gmail.com) or 258-8459) if you have any questions.

### Wednesday Fellowship Meal/Programs resume September 16 at 6 pm

Sept 16: Meat Loaf, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, corn casserole, tossed salad, tea, dessert

Sept 23: Boston Butt, pinto beans and rice, sweet potato casserole, collards, tossed salad, tea, dessert

Sept 30: Baked chicken, roasted potatoes, squash casserole, glazed carrots, tossed salad, tea, dessert

Reservations/cancellations are needed by 1 pm on Wednesday. The meals will be catered by Rick's Catering. Adults \$7.00; children (under 12) \$3.00

### Wednesday Night Program Schedule

Several Sundays ago, there was an insert in the bulletin asking for you to select topics from the best-selling Being Reformed: Faith Seeking Understanding series. Being Reformed studies are biblically based and provide adults with a foundational understanding of the Reformed faith. Each study addresses its subject from a Reformed theological perspective. The most popular responses are listed below and indicated by an asterik\*. Some other programs are in the mix this fall.

September 16

Wednesday Night Kick-off Re-Creation

September 23

*\*Following Jesus Today: Challenges & Opportunities*

September 30

A Celebration of Faith and Music

October 7

*\*Reading the Bible for Understanding*

October 14

"Blessing of the Animals" at the Hut

October 21

*\*Islam and Christianity*

October 28

*\*The Church and Social Issues*

November 4

*\*The Church and Politics*

November 11

*\*The Spirituality of Dietrich Bonhoeffer*

November 18

*\*Theology for Presbyterians*

### TOT – Theology on Tap is Back.

On Tuesday, September 15 join us at the Downtown Club for TOT. Gathering and fellowship starts at 6 pm with dinner and conversation by 7 pm.

### Memorial Bible Lecturers

Sunday, October 25 & Monday, October 26 @ 7 pm Memorial Bible Lectures. This year's guest is The Rev. Dr. Charles A. Wiley, III, Coordinator for the Office of Theology and Worship at the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) in Louisville, Kentucky. He will also lead the Pastors Seminar on Monday, October 26 at 9:30 am.

### 1st Sunday of Month Deacon Food Drive

On September 6, each person is asked to bring one canned good with them to church for Church Community Services. Collection baskets are located at all entrances for your donations.

## Scouting

Thursday, September 10 @ 5:30 pm Cub Scouts Kick-off new year of Scouting with pizza in fellowship hall. Any boys 1st grade and older interested in Scouting contact Jonathan McRae 610-7295 or email mcrae.jonathan@gmail.com Also on Tuesday, September 22 @ 6:30 pm Scouts Court of Honor will be held in the fellowship hall.

## Presbyterian Women

Monday, Aug. 31 @ 5:30 pm PW Coordinating Team

Monday, September 14 @ 6 pm PW Salad Supper and Kick-off to new year. All women of the church are invited to attend. Please bring a salad to share. Scotia women will be our guests; a bus will pick you up at 5:30 pm. New PW directories & PW Study books will be available. Please make checks payable to PW for \$9. Carol Sellers, PW Moderator

**MACS** Just to confirm: THE FOLKS who signed up for the show "MY FAIR LADY" at the Temple Theatre on Saturday, September 19, will be leaving at 4:30 pm from the church. We will eat dinner first and on to the Theatre for the 8:00pm show. Betty and I look forward to seeing you. Sis Thomas

## Prayer Concerns

Recently discharged: Marge Coughenour, Mike Coughenour, Blossom Harris, Charles Wentz; Continuing Concerns: Debbie Carter, Lucile Bridgeman, Michael Fore, Ray McCormick, Ralph Parker, Frances Shannon, Creed Sellers; In Care Facilities at Scotia: Edna Drake, Frances Hopkins, Virginia Johnson, Mackey McCormick, Edna McKeithen; Special Care: Anne Collins, Reba Essey, Frances Haupt; Assisted: Betty Wayne Cooley, Ervin & Ann Hill, Helen Middleton, Adell Page, Evelyn Crossley (81 Tartan Place); At Scottish Pines: Katherine Edmund, Thelma Morgan, Joyce Stutts; At Prestwick: Lois Muse

Christian sympathy is extended to the family of Dr. Hugh McArn in his death.

In Memory of  
**Dr. Hugh Munroe McArn, Jr.**

February 4, 1924— August 4, 2015

Celebrating the Birth on Monday, August 17, 2015 of Mason Jacob Woessner. Mason is the son of Savannah and Christopher Woessner, brother of Colton, grandson of Mary Margaret and Randy Miller and great-grandson of Julian and Clara Butler.

## Volunteer Schedule

**OPEN/CLOSE SUNDAYS** Sept. Brian Bounds

### **SEPTEMBER USHER TEAM # 4**

Bradley Williams, lead; Barbara Bateman, John Clark, Mike Coughenour, Joel Hartwell, David Herr, Wayne Hobbs, John Massey, Michael Sellers, Sammy Simmons, Jamie Sutherland, Drew Williamson, Greg Wood (note: High School ushers 9/27)

### **ACOLYTES**

Aug 30 Cooper Sutherland

Sept 6 Matthew Patterson

Sept 13 Creed Sellers

Sept 20 Jennings Dean

Sept 27 Sara Beth Sellers

### **BUS DRIVERS pickup at Scotia 10:15**

Aug 30 David Herr

Sept 6 Bill Caudill

Sept 13 Michael Sellers

Sept 20 Gus Purcell

Sept 27 Randy Miller

Oct 4 Greg Wood

### **NURSERY**

Aug 30 Sue Schulz, Grace Wilkinson

Sept 6 Caroline Bounds

Sept 13 Courtney Carmichael

Sept 20 Katie Carmichael

Sept 27 Georgia Dye & Courtney Carmichael

Oct 4 Emma Herr & Sara Beth Sellers

### **EXPLORERS (3 years-1st grade)**

Aug 30 Kristen & Ryan Anderson

Sept 6 Chris & Eddie Carmichael

Sept 13 Mary & Wesley Quick

Sept 20 Kristen & Ryan Anderson

Sept 27 Carolina Caddell & Pam Hill

Oct 4 *Communion Sunday families worship together*

### **TREKKERS (2nd-5th grade)**

Aug 30 Jamie & Debra Sutherland

Sept 6 Denise & David Herr

Sept 13 Jamie & Debra Sutherland

Sept 20 Annette Morgan & Candy Nichols

Sept 27 Catherine McLaurin & Lynn Massey

Oct 4 *Communion Sunday families worship together*

### **GREETERS FELLOWSHIP DOORS**

Aug 30 Maggie Ratcliffe

Sept 6 Anne Caudill  
 Sept 13 Debby Holcomb  
 Sept 20 Jacque Britt  
 Sept 27 Edna Ann Loftus  
 Oct 4 Richard Massey

**GREETERS ELEVATOR DOORS**

Aug. 30 Chris Rhue  
 Sept 6 Ellen Thompson  
 Sept 13 Jamie Synan  
 Sept 20 Denise Herr  
 Sept 27 Kim Liles  
 Oct 4 Pat Hix

**GREETERS SANCTUARY DOORS**

Sept 6 Denise & David Herr  
 Sept 13 Lynn & Jim Mason  
 Sept 20 Ellen & David Harling  
 Sept 27 Catherine & Penny McLaurin

**CELEBRATING BIRTHDAYS**

Nick Sojka	08/30
Mary Hambright	08/31
Wayne Freeman	09/01
Lillian Boger	09/03
Annabelle Holman	09/05
Earl Bowling	09/06
Clayton Brooks	09/06
Mackey McCormick	09/06
Matthew Sellers	09/07
Walt Bounds	09/08
Chase Bruner	09/08
Ramona Wright	09/08
John Phillips	09/09
Pam Hill	09/10
D.J. McCormick Jr	09/10
Phyllis Breeden	09/11
Chris Carmichael	09/12
Summer Synan	09/12
Andrew Blackburn	09/13
Stella Collins	09/13
Liza Purcell	09/13
Bryan Freeman	09/14
Emma Wilkinson	09/15
Tim Altman	09/16
Lisa Bowden	09/17
Paul Harling	09/17
Fred Mabry Jr	09/17
Jane McLaurin	09/18
Richard Stang	09/19
Terry Patterson	09/20
Margaret Caudill	09/21
Harrison Hartwell	09/21
George Shannon	09/22

Dean Nichols	09/23
Jimmy Thigpen	09/23
Parks Carmichael III	09/24
Jim Wooten Jr	09/24
Negie Babor	09/25
Candy Nichols	09/25
Buddy Blalock	09/26
Dot Burr	09/26
Kim Liles	09/26
Scott Miller	09/26
Bobby Jones	09/28
Cameron Burroughs	09/29
Joel McCanna	09/29
Ryan Williams	09/29
Bruce Ezell Jr	10/01
Emily Sellers	10/01
Erin Sellers	10/01
Beth Elliott	10/03
John Gulledege Jr	10/03
Kaye McMillan	10/03
Jean Powell	10/04
Priscilla Graham	10/05
Susan McArn	10/05
Haley Sellers	10/05



*To Everyone who participated in the journey of our youth to Montreat 2015 you deserve a standing ovation! Thank you to one and all who supported and guided our Youth. Montreat Sunday of the ninth of August told a wonderful story — Thank You !*

### **On the Calendar**

Sundays: 9:45 am SS Adults; 11 am Worship;  
11:20 am Children's Church  
Wednesday 9/2 start 6:30 Joyful Singers/Ringers  
7:15 pm Chancel Choir rehearsals  
Sun 8/30 5-8 pm Training Children/Youth Workers  
Mon 8/31 5:30 pm PW Coordinating Team  
Tues 9/1 7 pm BEG Committee  
Wed 9/2 5 pm CNE Committee  
Thurs 9/3 5 pm WMA Committee  
Mon 9/7 Labor day - office closed  
Sun 9/13 5:30 pm Deacons' Meeting  
Sun 9/13 5:45 pm Youth Parents Meeting  
Mon 9/14 6 pm PW Salad Dinner Kick-off New Year  
Tues 9/15 6 pm Fellowship Committee  
6 pm TOT Theology on Tap  
Wed 9/16 6 pm Fellowship Meals resume  
6:30 pm Wednes. Adult Programs resume  
7 pm Finance Committee  
Sat 9/19 4:30 MACS depart  
Mon 9/21 7 pm Session  
Tues 9/22 5:30 pm Childcare Advisory  
6:30 Boy Scouts Court of Honor  
Sun 9/27 5 pm Hymnfest

**SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES** are broadcast on WLNC 1300 Sunday at 11 am, on the internet (wln-radio.com), the previous week's service TV Channel 2 on Sundays at 10 am and Tuesdays at 8 pm. Plus Sunday's (same day) service is shown at Scotia's MMEC at 2 pm.

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