

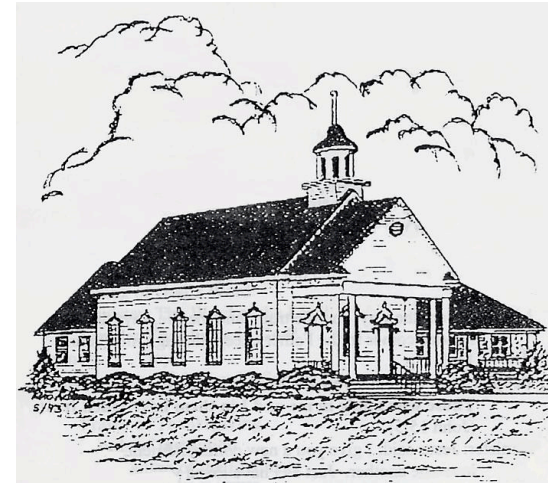
Croatan Presbyterian Church



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Sunday, The Lord's Day March 12, 2017



The mission of Croatan Presbyterian Church is to be a witness to Christ in its life, its outreach, its service, Friendship Pad in your pew. A nursery is provided during the worship service

SUNDAY SCHOOL – Come and be a part of our **Sunday School**. Our goal is biblical literacy. Coffee at 9:15, Class 9:30, Assembly 10:30. Nursery/Preschool - Childcare Provider; Children's Class – Martha Hardison; Youth Class – Josh Ridgway; Adult Class – Rich Boyd.

Announcements

TODAY: 9:30 AM - Sunday School The food emphasis for February is hot cereals (oatmeal, grits)
11:00 AM – Worship All donated will go to RCS.
12:30 PM – Second Sunday Youth Website: www.croatanpresbyterian.com
Like us on Facebook (Croatan Presbyterian Church)

Thursday: 6:30 PM – Presbyterian Men

The new Directories of church members are here: Please see Cathy or Rich.

Mark your calendars: Vacation Bible School is July 23-27, 2017. For all children, youth, and adults.

The food emphasis for RCS this month is canned fish/meat.

Budgeted (10 weeks) \$13,850

Attendance Last Sunday – 80
Food Items given to date for RCS – 142
Joy Gift Offering - \$145

Given (10 weeks) \$13,143

Total Given for Special Assistance to Date -\$250
Clothing & Items given to date for RCS – 321
Blanket Sunday - \$335

PRAYER LIST

Church Family:	Helen Boyd	Mary McManus	Jenny Clay	Ruth Andersen	Louise Wisniewski
	Joe/Judith Chance	Doris Ambrose	Dorothy Seals	Bonny Cates	Gladys Lewis
	Mindy Moore	Henry Gaskins	Sylvia Potter		

Military:	David Shirk	Christian Smith	Brian Gooch	Jose Perez	Shane Brunelle
	Andrew Grumbein	Joe Mitchell	David Huckabone		

Friends:	Steve Bennett	Pat Macumber	Robert Robinson	Leonard Chesnutt	Alan Garner
Olivia Blackburn	Joe Goodwin	Belen Chenervert	Melinda Bell	John Hicks	Alex Santos
Catherine Baptist	Idell Dockins	Linda/Calvin/Chris	Josephine Holbrook	Vern Goodwin	Lois Martin
Natsuko Morrow	John A. Boyd	Bernitas Bridges	Sophia Nelson	Barbara Mills	Andrew Scholtice
Theresa Goodwin	Joan Wilkinson	William Tumberland	Sandra Hoell	Marg. Williams Fam.	Steve Zachewicz
Mark Best	Crystal Collins	Bill Brewster	Ben Moore	Jerry Golden	Dale Ainsworth Fam.
Geoff Collins	Jim Pines	Allen Monroe	Martha Jordan	Stacy Sharpellette	Krause Family.
Matthew Hopkins	Joanie Barnhill	Jim Hines	Michelle Cleland	Jessica Esguerra	Teresa Spiece

CHURCH SESSION

CLASS OF 2017	Chris Williams	Greg Golden			
	John Trudo	Sylvia Potter			

CLASS OF 2018	Nancy Zachewicz	Zan Monroe			
	Brandee Ridgway	James Chance			

Class of 2019	Barb Kreemar				
	Joe T. Chance				

Cradle and Preschool Roll: Ella Ridgway Cypress Rose Brunelle Cayman Shane Brunelle Collins Rae Corey
Quenton Huckabone Holden Huckabone Avaleigh Michelle Huckabone Chapin Smith Brantly Smith

School Students

Josh Anderson	Cailee Anderson	Anna Chance	Tori Chance	Emily Chance	Katie Chance
Samantha Clark	Ryan Connor	D.J. Eborn	Nate Edwards	Samuel Wentz	Chris Gehrki
Brian Gooch	Brittany Hall	Jamie Hardison	Lana Hardison	Hunter Hardison	Otter Hardison
Joshua Hardison	Jordan Harraden	Lil Kreemar	Trey Martin	Audrey Morden	Clare Morden
Evan Morden	Abigail Oliver	Catherine Oliver	Mason Oliver	Alexis Queen	Breanna Ridgway
Charity Boyd	Amber Elliott	Emma Hull	Brook Hull	Samantha Hull	Jacob Hull
Alexis Giannettino	Nick McDaniel				

Child Care Providers Jennifer Gooch, Sandra Chance (Sundays, 9:15 am – 12:15 pm)

Youth Leaders: James/Sandra Chance; Brandi Smith; David Huckabone; Mark Kreemar; Rich Boyd

Children's Coordinator: Kim Trudo **Church Cleaner:** Sylvia Williams

Administrative Assistant: Cathy Pike **Music Director/Pianist:** Bonny Choo **Pastor:** The Rev. Dr. Richard C. Boyd

Greeters Today – Dan/Linda Brinkworth	Next Week – Mitch Wooten/Greg Golden
Ushers Today – Curtis/Dottie Litchfield	Next Week – Nancy Zachewicz/Cathy Pike
Nursery Today – Jen Gooch	Next Week – Sandra Chance
Children's Church Today: Kim Trudo	Next Week – Emily Chance

Worship Leader for March: Benny Williams

Meal Team This Week: Team #1 (J/K Hardison; M/M Hardison; J Hardison/C Miller; R/K Hardison; T/J Hardison)

Meal Team Next Week: Team #2 (E/SMarquez; CPike; J/KTrudo; SPotter; C/PHarrison; Z/GMonroe)

March Birthdays: 3rd-Brenda Golden; 4th-Joan Weeks; 11th-Regina Eborn; 13th-Brittany Hall; 14th-Tom Hardison; 27th-Kim Trudo; 31st-Wanda Gaskins.

March Anniversaries:

The Service of Worship for the Lord's Day

*As we gather for worship, each one is invited to greet those who worship with them
and to pray in silence in preparation for the worship of God.*

Collect for the second Sunday in Lent: *God of mercy, you are full of tenderness and compassion, slow to anger, rich in mercy, and always ready to forgive. Grant us grace to renounce all evil and to cling to Christ, that in every way we may prove to be your loving children, through Jesus Christ Our Lord. Amen.*

Prelude

Choral Call To Worship

“Lord, I Lift Your Name On High”

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

Candle Lighting

Congregational Response – No. 107

“Lord, I Lift Your Name On High”

Call to Worship and Prayer of Invocation

Leader: *Is not this the fast I choose: to loose the bonds of injustice;*

People: *to share your bread with the hungry;*

Leader: *to bring the homeless poor into your house;*

People: *when you see the naked, to clothe them?*

Leader: *Then your light shall break forth like the dawn,*

People: *and your healing shall spring up quickly.* (Isaiah 58:6-8)

Prayer of Invocation: *God of all times and places, in Jesus Christ, lifted up on the cross, you opened for us the path to eternal life. Grant that we, being born again of water and the Spirit, may joyfully serve you in newness of life and faithfully walk in your holy ways. Now we ask you to come among us as we worship you and offer our prayers in Jesus' name, he who taught us to pray saying . . . Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever.*

***Hymn No. 11**

“Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”

The Morning Offering: *Give as you have made up your mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. (2 Corinthians 9:7)*

Offertory

***Doxology - No. 815**

***Prayer of Dedication**

***Hymn No. 656**

“Take Time To Be Holy”

A Time for the Children: As they enter and leave, please join in singing vs. one of Hymn 719, **“Children Of The Heavenly Father”** (vs. 4)

WE PLACE OUR LIVES INTO GOD'S HANDS

Prayers of the People

Sharing Our Prayer Concerns

Prayer of Confession (unison): *Lord of all, we worship you this day in honesty and truth. The truth is that we worship you as an imperfect people, beset upon by the contradictions that define our worldly lives. We want to trust you, but find ourselves questioning you when things don't please or serve us. We want to love others, but give in to feelings of vengeance and jealousy. We want to serve others as Christ has served us, but find ourselves with limited visions of what true service might mean. Our need for your renewing Spirit is great each day, Lord God. So we confess and so we ask, through Jesus Christ our Lord.*

Silent Prayers

Pastoral Prayer (Minister)

Congregational Response – No. 641

“Hear Our Prayer, O Lord”

WE LISTEN FOR GOD'S WORD

Anthem

“When We Are Living”

Scripture Lesson

Hebrews 6:1-8

Sermon

“On Being Conformed To The Image Of Christ”

Dr. Boyd

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Invitation and Prayer of Thanksgiving

Words of Institution and Distribution of the Elements

***Affirmation of Faith – The Apostles' Creed** (inside front cover)

***Gloria Patri – No. 813**

WE GO FORTH IN FAITH

***Hymn No. 676**

“O Jesus, I Have Promised”

***Charge to the Congregation** (Minister): *Whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God through him. (Colossians 3:17)*

***Benediction**

***Choral Benediction – No. 58**

“Bless the Lord, O My Soul”

**Stand as you are able.*