**From the Prayer Calendar 02.10.2019**

Doby’s Bridge, Fort Mill, SC (119 members)

Thanking God for opportunities of Ministry. Part of the offering given by attendees at the October Presbytery meeting was shared with Kingston Presbyterian Church in Conway, SC, a church severely impacted by Hurricane Floyd and then Hurricane Michael. This week we received a letter from this community of faith attesting to God’s provision and your generosity. Find out more.

**NEXT MONDAY is Deadline to Register for Faith and Sexuality Retreat (February 11.)** Slots are filling up for this great event presented by Providence Presbytery’s Education and Equipping Ministry Team and Bethelwoods. **Led by chaplain Nicole Newton, this overnight retreat** is designed to open communication as your youth looks toward all the changes that are coming as she/he enters middle and high school. The goal is to help parents set these and future conversations around puberty, adolescence, and sexuality within the context of faith, and learn to share your values as you talk with your youth about these topics. The overnight retreat will be held February 22-23 and cost is $100 per youth. Find out more. Register online at Bethelwoods.com.

**All are Invited to World Day of Prayer Worship Service.** Though Presbyterian Women is hosting the event, **Everyone is invited** (women, men, and children.) The worship service celebrating the World Day of Prayer will be held on **March 8 at 6:30PM at Beth Shiloh Presbyterian, 1184 N Shiloh Rd, York, SC.** Want to find out more about World Day of Prayer? [https://worlddayofprayer.net/slovenia-2019.html](https://worlddayofprayer.net/slovenia-2019.html). For information about the event, contact Lee Barnwell at leebarnwell64@gmail.com.

**Church Statistical Reports are due at midnight on February 14.** Have you finished yours?

**2019 Big Tent Event is August 1-3 in Baltimore.** Mark your calendar as this event is a great opportunity to gather and learn with fellow Presbyterians. More information to follow.

**Adult Enrichment Centers invites your church to join us in ministry.** #AllHeart Week supporting #AllAbilities invites your church to adopt us as your Valentine’s project. Support our guests by offering your prayers, volunteers from your church and collection and donation of the following items: 3D Puzzles and Brain Teasers; Checker Board and Checkers; Desktop football, golf and cornhole; Elite Hockey Ring Toss Game; small woodworking crafts; birdhouse kits, model cars, planes; table-top air hockey; outdoor cornhole boards (3); Rubberized Horseshoes Sets (2); Magnet Dartboards (3); Coffee Table books on sports, cars, aircrafts, trains; Amazon Fire 7 with Alexa, 7” Display, 8GB; Amazon Case for Fire 7 Tablet--Black. For more information contact Samantha Krieghauser at 803-417-3376 or samanthak@aecenters.org. Visit [adultenrichmentcenters.org](http://adultenrichmentcenters.org) to find out more about our services and served communities.

**Second Harvest Hosts Empty Bowls 2019, a fund raiser.** Mark your calendar now for Empty Bowls 2019: an opportunity to give and fellowship. In an effort to raise awareness and funds in our battle to end hunger in the Metrolina region, potters of all ages, skill levels and approaches will donate hundreds of handmade ceramic bowls. The bowl will then serve as a reminder that someone’s bowl is always empty and that we need to continue our efforts to end hunger in our community. Purchase your $40 ticket now to receive a delicious lunch, a handcrafted bowl of your choice, and a free GoPlaySave Charlotte Coupon Book (value $30). [Click here to purchase tickets.](http://secondharvest.org)

**February “Music at Oakland” features renewed Casavant Organ.** Oakland Avenue Presbyterian Church, Rock Hill, is pleased to announce the next event in our Music at Oakland Concert Series for 2018-19. On Saturday, **February 9, at 7PM.** Oakland will have a dedication recital of our renewed and improved Casavant organ. Featured on the concert will be former OAPC organist, Virginia S. Moe, and Donald G. Moe, both of whom also served on the organ renewal campaign committee, and newly appointed church organist, Ed West. Find out more.
Lombard Mennonite Peace Center to Offer Clergy Clinic in Charlotte in 2019. The Clergy Clinic in Family Emotional Process is designed to enhance the ability of participants to function as self-differentiated leaders within their own ministry setting. It will provide a safe forum for processing challenging situations in one’s ministry, while also facilitating reflection on a way of thinking about the human condition which has implications for all aspects of life. Tuition is $1400 for the nine day series meeting at St. Andrews United Methodist in Charlotte March 11-13, June 3-5 and September 9-11. Find out more or register.

Chaplain Position Available. The Laurel Crest Retirement Community in West Columbia (a Life Plan retirement community owned and operated by Presbyterian Communities of South Carolina) is seeking a half-time chaplain. As a member of the leadership team who reports to the Community’s Executive Director, the chaplain is responsible for pastoral care of the residents, their families, and the staff of the Community. Other duties include planning and conducting worship services, Bible study, and spiritual activities for residents in independent living, assisted living, and health care. The chaplain must be an ordained minister and must have a demonstrated interest and experience in working with older adults. Presbyterian Communities of South Carolina is a compassionate Christian ministry dedicated to enhancing the quality of life for seniors of all faiths. Please send inquiries and resumes to Jim Deel at jim.deel@laurelcrest.org by February 8, 2019.

Clover Area Assistance Center Seeks Program Manager. This part time (25+ hour) position assumes the oversight of all primary operating responsibilities for Clover Area Assistance Center. Find out more.

Mark your calendars now with the upcoming dates for Lay School: SPRING 2019: MARCH 22-24 and FALL 2019: OCTOBER 11-13

2019 Presbytery Meeting Dates are scheduled for Thursday, March 21 at Oakland Avenue; Sunday, June 23 at Beth Shiloh; and Sunday, October 13 at Bethesda (K)