



**Senior Adults to
Christmas at Biltmore
Monday, November 5th**

Christmas at Biltmore!! The Christmas at Biltmore celebration goes back more than 120 years to Christmas Eve 1895 when George Vanderbilt opened Biltmore House for the first time to his friends and family. Today, the celebration is modeled after that first Christmas, with an elaborately decorated 35-foot tall Fraser fir dominating the Banquet Hall. Guests who visit during the holidays will see 56 trees throughout the Biltmore House, each intricately designed and decorated by members of Biltmore's floral team. Miles of fresh garland and wreaths create a yuletide scent throughout the house, with masses of some 1,000 red and white poinsettias in the Winter Garden and other areas. **Deadline for payment and reservations is TODAY.** Cost is \$49.00—includes admission to the mansion, grounds, historic gardens and Antler Hill Village. Leave time will be 7:00am from Bus lot.



On November 4th, the GAs and RAs will have a bake sale to raise money for supplies for OCC shoe boxes and gifts for an angel tree child. If anyone would like to donate baked goods, please bring them on November 4th. Please let one of the GA or RA leaders (Noemi Garza, Stephanie Cesario, Joseph Garza and Daniel Helms) if you are willing to donate baked goods.

The 2019 Spring Break Mission Trip will be to Washington, D.C. April 22-26, 2019. We will travel to Washington on Monday, April 22 and work April 23-25. We will return to Kannapolis on April 26. We are partnering with The Center for Short Term Missions. Since we are working with a missions organization, there will be a fixed, and non-flexible deadline for signing up to participate. The deadline to commit is Sunday, January 13, 2019. After that date, it will not be possible to add participants. So begin thinking now about whether you would like to be part of a trip to the nation's capital for a few days of volunteering and serving. Work may include painting, leading a community cookout, soup kitchen work, painting, home repairs, nursing home activities, etc. Work will be fine-tuned as the date gets closer. But if you want to be involved in a mission trip, you will have that chance. The Center for Short Term Missions also requires some advance preparation and devotional times for our group to prepare for the trip. So we will have some meetings in early 2019 to get ready. Our days in Washington will also involve significant devotional time in the mornings and evenings. The cost for ages 12 and up will be about \$235 per person (this includes your lodging and three meals a day). Ages 5-11 will cost \$100. Ages 4 and under are free. This trip is a great way to grow in your faith!

The Deacon Council has appointed a committee to help lead our church to determine the best way to minister to our preschoolers, children and their families as we move forward and seek to hire a new staff minister. The committee members are Sarah Helms, Richard Chaney, Leah Sweatt, Mark Gurley, Aliceson Miller and Julie Ward. This committee is interested in your ideas, thoughts and perspectives about our preschool and children's ministry now and in the future. They will be hosting three listening sessions where you are invited to come and to offer your thoughts and ideas. You are free to attend any one of these three and share your ideas. While you can attend all three, you are not required to come to all of them. Select the one time that works best for you. The committee will be in the PARLOR on the second floor at the following times...Sunday, November 4 at 9:00-9:45am, Wednesday, November 7 at 5:45-7:45pm and Sunday, November 18 noon-1:00pm. The committee will be listening to your thoughts and ideas. Feel free to offer your input! You may also speak with committee members directly if you have thoughts to share.

Please remember the committee and its work in your prayers!

October 28 Mike Lunsford	November 3 Shirley Hartis Janet Schmitt
October 29 Mark Hill Chuck Irvin	November 4 Eric Miller
November 1 Todd Hagler Rick Rickard	November 5 Beth Vega
November 2 Ayden Burnett	November 6 Carson Beane Melvin Rape Laura Spears



**Daily Scripture
for Personal Devotion**

Monday.....Psalm 94
Tuesday.....Ruth 3:14-4:6
Wednesday...Ruth 4:7-22
Thursday.....Psalm 146
Friday.....Deuteronomy 15:1-11
Saturday.....Deuteronomy 24:17-22
Sunday.....1 Kings 17:8-16
Psalm 146
Hebrews 9:24-28
Mark 12:38-44

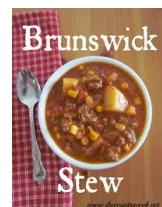
**Emmanuel Orphanage
Sacrificial Giving Through
October 21, 2018**

Annual Goal \$ 23,392.00
Received \$ 27,096.00

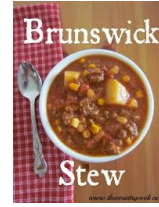
**BUDGET REPORT THROUGH
October 21, 2018**

Receipts \$568,326.58
Budget \$ 610,188.18
Over/(Under) \$ (41,861.60)
Building Fund \$ 268,842.80

The Haiti Ministry Team is offering a January mission trip to Haiti in 2019. The dates, while flexible, will likely be January 13-17 (or 18), 2019. Specific dates will be finalized and determined once the group has been formed. Consider serving God this January in Haiti! To sign up for the trip please contact the church office or Meredith Bates. The deadline to join the team is November 4th.



Annual Brunswick Stew
Saturday, November 10th
2:00-3:00pm
Midway Shelters
\$8 per quart



Tickets will be available at church in the hallway behind the Sanctuary each Sunday until November 4th. If you can't get there to purchase on Sundays, please contact Craig Coghill, Allen Martin or Joel Moore.

We will need men to volunteer to help with prep for the stew on Thursday, November 8th and to work the day of the sale, November 10th. Please contact Craig Coghill if you can volunteer to help either or both days, fivecoghills@gmail.com or 704-932-1290.

THIS WEEK AT KANNAPOLIS FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday, October 28, 2018

9:45am-Sunday School
10:55am-Worship Service
3:00pm-Fall Family Festival - Midway
4:00pm-Youth Handbells
5:00pm-Youth

Tuesday, October 30, 2018

10:10am-Senior Adult Choir to Transitional Health Care
7:00pm-Lifetree Café

Wednesday, October 31, 2018

No Evening Services

Thursday, November 1, 2018

6:45am-Men's Prayer Breakfast and Bible Study

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Steve Sembroski, Custodian
Carol Cone, Organist
Carol Soles, Pianist

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First Baptist Church – Kannapolis

We are now receiving our final donations for our adopted families at Christmas. We will be adopting thirty families this year from Fred L. Wilson Elementary School, Woodrow Wilson Elementary School and KCS Head Start. During the year we have already received a lot of food donations. However, we still have some items we need to collect. The Sunday School classes and those not in Sunday School are asked to support our adopted families at Christmas by donating the following items. Look for the boxes or shopping carts on the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd floor where you can place your donations. If you prefer not to shop, you can always give a cash donation and others will shop for you. We need YOUR HELP!! We will be receiving donations through Wednesday, December 19th!

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| Preschool | Juice (30) |
| Children (k-2) | Canned Vegetables (50) |
| Children (3-6) | Canned Soups (50) |
| Youth | Cereal (50) |
| Nicodemus | Flavored Oatmeal (20), Cereal (20) |
| Adult 1 | Flavored Oatmeal (30), Mac & Cheese (75), Saltine Crackers (30) |
| Adult 1.5 | Mac & Cheese (75), Saltine Crackers (30) |
| Adult 2 | Canned Meat(30), Vegetable Oil (15), Pancake Mix (30), Pancake Syrup (30) |
| Adult 2.5 | Canned Meat(30), Vegetable Oil (15)
Pancake Mix (30), Pancake Syrup (30) |
| Adult 3 | Spaghetti Noodles (60), Canned Meat (60), Canned Soup (60) |
| Adult 4 | Rice (30 Boxes), Canned Vegetables (10),
Instant Potatoes (30) |
| Philippians | Ramen Noodles (30 cases) |
| Special Ministries | Cereal (4), Canned Vegetables (10) |
| Other Items | Tooth Brushes, Tooth Paste, Deodorant, shampoo |
| Not in Sunday School | Canned Meat, Cereal, Box Mac & Cheese,
Canned Soup, Instant Potatoes |



THE FAMILY OF GOD IN WORSHIP
Building a Community of Disciples for Christ

October 28, 2018

10:55 am

The Twenty-Third Sunday after Pentecost



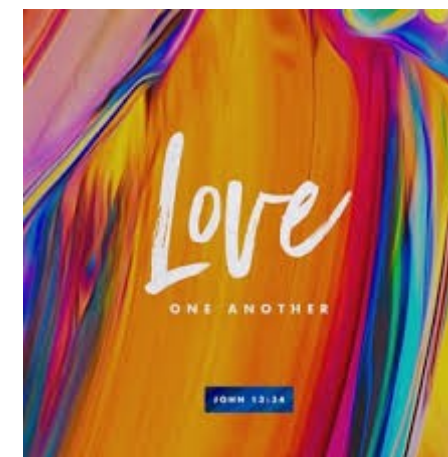
WELCOME		Tom Cabaniss
PRELUDE		Carol Cone
CALL TO WORSHIP		Mark Hill
	One: In Christ, the God of heaven has made his home on earth. All: Christ dwells among us and is one with us. One: Highest of all creation, he lives among the least. All: He journeys with the rejected and welcomes the weary. One: Come now, all who thirst, and drink of the water of life. All: Come now, all who are hungry, and be filled with good things. One: Come now, all who seek, All: and encounter the abundant love of the almighty God.	
†HYMN 16	<i>O Worship the King</i>	LYONS
PRAYER		Tom Cabaniss
THE NEW TESTAMENT READING	Mark 10:46-52	Mark Hill
CHORAL WORSHIP	<i>Amazing Grace</i>	Michael John Trotta
	<i>Amazing grace! How sweet the sound, That saved a wretch like me! I once was lost, but now am found, Was blind, but now I see.</i>	
RESPONSIVE READING 701	Faith, Hope, and Love	Eddie Haigler
†HYMN 383	<i>We Are God's People</i>	SYMPHONY
	All children may come forward during the final stanza. Age 4 - 1st Grade will leave for Children's Church after Words for Our Children. They will be meeting in Room 303.	
†OFFERTORY PRAYER		Jonathan Hale
WORDS FOR OUR CHILDREN		Leslie Hunter
MESSAGE	By Our Love John 13:34-35	Leslie Hunter
†HYMN OF DECISION 305	<i>I Have Decided to Follow Jesus</i>	ASSAM
BENEDICTION		Tom Cabaniss
CHORAL RESPONSE	<i>The Bond of Love</i>	SKILLINGS
	<i>We are one in the bond of love; We are one in the bond of love. We have joined our spirit with the Spirit of God; We are one in the bond of love.</i>	
POSTLUDE		Carol Cone

†Those who are able please stand.



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Welcome to Kannapolis First Baptist Church!
We are so grateful to God for leading you to this place of worship today. If you are a guest, be sure to sign our fellowship pads as they are shared during the worship time or our guest book in the foyer of the church as you leave so that we might have the opportunity to thank you personally for worshipping with us today.