

**Answer Man!**

**Have Questions?** Each week we look forward to answering your questions and giving readers a snapshot of how CPC is doing. Please email your questions to [jjohnson7190@nc.rr.com](mailto:jjohnson7190@nc.rr.com).

**Finance Snapshot through 09/06/2009**

**Week 36 of CPC's fiscal year**

**Total Giving for the Week:** \$13,864      **YTD Income:** \$574,906      **2009 Budget:** \$805,429

**YTD Attendance 2008—** 15,850      **YTD Attendance 2009—** 15,258

**Attendance**                      9:00 –143                      11:00— 228

**Time and Talents Received to Date:** 161

**Stewardship mission statement**

- In grateful response to God's grace, goodness,
- and gifts, our stewardship reflects how we can
- best serve as disciples of Christ.

**Stewardship Moment:** Stewardship is nothing less than a complete life-style, a total accountability and responsibility before God. Stewardship is what we do after we say we believe, that is, after we give our love, loyalty and trust to God, from whom each and every aspect of our lives comes as a gift. As members of God's household, we are subject to God's economy or stewardship, that is, God's plan to reconcile the whole word and bring creation to its proper end.

**Answer Man:**

**Question:** I note that to date 161 Time & Talent questionnaires have been turned in. How many were sent out originally? How does this number relate to that old adage that 20% of a congregation does 80% of the volunteering in a church.

**Answer:** The number of Time & Talent questionnaires sent out was 670. Doing the math it does seem like 24% of our members volunteer. However, reality tells us that we at CPC are blessed with many members who generously give of their time and talents.

**Ministers — The Congregation Staff**

**Rod Stone**  
Pastor, Head of Staff, ext. 12

**Jim Ewing**  
Associate Pastor, ext. 13

**Homer Phifer**  
Parish Associate

**Betty Pope**  
Director of Christian  
PAWS and Youth, ext. 19

**Terri Sinclair**  
Music Director  
690-7217

**Betty Upchurch**  
Music Associate  
690-5080

**Sally Raynor**  
Office Manager  
Ext. 14

**Davina Kuhn**  
Financial Secretary  
Ext. 11

**Margie Nick**  
Office Assistant, Trumpet Editor &  
Facilities Coordinator, ext. 10

**Mary Watts**  
Office Assistant

**Al Davis**  
Property Manager

**Gerlene Cotton**  
Nursery Attendant

**Please call the church office (295-6848) if you are scheduled for a hospital procedure. If there is an emergency after office hours, you may contact Rev. Rod Stone at 255-6063.**

**September 13, 2009**

**Welcome Visitors!** It is our privilege to have you worship with us today and we sincerely hope that you receive a blessing from the services.

Please sign the Ritual of Friendship pad in your pew and also complete a Visitor Information card so that we can follow up with your visit.

We invite you to introduce yourself to a minister at the end of the service. If our church staff can serve you in any way, please call the church office.

**Services for the Lord's Day**

9:00      Worship in the Sanctuary

10:00      Education for all ages

11:00      Worship in Fellowship Hall

**Lectionary Readings for September 20, 2009**

Proverbs 31:10-31; Psalm 1

James 3:13-4:3, 7-8a; Mark 9:30-37

Online at [www.pcusa.org/devotions/lectionary/](http://www.pcusa.org/devotions/lectionary/)

**CPC Mission Statement**

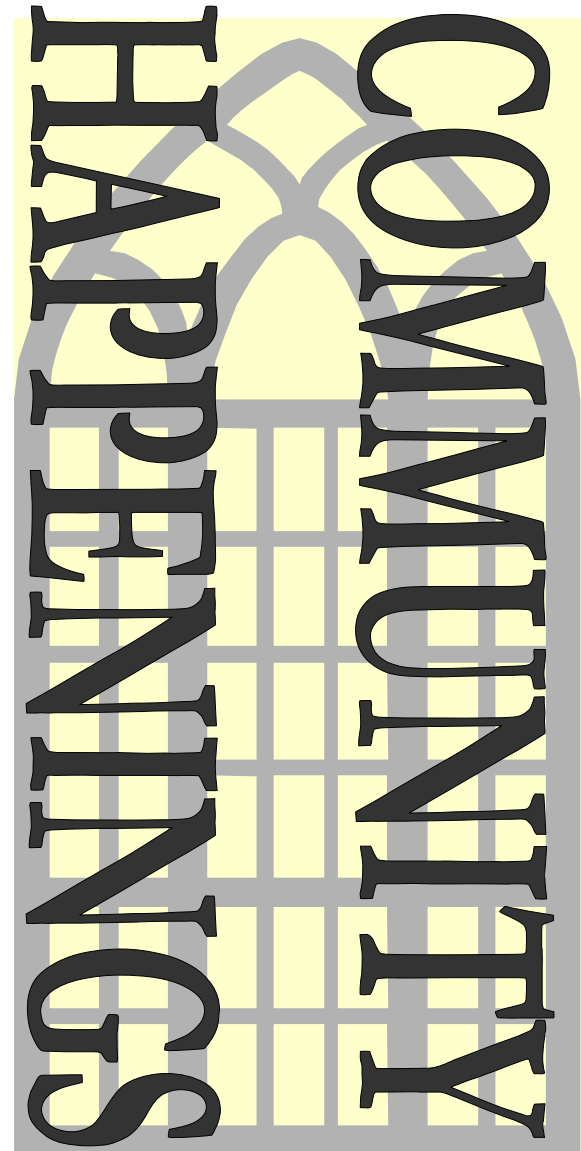
- We exist not for ourselves but to love God and make God's love known.

**CPC Vision Statement**

- We are called to be a community intentional about making disciples of Christ.

**WE ARE A STEPHEN MINISTRY CHURCH**

Do you know a member of CPC who is hurting? Tell them about our Stephen Ministry. Tell Rod Stone. Perhaps a Stephen Minister can help. Contact Rev. Rod Stone 295-6848, Trudy Koeze 295-3076 or Sheila Van Dyke 215-8738.



**Community Presbyterian Church**

PO Box 1449, Pinehurst, NC 28370

**OFFICE HOURS:**

**8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday –Thursday**

**8:30 a.m. to 1:00 Friday**

Church office # 910-295-6848 Fax: 910-295-7339

[www.cpcpinehurst.org](http://www.cpcpinehurst.org)

Presbytery of Coastal Carolina: [www.presbycc.org](http://www.presbycc.org)

### Rooms Assigned

A—Abraham      CCR—Chancel Choir Room  
 CR—Conference Room    EH—Everette House  
 FGP—Fannie Gray Parlor    FH—Fellowship Hall  
 S—Sanctuary      SC—Sarah Classroom  
 SP—Simpson Parlor      VV—Victory Village  
 L—Library      N—Nursery

### Weekly Calendar

September 13—September 19

**Sunday:** 12:15 Genesis Lunch  
 4:30 Youth Fellowship/Loft  
**Monday:** 2:00 Brownies/CR  
 5:15 Designing Women/EH  
 7:00 Barbershop/FH  
**7:30 Christian Nurture/EH**  
**Tuesday:** 7:00 Men's Prayer Breakfast/Off Campus  
 8:30 Classical Conversations/VV  
**10:00 Staff/EH**  
 1:00 Counters/FGP  
 2:00 Prayer Ministry/SP  
 3:00 CALL/FH  
**4:00 Endowment/FGP**  
 7:00 Stephen Ministry/CR  
 7:00 Disciple/EH  
**Weds.:** **9:00 MOPS/**  
 9:30 WOW/EH  
 12:30 Disciple/CR  
**4:00 Finance Committee/CR**  
 7:00 Prayer Shawl/EH  
 7:00 Boy Scouts Troop 7/FH  
 7:00 Disciple/EH  
**Thurs.:** 2:30 PAWS/EH/CCR  
 5:00 Church Dinner/FH  
 5:30 Study Hall/L  
 5:30 Adult Choir Rehearsal/CCR  
 6:00 Ten Commandments/FH  
 6:00 Youth Hot Hang Out Thurs./Loft  
 7:00 Disciple/CR  
**Friday:** 12:00 Classical Conversations/CR  
**Sat.:** 8:30 Leadership School/Off Campus  
 7:00 Family Movie Night/VV

The **Fifty Plus Lunch Bunch** will not meet in September because of Genesis Sunday.

**Robert Simons**, Air Force veteran will be presented the Silver Star at 2:00 p.m. today at the Pinehurst Trace Clubhouse for heroic action in WWII. All are welcome to come to the presentation for Bob.

There will be a **luncheon for prospective new members** on Sunday, September 20th at 12:15 in the conference room. Please call the church office (295-6848) if you would like to attend.

### Salt & Pepper Dinner Get Togethers

Would you like to get to know better the members of our church, more than just a hello on Sundays. If so, you may be interested in our Salt & Pepper Dinner Groups. Each group consists of four couples meeting four times during the church year for dinner. We also meet all together in the fall, Christmas and during the summer. If you have questions or would like to sign up, please call Pam Hylton (295-2896) or Sue Robinson (295-5065).

There will be a **Family Promise** training workshop for all volunteers that have interaction with Family Promise guests. This is mandatory as of 2007. This session, led by Susan Bellew, executive director of Family Promise, will be held at CPC on Sunday, September 20 at 2:00 p.m. and will last about an hour.

**The 2 Cents A Meal** collection will be received **today**. The monies collected will provide an opportunity for CPC to share God's love with hungry people in great need. Sixty percent of our collection will go to underdeveloped nations to feed their hungry, and forty percent will be distributed locally to agencies most in need. **2 Cents a Meal** amounts to \$1.80 a month for one person, multiplied by the number of people in the household. Members of the Mission Committee will be at church exits after the service to aid with collection. Thank you for responding with gifts that will help provide sustenance and hope to people with saddened lives.

**Caregivers** will meet on Sunday, October 4th at 6:00 p.m. at the home of Craig and Lynne Phifer. RSVP to 29501537.

**PERK UP** - Please join us for Holy Grounds, from 10:00 to 11:00 every Sunday. It's fun, it's fellowship and it's good! Our coffee hour gives you a chance to meet new faces as well as catch up with old friends; it also gives you a chance to feel part of our church family. So, please perk up and join us for a cup of coffee and a plate of fellowship. By the way, if you are interested in volunteering to host one Sunday during the year, we would love the help. Please call Diane Zwart 673-3462.

### WHAT'S NEW AT CPC?

**WHAT:** Children's Church

**WHEN:** Starting September 20th

During the 11:00 worship service

**WHO:** for 1st and 2nd grade students

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:** Parents, grandparents, and other interested adults are needed to teach this class on a rotating basis. Junior and Senior youth are also needed as helpers. Call Betty Pope at 295-6848, ext. 19 or Donna Ault at 235-0286 for more.

**Family Movie Night** Bring out the family for Movie Night at CPC! Showing in the Silver Screen on Saturday, Sept. 19 is *Facing the Giants*. In this moving gridiron tale, a failing high school coach finds success comes in convincing his team (and himself) that there's more to sports than fame and glory -- and ultimately learns to turn his life over to God. Popcorn, drinks, and hankies provided. A Disney classic will be shown upstairs for little ones. Begins at 7:00 p.m.

**Church Women United** invites you to the Human Rights Celebration to honor 3 groups: The Literacy Council, a camper (young boy), Guardian Ad Litem (court support for child at risk). This will take place on September 18 from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. at the Roman Eagle Masonic Lodge (15-501, Aberdeen, left towards Laurinburg.)



### FallFest 2009 for the Youth of CPC Everyone is Invited!!

Friday, October 9  
 Saturday, October 10, 2009  
 from 8:00a.m. until noon  
 Fellowship Hall

All proceeds from FallFest 2009 will go to support youth conferences & missions.

Donation items for the tag sale may be dropped off at the Everette house from 10:00 a.m.—noon on September 26th

Questions? Please contact:  
 Kathy Porter @695-0552  
 Linda Gerdes @255-6402  
 Marsae Stone @255-6063  
 Laura Byers @295-9293  
 Sonja Brewton @295-6724  
 Faye Urello @235-0712  
 Church Office @295-6848

On Friday coffee and Krispie Kreme donuts will be available for sale. Breakfast items will be sold on Saturday. There will be a tag sale, bake sale, (Sat. only), pumpkin and plant sale and raffle drawings. Please come out and help support our youth.