



NACCP Weekly News

October 23, 2024

Calendar of Services—Services available In Person* and via Facebook Live Streaming link sent out with each week’s bulletin.

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October 27 - Service at South Main Chapel and Mercy Center – NO service at NACCP

November 2, 10, 17, 24 – Dr. Keith Ray

Current News and Announcements

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Thanks to Keith for his sermon where he reminded us that we are called to be a community that serves other.

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With great sadness, we announce the passing of our longtime friend Steve Hallowell on Monday, October 21 due to fast growing lung and liver cancer. He was surrounded by family and friends at the final hour, including his brother and sister-in-law, Richard and Sandy, and several NACCPers. Rest peacefully, Big Buddy! We know that you are re-united with Brenda on the other side. Thank you to Steve’s Care Team who sat with Steve during his hospice care. Details for a memorial service will be announced at a later time.

A message from Polly to the choir: “Seasonal choir practice will begin on Sunday, October 20. We will meet in the choir room from 9:25 – 10:00. I hope to see all our veteran members as well as new members. Polly 864-940-0640.”

The next GAMAC Chorale concert will by SONGS OF THE SEA on Friday, November 1 at 7:30 pm at First Baptist Church. Visit gamac.org to purchase tickets.

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Tithe Collection — The collection for October 13 was \$1,574. Session is always grateful for your generosity!

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Prayers of the People

For this and all our blessings, God, we praise you.

Karen is celebrating that her niece just had a new baby girl. This is a joyous celebration for the family after the loss of her father, Karen's brother, from ALS last year.

Helen is thankful for those who have come to her aid after receiving damage from Hurricane Helene

on her 100-year-old home.

DuPre celebrates the work that the Thornwell orphanage is doing for the Clinton community. Please keep this organization in your prayers.

Polly is celebrating that her beloved Yankees will be playing in the World Series!

God, in our mercy, hear our prayer.

Jay Lyn asks for prayers for folks in the community who have had devastating damage during Hurricane Helene.

Prayers for Autumn and Cierra who both had unexpected medical issues last week. Cierra continues to try to get to the root cause of her symptoms.

Autumn prays for the students at Palmetto High School after a gun was found in the bookbag of a student. Autumn's sister attends the school and she and her classmates are feeling scared and stressed.

Jax asks for he and his husband as they go through a job search to find jobs that will allow them to have careers and spend more time together.

Polly asks for prayers for her daughter, Emily, who is going back to Black Mountain. Prayers for the entire community as they rebuild after Helene.

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We will be serving the meal at South Main Chapel and Mercy Center on October 27. If you signed up to bring a food item, please be sure to have it to South Main by 10:30 am that day. This Sunday, October 20, we will assemble candy bags immediately after church and will conclude the Undie Sunday donation drive in preparation for our visit on the 27th.

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Thanks to Karen, Shea, Scott, Lin, and Rob for clearing our outdoor worship space of debris so that we could enjoy our Blessing of the Animals service!

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Diane is celebrating her son Kevin's marriage to Jenna in September!

Bonnie is celebrating her son Michael has found a new love after his recent tragedy.

Gloria is celebrating how well the legal immigrant family she has been hosting have been doing in integrating into the community and finding work.

God, in our mercy, hear our prayer.

Prayers for Steve Hallowell who has entered home hospice care after recently learning of wide-spread cancer. Please sign up to be a part of Steve's Care Team if possible.

Prayers for all who have been impacted by hurricanes Helene and Milton.

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