

GOLD RUSH GANG

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES 2012

OCT 9: Nash Farms/Lunch @ Bay Breeze
NOV 13: Annual Potluck Lunch & Meeting
DEC 9: Christmas Luncheon



BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS

Saturday,
October 6th
11:00 am
Church Pavilion



ATTN: CHURCH MEMBERS 50 YR +
Tues, Oct 9th / Nash Farms Battlefield
Lunch @ Bay Breeze (on your own)
Transportation \$6; Museum \$4

Meet and leave from the church parking lot 9:45 am. This is a non-walking presentation with comfortable seating in one museum.

The big cannons BOOM! The soldiers are fighting to prevent Georgia's doom!

*The gunfire blazes! The battle rages!
The blue and grey stand on the opposite side,
But each one fights and continues to die!
The battle is over, the fighting is through.*

*The grey has lost, and the blue has really lost too.
There is no winner when blood is shed*

They all have lost and in their hearts there's dread.

*We stand on this ground where soldiers trod
Where their blood soaked the dirt and sod.*

*Silence now covers this ground,
There is no more the battle sound.*

Nash Farms is now a place of beauty & peace.

Over 100 years ago the war did cease.

*The museum will be an interesting place to see,
It holds a lot of Henry County history.*

*Then it's lunch at Bay Breeze,
Where we're sure with the great food
you'll be pleased.*



Please see Charles or Edna Fisher by
Sunday, October 7th.

Visit the church website at: www.spcusa.org

Send any comments or
suggestions to the
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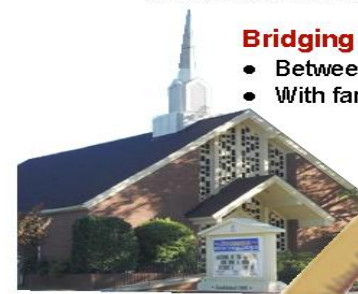
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Stockbridge Presbyterian Church "The Church at the Bridge"

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

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September 30, 2012

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PRAYER CONCERNS

MEMBERS: Gerrelldine Addy, Brandy Conner, David Craig, David Dillard, Allie Dunn, Kathy Gorman, Rick Holcombe, Allison Johnson, Pat Martin, Charles & Sara Moseley, Jim Newsome, Gene Park, Ruth Pope, Doug Richardson, Doug Sewell, Sally Smith, Mary Thompson, Carolyn Waits, Anne Watson

SINCERE SYMPATHY: Our deepest condolences to Tom Francis in the recent death of his aunt, Kate Samson, of Cumberland, Maryland. May God's peace be with all the friends and family.

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, Teresa Cooper, Jemal & Prilinda Davis, Leslie Moseley DeSimone, Jason Ellis, Beanie Essex, Lilly Feathers, Lori Fisher, Paula Goddard, Barbara Goss, Carol Harris, Nick Hart, Amy Huber, Mark Kellogg, Rebecca Langford, Hannah Layfield, Lisa Lohr, Linda Lycett, Greg Martin, Kim McCanti, Shane McDonald, Bernice & Claude McGee, Nikki McGee, Linda Menieur, John Newman, Sam Osborne, Olivia Quigley, Tracy Rasar, Bill Ratliff, Ione Lanford Ring, Vicky Rodgers, Lara Rogers, 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, Marilyn White, LuAnn Worley

FRIENDS & FAMILY: Lois Allen, Renee Bass, Pete Bernard, Mary Burchfield, Ramona Cantrell, RonnieCantrell Family, Ron Jr Cantrell, Evelyn Moseley Craig, Wade Crumbley & Family, Tyler DeLoach, Al & Martha Dunn, Jennifer Dunn & Family, Family of Krista Gibbs, Michele Hammonds, Jennifer Holcombe, Delmas Hoover, Doug House, Donna Johnson, Janice Keeter, Travis & Erin Lingenfelt, Linda Lycett, Kathy Martin, Dale McGee, Vicky Rodgers, Tina Sager, Mildred Schmelz, Vibert Scott, J.D. Summerour, Holly Tewell, Starr Wagner

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

HOMEBOUND MEMBERS: Julia Brown, 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:

Sep 30 Carol Abbott
 Oct 7 Jim Beisner
 Oct 14 Carolyn Francis
 Oct 21 Doug Richardson
 Oct 28 Laura Richardson

Beadle Schedule:

Sep 30 Tony Williams
 Oct 7 Sue Scheer
 Oct 14 Carol Abbott
 Oct 21 TBA
 Oct 28 Judy Simmons

Children's Worship:

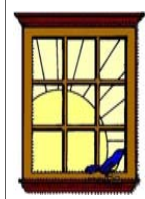
Sep 30 Mary Thompson; Wendy & Megan Wells
 Oct 7 Keller Family
 Oct 14 Lynn/Caylin Andrew; Allie Dunn
 Oct 21 Diana Taylor; TBA
 Oct 28 Phyllis Howard; Seal Family

Acolytes:

Sep 30 Justin Stanley
 Oct 7 Cydnee Keller
 Oct 14 Elle Roberts
 Oct 21 Allie Dunn
 Oct 28 Alex Seal

Friday Office Volunteer

Schedule:
 Oct 5 Sue Scheer
 Oct 12 Lynn Pack
 Oct 19 Carol Abbott
 Oct 26 Nancy Bryant



Early Risers

10/16 Chick-fil-a
 10/23 Biscuit & Brunch
 10/30 Chick-fil-a

SERMON SCHEDULE

SEPTEMBER 30

Mark 9:38-50; James 5:13-20
 "Family Dynamics"



OCTOBER 7

Psalms 26; Mark 10:13-18
 "The Faith of a Child"

OCTOBER 14

Mark 10:17-31; Hebrews 4:12-16
 "Radical Compassion"

OCTOBER 21: Celebrate the Gifts of Men Sunday

Mark 10:35-45; James 2:1,5-6,14-17,20-26
 "Do Something!"
 John Dunn, Preacher

OCTOBER 28

Hebrews 7:23-28; Mark 10:46-52
 "Take Heart; Get Up, He is Calling You!"

**Thank you for your faithfulness in...
 TIME, TALENTS & RESOURCES**

"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 SEPTEMBER 30, 2012

SUN	9:00 Fellowship Breakfast	6:15 PW Circle #2
	9:45 Sunday School	6:30 Goodness & Groceries
	10:30 Choir Rehearsal	7:00 Choir Rehearsal
	11:00 Worship	THU 10:00 Ladies Bible Study
	12:00 Annual Budget Meeting	6:30 Bldg & Grnds Comm Mtg
	5:00 Haitian Christian Comm. Min.	7:00 AA Meeting
MON	7:00 AA Meeting	FRI No activities on Calendar
TUE	10:00 PW Circle #1	SAT 11:00 Blessing of the Animals
	7:30 Boy Scouts	5:30 New Glory Christian Church
WED	5:00 Worship Comm Mtg	

COMING EVENTS

2012

- Oct 6 Blessing of the Animals
- Oct 9 GRG Nash Farms/Lunch @ Bay Breeze
- Oct 15 Stated Session Meeting
- Oct 18 Bridge Family Basket Mtg
- Oct 20 Youth Challenge Testing
- Oct 21 Gifts of Men Service
- Oct 21 November newsletter deadline
- Oct 27 Life Long Reading Girls
- Nov 3 Set Clocks Back 1 Hour
- Nov 6 Presidential Election Day
- Nov 10 Youth Challenge Testing
- Nov 11 Veterans Day Service / Covered Dish Lunch
- Nov 11 Congregational Mtg
- Nov 13 GRG Annual Potluck Lunch & Meeting
- Nov 13 Stated Session Meeting
- Nov 15 Presbytery Mtg—Roswell
- Nov 19-23 Thanksgiving Break/No School
- Nov 22-23 Thanksgiving Holidays/Office Closed
- Nov 25 Healing Service
- Dec 1 Advent / Decorate Church
- Dec 1 Life Long Reading Girls
- Dec 9 GRG Christmas Luncheon
- Dec 11 Stated Session Meeting
- Dec 15 Youth Challenge Testing
- Dec 16 Choir Christmas Program
- Dec 24 Christmas Eve Service

"Bridge Family Baskets" - With all the hard work and dedication each of you are doing on our new church missions, we have become aware that sometimes the builders of missions (you, our church family) may need a little TLC also. Several of us would like to experiment with an on-going care basket project. These personalized baskets would be for any of our members or regular attendees that are home bound or undergoing long term illnesses. Each basket would include useful items personally selected for each individual, some of which may be: devotionals, books, cross word puzzles, lotions, teas, games, mints, gum, crayons, coloring books, cards etc. In addition to these items, a home made blanket, especially designed for our family member would be included with the expressed meaning, this person is a cherished member of our family and is being prayed for with the warmest thoughts. We will then make plans to visit and deliver each basket as needed. Some blankets will be sewn, some tied, and some knitted or crocheted. Each will be unique and made by as many of you that wish to help. We will need anyone that can sew, cut out patterns, tie knots, purchase materials and anything else the Holy Spirit leads you to do. This means "all of us can do something". We will meet the third Thursday of each month in the fellowship hall at **10:00 AM, beginning the 18th of October**. Now, the next time you are shopping and come across something that catches your eye, your donation will be greatly appreciated by one of your family members. Nothing expensive, it is the thought we are looking for. And if you want to experience a wonderful fellowship, join us on the 18th of October. This will be a mission in training, so your thoughts and ideas are very important to its success. If you have any questions, comments or suggestions, please call or email Sue Scheer or Linda Roberts.

OTHER ACTIVITIES

SEPTEMBER EVENTS

Sept 30: No youth, end of fall break

OCTOBER EVENTS

Oct 7: No youth
 Oct 14: Dinner and a Movie @ the church 4-6 pm
 Oct 20: Bon Fire @ the Dunn's start time 6 pm
 Oct 28: No Youth
 Oct 31 (Wed): Halloween, dinner will be served at 5:45 pm.



WANTED!! PICTURES FROM YOUR MILITARY SERVICE!!



A very special day is being planned to honor our veterans and active duty military personnel. If you have a picture from your military service that you can share with us, please turn it in to the office or email it to Levena at spcusa7777@gmail.com. **PLEASE** be sure to label and identify the person in the picture, including which branch of the military, their rank, and the location, if you know where the picture was made. We also want to include our deceased members/spouses. Hard prints will be returned. The pictures will be used to make a special slide presentation. **Deadline to receive pictures is Sunday, October 28th.**