

NC Presbyterian Pilgrimage News

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At Camp Hanes

Presbyterian Pilgrimage #89 Feb. 12-15

"A Gift from God"
NCPP #89
February 12-15, 2008
Camp Hanes

Rector:

Jim Booe

Head Cha:

Kim Dawson

Observing Rector:

Susan Bays

Pastors:

Jim Rissmiller (Head Pastor)

Bob Sharman

Doug Brinkley

Mary McNeil

Chapel Chas:

Lenwood Collins (Head)

Cheri Swerbinsky

Russ McNeil

Cynthia Michael

Music Chas:

Russ Reighley (Head)

Mary Jo Dryden

Joe Fleming

Chris Johnson

Mary Pat Reese

Phil Bennett

Palanca Chas:

Karen Collins (Head)

Tom O'Dell

Carrie Hanneman

Rollo Room Chas:

Debbie Stubbs (Head)

Keith Dawson (floater)

Barry Wetzal

Lara Hensley

Leslie Johnson

Stuart Hunt

Nancy Long

Scott Greene

Table Facilitators:

Marcia Reighley

Nancy Farmer

Caryn Coley

Ron Simpson

George Davidson

Speakers:

Brenda Madden Ideals

Pat Hall Laity

Jeane Batten Piety

Susan Wardlaw Study

Hal McElroy Action

Sue Moore Leaders

Randy Welfare Environment

Rose Gaiser CCIA

Fourth Day Contact:

Melinda Thomas

Fourth Day Talk:

Helen & Carl Phillips

Outside Chas:

David Stubbs (Head)

Susan Wetzal

Mary Susan Miller

Lew Thomas

Caroline Howerton

Jan Parker

Kitchen Chas:

Lori Johnson (Head)

Steve Earp

John Tyson

Durwin Denny

Kathy Riggs

Karen Francis

Mary Ann Smith

Eric Long

Stokes Ann Hunt

Pam Simpson

Escort/Table Facilitator Chas:

Jennie Maness (Head)

Denise Booe (E-cha)

David Farmer

From the Rector:

Dear 4th Day Community,

I have been blessed to be called as the Rector for Pilgrimage 89 on February 12-15 at Camp Hanes. We've already had two team meetings and our team is working hard towards being ready for the guest's arrival.

The Scripture for this weekend is Ephesians 2:8 "by grace you have been saved...it is the gift of God." The grace I received from God and the team of Cursillo #13 has been a true blessing in my life and has brought me to a closer relationship with my brother Jesus.

We ask for your involvement by praying for the guest and team over the next month, sponsoring a guest, signing up for the prayer banner, joining us for the serenade, or helping with the 4th day pack up and closing.

Peace my brothers and sisters in Christ,

Jim Booe

NC PRESBYTERIAN
PILGRIMAGE #89



"by grace you have been saved...it is the gift of God"

Ephesians 2:8



NC Pilgrimage #89 Guest List

Name	Church	Sponsor
Haley Booe	Grace Covenant Pres	Jim/Denise Booe
Nicole Strachan	King's Park International Church	Susan Miller
Anna Bays	Adams Farm Community Church	Susan Bays
Krista Hannah	Jamestown Presbyterian	David/Nancy Farmer
Fred Hannah	Jamestown Presbyterian	David/Nancy Farmer
Carl Utley	Oak Ridge Presbyterian	Mary/Russ McNeal
Jennifer Quinones	Grace Evangelical Free, Lynchburg, VA	Carrie Hanneman
Randy Scull	North Point Community, Alpharetta, GA	Kathy Riggs
Joy Easter	First Baptist, King, NC	Durwin Denny
Patty Cone	Jamestown Presbyterian	Mary Beth Sharman
Steve Cone	Jamestown Presbyterian	Pam Werstlein
Dana McLeroy	First Presbyterian, Reidsville, NC	Stokes Ann Hunt
Doug McLeroy	First Presbyterian, Reidsville, NC	Stokes Ann Hunt
John Odom	Starmount Presbyterian	Marilyn Tyson
Dianna Wright	Salem Presbytery, Clemmons	Mack Dagenhart
Kathy Hilton	Christ UMC, Greensboro, NC	Mary Susan Miller
Wes McCracken	First Presbyterian, Winston Salem, NC	Randy Welfare
Mary Jane Southard	St. Peter's Catholic, Plymouth, MA	John Southard
Joel Phipps	Centenary UMC, Greensboro	Eric Long
Roberta Phipps	Centenary UMC, Greensboro	Nancy Long

Editor's note: The above list contains guests who had registered for the Pilgrimage through January 31. An updated list will be sent out as needed.



Please Note: Each Pilgrim is responsible for updating his or her own information and newsletter distribution preferences in the Pilgrimage on-line directory. As you move around or change address (email or snail mail) please update the directory. This ensures that we can stay in touch with you!

PRAY for the Pilgrimage

Sign up for the Prayer
Banner at:

www.prayerbanner.org

Or Contact

Cindi and Mike Maynard
336-288-3820
maynardqso@aol.com

From the Moderator

If you are reading this newsletter, it probably means that you have selected to keep the NCPP database (web site) current as far as your e-mail or snail-mail address is concerned. It also means that you are interested or curious as to what is happening with North Carolina Presbyterian Pilgrimage here in the Piedmont. Those are both good things!

We are beginning the year with some changes in membership of the Piedmont Leadership Conference. Alesia Pendleton will take over as Vice Moderator, replacing Jennie Maness who taken on the new position of Documentation Chairman. Rhonda Dausman takes over as the Newsletter Editor, replacing Lou Hodges. Tom Hamlin will replace Lenwood Collins on the Leadership Committee; Cindi and Mike Maynard will replace Bonnie Meese as Palanca Chairman and Paige Ysteboe will take over Reunion, replacing Melinda Thomas.

Many thanks to all those who have served so well these past years, and many thanks to those who are coming on for the willingness to give time and energy.

At the present time, there are twenty-three persons serving on the NCPP Leadership Conference (Piedmont). They work together to handle the various aspects of the Pilgrimage movement, from 'Pre-Pilgrimage' (Leadership, outreach, registration, newsletter), the 'Pilgrimage Weekend' (Documentation, music, serenade, palanca, operations) and 'Post-Pilgrimage (Fourth Day, reunion, web site). In 2009, the Piedmont Leadership Conference members and their general areas of responsibility are:

Leadership – Jim Mason, Caroline Martin, Tom Hamlin; nominates rectors and persons to fill open positions on the Leadership Conference and provides mentoring for rectors.

Music – Mari Jo Dryden; applies for permissions to use music on weekends and handles weekend music related issues.

Reunion – Paige Ysteboe; works toward maintaining high interest in reunion groups, forming new groups, etc.

Pastors – Jim Rissmiller and Mark Brainerd; provides spiritual guidance and advice to the Leadership Conference.

Fourth Day – David and Nancy Farmer; prepares and makes sure the guests 'Fourth Day Packet' information is current, plans and leads Ultreyas.

Serenade – Frankie and Gene Taylor; handles weekend serenade arrangements, announcements, etc.

Palanca – Cindi and Mike Maynard; gathers names, prints and assembles the weekend prayer banner.

Operations – Russ McNeal and Mike Pendleton; makes sure weekend supplies and materials are delivered to Camp Hanes and stored afterwards.

Registrar – Pat Turner; accepts and processes all guest registration information, sends letters to guests and sponsors.

Newsletter – Rhonda Dausman; gathers newsletter information, designs, assembles and distributes both printed and e-copy formats.

Outreach – Wilson Davis; meets with churches in the area to introduce Pilgrimage and encourage their participation.

Web Site – Rich Blakemore; maintains the NCPP data base and designs and maintains the NCPP web site (ncpilgrimage.org).

Documentation – Jennie Maness; Updates and maintains all Pilgrimage weekend associated documentation (e.g. rector's information, manuals, Pilgrim's Guide, etc.).

Secretary – Lori Johnson; records and distributes minutes of Leadership Conference (Piedmont) meetings.

Vice Moderator – Alesia Pendleton; chairs Leadership Conference meetings in the absence of the Moderator.

Moderator – Bill Wardlaw; chairs the Leadership Conference meetings.

Leadership Conference members telephone numbers and e-mail addresses can be found on the web site (ncpilgrimage.org).

We are looking forward to 2009, and pray that you all enjoy a blessed and peaceful New Year!

Bill Wardlaw - Moderator

National Council News (continued from Oct. newsletter)

Jim Mason presented an update on the reworked web-based directory. The Peaks PP (VA) has submitted their directory data in the "template" format that is needed for inclusion. That process is underway, and the new program will be tested soon using the PPP and NCPP data. The national council will pay up to \$1200 for this upgrade, and NCPP and PPP have agreed to pay up to \$400 each. Communities wishing to be included will be charged \$10/mo for web hosting (NCPP is already paying that amount.) Each community's directory will be interactive with each others.

A budget was developed and adopted for the coming year. It was noted during the Treasurer's report that the bank balance shrunk by \$2,000 this past year. It was decided to reinstitute the sending of reminders to the local communities about funding for the National Council. These would be mailed a few weeks before each meeting. If this doesn't resolve the problem, it may be necessary to raise the "expected payment" levels.

Jim Mason was elected to a 2-year term as Moderator. Jim has represented NC Presbyterian Pilgrimage (NCPP) to the National Council since its founding in 1999 and has served on several of its committees. The Council meets twice annually in various locations where there are Presbyterian Pilgrimage or Presbyterian Cursillo communities to act as hosts. There are currently 23 such groups in 16 states. NCPP has hosted the meeting twice and is scheduled organize the March, 2010, meeting.

Here are Key Dates, Times For Pilgrimage #89

Here are several key dates and times to remember in regard to Pilgrimage #89 at Camp Hanes Feb. 12-15.

Send off: Feb. 12 at 6:30 p.m.

**Serenade: Feb. 14 at 5:30 p.m.
(covered dish)**

Closing: Feb. 15, 4 p.m.

Emergency Contact For weekend #89:

**Lew & Melinda Thomas
Home# 336-282-7476
Cell# 336-706-3622
Cell# 336-706-2995**

**MCCLESKEYS TO LEAD
4TH DAY RETREAT ON FORGIVENESS
TRINITY CENTER**

APRIL 16-19, 2009

Dr. Lawrence McCleskey, recently retired Bishop of the Western North Carolina conference of the United Methodist Church, and his wife, Margaret Fowler McCleskey, will lead the next 4th Day Retreat on "Forgiveness" at the Trinity Center on April 16-19, 2009.

Lawrence McCleskey began his career as a passionate and caring pastor in the United Methodist Church in 1966 and rose through the ranks to become a nationally recognized Bishop.



Kitchen: Lori Johnson

Plastic tablecloths/ place-mats/napkins

- Black**
- White**
- Purple**
- Green**
- Silver**
- Yellow**

Party (Celebration)

2 round red plastic table-cloths

Mardi Gras items

Valentine items

Roosters (anything)

Tennis items

Pilgrimage Web Address

For assorted Pilgrimage information

www.ncpilgrimage.org

Calendar of Coming Events

<i>Event</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>Leader</i>
Pilgrimage #89	Feb. 12-15	Camp Hanes	Jim Booe
Pilgrimage #90	March 19-22	Camp Dixie	Rob Price
Pilgrimage #91	March 26-29	Camp Harrison	Jodi Briner
4th Day Retreat	April 16-19	Trinity Retreat Center, Salter Path	
Pilgrimage #92	May 17-20	Camp Hanes	TBA
Pilgrimage #93	September 24-27	Camp Harrison	Cindi Hoffner
Pilgrimage # 94	October 8-11	Camp Hanes	Larry Hooker
Pilgrimage #95	November 5-8	Camp Dixie	Lauren Blashford



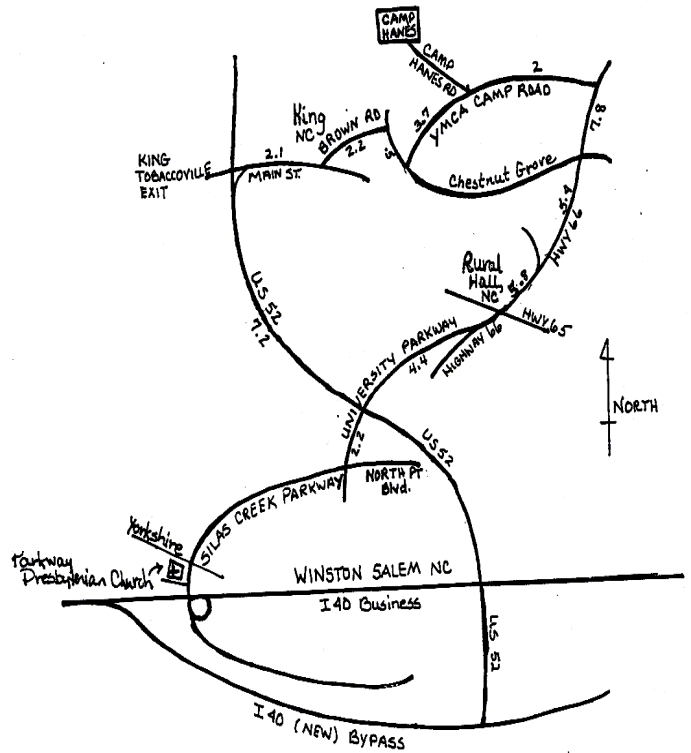
Ultreya!

**Centenary United Methodist Church
Greensboro, N.C.
Saturday, Feb. 28, 5:30-8:30 p.m.**

Centenary UMC is on Friendly Ave. near Friendly Shopping Center, and across the street from Wesley Long Hospital.

From Winston-Salem: Take exit 214B off of I-40 onto Wendover Ave.; turn right and head toward town. Follow Wendover for 4 miles and take the Friendly Ave. exit onto N. Lindell Rd. Go .3 miles. Turn right onto W. Friendly Ave. Go .1 miles. Centenary is on your left.

Map To Camp Hanes



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