

**PRAYER REQUESTS**

September 18-24

**Members**

Carl Anderson  
 Ron Ballard  
 Bob and Peggy Boyette  
 Gaby Campbell  
 Misty Campbell  
 Aurelia Cannon  
 Edna Covington  
 Peggy Covington  
 Peggy Coward  
 Jean Crouch  
 Clyde Davidson  
 Paul Dillman  
 Audrey Ewing  
 John Foster  
 Brianna Gerald  
 Beverly Goodman  
 Helen Goodman  
 Louise Greene  
 Jean Haltiwanger  
 Our Homebound and Shut-Ins

Dorothy Hendricks  
 Mary Ellen Kindley  
 Barbara McLain  
 Alex McLean  
 Henry Meacham, Jr.  
 Mabel Mossor  
 Sam and Ava Nance  
 John and Eleanor  
 Faye Poplin  
 Dotsy Reynolds  
 Martha Scarborough  
 Frances and Gladys Shepard  
 Bruce Simmons  
 Juanita Sinclair  
 Aileen Traylor  
 Earline Waddell  
 Myra Waddell  
 LaWanda Walker  
 Our Service Men and Women

**Sunday**

Peggy Cain Ella Grace Cornelius (Beth McQueen's great-niece)  
 The Family of Nellie Parsons Robert Patterson  
 Bonnie Stanley

**Monday**

Amy Brewer (Ann Crotts' daughter) Sarah Beth Fordham  
 The Family of Harold Matheson (Bill Matheson's father)  
 The Family of Katherine D. Neal

**Tuesday**

Bennie Burr Lucile Capps  
 Don Gilliam (Statha Osborne's brother)  
 The Family of Sharpe Ridout (Kacey Matheson's father)  
 Horace Steadman (Ann Poe's brother)

**Wednesday**

LaWanda Goodwin David Singleton  
 All New and Returning College Students and Their Families

**Thursday**

The Family of Rev. Ladd Brearley The Family of Joe Harris  
 Dave Schmitzer Sharon Warfel  
 Mitzi Warfel

**Friday**

Austin Andrews (Leaving to Serve in Peace Corps) The Stephen Ministers  
 The Family of Carolyn Byrd (Wife of Rev. Douglas Byrd)  
 Joann Nutting Sylvia Marsh  
 Naomi Peele (Terry Nichols' mother)

**Saturday**

Franklin Bivens Pat and Frank Boyette  
 The Family of Sonny Crenshaw Don Lathan  
 The Family of Carolyn Williamson Piper Wythe

| Presence                      |     |
|-------------------------------|-----|
| <i>Last week's attendance</i> |     |
| Sunday School:                | 81  |
| Worship:                      | 167 |
| UMW Lunch                     | 85  |

| Gifts  |                      |
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| <i>Operating Budget for 2016</i>                   | <b>\$ 515,532.91</b> |
| Operating Budget Needed to Date                    | \$366,799.73         |
| Given to Date                                      | \$327,163.65         |
| Percentage Given                                   | 89.19%               |
| <i>Amount needed each week to meet 2016 budget</i> | <b>\$9,914.09</b>    |
| <b>Budget offering last week</b>                   | \$9,354.81           |
| Pennies for Zoe (Total to Date Collected)          | \$10,351.00          |
| <b>Zoe pennies collected in August</b>             | \$39.00              |

| Service for September                    |  |
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| <b>Ushers:</b>                           | Benson Crotts Team                             |
| <b>Heat/AC</b>                           | Randy Leak and Tommy Leak                      |
| <b>Crucifer:</b>                         | Cameron Ray                                    |
| <b>Acolytes:</b>                         | Trent Deane and Allie Matheson                 |
| <b>TV Ministry:</b>                      | Randall Mace                                   |
| <b>Nursery:</b>                          | Jami Graham                                    |
| <b>Greeters:</b>                         | Wiley and Judy Mabe<br>Greg LeBerth            |
| <b>Richmond Co. Soup Kitchen Leader:</b> | Randy Leak for September 28                    |
| <b>Hedge Prayer:</b>                     | Cross Currents Class                           |
| <b>Hermitage Volunteer:</b>              | Robert Cain and Joyce Smith                    |
| <b>Sunday Morning Fellowship:</b>        | This Sunday: UMM<br>Next Sunday: Benson Crotts |

| Calendar            |   |
|---------------------|---|
| <b>Sunday</b>       | <b>Sept 18</b>                                      |
| 9:30 am             | Sunday School Fellowship                            |
| 9:45 am             | Sunday School for all ages                          |
| 10:55 am            | Worship Hour  |
| 2:00 pm             | UMW General Meeting, Room 101                       |
| 5:00 pm             | "See You At the Pole" Worship Rally, Worship Center |
| <b>Monday</b>       | <b>Sept 19</b>                                      |
| 10:00 am            | First Place Bible Study                             |
| 5:30 pm             | Handbells   |
| <b>Tuesday</b>      | <b>Sept 20</b>                                      |
| 10:00 am            | Bible Study, Chapel                                 |
| 6:30 pm             | Trustees, BB  |
| <b>Wednesday</b>    | <b>Sept 21</b>                                      |
| 2:00 pm             | Holy Smoke Committee, Rm. 101                       |
| 3:30 pm             | Wonderful Wednesday                                 |
| 7:00 pm             | Choir Rehearsal                                     |
| <b>Thursday</b>     | <b>Sept 22</b>                                      |
| 10 am-12 noon       | Art Club, Rm. 101                                   |
| 7:00 pm             | God's Gorgeous Butterflies, BB                      |
| <b>Friday</b>       | <b>Sept 23</b>                                      |
| 9:30 am – 1:30 pm   | Connections, FH                                     |
| 3:30 pm             | Teams set-up for BBQ Cooking Contest, Outside       |
| 10:00 pm – Midnight | 5 <sup>th</sup> Quarter, Outside                    |
| <b>Saturday</b>     | <b>September 24</b>                                 |
| 11:00 am – 3:00 pm  | <b>HOLY SMOKE</b> BBQ and Music Festival            |

Senior Pastor: Rev. Mike Sykes  
 Financial Secretary: Cornelia McKenzie  
 Secretary: Beth McQueen  
 Program Director: Mary Griffith  
 Choir Directors: Statha Osborne  
 Chuck Wright  
 Organist/Pianist: Helen Alexander  
 Sexton: Al Floyd  
 Caring for our Children: Tabitha Miller

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*Eighteenth Sunday After Pentecost*

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|---|---------------------------|
| <b>First United Methodist Church</b>  |                           |
| <b>10:55 am</b>   | <b>September 18, 2016</b> |
| PO Box 637 – 410 East Washington Street<br>Rockingham, North Carolina 28380<br>Telephone No. 910-895-4027<br>Service is shown one week tape delayed on TWC Channel 15<br>Sundays at 7:00 pm |                           |

**Love God**

**Love Others**

**Love the World**

