

Rural Hall Moravian Church

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MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY

Greeter - Sunday School: June Bruce
Greeter - Worship: Cindy Williams
Ground's Keeper: Bill Gribble
Nursery S.S. Workers: Tina Taylor, Kelly Whitman
Nursery Worship Workers: Vickie and Candace Smith
Sound Operator: Shaun Smith
Ushers: Cody Bowman, Jim Sellers, Spencer Shoaf, Zach Tucker



Nursery Workers for Sunday: July 25

Sunday School: Danny & Anne Christian
Worship: Mac & Tina Taylor



JOYS

THE FLOWERS in the sanctuary are given to the Glory of God and in memory of Gene McCoy and Carolyn Hicks by Sarah McCoy.

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK: Justin Masencup (Fri)

PRAYER CONCERNS

CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY IS EXTENDED TO: John Kippe & Family in the death of his father, William Kippe on Saturday, July 10. Please keep this family in your prayers during this time of loss.

ADD: Jill Sawyer-undergoing treatments for melanoma; Eric Crews (Daniel Crews' son)-injured his spine from a fall at work, was moved to The Shepherd Center in Atlanta for rehab; Jane Hoover (Joe Hoover's wife)-fell from a ladder while on a mission trip and has a compressed fracture on the spine; Audrey Blanks (Gary Blanks' mother)-cancer has returned, has begun radiation and hormone treatments



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July 18, 2010

***Our Statement of Purpose:** To be committed to Jesus Christ as Lord and to witness to His teachings through worship, education, sharing, caring, and serving the people inside and outside the Church to help them find a mature and abundant life.*

WELCOME to our service of worship on this wonderful Lord's Day as we give honor, glory and praise to God! May your faith be nourished, your love deepened and your courage strengthened as together we worship the God of our salvation.

IF YOU'RE VISITING WITH US TODAY, please take a moment to fill out a visitor's card and place it in the offering plate later in our service. We hope the worship and fellowship of our church family is a blessing to you and that you'll return to worship with us again.

2010 Congregational Watchword: Worthy is the Lamb that was slain to receive power and wealth and wisdom and might and honor and glory and blessing! Revelation 5:12

* Please Stand if You Are Able

PRELUDE: *Credo (from Part III, Clavierübung)* Bach
"I Believe in God the Father, Maker of Heaven and Earth"

WELCOME / ANNOUNCEMENTS

***HYMN:** *Jesus Shall Reign Where'er the Sun* # 404

***RECEPTION OF MEMBERS** p. 170

It is with great joy that we receive the following new members into our church family today: Ryan Bruce by Confirmation; Joshua Hutchens by Reaffirmation of Faith; Ron & Carol Hepler, Mary Ann Jarvis, David & Linda Ramsey, and Wanda Stephens by Transfer of Membership; and Emily Ramsey as a Non-Communing Child. During the singing of the reception hymn, the members of the Church Board will come forward and welcome our new members with the right hand of fellowship.

SCRIPTURE: Colossians 1:15-28 p. 1832
Luke 10:38-42 p. 1613

JOYS & CONCERNS / INTERCESSORY PRAYER

CHILDREN'S SERMON

Preschool thru 4th grade children are invited to Children's Worship.

GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Prayer

Anthem: *Holy is Thy Name, O Lord* Vogler

*Doxology # 817

***HYMN:** *I Love Your Kingdom, Lord* # 513

SERMON: Living Your Best

***HYMN:** *All Praise to You, My God* # 569

***BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE: *Jesus Christ, My Sure Defense* Reger

GREETERS NEEDED: Thank you to those who have signed up and have served as a Greeter in 2010. We still need Greeters for Sunday School during the months of September and December. Greeters needed before Worship during the months of August, November and December. A Greeter greets visitors and members as they enter the building in the elevator lobby. Sign-up list is posted next to the flower calendar on the bulletin board in the hallway behind the sanctuary.



MISSION OPPORTUNITY: The House of Refuge will hold an open house on Friday, July 23 from 12:00 until 2:00 PM at 728 Hanes Avenue, Winston-Salem, NC. This is a non-profit, Christian-based women's transitional/residential care facility designed to restore and re-establish women in their lives and into society. It provides refuge and services to women of all ages, who struggle with negative and life-controlling problems such as depression, drug and alcohol addictions, domestic and self-abuse, sexual assault, lifestyle disorders, eating disorders, and other debilitating circumstances. The services include educational and life-skills training programs, professional counseling, food and fitness training, praise and worship, Bible study, chores and recreation. Everyone is invited to attend the open house.

OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK: JULY 18-24, 2010

Today: 10:00 AM Sunday School
11:00 AM Worship Service: Reception of Members
11-3 PM Fellowship Hall Reserved by Bruce Family
6:00 PM Ice Cream & Cake Social - Fellowship Hall

Monday: 3:00 PM AUGUST NEWSLETTER ARTICLES ARE DUE

Tuesday: 2:30-7 PM Rural Hall Fire Department Blood Drive: To make an appointment, call RH Fire Department, Rodney Johnson at 969-9368. All donors must have a photo ID and will be eligible to win a \$1,000 gift card!

Wednesday: 12:00 PM Tannenberg Organ Recital at Old Salem Visitors Center in Winston-Salem; Free!

Thursday: 12 Noon Bulletin Announcements for July 25 Due

Next Sunday - July 25:

9:30 AM Prayer Warriors - Parlor
9:30 AM Band Practice
10:00 AM Sunday School
11:00 AM Worship Service
6:30 PM Church Board Meeting - Library

BETHEL CLASSES: Registration begins for anyone interested in learning more about the Bible. Classes will begin this fall. If your interested in the class, please fill out an orange sign-up card and return it to Pastor Craver or the Church Secretary.

NATIONAL NIGHT OUT—TUESDAY, AUGUST 3: The Town of Rural Hall and the Community Watch program have observed National Night Out for four years. National Night Out is an evening to take a stand against crime and these block parties and get-togethers have proven effective in bringing the community together. Also from 7-10 PM on August 3, residents are encouraged to turn on their porch lights symbolizing their support of National Night Out.

NEW MEMBER POTLUCK SUPPER—SUNDAY, AUGUST 15, 6 PM: Everyone is invited to attend to learn more about our new members.