

IN GOD WE TRUST



One Special Morning Service Sunday, July 22, 2018

Dr. Nathan Merrill, founder and director of Finding Hope Ministries in Romania, will be our special guest for one service only on July 22. Nathan will be

accompanied by his wife, Anca, their son, and the rescued children who live in their orphanage. They'll be sharing about their mission, about the impact our partnership with them is having, and about what God is doing in Romania to redeem the lives of abandoned children. It's going to be an unforgettable day!

On July 22, Sunday School will be at 9 AM; then one service in the Life Center at 10:15 AM. The kids from Finding Hope will be staying around and joining our kids for First Kids VBS Camp, starting the following day.

First Kids VBS Camp 2018 6 - 8:30 PM It's Registration Time!

This year's theme invites your kids to grab their megaphones, lace up their cleats, and tune up their instruments. As they fill up the offensive line, sideline, and drum line, your players, cheerleaders, and band members will realize God has given them His ultimate playbook. He wants them to join His team, train hard, celebrate salvation, and encourage one another.



Register your child for VBS Camp by going to hudsonfirst.org under the Events tab. Questions? Call the church office at 828-728-4297. Make sure that your browser is the most up to date version for registration to be successful.

VBS Craft Supplies Needed!

For this year's VBS theme "GAME ON", we have a lot of amazing crafts planned. One of those crafts requires empty ketchup or salad bottles. Any plastic bottle with a long neck will do. If you have any, please rinse them out and bring them to the church office. This would greatly help our craft leaders! Thank you!

ACTIVITIES FOR THE NEXT 2 WEEKS

Sunday, July 1

No Evening Meetings

- 8:45 AM - Media Center Open
- 9 AM - Morning Worship,
First Kids Worship
- 10 AM - Sunday School
- 11 AM - Morning Worship
- 12 - 5 PM - LCDR & K Reserved, West

Monday, July 2

- 8:15 AM - Adult Exercise, LCDR

Wednesday, July 4

Independence Day

Church Office Closed, No Evening Meetings

Saturday, July 7

(Team 1: Peru Mission Trip July 7 - July 15)

- Bus Reserved, Team Peru

Sunday, July 8

- 8:45 AM - Media Center Open
- 9 AM - Morning Worship,
First Kids Worship
- 10 AM - Sunday School
- 11 AM - Morning Worship
- 2 - 5 PM - LCG Reserved, Austin
- 6 - 7 PM - Discipleship U Classes

Monday, July 9

- 8:15 AM - Adult Exercise, LCDR

Tuesday, July 10

- 10:30 AM - W.H.O. Group to Vintage Cafe
- 7 PM - Round Table Group at Anita Robbins'

Wednesday, July 11

Joan Renfrow's Work Anniversary - 13 Years

- 8:15 AM - Adult Exercise, LCDR
- 6:30 - 7:30 PM - Midweek @ HF Classes,
Youth, RA's & GA's, Nursery & Mission
Friends, C.A.R.E. Ministry,
Prayer Meeting
- 7:30 PM - Adult Choir

Thursday, July 12

- 10 AM - Sr. Adult Trip - Peaches & BBQ,
Bus Reserved

Saturday, July 14

(Team 2: Peru Mission Trip July 14 - July 22)

- Bus Reserved, Team Peru
- 2 Buses Reserved, Pairs & Spares to Lake Lure

Thanks!

Thank you to all of you who filled a baby bottle with change to help support the Caldwell Pregnancy Care Center. You helped to make a difference in the lives of a mother and her child! If you still have a bottle and you would like to turn in, please place it in the church office or give it to Andra or Scott Kunkle.

Thank you, Andra Kunkle

We are so grateful you elected to share so generously this month with your gift of \$1,800 dollars. Faithful servants of Christ are perfect candidates for a gift of love and compassion as we reflect on their years of ministry, remember them in their time of need, and remind them they are loved and not forgotten.

Grace and Peace, John Ambra, Mission: Dignity

Dear Hudson First Baptist Church,

Thank you for your gift to CCRP. We truly appreciate it and pray that God richly blesses you and your family. Isaiah 58:10, "If you extend your soul to the hungry and satisfy the afflicted soul, then your light shall dawn in the darkness. And your darkness shall be as the noon day."

In Christ, Pastor Ronnie Turner, CCRP

Thank you for supporting the work we do at Caldwell Hospice and Palliative Care with your donation of \$500. We are grateful for and look forward to your continued support.

Sincerely, Cathy Swanson,
Caldwell Hospice and Palliative Care

Thank you for your gift of \$750 to support the ministry of Caldwell County Habitat for Humanity.

Sincerely, Theresa Harrison

Christmas in July! Soldier Christmas Cards

It is time for Christmas in July - Soldier Christmas Cards. During July please sign a card for a soldier and write a thank you note for his/her service in it. Sign the card with your name or your class name. **DO NOT SEAL THE ENVELOPE.** On the front of the envelope write "U.S. Soldier". The Life Application Class or Andra Kunkle will drop off cards by the Sunday School Classes and you will have all of July to fill them with words of encouragement. The Life Application class will pick them up at the end of July.



Shoebox News

Our shoebox count has reached 1,027 for 2018. This means that 1,027 children around the world will have an opportunity to learn about Jesus and hopefully accept Him as their Savior. Knowing this makes packing our shoeboxes even more meaningful. Please pray that these children will accept Jesus. Our many thanks to all you wonderful people who help us in any way. Your support helps so much.



Calculators, footballs, baseballs, marbles, T-shirts, socks, frisbees, toy cars, toy trucks, and dolls all top our want list for this week. Keep an eye out for back-to-school bargains! July is the big month for crayons, pencils, erasers, and sharpeners.

May God bless you all, Linda Rash

Sr. Adult Trip to Knob Creek Orchard & Bridges BBQ on July 12, 10 AM



Bring money for produce and lunch. We will be departing at 10 AM. Sign up on bulletin board outside the Media Center.

NURSERY WORKERS:

July 1, 2018

9 AM: Daniel & Rebecca Woodbury,
Lynsey Burgess, Debbie Shell,
Judy Hartley

11 AM: Martha Oxford, Leslie Fleming,
Linda Rash

July 8, 2018

9 AM: Calvin & Christiannah Penny,
Lewis & Donna Miller,
Jeanne & Sandy Winkler,
Robin Barnhart

11 AM: Jeff & Tammy Bradshaw,
Betty Barnhart

6 PM: Kirsten McBurney, Tammy Bradshaw

Life Line Screening Event Coming to Hudson First on July 17th, 2018 Life Center Dining Room

Advanced ultrasound technology looks inside your arteries for signs of plaque buildup.

**Pre-registration is required.
Call 1-888-653-6450**

Report for June 24, 2018

Sunday School Enrollment	614
Sunday School Attendance	241
Worship Attendance	379

Designated Gifts Received

Baptist Retirement	10.00
Back Pack Ministry	320.00
Mission Peru	2,470.00
<i>Includes in honor of Matthew McBurney & Kaitlyn Lipps)</i>	
Shoe Box Ministrey	10.00
Cemetery	200.00
<i>(Includes in memory of Mr. & Mrs. Lewis Norris)</i>	
Toy Store	430.00
Total Designated	3,440.00
<i>(General Funds Includes in memory of Joanne Carpenter)</i>	

Congratulations!

Congratulations to Jonathan & Autumn Penny in the birth of their daughter, Sadie Nicole Penny, on June 24, 2018. Big brothers are Drew and Joseph Penny, grandparents are Greg and Donna Penny.

Additions to Media Center

Can You Say Peas and Thank You? by Laura Neutzling is placed in the Media Center to honor the birth of Sadie Nicole Penny, daughter of Jonathan & Autumn Penny.

Your Invited to a Baby Shower!

Ty & Shannon Watts
are expecting a baby boy!
July 1st, 2-4 PM

Life Center Dining Room
Registered at Amazon & Walmart.

Your Invited to a Wedding!

Matthew McBurney & Kaitlyn Lipps
request your presence as they exchange vows
This Saturday, June 30, 2018

2:00 PM

Poovey's Chapel Baptist Church
2822 Poovey's Chapel Church Rd.
Hudson, NC 28638

Reception to follow in the Hudson First Life Center
The reception will consist of a potluck lunch.

We ask those who are able to bring food in either disposable containers or reusable containers for the bride and groom to use in their new home. Drinks, cake, and cupcakes will be provided.



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- Happy Birthday
- July 1 Hattie Brakefield
Meredith Hudson
 - July 2 Lena Barlow
Joel Rash
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 - July 3 Toni James
Matthew Pritchard
 - July 4 Kay Walker
Tammy Bradshaw
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David Seagle
 - July 5 Karen Eller
Samuel Massey
 - July 6 Kay Greene
Rowe Teague
Drew Penny
 - July 7 Jamie Houk
Kylan Cloer
Loretta Clark
Kim Case
 - July 8 Greg Holman
Whitney Barringer
Kylie Lackey
Brett Ingle
 - July 9 Angela Eller
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