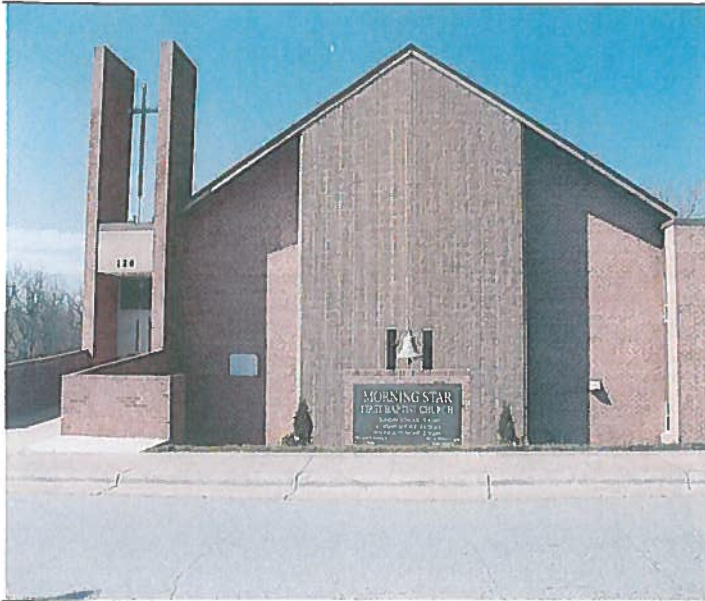


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"THE CHURCH WHERE EVERYBODY IS SOMEBODY AND JESUS IS LORD"

January 6, 2019

Monday, January 7th, the Mass Choir will be rehearsing at 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, January 8th, the Senior Ushers will have their monthly meeting at 6:00 p.m.

Friday, January 11th, at 7:00 p.m. will be Exodus Missionary Outreach Church's "Giving Back" Gospel Fest Concert.

The Martin Luther King Community Service will be on January 20, 2019, at First United Methodist Church, at 3:00 p.m. Rev. Dr. Greg Moss will be the speaker.

Tuesday, January 15th, from 6-8 p.m., the Joseph Hill Reachback Tutorial Program will hold a "Meet and Greet" for any one willing to volunteer as a tutor. The meeting will be held in the Fellowship Hall of Morning Star First Baptist Church located at 126 4th Ave. SW; Hickory, NC. This will be an informative meeting concerning the goals of the Tutorial Program and a chance for questions concerning the Tutorial Program. This program is sponsored by a grant from the City of Hickory. It is our desire that we might be able to help students that are struggling with their education and continue to decrease the dropout rate of our students. The 1st Tutorial evening will be held January 29th from 6-7:30. Light refreshments will be served at the "Meet and Greet".

MSFBC Church Conference on Tuesday, January 29th, at 7:00 p.m.

Congratulations to our very own Caitlynn Myer for completing her first semester of grad school at Clemson University with all A's for a 4.0 grade average! Caitlynn is the daughter of Philip and Lynne Myer. Also, if you haven't seen her transformation story on the Clemson University Graduate School website, please do...Caitlynn's story has been viewed 4,000 times and shared over 70 times! God is good all of the time!



*To All Members &
Friends
Celebrating In The
Month of January!!*



Birthdays

Niquezion Shuford.....January 1	Shateela Carson.....January 17
Bettye W. Harris.....January 1	Bobby Richmond.....January 17
Tonya Mc Corkle.....January 3	Jimmie Fuller.....January 19
Marcy Wilson.....January 3	Nancy Rivera.....January 20
Veronica Pearson.....January 5	Raquel A. Lytle.....January 20
Broderick Derr Sr.....January 6	O'Brian Walker.....January 20
Mary Horton-Betts.....January 8	Darian L. Wilson.....January 20
Clarinda Baker.....January 8	Angelo Patterson.....January 21
Tim Shuford.....January 9	Ana Richmond.....January 21
Charla Davis.....January 9	Cynthia Ballard.....January 22
Rev. George Coates.....January 10	Henrietta Kennedy.....January 22
Malcolm Eley.....January 12	Virgie Harshaw Stinson.....January 23
Janice Greenard.....January 12	Darrin Sherrill.....January 26
Kendra Patterson.....January 12	Lucellustine Walker.....January 26
Essie Farrer.....January 13	Jamel Owens.....January 27
Shakia Coates.....January 13	Lee Wilson.....January 28
Shakira Coates.....January 13	Natasha Robinson.....January 29
Mildred Mauney.....January 13	Thomas Hill.....January 31
Deboris Waller.....January 13	Derreshia Culbreath.....January 31
Desiree Sherrill.....January 14	Kellie Lytle Pouncy.....January 31
Richard E. Lawrence.....January 15	
Jeanette Grimes.....January 16	

Anniversary: Mr. and Mrs. Bobby & Ruby Hunter.....January 6 (1963)

Wednesday, January 9th at 4 p.m.—4-H Club: Healthy Eating & Living—Grades K-8-Join Lauren Surrat, leader of the 4H Club, to learn tips and tricks to live and eat healthy. Healthy snacks and smoothies will be served.

Friday, January 11th at 10:30 a.m. —Trivia & Jingo for Adults—Come on out for some fun trivia games and Jingo. Enjoy light refreshments, meet new people, win a prize and take a tour of the Ridgeview Branch Library. This program is FREE and open to the public for ages 18 and up.

BIRTHDAY BASH: Join us as we celebrate monthly birthday's old school style the **last Thursday of every month** while listening to the smooth sounds of yesteryear. This event takes place at the **Ridgeview Recreation Center** starting at **12:00 noon**. Feel free to bring a covered dish or side item. Please give your birthday information to Andrea Nixon at (828) 324-8007 or via email at anixon@hickorync.gov.

"We work so others can play"

2019

Out & About

Hickory Parks and Recreation Department

Active Adult Program

Thursday, March 14

Barnyard Flea Market - Dallas, NC

Thursday, June 20

Knob Creek Farms - Toluca, NC

Thursday, September 26

Apple Hill Orchard - Morganton, NC

Thursday, December 19

Winterland Express - Kannapolis, NC



Special Annual Events

Thursday, February 7 - Senior Valentine Brunch at 12:00 noon: Westmont Senior Center

Thursday, April 18 - Senior Easter Egg Hunt at 12:00 noon: Westmont Senior Center

Tuesday, August 20 - National Senior Citizen's Day at 12:00 noon: Westmont Senior Center

Thursday, October 31 - Senior Fall Festival at 12:00 noon: Westmont Senior Center

Thursday, November 14 - Senior Thanksgiving Luncheon at 12:00 noon: Highland Recreation Center

Thursday, December 12 - Senior Christmas Luncheon at 12:00 noon: Highland Recreation Center

- Seniors 50 and better are invited to join us for our Out & About road trip and lunch adventures.
- Participants are responsible for the cost of their own meal.
- Transportation is provided from both **Westmont Senior Center and Ridgeview Recreation Center at 8:15 am** unless otherwise noted and will return before 5:00 pm.

*** For special events** transportation is **not** provided; meet at the center listed and please bring a **covered dish or dessert**.

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Tuesday, January 8 - The Shops at Burlington, Burlington, NC

Registration begins Monday, December 17 **Cost: \$4.00**

Tuesday, February 5, - Premium Outlets, Charlotte, NC

Registration begins Monday, January 21 **Cost: \$4.00**

Tuesday, March 12 - Southpoint Mall, Durham, NC

Registration begins Monday, February 25 **Cost: \$4.00**

Tuesday, June 11 - Carolina Place Mall, Pineville, NC

Registration begins Monday, May 20 **Cost: \$4.00**

Tuesday, July 9 - Haywood Mall, Greenville, SC

Registration begins Monday, June 24 **Cost: \$4.00**

Tuesday, August 13 - Friendly Center, Greensboro, NC

Registration begins Monday, July 22 **Cost: \$4.00**

Tuesday, September 10 - Westgate Mall, Spartanburg, SC

Registration begins Monday, August 26 **Cost: \$4.00**

Tuesday, October 8 - Westfield Mall & Franklin Square, Gastonia, NC

Registration begins Monday, September 23 **Cost: \$4.00**

Tuesday, November 12 - Four Seasons Town Centre, Greensboro, NC

Registration begins Monday, October 21 **Cost: \$4.00**

Tuesday, December 10 - Northlake Mall, Charlotte, NC

Registration begins Monday, November 25 **Cost: \$4.00**

IMPORTANT

Women and men 50 and better are invited to join us for shopping and fun!

Vans will stop for breakfast on the way to the destination.

Trips leave from both Westmont Senior Center and Ridgeview Recreation Center at 8:15 am unless otherwise noted and will generally return by 5:00 pm.

Please register in person at either location: Westmont Senior Center beginning at 8:30 am or Ridgeview Recreation Center at 1:30 pm. Otherwise, it's first come, first serve.



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PRAYER LIST

**“A righteous man may have many troubles, but the Lord delivers him from them all.”
Psalms 34:19 (NIV)**

Jessie Anderson
Jessie Anthony
Denise Beatty
Jerome Beatty
Richard Beatty
Twanna L. Bowens
Albertina Brown
Vinnie Brown
Allen Campbell III
Nicole Canter
Antrice Carson
Audrey Carson
Gregory Carson
Keon Carson
Mary Connor
Charles Derr
Coleen Derr
Sage Marie Derr
Zachery Derr
William Dillingham
James Earl
Floree Edwards
Ida Ellis
Dorothea Ellison
Genia Farrer
Kasha Ferguson
Pedro Ferreira
Gracie Finger
Gregory Foote
Carla Foster
Akeem Fuller
Kameron Gay
Florida Gibbs
John Graves
Paul Greene
Jase Griggs
Randy Griggs
Connie Harris

Johnny Harris
Iola Harshaw
A. C. Haynes
Ruben Haynes
Carolyn Hector
Tonya Herning
Betty Hewitt
Kaylan Hoyle
Charles Hughes
Arlea Hunter
Ruby Hunter
Jon Hurst
Katina E. Izard
Gail James
Deborah Jesse
Esther Jett
Calvin Johnson
Clara Johnson
Keon Johnson
Omelia Johnson
Pamela D. Johnson
Sarah Johnson
Eric Kee
Henrietta Kennedy
Benny James Lavan
Bernard Lavan
Diane Lavan
Tommy L. Lewis
Benjamin Lytle
Madge N. Lytle
Raquel Lytle
Anthony Makenson
Joan Makenson
Eugene McCorkle (Mate)
Florence McCorkle
Timothy McCoy
Nadine McKnight

Shirley Page
Willie Mae Patterson
Phillip Payne
Betty Pope
William Powell
Charles Ramseur
Donald Ramseur (Atlanta)
Linda Ramseur
Savannah Ramseur
Frank Roberts
Geraldine Robinson
Perry Robinson
Elizabeth Rodriguez
Eloise Rose
Sherri Shade Saddler
Irene Scott
Patsy "JoAnn" Setzer
John Shade
Betty Sherrill
Carrie Shuford
Lela Mae Smith
Ashley Smoot
Tammy St. Louis
James Stover
Joyce Streeter
Bryant Swayne
Peggy Turner
Gary Ussery
Reco Weaver
Sheila Wells
Gary Wilfong
James Wilfong
John Wilson
Thomas Wilson
Carolyn Wimbush
Janay Woodard
Walter Young

**Please call us with any new requests or if you know of someone who needs to be taken off,
please let us know.**

PRAYER LINE

**If you would like prayer, call Rev. Jeanette McConnoughey
at (828) 270-5243**