



STAYING IN TOUCH... HAPPENINGS WITHIN OUR COMMUNITY OF FAITH

Steve's Corner

Jesus' main subject was the kingdom of God, and his favorite way of preaching about the kingdom of God was in parables. This week we will consider the parable of the wedding feast in Matthew 22:1-14. It has a jarring ending in Matthew's telling off the story, verses 11-14. Did it belong to Jesus' original telling of the story? The title is "Come to the Feast". It is a good text for communion Sunday. Come join us at the table this week.

A Special thanks goes out to Steve for another Awesome Davis Lecture Series.

"The sole aim of the church is the increase in the love of God and neighbor."

Calendar

Wednesday

7:00pm - Choir Rehearsal

Sunday

9:00am - Church Conference

10:00am - Sunday School

11:00am - Worship-Communion

Contact us at gracestatesville@gmail.com or visit us at www.gracestatesville.org.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Those who have lost loved ones:

*Barbara Holyfield family,
Sue Marshall Tomlin family.*

Those who are sick:

Maureen Snoddy.

Our friends on homebound:

*Mary Alice Woods,
Tressie Starrette,
Nellie Grant, Ernie Hendrix,
Mary Ruth Godfrey,
Rosemary Rector, Ernestine
Lanford, Barbara Robinson,
Mary Jean Grose,
Beecher Grose.*

Those issues close to us:

*Las Vegas Massacre, Hurricane,
Earthquake and Wild fire victims,
homeless children, our nations
immigrants, Josue Salvador.
Paxton West.*

*Those facing tough times,
those who are mentally ill, those
who are affected by violence, those
who are incarcerated.*

*In our community and in our
world: Children who are a part of
the Guardian ad Litem program,
local law enforcement officers and
fire fighters.*

Those in the military:

*Molly Murphy, Greg West, Josh
Wingfield, James Pulliam, Mark
Staley, Adam Ivey, Austin Frutig,
Zach Spoor, Mary Jane Johnson,
Travis Clower, Logan Frutig,
Caleb Sisk.*

NEW PRAYER REQUESTS

CELEBRATIONS:

Birthdays:

16 - Brandon Tilley
20 - Tom Wiberg
20 - Keri Rawls
21 - Kevin Angell

Anniversaries:

18 - John and Melissa Hendrix

*John and LeAnda Barnard
welcomed a new grandson on
Monday morning.
Grady Linston Adams.
Layne, Forrest, Ben and baby
are all doing well.*

*The youth raised \$605.00
for the Alzheimer's Walk.*

CONCERNS:

Dalton Edwards' family.

Billie Bourgeois.



UPCOMING EVENTS	SCRIPTURE FOR THE WEEK
<p><i>Carolina BalloonFest</i> <i>Starts this Friday afternoon,</i> <i>October 20.</i></p>	<p>Matthew 22: 1-14</p>
<p>October 22~ <i>Church conference. 9:00am</i> <i>Discussion and voting on 2018</i> <i>Budget.</i></p>	<p>SUNDAY'S SERMON <i>COME TO THE FEAST</i></p>
<p>***Date Change*** October 28~ <i>Fall Church cleanup. 9:00am</i> <i>Donuts provided.</i></p>	<p>BUDGET</p> <p>Needed year to date: \$69,899.34 Received year to date: \$82,557.99 Over budget: \$12,658.65 Weekly needs: \$1664.27</p>
<p>October 29~ <i>Amy Freeze with Habitat for</i> <i>Humanity will be our guest</i> <i>speaker.</i></p>	<p>WEEKLY ASSIGNMENTS</p> <p>Church Maintenance Angell</p>
<p><i>The Restore truck will also be</i> <i>on site.</i></p>	<p>WORSHIP LEADER Diane Hamby</p>
<p>November 4~ <i>Halloween Town does</i> <i>Taste of Grace with a</i> <i>Scary Table Contest</i> <i>And much more!!!!</i></p>	<p>WORSHIP READER Lisa Wardo</p>
<p>November 5~ <i>Daylight Savings Time Ends.</i> <i>Set your clocks back 1 hour.</i></p>	<p>Second Hour Helpers John Koppelmeyer and Phyllis Rogers. Alt. Nancy Davis</p>

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