

**Special Gifts to Zion Church  
In Honor of:**

**J.D. Twitty on his 6th birthday** Love, Grammie, Paw and Aunt Bae Bae

**Lillian McAteer** by Judy and Rick Hammond

**Lori Moseley and Family—thank you for the calendar and flowers—We love you!** By Horace & Eva Small and Family

**The Wesley SS Class—thank you for your cards every week, our church family, thank you to every one who sent Christmas cards and get well or thinking or you, for the gifts and foods, prayers and calls—We miss seeing you!** Love, Horace and Eva Small and Family

**In Memory of:**

**Hildred McAteer** by her son Ervin Robinson

**Special Gifts to Building Fund**

**In Honor of:**

**Ralph McAteer** by Dennis McAteer

**Lillian McAteer, EmmaGene Wright and Terry Robinson** by Clyde & Ellen Walters

**Terry Robinson** by Mary P. Knight

**Those having birthdays and anniversaries in January, J. D. Twitty on his 6th birthday, and the Chancel Choir—Thank you dearly** Love, Horace and Eva Small and Family

**In Memory of:**

**Caleb Love** by Libby, Jo Jo and Alicia Morris, Teresa and Kelly Evans, Jeffrey Thomas, Suzanne Evans and Danny, Nancy and Courtney Ackerman

**Ruby Steele and Caleb Love** Clyde and Ellen Walters

**Special Gifts to Community Meal (General Fund)**

**In Honor of:**

**Terry Robinson** by Lucy Morris

**BIRTHDAY CLUB  
Joseph Morris**

**As most of you know, our UMW sell Rada knives to benefit their mission outreach.** We will be placing an order soon. If you have a particular knife you would like to order or if you would like to look at a catalogue, please let Libby Morris know.

**If anyone is interested in Salkehatchie this summer, please contact Claudia Hartley or Angie Wood by Sunday, February 10th to secure camp availability.**

**Our deepest love and sympathy are extended to Debbie Waters and her family in the death of her mother, Doyce Waters in Texas.**

**This Week at Zion**

**Friday, January 25**

8:00 am Walking Club

**Saturday, January 26**

7:00 am Men's Prayer Group

**Sunday, January 27**

10:00 am Sunday School

11:00 am Morning Worship

1:15 pm Kids/Youth outing to Adventure  
Air in Rock Hill

5:00 pm PPRC meeting

6:00 pm Chancel Choir practice

**Monday, January 28**

8:00 am Walking Club

**Tuesday, January 29**

8:00 am Walking Club

**Wednesday, January 30**

8:00 am Walking Club

**Thursday, January 31**

8:00 am Walking Club

6:00 pm Chicken Bog planning meeting

**Friday, February 1**

8:00 am Walking Club

**Saturday, February 2**

7:00 am Men's Prayer Group

**The Chicken Bog committee is working hard on the plans for our Bog on Friday, February 22.** Particular amounts and pounds of each food item and supplies are needed for this event. This year marks our 14th Chicken Bog fundraiser and each year, your financial contribution towards the expense costs have enabled us to make the Bog a more profitable project. If you would like to contribute towards expenses, please mark your special contribution "Chicken Bog Supplies". Thank you!!

**Quilt Raffle**

A beautiful queen size quilt has been made and donated by Myra Funderburk to be raffled off and the proceeds are to benefit this year's Chicken Bog supplies. The quilt is in the sunshine and shadows pattern in shades of blue. Tickets are \$1 dollar each. Beth Craig will have tickets available this Sunday in the vestibule. If you would be willing to sell tickets, it would be greatly appreciated! Drawing will be May 14.

**CHICKEN BOG FUNDRAISER**

**Friday, February 22, 2019**

**Zion's Thompson Family Life Center**

**1665 Zion Road, Lancaster, SC**

**Lunch 11 am - 2 pm Dinner 4 pm - 7 pm**

**Menu: Chicken bog, green beans, slaw & bread**

**Donation: \$8.00 per plate. Eat in or take out**

**Proceeds to benefit Zion United Methodist Church Building Fund**

**Large selection of baked goods will be for sale!**

**Tickets now available!!!**

**Upcoming District Events:**

January 25-27- Revolution Columbia

January 27- Lay Members to 2019 Annual Conference Meeting Mt. Olive, 3:00pm

January 27- PPRC Training Mt. Olive, 4:15pm

February 14- District Clergy Meeting

Clover Chapel, 9:30 Gathering, 10:00 Meeting

February 16- Men N Ministry Mt. Horeb (Columbia), 8:00am- 5:00pm

February 24- Celebration of the Black Church

Please see the vestibule bulletin board for the latest Rock Hill District Newsletter "Hand in Hand in the Rock Hill District" or visit their website at rockhill.umcsc.org

**Shiloh Volunteer Fire Department and Ladies Auxillary  
Annual Chicken BBQ and Bake Sale**

Saturday, February 2, 2019 from 11am until 6pm at Shiloh ARP Church family life center. Carry out only. Tickets available from the firemen or at the door (while quantities last) for \$8.00 per plate.

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**BULK RATE  
PERMIT NO. 17**

**Zion United Methodist Church**

1665 Zion Road  
Lancaster SC 29720

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**It's Chicken Bog time again!!! Our first weekly planning meeting was on Thursday, January 10 at 6:00 pm in the TFLC.** We will continue to meet weekly on Thursdays (January 31, February 7, 14,) until the week before the Bog (with a workday Thursday, February 21.) Every one is invited to join us as we prepare for our upcoming Chicken Bog fundraiser which will be on Friday, February 22. We need every one's help to make this event a success so please join us!

**The Pastor Parish Relations Committee is asked to meet THIS Sunday, January 27 at 5 pm in the fellowship hall.** The members are Pastor Jarrell, Shawn Thomas, Susan Scott, Tammy Cooper, Rob Wood, Marcene Plyler, Judy Humphreys, Laura Overall, Mike Vick, Wanda Murphy, & Margie Vincent.

**The Kids & Youth of Zion will have our 1st outing of 2019 Sunday January 27th-** Adventure Air In Rock Hill - The buses will leave Zion at 1:15 sharp! Please sign up on line at <https://rockhill.adventureairsports.com/> or text Keli Thomas, Cost will be \$12 per person (Fundraised money will be covering \$10 per person)

**Coffee and Donut Fellowship:** Join us for donuts, biscuits, coffee, juice and milk on **Sunday, February 3 at 9:30 am** in the fellowship hall.

**No Sunday Kids & Youth Evening Programs Sunday, February 3rd!** Enjoy the Super Bowl with family & friends!

**Please see the vestibule bulletin board for the latest** Rock Hill District newsletter, United Methodist Women e-news, The Messenger and The Salisbury Report.

**Kids and Youth of Zion are collecting for our Sharing LOVE Special Needs Bags now through Sunday, February 3rd!** Items may include: individually packaged Goldfish, Fruit Snacks, Little Debbie Cakes, Squeeze Pack Applesauce, Pudding, Cookies & more! Please place all donations in the Toddler Room! We thank you for our Kids and Youth Mission Outreach projects!

**Join us Sunday February 10th at 5 pm for the annual Valentines Banquet** - The Kids of Zion will be collecting Coins for the next few weeks for Zion's Valentine Court of Sharing! The Youth will host Bible Trivia that evening! Hot Dog Plates with all the fixings will be \$3.00 Drink & Dessert included

**Last Week's Record**

**Prayers:** Are you praying for our church?

**Presence:**

Present for 1/20 Sunday School 75  
Present for 1/20 Morning Worship 106

**Gifts:**

Needed each week for General Operating Expenses, this includes TFLC mortgage \$5884  
Received 1/20 for General Fund \$2271.90  
Received for Building Fund \$509  
Received for Needy Fund \$100.57  
Received for Youth/Children calendar sales \$49  
Received for HOPE \$10  
Received for Chicken Bog Ticket Sales \$795  
Received for Chicken Bog Supplies \$10  
Received for Facility use \$240

**Serving Zion UMC this Sunday**

**Liturgical Color:** Green

**Flowers:** The Hazel Robinson Family

**11:00 am Nursery:** Brad & Jennifer Bridges

**Children's Church volunteers:** Angie Wood & Bethany Hayes

**Ushers:** Randy Cauthen, Jimmy Neal, Tom Salisbury, & Sonny Curtis

**Worship Opening and Closing:** Steve McDonald

**Sunday Evening Program Volunteers:**

No Classes due to Adventure Air outing

**Musings ~**

22 January 2018

I'm sick today.

It started a few days ago with Donovan, my son. He got a little snuffle, probably at school, and started feeling a little off. He went a day or two before it caught up with him and he ended up missing church this past Sunday. I was feeling okay until last night and then, I start sniffing, can't sleep, wake up with a headache, stuffy head, cough, and can't rest set of symptoms. This is most likely your standard cold virus - the ubiquitous clan of Rhinoviruses, Corona viruses, RSV, and the like - that affects millions of people all year long. All thanks to someone most likely from my son's elementary school who shall remain nameless - mostly because I don't know who they are.

That's the way of viruses, they replicate and spread. And not all of them are bad. Most of them do make us sick, but there are some that can have a positive effect on our bodies. In fact, there are trillions of viruses - microorganisms that can reproduce only in a living organism - in our bodies, many of which keep our digestive tract working properly.

Again, viruses replicate and spread, and viruses can be good or bad. Jesus talked about being a preservative for good in the Sermon on the Mount saying, "You are the salt of the earth; but if salt has lost its taste, how can its saltiness be restored? It is no longer good for anything but is thrown out and trampled underfoot" (Matthew 5:13). That begs the question: if someone were to replicate your spirit, your attitudes, your mindset in other people, would it make them better or worse? Would it make them stronger and able to live more resolute lives of discipleship or would it weaken them and rob them of their vitality?

Pastor Michael

**Dear Church Family,**

Thank you so much for the fruit bag, the visits, the flowers, gifts, calls, pretty cards, food, and honorariums in my honor. Please continue to remember me and my family in your prayers. Love ~ Ellen Walters

**Our Prayer List as of Monday**

Gene Blackmon	Melinda Hunter	Freda Snipes
Nancy Blackmon	Rick Joyner	Karen Starnes
Marion Boswell	Henry Ray Knight	Becky M. Steele
Carol Boyles	Tommy Knight	Jim Thomas
Randy Boyles	Lillian McAteer	Sarah Pauline Thre- att
Caleb Catoe	Linda McAteer	Barbara Vick
Sue Catoe	Mary Jane McAteer	Mike Vick
Linda Coker	Ralph McAteer	Pat Vick
Sandra Cope	Max McDonald	Robert Vick
Bill Dingler	Tammy McMillian	Sandra Walker
Sophia Dixon	Dessie McWaters	Ellen Walters
Angie Dobson	Phyllis Morgan	Qa' Mora Walton
Bill Dunn	Rusty Mosier	Randy Williams
John Elder	Betty Jo Phillips	EmmaGene Wright
Ashley Fort	Ann Powers	Kim Yost
JoAnn Funderburk	Vicky Pickett	Our President & Troops
Sam Funderburk	Ann Reed	
Steve Ghent	Bennie Robinson	
Travis Gordon	Kathleen Robinson	
T.R. Grier	Bonnie Sears	
BJ Griffin	Eva Small	
JoAnn Hinson	Horace Small	
Virginia Horton	Greg Smith	
Libby Hunter	JoAnne Smith	