

SEPTEMBER
2024

THE MT. VERNON MESSENGER

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Leaves ARE
Falling
AUTUMN
IS *Calling*



A Word From Our Pastor...



Well, the summer of 2024 is a memory. The summer seems to go by so fast, but the memories you made will last forever. So we say goodbye summer and as the calendar turns to September we say "hello" to fall. September kicks off with labor day and for many a three day weekend. It's the close of summer but it also represents workers and work in general. One of the hardest workers in history was Jesus. The Bible is full of scriptures on work. Psalms 90:17 says "May the favor of the Lord our God rest on us; establish the work of our hands". Adults, the work you do never ends no matter how old or young you are. As we celebrate Labor Day, think and thank God about the work that you do from day to day. Yes work honors God and He gets glory in our work. Something to think about.....

May God bless you,

Pastor Rodney



Janie Chapman, a South Carolina pastor's wife, founded the South Carolina Woman's Missionary Union. She was said to be a person of strict discipline with inner strength and a gentle spirit. She did her work well for the Lord. Janie was the first president of SC WMU. When WMU celebrated its 25th anniversary, Janie wrote: "We do not want to live too much in the past – just an occasional reminder of the stalwart and true souls who dared to blaze new trails." In 1919 she encouraged SC WMU to try to raise \$1,100,000 in five years for the 75 Million Campaign. They gave \$1,487,647.

In 1937 the state missions offering was renamed in honor of Janie Chapman.

Janie's personal life verse was 1 Cor. 15:58 (one of our Treasure Verses from 2022!) She was an example of a woman who lived out this scripture!

Therefore, my beloved brothers, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that in the Lord your labor is not in vain.

This offering will be used in the state of South Carolina. The state goal is \$2,190,000.



Our church offering goal is \$500. Please pray and give as God leads you.

Revised Newsletter

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Office Hours: Tuesday & Thursday 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

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Sept. 2024 Rev. Jon Johnson, Moderator

Rev. Rodney Hord, Vice-Moderator

Gwen Stevens, Ministry Assistant

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Birthdays—September

3rd Mrs. Jerri Price, wife of Rev. Joey Price
of Cherry Hill Baptist

17th Rev. Dennis Williams, pastor of
Pleasant Plain Baptist Church

25th Mrs. Rosie Wilson, wife of Rev. Ricky
Wilson, pastor of Oak Dale Baptist

Anniversaries—September

10th Rev. & Mrs. Scott Seckman, pastor
of Sweet Home Baptist Church

20th Rev. & Mrs. Randy Bake, pastor
Valley Forge Baptist Church

September Happenings

2nd Labor Day

8th Grandparents Day

11th Patriot Day



8th-15th Season of Prayer State Missions

21st Children's Mission Day

22nd First Day of Fall



Annual
Carolina Baptist Associational
Meeting, October 12th at 9 a.m.
Dogwood Hill Baptist Church
1040 Mount Zion Rd, Loris SC

Community Block Party By Community Churches

September 7, 2024

7160 Highway 905, Conway, SC 29526

Red Bluff Crossroads

3:00PM – 6:00PM

Inflatable Water Slides, Barrel Train rides, Games &
Games Prizes, Donut Eating Contest, Apple Pie Eating
Contest, Face Painting, Hayrides, and Gift Cards Drawings.

Family Fun For Everyone

Christian Music and & most importantly the Gospel Presentation



Matthew 28: 19-20

Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son,
and of the Holy Ghost: Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you:
and, lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world. Amen.

Janie Chapman Offering for State Missions

The Janie Chapman Offering for State Missions was started and continues to be the driving force for missions happening throughout our state. Over 2,000 churches affiliate with the South Carolina Baptist Convention and cooperate in missions giving, missions discipleship, and missions support through the Start, Strong, Share, Send and Serve teams.

Every year, the Janie Chapman State Missions Offering helps South Carolina Baptists reach their lost neighbors, plant churches, send missionaries, serve communities in crisis, and much more.

Church News

Cane Branch Baptist

We held a baptizing service Sunday morning baptizing 6, (children, teenagers, and adults.) Sunday night we held a Licensing Service for Sam Moore.

September 1st –Pastor Appreciation
8th—Grandparents Day

Homecoming will be Oct. 27th.

Live Oak Baptist

Sept. 8th —Grandparents' Day Program

17th – Ladies Bible Study

29th –Youth Sunday and movie night
with quarterly birthday celebration.

Mt. Vernon Baptist

September 7th visit our tent at the
Community Block Party @ Red Bluff
Crossroads.

Mt. Zion Baptist

September 8-11 Revival, Sunday 6 p.m.

Monday-Wednesday 7 p.m.

Guest Speaker: Rev. John Holmes, Special Singing nightly. Dogwood Hill Baptist will be joining us for this revival.

September 22, 10 a.m.- Homecoming / Harvest Day, Guest Speaker: Rev. Wayne Williams. Special Singing: Trinity Quartet Lunch will follow.

Oakey Swamp Baptist

WMU / Brotherhood Sept. 10th @ 7 p.m.

October 20th—Homecoming

October 30th—Trunk or Treat

Mt. Vernon Baptist is looking for a **Pianist** for our church. This is a paid position. Please contact Pastor Rodney Hord if interested at 843-340-1105 or 843-756-6221.

Corn Maze at Maxwell Farms

Tickets to the corn maze will be \$8 online and \$10 at the gate. Your ticket includes an exciting trip through our corn maze and one wagon ride through the farm.

Dates & Times

Friday, September 27, 4:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, September 28, 11a.m. to 7:30 p.m.

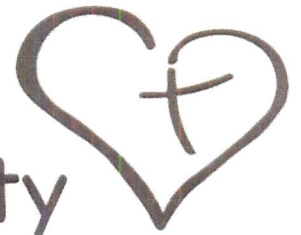
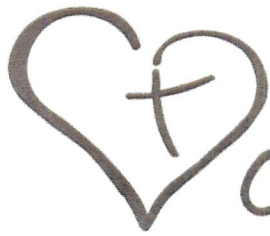
Friday, October 11th, 4:30 to 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, October 12th, 11 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

This year, we will also host a Night of

Worship on October 12 with Benjamin William Hastings, with opening worship by Newspring Worship and the Shandon Baptist Church worship team.





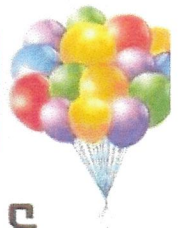
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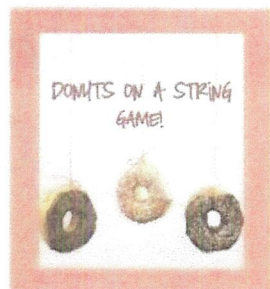
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Free Event



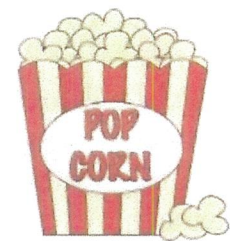
Water Slides



DONUTS ON A STRING GAME!



PIE EATING CONTEST



LET'S GO ON A HAYRIDE



September 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 No evening service	2 Labor Day	3	4 WMU Women Baptist Men 7:00pm	5	6	7 CBA Youth Block Party 3:00-6:00pm
8 Grandparents Day Calendar planning 4:30 WMU State Missions Season of Prayer	9 WMU State Missions Season of Prayer	10 WMU State Missions Season of Prayer	11 WMU State Missions Season of Prayer	12 WMU State Missions Season of Prayer	13 WMU State Missions Season of Prayer	14 WMU State Missions Season of Prayer
15 Janie Chapman Offering 11:00 Leadership Meeting 5:00 WMU State Missions Season of Prayer	16	17	18 Church Conference 7:00pm	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29 Singing Convention	30					