

## GOLD RUSH GANG

### UPCOMING EVENTS:

**July 9th:** Lunch at Phil's; Bingo in Fellowship Hall  
**August:** No meeting



### WELCOME TO LINDA HODGES OUR NEW OFFICE MANAGER

Born and raised in Florida. Linda met her husband while attending Gulf Coast Community College in Panama City, Florida. They have lived in Schwaebisch Hall, Germany and Savannah, Georgia before settling in Henry County.

Hobbies include reading, gardening, cooking, and traveling, especially to historic sites. Linda is the mother of two wonderful children and grandmother of three beautiful grandchildren, Makenzie, Ella Rae and Harrison.

Linda has over 25 years experience in the business/accounting field, in diverse fields which include insurance, trucking and most recently 15 years with a non profit association. ☺

### ATTENTION CHURCH MEMBERS 50+ GOLD RUSH GANG JUNE EVENT Tuesday, July 9th, 11:30 AM Phil's Restaurant / Bingo

*From the church, right across the street,  
Is Phil's Restaurant, a great place to eat.  
And that is where the Gold Rush Gang  
On Tuesday, July 9th will meet.  
The buffet has food so much and so delicious,  
You'll want to keep going back  
to fill your dishes.  
And when you just can't eat any more,  
We'll cross back the street once more  
And go through the church door,  
Where we'll fellowship some more.  
You'll want to stay because  
then it's BINGO we'll play.  
You'll win a prize\*, you'll have lots of fun,  
Spending the afternoon with each and everyone!*

**\*Please bring a \$5.00 wrapped gift.  
Let Annie Laura know that you want  
to come by Sunday, July 7th.**



### STAFF WEB EMAIL ADDRESSES:

Rev. Susan Bennett (Pastor@spcusa.org)  
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Webmistress@SPCUSA.ORG.



### THE SESSION COMMITTEES

#### **Building & Grounds** [BldgandGrnds@spcusa.org](mailto:BldgandGrnds@spcusa.org)

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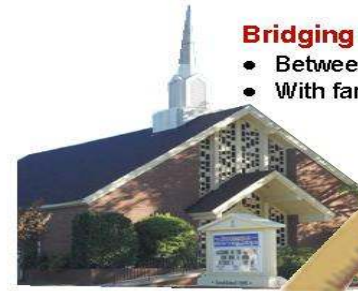
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### Stockbridge Presbyterian Church "The Church at the Bridge"

#### Bridging the Gaps in People's Lives!

- Between us and God
- With family, friends & neighbors



- Between us and our local community
- Between us and a world in need

Henry County Georgia

### Opportunities for Worship, Fellowship, Mission & Ministry

[office@spcusa.org](mailto:office@spcusa.org)

July 7, 2013

770.474.7777

### PRAYER CONCERNS

**MEMBERS:** Gerrelldine Addy, Monica Baxter & Family, Harold Cochran, David & Mabel Craig, David Dillard, Rick Holcombe, Allison & Bob Johnson, Jim & Thelma Newsome, Ruth Pope, Doug & Laura Richardson, Doug Sewell, Pat & Glenn Stanley, Anne Watson

**ONGOING (Long-term illnesses):** Shad Austin, Carol Baggett, Melissa Bailey, Sarah Barr, Judy Belvin, Dorothy Bromenshenkel, Cindy Brown, Tillie Bundy, Carmen Butler, Larry Campbell, Myrtis Carter, Kenneth Cleveland, Brandy Conner, Teresa Cooper, Jemal & Prilinda Davis, Leslie Moseley DeSimone, Jason Ellis, Beanie Essex, Lilly Feathers, Lori Fisher, Paula Goddard, Barbara Goss, Tripp Halsted, Carol Harris, Nick Hart, Amy Huber, John Kellerman, Mark Kellogg, Rebecca Langford, Hannah Layfield, Lisa Lohr, Greg Martin, Kim McCantti, Shane McDonald, Bernice & Claude McGee, Dale McGee, Nikki McGee, Linda Menieur, John Newman, Sam Osborne, Olivia Quigley, Bill Ratliff, Ione Lanford Ring, Vicky Rodgers, Vicki Rosenblatt, Laurie Sansbury, Ray Shrader, Shirley Slaughter, Abby Smith, Jack & Grace Soucie, Keith Sorrells, Marge Spikes, Sarah Starzer, Donna Sundren, Jennifer Thomas, Richard Thomas, Ed Thompson, Diane Trickley, Jack & Bonelle Turner, Fred Unger, LuAnn Worley

**FRIENDS & FAMILY:** Mike & Marie Bertholf, Shaina Buchan, Annette Bundrick, Bruce Clark, Bill Johnson, Family of John Lipscomb, Sarah & Grady McQuade, Family of Jeff Newsome, Joanne Norton, Linda Pass, Megan Teston, Betty Wheeler

**MILITARY PERSONNEL:** Tyler DeLoach, Lucas Freeman; **Iraq:** Don Bradley, Doug Caldwell, Joel Forsyth, Jeremy Hopfe; **Afghanistan:** Brian Bavano, James Chapman, Chad Duffey, Mark Freeman, Ricky Fyffe, Kyle Gaylor, Gary Lawrence, Josh Ogle, Zachary Pallock, Ryan Richey, Ryan Tewell; **El Salvador:** Darrious Austin; **Huntsville:** Jack Shedd; **Hawaii:** Brianne Gaylor; **Washington, D.C.:** David Brown

**HOMEBOUND MEMBERS:** Peggy Campbell, Johnny Hinton, Evelyn Hughes, Sarah Belle Lee, Georgia Silvey, Nancy Stikeleather, Carolyn Waits

Please help us stay current with our prayer requests. Unless otherwise updated, names will be placed on our "Prayer Concerns" list for four weeks. Updates may be called into the office, indicated on one of the yellow prayer cards & marked "Update" and given to an usher, or emailed to the church office. Please note that the list is updated at the beginning of each month to reflect the current and previous month only.

## SERVING OTHERS

### Liturgists:

Jul 7 Jason Howard  
Jul 14 Sarah Mott  
Jul 21 Allie Dunn  
Jul 28 Cindy Strong

### Beadle Schedule:

Jul 7 Kim Seal  
Jul 14 Tom Francis  
Jul 21 Linda Roberts  
Jul 28 Ron Scheer

### Children's Worship:

Jul 7 Kim Seal, Phyllis Howard, Maegan & Alex Seal  
Jul 14 Clipper family  
Jul 21 Greg Lathrop/Adam Dunn  
Jul 28 Allie Dunn/Nancy Bryant

### Acolytes:

Jul 7 Alex Seal  
Jul 14 Justin Stanley  
Jul 21 Collin Roberts  
Jul 28 Adam Dunn

### Children's Sermons:

Jul 7 Tami Pass  
Jul 14 Aaron Roberts  
Jul 21 Sue Scheer  
Jul 28 Betsy Sierra



### JULY 7—COMMUNION SUNDAY

Jim Beisner Kim Seal  
Ken Roberts Linda Roberts  
John Abbott Carol Abbott

*"Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age."*  
— Matthew 28:19,20

## OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK OF JULY 7, 2013

<b>SUN</b>	9:00 Fellowship Breakfast		
	9:45 Sunday School	<b>THU</b>	No Wed. choir rehearsal till end of July
	10:30 Choir Rehearsal		4:30 Stewardship Comm Mtg
	11:00 Worship		6:00 CE Comm Mtg
	5:00 Haitian Christian Comm. Min.		6:30 Bldg & Grnds Comm Mtg
<b>MON</b>	7:00 AA Meeting	<b>FRI</b>	7:00 AA Meeting
<b>TUE</b>	11:30 GRG at Phil's and Bingo	<b>SAT</b>	No events on calendar
	7:30 Boy Scouts		1:00 Youth Challenge Testing
<b>WED</b>	5:30 Fellowship Committee Mtg		5:30 New Glory Christian Church

## SERMON SCHEDULE

**JULY 7:** Psalm 30; II Kings 5:1-14  
"It's the Little Things"



**JULY 14:** Colossians 1:1-14; Amos 7:7-17. "When the News Isn't Good"

**JULY 21:** Luke 10:38-42; Amos 8:1-12  
"Fasting From the Word"

**JULY 28:** Luke 11:1-13; Hosea 1:2-10  
"The Love of a Father"



### SINCERE HEARTFELT THANKS ...

Words cannot express my gratitude for the awesome dinner and overwhelming expressions of love this past Sunday. It has been my privilege to serve the Kingdom of God and Stockbridge Presbyterian these years. I cherish every card, every gift, every well-wish, every hug, and every friendship! How blessed I am to have been a part of your lives and hold so many wonderful and fond memories! THANK YOU to all who had a part in the planning, the decorating, and especially the clean-up .... washing all those dishes! That really made me feel special that the real plates were used!! (I mean that sincerely!) Thank you for the generous love offering and every kindness shown.

Love you all much, Levena

## COMING EVENTS

- Jul 9 GRG Lunch at Phil's / Bingo
- Jul 10 Fellowship Comm Mtg
- Jul 11 Stewardship Comm Mtg
- Jul 11 CE Comm Mtg
- Jul 11 Bldg & Grnds Comm Mtg
- Jul 13 Youth Challenge Testing
- Jul 16 Early Risers @ B&B
- Jul 16 Stated Session Mtg
- Jul 17 Worship Comm Mtg
- Jul 23 Early Risers @ CFA
- Jul 27 Boy Scout CPA Training
- Jul 30 Early Risers @ B&B
- Aug 1 CE Comm Mtg
- Aug 5 1st Day of School
- Aug 6 Early Risers @ CFA
- Aug 7 Worship Comm Mtg
- Aug 7 G & G Resumes
- Aug 8 Bldg & Grnds Comm Mtg
- Aug 10 Youth Challenge Testing
- Aug 13 Early Risers @ B&B
- Aug 14 Fellowship Comm Mtg
- Aug 17 Presbytery Mtg
- Aug 20 Early Risers @ CFA
- Aug 27 Early Risers @ B&B

### CHURCH OFFICE HOURS ARE CHANGING



As of July 1, 2013, office hours at SPC are being reduced as follows: The church office will be open Monday - Thursday, 9:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M. only. This will take some getting used to, so you might want to post the new schedule somewhere as a reminder till we all get accustomed to it.

Our new Office Manager, Linda Hodges, can be reached at 770-474-7777 x 10. The church email remains the same: spcusa7777@gmail.com. Thanks, all!

## OTHER ACTIVITIES



"In Christ God was reconciling the world to himself, not counting their trespasses against them, and entrusting the message of reconciliation to us." II Cor 5:19



### David Craig

Vitas Hospice, Room 8  
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Stockbridge, GA. 300281  
770-692-5670

**Anne Watson** remains at Laurel Park. She is expected to be discharged on July 11th.

**Rick Holcombe** is at Piedmont Henry, North Tower, in CCU, Room 2227

**Ruth Pope** is at Piedmont Henry, South Tower, Room 3116. Her direct number is 678-604-3116.



### Thursday Women's Bible Study Update

Thursday Morning Women's Bible Study will resume on **Thursday, August 1 at 10:00 a.m.** The lesson will be on Chapter 4 of our study book, Experiencing Spiritual Intimacy. If you would like to join the group and order a book let Mary Thompson know. The study book is "Experiencing Spiritual Intimacy." If you have questions or comments, please call Mary Thompson 770-474-4252.



### Early Risers

July 16 Early Risers @ B&B  
July 23 Early Risers @ CFA  
July 30 Early Risers @ B&B