Church Calendar

Sep	27	10:00 am	Outdoor Service
		11:00 am	Cookout Picnic
Oct	2	5:00 pm	Prep for UMM
			Stew
Oct	3	4:00 pm	UMM Stew
Oct	4	10:00 am	Service in
			Sanctuary
Oct	11	10:00 am	Worship Service
Oct	12	7:00 pm	United Meth
		_	Women
Oct	18	8:00 am	United Meth
			Men
		10:00 am	Worship Service
Oct	25	10:00 am	Worship Service



Outdoor Service Weather

Do you realize we have had NO rain to impact our services over the last several months? Praise God for allowing us to safely join in worship....hot or cold..



Happy Birthday!

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Sep	5	David Mabe			
Sep	6	Michaela Handy			
Sep	7	Jackson Moorefield			
		McKenzie Tilley			
Sep	8	Keith Lawson			
-		Dakota Moorefield			
Sep	10	Jeannette Overby			
Sep	11	Edgar (Tub)Priddy			
Sep	15	Caleb Tilley			
Sep	22	John-Luke Charleville			
Sep	23	Dean Johnson			
Sep	25	Judy Fain			
Sep	29	Amanda Mabe Tilley			
Oct	3	Sondra Frye Parlier			
Oct	12	Joan Glidewell			
		Joel Moorefield			
Oct 13		Doug Fain			
		Faye Mabe			
Oct 15		Stephen Edwards			
		Whitney Overby			
Oct	16	Tyler Wilson			
Oct	19	Karen Handy			
Oct	21	Iris Robertson			
Oct	22	Sherrie Lawson			
		Taylor Moore			
		Mary Wagoner			
Oct	23	Dustin Overby			

Communications
Don't forget to check the website:
www.snowhillumc.org for updates

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Live sermons too!

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From the Pastor

So far, we have made good progress in growing the Kingdom of Heaven. We established a Prayer Team and they are quite active. Members of the Prayer Team are: Sue McGuire, Nolan Lawson, Kim Lawson, Jeanette Overby, Willis Overby, Laura Wilson, Martha Monnet, Charlotte Wall, Judy Cox and



Keith Lawson. Feel free to contact anyone on the Prayer Team with your request. Each Sunday there is a basket up front with prayer request slips and an updated prayer list.

We are still in the process of setting up a library. The shelves have been moved and Faye Mabe and I are working on cataloging the books. There will be a comfortable chair for reading and there will be books and videos available for all age groups. If you have lightly used books that you would like to donate, please contact Faye Mabe (Books must be in good shape and content must be consistent with our Christian faith).

Plans are being developed for us to safely return inside for worship. We will post rules and criteria to be met to allow us to safely go back inside the sanctuary as soon as they are finalized.

I am anxious to start a Bible study group soon. Bible study allows each person attending the chance to participate in discussions and to grow spiritually, enriching their lives in a way regular worship service cannot afford.

I am so grateful for the opportunity to serve as Pastor! Sunday worship is the highlight of my week and I feel so blessed to be back home with my Snow Hill Church family.

Blessings brothers and sisters! May the peace of Christ be with you all.

Rev. Keith Lawson



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Please be aware that it may take time for the pastor to return a phone call if he is working at the hospital with a patient. Please leave your name and number so he can return the call.

Coming Up

UMM Annual Stew Saturday, October 3 at 4pm At Family Life Center (SHAPE)

It is that time of the year – stew in the big pot over an open fire. Mark your calendar now!



The men will "man" the stew overnight for the feast that will begin at 4pm on Saturday. Bring friends and family to enjoy a bowl.

Pints sell for \$6/quart. Great for freezing!

Snow Hill After-School Pupil Enrichment Celebration

On Sunday, August 23rd, we celebrated 20 years of SHAPE. This ministry has guided children in faith as well as providing a service to the community.

Joan Glidewell, the first SHAPE director, and Lisa Mchone, SHAPE director for the past 19 years were recognized for their hard work and dedication. Members showered SHAPE with various supplies during the service.

Our prayers are that this ministry continues and our gratitude is offered to Lisa and Joan for 20 successful years!

PLANS TO MOVE INSIDE October 4 - 10am

After many months outside, it is time to come inside. We will require masks, social distance, and adjust some of our practices to keep everyone safe and healthy. Please find the handout or check the church website for specifics.

If you are not comfortable coming inside, feel free to stay home and participate via online Facebook. This is not intended to make anyone uncomfortable.



Children Church Update

Since we have not been able to meet since March, we wanted to let the kids know we are thinking of them and miss being with them. About 20 backpacks were delivered to their home. The deliveries generated beautiful smiles.

Yard Sale was GREAT SUCCESS!!

All the hard work paid off especially after we gave control to GOD! Over \$3500 was raised to support our community over the next year.

In spite of covid-19, no school traffic, high chance of heavy rains, etc., the yard sale had great attendance. Customers are constantly amazed at the volume of items. Your generous giving to others is what makes that possible. People were personally touched by special finds and ability to purchase personal items or gifts. We worked hard while we shared lots of laughter. We strived to make each "customer" feel welcomed and safe. Some had not been out on a shopping spree for a long time. The baked goods were delicious and did not last long at all!

We were also able to "pass it on" with donation of items to King Habitat for Humanity, Stokes County Dept of Social Services, SHAPE, and group that supports Alzheimer's patients.





THANKS TO EVERYONE WHO HAD A PART!!





A year to remember - Masks "of all kinds" were worn





men who pitched in!