

Dates to Remember in September

September 7 - Labor Day
September 13 - Grandparents Day
September 18 - POW/MIA Recognition Day



If you need any help at this time of shut-in, please contact me and I will make sure you get the help you need. Call or leave a message at 678-8209 or 537-6171. Stay safe.

Sep 3 – Bayberry Inn Prayer meeting at 9:45. **Canceled**

Sep 10,17,24 – Prayer meeting at First Baptist Church at 11

Sep. 10- Produce Box Distribution at 2:30 p.m. **at Tillery Chapel, 40 Community Center Road Halifax, NC 27823.** This is a drive thru produce box distribution, please do not get out of your vehicle.

Sep 26 – Yard Sale

Oct 11 – Pastor Appreciation Day.

Dec 28 – Voting must be completed, so we have time to count all votes. We will announce Volunteer of the Quarter in the January Newsletter. Make sure you vote!

Just a reminder to clean out your medicine cabinets for a drug take back for old or unused medications. The Halifax County Sheriff's Narcotics Division Officers will be onsite. @ Walgreens on 101 Smith Church Road in Roanoke Rapids, NC. This will be on Saturday, September 12th from 9am til 12pm. No questions will be asked. All you have to do is just drive up to the tent & drop them off in a container without any contact. Labels do not have to be removed. If you have any questions please call Elizabeth Clary @ Walgreens 252-535-4037



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September 2020 Newsletter



*A note
from the pastor*

Rev. Dathan Hall

As we approach the upcoming elections, we know that tensions across our country are running extremely high. It is during such times that many are tempted to voice their opinions on a wide range of topics. While we encourage lively debate and active participation in our election process, we must keep in mind that we as believers represent a much higher authority. The Bible says in “[Jas 3:3-6 NKJV] 3 Indeed, we put bits in horses' mouths that they may obey us, and we turn their whole body. 4 Look also at ships: although they are so large and are driven by fierce winds, they are turned by a very small rudder wherever the pilot desires. 5 Even so the tongue is a little member and boasts great things. See how great a forest a little fire kindles! 6 And the tongue [is] a fire, a world of iniquity. The tongue is so set among our members that it defiles the whole body, and sets on fire the course of nature; and it is set on fire by hell.”

Brothers and sisters let our words be heard, yet let them be heard in such a way that Christ our Lord may be glorified!

God Bless you all,

Pastor Dathan



Rev Don L. West, Minister of Music

If the Lord is leading you to sing a special song for worship service, please contact Mr. West.



You've got to do your own growing, no matter how tall your grandfather was

He who keeps his tongue keeps his friends. ...

May your home always be too small to hold all your friends. .



SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

1 st : McKenzie Perry	21 st Dominick Hall
8 th : Anna Perry	21 st Lauri Johnston
16 th : Abby White	28 th Priscilla Woodruff

Children's Church

The kids are watching "What's in the Bible" series!

There are games and activities to do throughout the videos each week.



Pastor: Rev. Dathan Hall	Minister of Music: Rev. Don West
Administrative Assist: Ms. Angela Love	Pianist: Mr. Jeff Riggan
Bereavement Social: Jeanne West	
Ladies Ministry; Amy Hall	Senior Coordinator: Harlean Shook
	Youth Leader: Amy Hall



SEPTEMBER 26

We are ramping up for a yard sale and need any donations of unused items that you want to get rid of. We greatly appreciate the number of items that have been donated! Items can be brought to the church on 26 Sep, but please price them.

We need helpers, please consider helping if only for an hour or two. All proceeds will go toward needed repairs in the church. Thank you so very much.



SHUTTLE SERVICE WILL BE PROVIDED IF YOU NEED A RIDE TO CHURCH OR TO BIBLE STUDY, PLEASE CALL 252-537-6171 BY THURSDAY.



Please attend Bible Study before our service on Sundays from at 10:00 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. We are encouraging more students to attend. Please come or visit the Bible class that fits your age group. Come study the gospel and fellowship.

Age	Teacher
0 - 4	Ronda Riggan
	Tori Allen
5 - 12	Kathy Abernathy
13 - 18	Amy Hall
19 & over	Robert McLaughlin
	Roy Barnes

We will be collecting school supplies, i.e., notebooks, pens, pencils, rulers, and pencil sharpeners for September. Thank you!! 😊



Aug 30 – Tony Wolf and Amy Kornegay joined in to close out the evening. They did a fantastic job. It was good to laugh and fellowship during this time of shut in. Praise the Lord!

Nursery Update

Can you play or rock for 1 hr. on Sundays? Please consider it. See Ronda Riggan for times you can work. Thank you!



Happy Hearts

This time of COVID is lonely for our shut ins. Please contact a shut in and see how we can help them with anything or just talk to see how they are.

We are looking for anybody that would like to be a Pen Pal to the residents at Bayberry Inn. So far, I have 3 little boys who have signed up. No stamps or wait time just send it to me via email or to the church and Angela will insure I get it. Thanks so much. - This is the only lifeline some have.

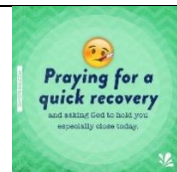




GLENN WOODRUFF

The next nomination will be announced in the January newsletter.

Don't forget to vote.



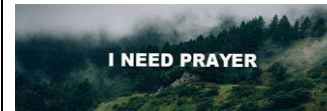
Please pray for these folks who have had surgery or will have surgery. If you would like to send them a card, here are their addresses!

Lessie Johnson: major surgery on her back and back Thursday, went home Friday recovering.
Address: 125 Emry Street
Roanoke Rapids, NC 27870

Kathy Abernathy: surgery on 8/26 and came home Saturday.
Address: 3145 Hwy 125
Roanoke Rapids, NC 27870

Kay White: change in her health.
Address: 627 Monroe Street
Roanoke Rapids, NC 27870

Ann Martin: got home from the hospital August 20. Goes back for surgery September 10, having fluid drained from the brain.
Address: 201 Chockoyotte Street
Roanoke Rapids, NC 27870



Please pray for the following people who are our brothers and sisters in worship.

Bayberry Retirement Home (537-2995)

Carolina Rest Home (533-0014)

Muriel Knight/Don Barnes, 1361 Carolina RR, NC 27870

Shut In's:

Margie Davis, 537-9463

322 Monroe St, RR, NC 27870

Gwen Merritt, 537-4042

802 E. 12th St, RR, NC 27870

Anne Emery, 537-4654

42 Henry St, RR, NC 27870

Roma Wright & Kay White, 532-0581

657 Williams St, RR, NC 27870

Margie Holiday, 537-3194

901 Wilson St, RR, NC 27870

Nell Bailey, 532-4778

P.O. 462, RR, NC 27870

Prayer List

Kay White* (cancer)

Nell Bailey * (bad legs)

Lessie Johnson* (back)

Robert McLaughlin

Anne Emery * (breathing)

Becky Jernigan (T. Emery's Mom)

Francis Medlin * (heart)

Carolyn Crowder

Ann Martin*

Margie Holiday *

Verdie Riggan* (BP/arm)

Margie Davis *

Gwen Merritt *

Kathy Abernathy *

Richard Gaylor

Randy Gregory

Don West

Jean Floyd * (heart)

Tommy Vaughan*

Roma Wright *

Billy Strickland (lung cancer)

Gisela Kinscheck

Barry & June Skaggs

Military Members

Jacob Bouchard*, U.S. Navy

2421 13th St, Unit 1451

Gulfport, MS 39501-9998

Aaron Purser *, U.S. Navy

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College Students

Kaylee Hall

Faith Durham

Will Harris

Brad White

Abby White

Brandon Barnes

Emily Jackson

Riley Mills

Ethan Rountree

Angela Love

Missionary

Rev William (Billy) Hardwick – Kenya

* First Baptist Church members