



FLETCHER

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

Newsletter

August 15, 2024

MEMORIAL - Dr Gene L. Krishingner went to sleep in Jesus quietly at his home on Sabbath, August 10, at the age of 85. He served as a surgeon until 79 years of age. His love for Jesus, his family and people in need made him an outstanding Christian. Please support Gene's family with your love and prayers. A service to honor Gene will be held at the Fletcher Seventh-day Adventist Church on **August 24**, at 3:00 PM. In lieu of flowers donations can be sent either to the Dr. Gene L. Krishingner Sr. Fletcher Academy worthy student fund , 185 Fletcher Academy Dr, Fletcher, NC 28732, or to: LaMountain Ministries, Inc at JenniferLaMountain.com or https://www.paypal.com/donate?hosted_button_id=VUPL32TTKLHF4

CHURCH OFFICE - The church office will be closed **August 20-22**. If you are in need of assistance please email: secretary@fletchersda.org or reach out to Pastor James or Pastor Ivan.

INTERESTED IN SINGING? - The Church Choir, directed by Tim Browning, is looking for all voice parts. Email: music@fletchersda.org with questions.

GRIEF RECOVERY - Seminar will be held at Fletcher Park Inn beginning **August 20**. Six sessions on Tuesdays at 2:00 pm. Contact David White for more information and to register. 828-667-3711

FALL SMALL GROUPS - will be starting approximately **September 8** and will run for six weeks. Sign-ups will be available soon once a list of topics and locations is available. If you are interested in leading or co-leading a group please contact Laura Ashlock by email laura.ashlock@gmail.com or text 704-534-6999

LOST & FOUND - Please check the Lost and Found before **August 24**! Items left after this date will be cleared out. Make sure to stop by and see if anything belongs to you. The lost and found is located in the coat closet on the main floor of the church.

WELCOME TO A NEW LITTLE ONE - Vikki and Danny Voth are the proud parents of their precious little daughter, Annelyse. She was born July 16 and is also welcomed by her 3 brothers and Grandmother, Ginny Soulsby.



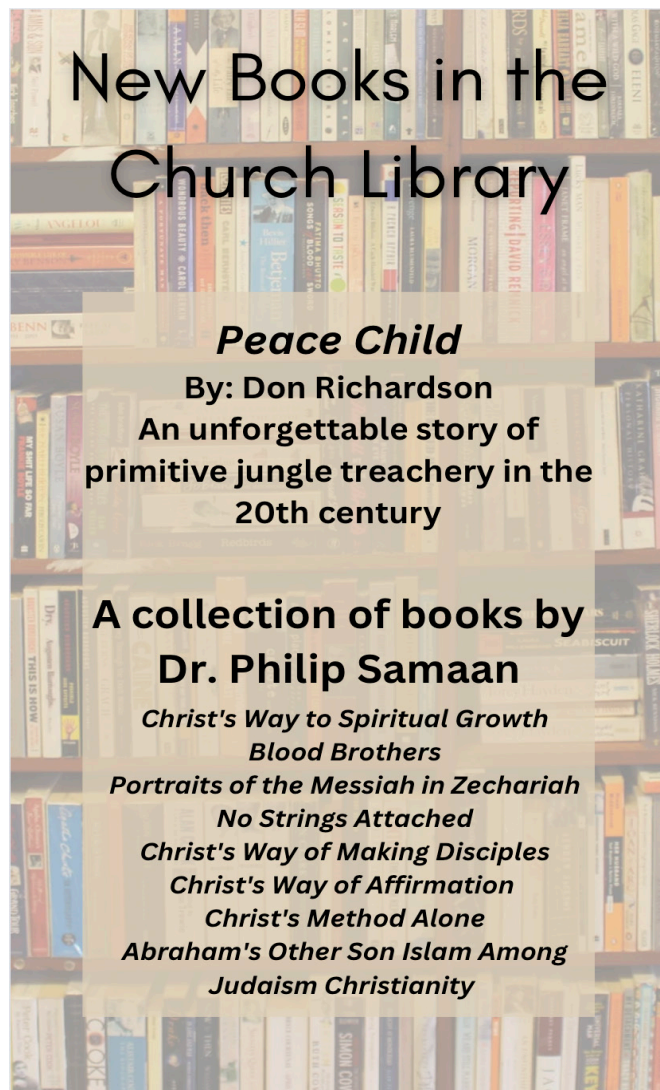


CAPTAN GILMER CHRISTIAN SCHOOL K-8 MEET THE TEACHER DAY - A special evening has been set aside at the school on **August 15**, from 5-7 pm, to meet your child's teacher for the 2024-2025 school year. This is a required event for parents of CGCS students.



PATHFINDER & ADVENTURER NEWS - Our Pathfinder and Adventurer registration will be held on Sunday, **August 18th** from 2-4pm. Registration forms can be picked up at the welcome desk early or on the day of registration. If you are unable to attend registration please complete the necessary forms and drop them off with the church office or with Nate Moretz (Pathfinders) or Leah

Holzenkamp (Adventureres)



New Books in the Church Library

Peace Child

By: Don Richardson

An unforgettable story of primitive jungle treachery in the 20th century

A collection of books by Dr. Philip Samaan

- Christ's Way to Spiritual Growth*
- Blood Brothers*
- Portraits of the Messiah in Zechariah*
- No Strings Attached*
- Christ's Way of Making Disciples*
- Christ's Way of Affirmation*
- Christ's Method Alone*
- Abraham's Other Son Islam Among Judaism Christianity*



The Care Team - We are searching for an energetic HHA/CNA with experience to join The Care Team. We are located inside Fletcher Park Inn. Part time with possible full time hours for the right individual. Lunch & LPC membership included. Please call Kristie at 828-696-6395 to set up interview.

Harvest Time

**Homecoming
October 4-6, 2024**

Friday, October 4, 2024

5:30 pm Register at LPC Fitness Center
6:00 pm Reception - Light Supper and Refreshments
7:30 pm - Evening Vespers, Class of 2024

Sabbath, October 5, 2024

9:30 am - Sabbath School, Class of 1999
10:45 am - Worship Service, Class of 1974
12:30 pm - Fellowship Potluck & Class Pictures
1:30 pm - Nursing Alumni & Honor Class Reunions
3:00 pm - FA Music Concert
4:30 pm - Landmark & Campus Tours
6:30 pm - Candlelight Chapel Vespers, Class of 1984
8:00 pm - Alumni Games

Sunday, October 6, 2024

8:30 am - Breakfast & Alumni Business Meeting



**FLETCHER
ACADEMY**

The worship services for Fletcher Academy Alumni Homecoming will be held in the Lelia Patterson Center. Regular worship services will take place as usual at the Fletcher Church.

PRAYER REQUESTS

If you would like to be added to our prayer list, please speak with one of the pastors or contact the church office during office hours.

You are welcome to join us in praying for the following people:

- Individuals with private needs.
- AdventHealth
- Captain Gilmer Christian School
- Fletcher Academy Ministries Inc.
- Also:
 - Annette Heller, friend of Greg & Connie Peters, cancer diagnosis;
 - Bob & Joyce Osborne
 - Brad Hansen
 - Brexton Fleming, developmental challenges
 - Brittany (Weis) Kinney
 - Carolyn Albarelli*
 - Charlene Jenks Russ, cancer & chemotherapy
 - Cheri Matthews recovery from surgery, her step-father (cancer) & mother
 - Claudia Fleming
 - Clifton Redden
 - Colton Summey
 - Darlene Nash
 - Dave Pendleton's friends
 - Debbie Shaw's friend
 - Dolly Sills, pancreatic cancer, (sister of Don Wetmore)
 - Elaine Myers
 - Elizabeth Culver
 - Ellen Herman, Maria Nudd's mother
 - Esther Novak
 - Eve Conran
 - Gene Wilkie
 - Gene and Anne Krishinger
 - Hayden Brown
 - Hulon, Betty & Gary Wayne Sanders (family of Sharon McGraw)
 - Janis Moore's cousin Debi, brain tumor
 - Jamie Schneider
 - Jim Archer
 - John Campbell
 - Julie C. with kidney failure, and her family for strength & comfort
 - Kathy Sterner's sister-in-law, heart
 - Laurell Peterson
 - Leroy Brown
 - Lorraine Gang, Cancer Treatment
 - Marilyn (cancer) & Tommy Lee
 - Mike Summey
 - Nancy Merz
 - Noreen Harrison (in hospice care) and her children, Lori & Michael
 - Opie Winston
 - Our home-bound members
 - Paula Saunders
 - Radio Station WFHC
 - Robin Fosler, cancer (sister of Tim Browning)
 - Rodney Johnson, (brother of Sarah Huston)
 - Rolene Hanson
 - Shirley Polivka's friends Christine & Jad Davis
 - Shari & Kyrie Ruiz
 - Sharon Brinson
 - Steven Jones, military service
 - Tara Rains and daughter Emilee, family of Kathy Lynch
 - Tim Browning
 - Velda Capps

*New

OTHER NEWS AROUND OUR COMMUNITY



NC MOUNTAIN STATE FAIR - Is being held **September 6 - 15**. Our Seventh-day Adventist community will once again be represented with a booth. Adventist churches within a 30 mile radius of the fairgrounds are especially represented, as well as our world church. With over 190,000 attending the fair annually, it is a wonderful evangelistic opportunity. Thank you for keeping this outreach in your prayers. There are many additional ways to help. If you are able to serve at the booth, please contact Linda Duncan with your availability at 828.606.3088, lindaduncan1@hotmail.com.

The days are divided into 3 and 4 hour shifts, but you are welcome at any time. Here are the operating hours for the fair exhibits:

Fridays, 9/6 & 9/13, 9 am – 10 pm
 Sabbaths, 9/7 & 9/14, 9 am – 10 pm
 Sunday, 9/8, 9 am – 10 pm
 Monday – Thursday, 9/09 – 9/12, 3 pm – 10 pm
 Sunday, 9/15, 9 am – 9 pm

TRIAD MEGA HEALTH CLINIC - Volunteers needed **October 25-28**, in the Greensboro Coliseum. Local Seventh-day Adventist Churches in the Triad area are partnering with AMEN ministries and Pathways to Health to bring dental, eye and medical services to the community for FREE. Primary need is for medical and dental providers. Physicians, NPs, PAs, Nurses, EMTs, Dentists, Dental Hygienists, Optometrists, Ophthalmologists, Social Workers, Mental Health Counselors, Speech therapists, Physical therapists. Also needed: Translators, Greeters, Registration, Barbers/Hairstylists, Massage Therapists, Food Coordinators, Pastors/Chaplains, Child Care, Musicians, Data Entry, Security, Audio/Visual. More info available: amenfreeclinic.org, 336-394-3132.



Mills River Valley
 Presented by: Trace & Company

5K and
10K routes
USATF
Certified

5K, 10K & 1 Mile Doggy Dash

Race Date: Sunday, Sept. 8th @ 8:30 am
 Mills River Park, 124 Town Center Drive, Mills River, NC

Must be registered by
August 18th for
guaranteed Race Shirt



**TRACE
& COMPANY**
EXCAVATION & PAVING

For more info :
Mike Blackwell
828-674-5976



Entry fees:

Registration By	Race Day
Sept 7th (6PM)	
♦ 5K \$35.00	\$40.00
♦ 10K \$45.00	\$50.00
♦ 1-mile Doggy Dash \$18.00 anytime	



Race information and registration-
www.millsrivervalleyrace.org



Proceeds will benefit
 Mills River SDA School &
 Blue Ridge Humane Society

Carolina Conference of Seventh-day Adventists

MEN'S MINISTRY RETREAT



CH. Jorge Torres LTC
English



Pr. Paulino Domingo
Spanish



September 27-29, 2024
Nosoca Pines Ranch

CAROLINA MEN'S RETREAT
2024

Women's Retreat 2024

Nosoca Pines Ranch • Liberty Hill, SC

October 4-6

Unfolding

Unexpected blessings on the horizon...

Hope



Featured Speaker

Lizbeth Pule

Associate Pastor at College Heights
Seventh-day Adventist Church.



Carolina Conference Presents

FAMILY to FAMILY

Be a Lighthouse in Your Neighborhood

October 13
2:00-3:30 P.M.
Virtual Meeting

Empowering families to transform their homes into centers of friendship evangelism, sharing the gospel in their communities.

Scan to Sign Up or visit
www.carolinasda.org

Eric Bates
Director of Family Ministries

IAM INTERFAITH ASSISTANCE MINISTRY

Please leave items for Interfaith in the box in the coat closet near the narthex.

FOOD ITEMS

- Fresh Produce
- 1 lb. bags of rice
- Peanut Butter
- Canned Fruit
- Canned Tuna and Chicken
- Canned Corn
- Canned Mixed Vegetables
- Canned Beans
- Canned Soup
- Canned Diced Tomatoes
- Dry Pasta
- Pasta Sauce
- Low-Sugar Cereal
- Oatmeal
- Applesauce
- Mashed Potatoes
- Crackers, Nuts, Raisins

PERSONAL CARE ITEMS

- Diapers - Sizes 4,5,6 (no pull-ups)
 - Stick Deodorant
 - Shampoo
 - Toothbrushes
 - Razors
 - Baby wipes
- Laundry Detergent

CLOTHING ITEMS

- Towels
- Men's Sneakers and Shoes
- Boys and Girls Bottoms: Size 4-14
- New Underwear sizes 4-14
- New Children's Socks
- Queen and King Blankets
- Boys and Girls Tops: Sizes 4 -14
- Children's Sneakers: Sizes 10-13.5, 1-5, Adults 6-8

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

Friday, August 16	7:30 am 8:16 pm	Praying Together on the Phone, call 425-436-6304 access code 684-0332# Sunset
Sabbath, August 17	9:30 am 10:50 am 12:30 pm 8:16 pm	Sabbath School, all ages, classes listed in bulletin Worship Service, Sanctuary & Livestream, Pastor Ryan Ashlock Potluck, Fellowship Hall, Bliven/O'Connor Team Sunset
Sunday, August 18	7:00 pm 7:30 pm	AA Meeting, Room #118, Kris Wetmore Praying Together on the Phone, call 425-436-6304 access code 684-0332#
Monday, August 19		
Tuesday, August 20	9:00am-1:00 pm 6:30 pm 7:00 pm	Thrift Store, Doelger Drive, Gerald Moretz Finance Committee, Conference Room Church Board Meeting, Conference Room
Wednesday, August 21	6:30 pm 7:00 pm	Mid-week Prayer Service, Sanctuary, Pastor Ivan Blake Bible Study, Room #212, Mitchell Nicholaides
Thursday, August 22	6:45 am 7:00 pm	Men's Bible Study, Conference Room, Pastor Ivan Blake Women's Bible Study, Room 212, Jessica Stout
Friday, August 23	7:30 am 8:07 pm	Praying Together on the Phone, call 425-436-6304 access code 684-0332# Sunset
Sabbath, August 24	9:30 am 10:50 am 2:15 pm 3:00 pm 8:07 pm	Sabbath School, all ages, classes listed in bulletin Worship Service, Sanctuary & Livestream, Pastor Ivan Blake Hiking Club Memorial Service for Dr. Gene Krishinger Sunset

CHURCH BUDGET JULY 2024 - JUNE 2025

YTD through July:

Needed: 34,573.00

Received: 25,882.67

August:

Needed: 34,577.00

Received: 2,317.00

A copy of the Church Budget is available at the desk in the narthex.

You can make contributions online by going to fletchersda.org/give or you can mail your tithe and offering for Fletcher Seventh-day Adventist Church: 1141 Howard Gap Road, Hendersonville, NC 28792



Note: All appeals for funds are to be approved by the Finance Committee.

Send tax deductible donations for WFHC Radio to: PO Box 153, Naples, NC 28760