

PRAYER CONCERNS

Larry Dorr, recovering from a broken leg in rehab at the VA Hospital in Oteen.

Kathy Kilby, recovering at Mission from spinal surgery on Monday.

Carol Lane, a good friend of Pat Cook, facing a second battle with breast cancer. On chemo.

Sue Lewis received Pathologist's report, which suggested possible chemo and radiation. Pray for wisdom as she decides.

Kent Loud, still in rehab at The Laurels, following surgery to repair a severely-broken hip.

Liz Patterson, under Hospice Care at home in Spartanburg, cancer of the spleen, blood disorder.

Tom Pawelko, grieving the loss of Jean, being cared for by three wonderful caregivers.

Tim Pennell, coming back from a recent plethora of medical problems.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

28—Edna Goins, Lemuel Oates,

Ron Supinger; 29—Bonnie Dailey;

30—Steve DeAugustines;

October 1—Tina Morgan; 2—Bonnie Raney,

Joy Sorenson; 3—Rolland King;

5—Clark Kessel, David Leestma;

8—John Kilby, Jayne Mann;

9—Bonnie Bittle, Mike Clardy,

Maria Deckert; 10—Margaret Westbrook,

11—Bill Ward; 12—Teresa Bourne;

15—Donna McCrory;

16—Al Spitzer, Beth Stover;

17—Mary Ann Silvey; 19—David Ray,

James Stewart; 20—Joyce Bare, Lauren Ellis,

Susie Ellis, Lois Mathews, Linda Webb;

21—Harvey Brandon, Carol Lovett;

23—Ann Leavens, Alan Weymouth;

24—Mike McPherson; 27—Kathy Kilby;

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!

September 27—Jim and Lynne Pasilla (57)

September 28—James and Rocki Stoffer (22)

October 1—Charlie and Susie Ellis (35)

Oct. 10—Duane & Shirley Massman (47)

October 10—Larry and Pris Dorr (37)

October 26—Chuck and Kathy Lindgren (29)

THE FELLOWSHIP OF SUFFERING



We absorbed a triple blow to our congregation over the week-end as three of our member couples suffered severe losses. To be sure, all three have moved away from us geographically, but emotionally they are still very much part of us.

*During the night last Thursday night, our friend **Bill Beason** slipped away into the Father's arms. As Chapel Bells goes to print, we have no information about a service for Bill. You may send condolences to Bill's business address, and it will be forwarded to Pam. That address is:*

**4222 West Dixon Blvd.
Shelby, NC 28152-9568**

*At noon on Friday, **Fred Noble** died of choking in Mt. Pleasant, SC. Fred and Jeanine moved there several months ago and were in the process of moving to Chattanooga to be close to one of the children. A memorial service for Fred is being planned for the Chapel sometime early in November. Their address in Mt. Pleasant is:*

**3236 Tradition Circle
Mt. Pleasant, SC 29466**

*Late Friday evening, **Jim Whitmore** slipped away after months of declining health and Alzheimer's Disease. His graveside service took place on Tuesday, September 25, in Peachtree City, Georgia, a bedroom community of Atlanta. Margaret's address is:*

**5409 Johnson Bridge Road
Hickory, NC 28602**

We will keep you informed regarding the services and Fred. Share with us in praying for Pam and Jeanine and their families.

THE CHURCH DIRECTORY IS BACK ON SCHEDULE



After the photography shooting was completed last fall for our Church Pictorial Directory, Melissa McLemore, the photographer and manager of High Bridge Photography, the directory company, passed away from cancer. Very shortly after that, her mother also passed away. A number of other crises converged upon Daniel McLemore, with the result that he had to close the business, hence, we have not received our directories.

Recently the pastor was able to go to Farmville, Virginia and make contact with Daniel. He asked for our forgiveness and expressed a willingness to hire a photographer for just the completion of our project. He has indeed found a photographer and has ostensibly offered to bring her and come to the Chapel on Friday and Saturday, October 18 and 19. We are waiting for confirmation on these dates before we start scheduling photo appointments.

Some of you were not able to come last year to have your pictures made, and some of you have become part of our congregation since then. We will be calling you to invite you to schedule appointments. **It is not necessary to have officially joined the Chapel membership in order to be in the directory.** Stay tuned; we will be in touch.

HURRICANE RELIEF OFFERING TO BE RECEIVED

In light of all the loss of life and property inflicted by Hurricane Florence in North and South Carolina, the elders are inviting you to contribute to a special Hurricane Relief Offering, which will continue through October 11. After considering several possibilities, we will channel our gifts through the North Carolina Baptist Men's Emergency Ministry. Gifts made to this group are used 100% for the crisis ministry, and several of our elders know some of the men involved in this ministry. We ask that you not take away from your regular gifts to the General Fund to do this, inasmuch as we have lost the benefit to our church budget by virtue of having missed Sunday, September 16. Please give generously to both the General Fund as well as to the Hurricane Relief Offering.

WANT TO BUY SOMEONE SOME HAPPINESS FOR ONLY \$5.00?

Good! Ann Leavens and Susan Gibson will provide you that opportunity. During the Kairos Retreat for male prisoners, there will be a Kairos Outside weekend for mothers, wives, and sisters of such prisoners. To minister to these ladies, for only \$5.00, you can cover the cost of a meal for one of these ladies. Bring your money Sunday morning. Ann and Susan will be in the fellowship hall to take your money. Why not buy several meals?

**STEVE DECKERT IS LOOKING
FOR HELP ON SUNDAY MORNING**

**You May Just Be the Man or Woman
Who Can Do the Job!!!** For several years now, Steve Deckert has been our Sound Technician on Sunday mornings, manning the cameras, operating the microphones, videotaping our services. He needs someone who would be willing to learn the system and fill in for him when he has to be out of town or is home sick. Give him call at (772) 216-0341.

**THE NEXT WOC LUNCHEON IS
ON MONDAY, OCTOBER 15**



All ladies are invited to attend our next WOC luncheon at noon on Monday, October 15. The cost for lunch is \$15.00. Please sign up on the WOC bulletin board or call the church office to make a reservation.

Our speaker will be Michelle Dudley, founder of Fashion with Compassion, a ministry dedicated to empowering women who are overcoming poverty and injustice in Charlotte, NC and six other countries around the world. We will have a marketplace offering jewelry and accessories made by these women, which helps them support their families.

LATE-BREAKING NEWS

Just as we were ready to print this issue, a call came from the Noble family that they would like for Fred's memorial service to be on Saturday, November 10, at 11:00 a. m. That is when it will be, with a reception to follow for the family. Please mark your calendars.

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THIS SUNDAY AT CHURCH



**THE CHAPEL CHOIR WILL SING BOTH AN
INSPIRING ANTHEM AND A CHORAL HYMN
ALONG THE THEME OF THE PASTOR'S SERMON**



**AND THAT SERMON WILL BE ABOUT THE
PROPHET ELIJAH,
"A CASE STUDY IN DEPRESSION"**

LET'S ALL BE BACK IN CHURCH SUNDAY!