

Rumple Memorial Presbyterian Church

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May 2018

Called to Worship ††† Empowered to Serve
A Mission Church
Bringing Members In, Sending Disciples Out



Rumple's Handbell Choir returned to play in worship on Sunday, April 22

Dear Rumple Family,

As the expression goes, "April showers bring May flowers." I can't remember how long it has been since I encountered those showers as both snow and rain showers, though I am hoping for some incredible May flowers here in the High Country this year because it has been quite a long and crazy winter. But, May is just around the corner and signs of spring are all around us here in the High Country. Soon, the flowers and leaves will be out and this beautiful part of God's creation will be colorful and warm!

As signs of spring begin to emerge, there are all kinds of exciting and meaningful events, activities, and planning going on at Rumple. I wish I had enough space here to talk about all of it! During the months of March and April a number in the Rumple family and I have attended different meetings, trainings, and conferences right here in Watauga County. I attended a meeting of clergy from the churches (there are 18 of us) who are a part of AppFaith-Health. In that meeting we learned about the greatest health needs in our local community, as identified by an extensive study led by the health department. I was struck by the top two- mental health issues (and access to good mental health care) and substance abuse and misuse. I hope our group of churches can continue to explore how the faith community can be responsive to these two important needs as we seek to be light and hope and bring healing in the name of our Risen Savior.

On April 17, four of us from Rumple attended the Watauga Compassionate Communities Initiative conference, a second annual event. We were there with representatives from most every aspect of our community- from law enforcement to school personnel to business leaders, to social workers. We learned about trauma- especially as it is experienced in children- and how our community can work together to help create resilient people and to prevent the root causes of trauma. Again, I was struck by the important role the Body of Christ has to play in the love, care, and healing, of our neighbors. All the folks who attended these different trainings and conferences in the past months plan to meet soon and explore how we can respond to all we have learned.

In the meantime, we continue to worship, enjoy fellowship, grow as disciples, care for one another, and welcome new friends in Christ most every Sunday morning. I look forward to all God is doing in and through us as we enter this spring season of new life and hope.

Blessings,

Kathy

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Rumple Youth

Under the leadership of our Youth Intern, Cassidy Nooner and the Youth Committee, our Middle and High School youth are active participants in the life of Rumple Church. We welcome members and friends to any and all of our meetings, retreats and conferences.

Contact Cassidy Nooner at cassidyn15@gmail.com to stay connected!

Spirit Night Fundraiser

**Tuesday May 8th for
RUMPLE YOUTH
at**

COME BACK SHACK
BURGERS FRIES SHAKES

It's Really Easy

1. Come eat at Come Back Shack anytime on Tuesday, May 8th
2. Tell the cashier you're there for RUMPLE YOUTH

Saturday, May 5, 3pm to 5pm—Youth Sunday Rehearsal
Sunday, May 6—Youth Sunday No evening Youth
Sunday, May 13—Mother's Day No evening Youth
Sunday, May 20, 5pm to 6:30pm—Combined Youth

* If you are ordering a "Youth Sunday" shirt, you are asked to donate \$10 toward the purchase.

* Montreat Next Payments: Please let Cassidy know ASAP if you want to go.

- June 1—\$100
- July 22—\$50

Children's Ministry

A message from Christian Education- This month, the KICKS/Fusion kids have been enjoying the beautiful weather! We have learned about God's creation, and will continue to discuss how we can better take care of our world. The last day of KICKS/Fusion will be May 16th.

We have also been working really hard in choir and look forward to showing the congregation what we've been working on in May!

Our last GIFT class of the semester was on Sunday, April 15th; we read the parable of the sower, and planted marigolds. GIFT classes will resume in the fall

I would like to thank all of our volunteers for their help this semester; I could not have done it without you!
-Kalie Gorham, Christian Education Intern, gorhamkg@appstate.edu

Save the date: Vacation Bible School 2018

There's a whole new plan for 2018. The dates are June 22-24, Friday night, all day Saturday and Sunday morning. Watch the church website for sign-up information. *Camp Out VBS: Come Learn S'more About Jesus.*



Hymn for May by Dave McCollum

This month we return to the pen of Charles Wesley (1707-88) to visit the well-known and beloved hymn, "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling." We observed Wesley's prolific output of hymns (6500) in last month's article. This text is set to no fewer than three tunes: HYFRYDOL (Rowland Hugh Prichard, 1831), BEECHER (John Zundel, 1870), and LOVE DIVINE (John Stainer 1889). Our "Glory to God" hymnal uses the HYFRYDOL tune.

"Love Divine, All Loves Excelling" addresses the Trinity, (Father, Son, and Holy Spirit) but not in the usual order. Wesley also uses several one-liners to get our attention and capture our imagination as we attempt to relate our earthly plight to God's promise and Jesus' earthly example. We'll highlight some one-liners in each stanza.

Stanza one: *Love divine, all loves excelling, Joy of heaven, to earth come down, fix in us thy humble dwelling; all thy faithful mercies crown. Jesus, thou art all compassion; pure, unbounded love thou art; visit us with thy salvation; enter every trembling heart.* Instead of beginning with God the Father, stanza one begins with a reference to the birth of Jesus in the line, "Joy of heaven, to earth come down." It is followed by the first one-liner to get our attention that relates not only to our brokenness but our need for redemption. Using the word "fix," Wesley calls on Jesus to not only heal our brokenness but to set (fix) a new spirit of love and compassion in our (trembling) hearts.

Stanza two, *Breathe, O breathe thy loving Spirit into every troubled breast; let us all in thee inherit; let us find the promised rest. Take away the love of sinning; Alpha and Omega be; end of faith, as its beginning, set our hearts at liberty,* addresses the familiar metaphor of breath or wind for the Holy Spirit, recognizing that we cannot overcome our sinful nature alone. The reference for our human predicament is referenced in the one-liner, "take away our love of sinning (originally "our bent to sinning")." Since hymn editors have the option of editing hymn text(s) when a new hymnal is introduced, words are often changed that may or may not be helpful to the modern-day worshipper. In this case I would argue that the two words (love, bent) are not interchangeable. "Love" expresses a disposition whereas "bent" argues a predisposition. I can remember singing this stanza as a teenager and having the phrase (bent to sinning) literally leap off the page; thinking I'm not the only one who has trouble making the right choices. To this day, that is the moment of worship that comes to mind when I sing this hymn. The stanza reiterates the request for God to set (fix) our hearts at liberty. Here is the text:

Following the address to Jesus and the Holy Spirit, we arrive at our praise to God the Almighty (stanza three) and the Creator (stanza four). Stanza three addresses our need for regular worship in prayer and praise to work to emulate Christ's example: *Come, Almighty, to deliver; let us all thy life receive; suddenly return, and never, nevermore thy temples leave. Thee we would be always blessing, serve thee as thy hosts above, pray, and praise thee without ceasing, glory in thy perfect love.*

And finally, stanza four, *Finish then thy new creation; pure and spotless let us be; let us see thy great salvation perfectly restored in thee: changed from glory into glory, till in heaven we take our place, till we cast our crowns before thee, lost in wonder, love, and praise,* calls on God to continue as Creator until we (humans) take our place in God's new creation. The one-liner that stands out for me in this stanza is, "changed from glory into glory," referencing 2 Cor. 3:18 (And we all, with unveiled faces, contemplate the Lord's glory, are being transformed into his image with ever-increasing glory, which comes from the Lord, who is the Spirit). God's new creation is as current as the sunrise and as mysterious as our never-ending plight to contemplate God's grace.

Dave

Around Rumple

Church Office Hours
Monday – Thursday
9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
828-295-7675
www.rumplechurch.org

Sunday Services
8:45 Worship begins 5/27
9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Worship

CHURCH LEADERS & STAFF

Clerk of Session: Mary Lentz

Class of 2018
Barbara Julien
Danny Kirkland
Mary Lentz
Mike Rhyne

Class of 2019
Davis Hankins
Misty Mayfield
Kim Rogers
Cullie Tarleton

Class of 2020
Jim Crowell
Jerry Hutchens
Jane Rogers
Lynne Waugh

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Office hours for Kathy
are: Monday—
Wednesday
9-5
Thursday morning,
sermon writing,
Thursday afternoon,
visiting

Congregational Meeting Sunday May 6

The Session has called a congregational meeting immediately following worship on Sunday, May 6 for the purpose of the congregation voting on a proposed change to the Rumple Manual of Procedures regarding the elders who serve on the annual Nominating Committee. (The Rumple Manual of Procedures requires two votes at two consecutive session meetings and approval of the congregation to make such a change.) The session has voted to make this change below.

In Chapter II, section C, number 3. The Nominating Committee shall consist of no less than three (3) active members of the congregation, and two Ruling Elders, *one from the class rotating off and one from the class in their second year of service* (one male, one female). *The Minister* shall serve as ex officio and without vote.

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**Mother's Day Breakfast** cooked by the Carter Lentz Men's Class will be May 13 at 9:30 in the Fellowship Hall.

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Save the date! Welcome Back Lunch on Sunday, June 10 after 11:00 worship. Join Rumple friends for a catered lunch (Woodlands BBQ) and welcome back all our seasonal members and friends. Watch for more details on the website, the *enews*, and the bulletin.

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**Save the date! Friday June 15, 5:00-7:00 in the Rumple House** There is a reception planned to celebrate the marriage of Lance and Kathy. The planning committee for this is Jane Rogers, Misty Mayfield, Kim Rogers, Sylvia Tarleton, Mary Lentz and Shirley Harris. There will be baskets for cards. Lance and Kathy ask that in lieu of gifts, gifts be made to Blowing Rock CARES.

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Sunday morning Adult Education Opportunities
at Rumple (9:45-10:45 a.m.)

Women's Class (Library) Bible and Life Bible Study Series

Carter Lentz Men's Class (Rocking Chair Room of Rumple House) Bible and Life Bible Study Series

Discoverers Class (Session Room of Rumple House)

Anxious for Nothing by Max Lucado.

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**8:45 a.m. Sunday worship returns Sunday, May 27**  
and continues through Sunday, September 2.

Stay connected with Rumple! Like us on Facebook, visit our website [www.rumplechurch.org](http://www.rumplechurch.org), Follow the youth on Instagram, #rumpleyouth, and add your email to our weekly e-newsletter.

## Around Rumple

### Celebrating our Graduates



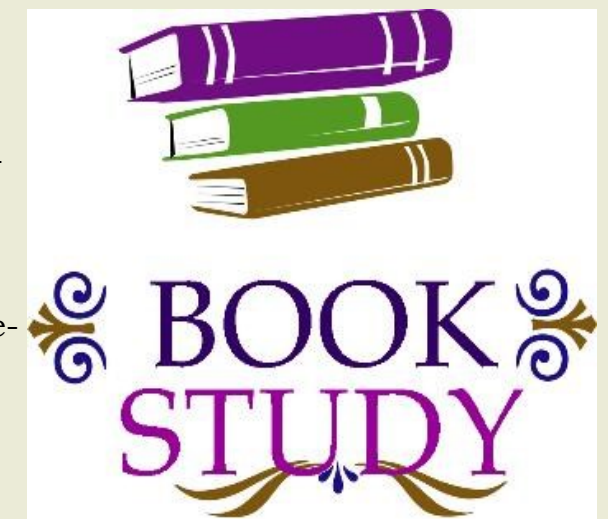
Amanda Caroline Hemric is a graduate of The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill where she received her Bachelor's degree in Music Education. She will graduate in May from Appalachian State University with a Masters in Music with a concentration in Voice Performance. This Fall she will continue her education by returning to Appalachian State University to begin a Masters of Science in Speech-Language Pathology. Amanda is one of Rumple's Choral Scholars.



Kenton McCollum will graduate from Appalachian State University with a Bachelor of Science (BS) in Communication Studies. Kenton will remain in Boone this coming year to begin creating a venue (podcast) that allows ASU professors to share their background, research, and publications with prospective students and parents. Kenton is one of Rumple's Choral Scholars and son of Director of Music, Dave McCollum and his wife, Jamie.

### Explorers Sunday School Class

Come join the Explorers Sunday School class for the next months as we read and discuss The Gospel of Hope, the latest book by Dr. Walter Brueggemann, a renowned Old Testament scholar and professor emeritus at Columbia Theological Seminary. The class members will look at one chapter (short — only about 13 pages) each week and discuss the scriptures prompting the ideas expressed and reflect upon the implications for our lives as individuals and in Christian community. Meet with us in the Adult Classroom upstairs near the elevator promptly at 9:45. Books will be available. Contact Carolyn Nelson at [cjnelsn@earthlink.net](mailto:cjnelsn@earthlink.net).



## Rumple on a Mission

*Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms. -1 Peter 4:10*

### **Tornado relief for Greensboro**

*Greensboro was struck by a tornado [on April 15]; the extent of damage is becoming more apparent. Three elementary schools have suffered damage serious enough that their students will be moved to other schools to finish the year. Others schools and the homes of too many people have been damaged as well.*

*In our connectional system we seek to be of support to one another in time of need. Remember Greensboro, the needs of neighbors there, and sisters and brothers of congregations affected. (written by Steve Scott, Transitional General Presbyter for Salem Presbytery)*

If you would like to offer a financial donation, you can write a check to Rumple indicating "Greensboro tornado relief" or send a check directly to the United Way of Greater Greensboro, 1500 Yanceyville Street, Greensboro, NC 27405. Checks should indicate the donation is for "Tornado Relief." You can also donate online at <http://www.unitedwaygso.org/>.

### **May 6 - 1st Sunday food collection for Blowing Rock C.A.R.E.S**

BR CARES needs BEANS! Let's stock the BR CARES pantry with canned beans (limas, pintos, pork 'n beans, etc). The pantry has lots of peas (thanks for the peas!), but is low on protein-rich beans. Bring your donations on May 6 and leave them in the shopping cart in the church lobby.

### **Summer 2018 Missions - Family and Child Services**

**Pentecost Offering** - To kick off our Summer Missions, we will collect a **Pentecost offering** during worship on May 20. A gift to the Pentecost Offering helps the church encourage, develop, and support its young people, and also address the needs of at-risk children. Forty percent of the Pentecost offering will be retained by Rumple to support Food 4 Families this summer. The remaining 60% is used to support ministries of the Presbyterian Mission Agency, including Young Adult Volunteers (like Darby!), Ministries for Youth and Children-at-Risk.

**Food 4 Families & Back 2 School** - Throughout the summer, Rumple will participate in the **Food 4 Families** program to provide food during the summer months to families with children on free or reduced cost lunches in Blowing Rock, and in the **Back 2 School Festival** to provide school supplies to students in Watauga County. We will provide more information soon on these programs and specific donation needs.

### **2018 International Missions opportunities with First Presbyterian Boone**

July 21-28 Mexico Mission Trip - Rumple members are invited to participate in this mission trip to Chiapas, Mexico. The trip will focus on construction of a dining hall at a regional church retreat center and water filtration education with Wine to Water.

November 10-17 Haiti Mission Trip - Rumple members are invited to participate in this mission trip to Haiti to work with Real Love Ministries, [www.RealLoveHaiti.org](http://www.RealLoveHaiti.org).

Want to learn more about either or both of these international opportunities? Contact Rumple Missions committee member David Hardage, [DHardage@gmail.com](mailto:DHardage@gmail.com).

### **THANK YOU....**

....to everyone who participated in March and April missions projects with Habitat for Humanity and Hospitality House!

....for the generous offerings to One Great Hour of Sharing! We raised \$882 for PC(USA) ministries that provide relief to those affected by natural disasters, food to the hungry, and programs for the poor.

## Session News

The Session of Rumple Memorial Presbyterian Church consists of our pastor as moderator and twelve ruling elders, elected by the congregation. They meet monthly on the fourth Monday at 5:30. If you have items for the session, please see Kathy Beach, Session Moderator.

Session Digest—April 23, 2018

Call to Order

Kathy Beach

Our devotional by Jerry Hutchens "Have FAITH rain or shine" reminded us all to look to God in the bad times as well as in the good times. Truly our FAITH should be the thing that influences our days.

Minutes were approved by motion of Danny Kirkland, seconded by Jane Rogers.

COMMITTEE REPORTS -

Christian Education - Lynne Waugh reported on the fun time at the Easter

Egg hunt and thanked all who made this possible; the need for nursery volunteers, and need for new staff positions; plans for the Summer Scholar Lecture Series; Vacation Bible School - June 22-24.

Congregational Care - Barbara Julien gave a tentative date of June 3<sup>rd</sup> for the first workshop (after the 11:00 service) for information on setting up a "health ministry partnership" with Rumple Church and a division of Medi Home Health and Hospice - see Barbara for more information; May 7<sup>th</sup> is the date for "Safe Moves" program and dinner at Chestnut Ridge/Foley Center, 6-8 pm RSVP by 4/30 to Melanie Childers or Darby Logan (828) 266-1178; Shirley Harris has coordinated with Norma Suddreth for special greeting cards - there are still cards in church office for sale.

Finance - Cullie Tarleton reported we were continuing to have a good report but we still need to watch spending budget.

Properties - Kim Rogers - New leaks in the Rumple House; repairs in the manse, spring yard work to be done at church and manse.

Stewardship - Jerry Hutchens reported on steps being planned on stewardship for 2019 church year, more information to come soon.

Youth - Danny Kirkland reminded YOUTH SUNDAY will be May 6<sup>th</sup> and youth's plans to earn money for summer plans and retreats. ALL gifts welcomed.

OLD BUSINESS-

Follow up on Security Task Force for Rumple - committee to begin work soon. Task Force Committee - Kim Rogers, Cullie Tarleton, Jerry Hutchens, Johnny Lentz, Barbara Julien, Danny Kirkland, Mary Lentz.

NEW BUSINESS -

Updates on Presbytery Meeting at Rumple on November 13<sup>th</sup>; BRAHM plan for luncheon by Woodlands.

The session approved pastor Sam Rutland (PC)USA, the uncle of the bride, to officiate at the wedding of Ashley Tucker and Franklin Smith, on August 4.

PASTOR'S REPORT - Kathy reported on March and April as busy months at Rumple! Palm Sunday's worship online received over 600 views; Easter Sunrise service in park was a great success; attended Watauga Compassionate Communities Initiative Conference in Boone; Rumple will host West Community of Presbytery quarterly lunch on Tuesday, May 8<sup>th</sup> at 11:30, Presbyterian Women will host and provide the lunch. Watch for New recycling options with bins from Terra Cycle. Motion by Jim Crowell, seconded by Danny Kirkland to adjourn, passed unanimously and Kathy closed the meeting with prayer.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Mary Lentz

## Around Rumple

### Presbyterian Women Circle News and Meetings

Moderator Linda Mauldin 295-3327

**Circle I** will meet Monday May 7 at 6:00 in the Rumple House.  
Teresa Lentz 295-3276

**Circle II** meets the second Monday of each month at 2pm in the home of Mary Lentz 295-7289

**Circle III** meets the third Monday of each month May-October at 10:30 in the Rumple House or a member's home.  
Jean Baskin 295-0901

**Circle IV** meets the second Monday of each month, April through December, either in a member's home or the Rumple House. Members gather at 1:00 for fellowship and refreshments and the meeting starts at 1:30. Betty Womack 912-687-6483

**Circle V** meets the first Wednesday of each month April-December at the Rumple House. Members gather at 9:30 for fellowship and refreshments and the meetings starts at 10:00.  
Kathy Earley 263-0255

### WOMEN'S CONNECTION -- 'Through the Valley'

#### Attention: WOMEN OF RUMPLE

We have an opportunity to be together finding encouragement, empowerment, connection, comfort and challenge by attending the Women's Connection, August 10-12, 2018 in Montreat. Kate Bowler will be the keynote speaker by sharing her unique life story. We will stay at the renovated Assembly Inn. Check the website: [www.montreat.org/women](http://www.montreat.org/women) You may register on line. Cost is \$340/person, double occupancy, private bath and \$440/person, single occupancy, private bath. This includes food, housing, conference fee and Kate Bowler's new book, *Everything Happens for a Reason and Other Lies I've Loved*. An option is available for Saturday for \$187 plus \$10 for lunch. Register as a "Commuter". You may invite a friend or family member. Please let Linda Mauldin know by June 1 if you are going. We will send out information as to who is attending closer to the conference. If you have any questions, please contact your PW Moderator, Linda Mauldin ([mauldinLL@yahoo.com](mailto:mauldinLL@yahoo.com)).

**The flower chart for 2018** is up and ready for sign-ups. Please consider providing the flowers for the sanctuary on Sunday to celebrate or remember a special loved one or event. The chart is located in the glass case in the office reception area, near Hazel's desk. You may sign up right on the calendar or you can call Hazel to sign up, 828-295-7675.

Happy  
Birthday

### May BIRTHDAYS

- 1 Holly Liesegang Cass
- 2 Judy Peace
- 3 Mike Rhyne
- 3 Barbara Scott
- 4 John Calvin
- 5 Jim Clabough
- 5 Bill Petrie
- 6 Brenda Lentz
- 7 Andy Groothuis
- 7 David Rogers
- 8 Karen Snyder
- 9 Joanie Shirley
- 10 Billie Hicklin
- 11 Johnny Lentz
- 12 Annie Tarbutton
- 16 Molly Kirkland
- 19 Kent Walker
- 19 Pat Mauldin
- 21 Richard Washer
- 24 Misty Mayfield
- 25 Andrew Myers
- 26 Charlie Travis
- 27 Thomas Steele
- 27 Lori Stewart
- 29 Evalyn Sudderth
- 29 Judy Walker



## More Mission News

### PECM (Presbyterian Episcopal Campus Ministry) Update

In the last 2 months, Presbyterian-Episcopal Campus Ministry continued with its mission fellowship, faith, and community involvement! For our service night, we helped paint and clean at the Children's Playhouse of Boone. We participated in the Rise Against Hunger Service Project with Rumple Presbyterian Church, St. Mary of the Hills Episcopal Church and Faith-bridge Methodist Church, where we packaged thousands of meals for the hungry around the world. We have led several TED Talk nights, where we learn about and discuss how to love as people of faith in our modern world. We have organized wonderful worship services in both the Episcopal and Presbyterian tradition. We were graciously invited to dinner and worship at Bairds Creek Presbyterian Church. None of this would be possible without your support of our campus ministry. We cannot thank you enough.

Sean Damrel, PECM Church Connector



**Rise Against Hunger Update!** The 10,000 meals Rumple packed on 3/18 were shipped to Malawi the week of 4/23. They joined other meals for a total of over 285,000 meals that will feed children in this southern African nation.

**The ASU Choral Scholar program** has been a meaningful addition to our church in at least three ways: it serves as an outreach for college students that might otherwise not attend a church, it provides a performance opportunity for students while earning some spending money, and it supports the adult choir program with professionally trained voices. We are at the end of our choir year for our scholars and look forward to being able to offer the same opportunities in the fall. Please consider supporting this ministry with a financial contribution. Be sure to notate "ASU Choral Scholar," in the memo line of your check.



### Rumple is looking for a Part-time Nursery Attendant

Do you know a responsible adult who loves children and could use an extra, very part-time job? Rumple is hiring nursery staff to love and care for our infants and toddlers in the church nursery each Sunday morning and for other special worship services. Staff work an average of 3-4 hours a week. Rumple pays a very competitive salary. For a full job description speak to Kathy or to Lou Moore or just have qualified candidates contact Kathy directly. Rumple would like to have new nursery staff in place before the return to two worship services on May 27.

**Concerns and Cares**

**Rumple members** Bill Thorn, Brenda Lentz, chemotherapy treatments; Linda Steen; Roger Broeker, Darby Teander, serving as a Young Adult Volunteer; Bill and Pat Magruder, Recie Craig, Erin Tobin and Drew Taylor, active duty in military; Natasha Schoonover, preparing for ordained ministry

**Family and friends of Rumple** Linda Hawkins, (interim rector at St. Mary's) recovering from surgery; Helen, sister of Bill Magruder; Jon Wright, son of Norm and Melinda Wright; Betty Pitts; Joyce Rodriguez, sister of Carolyn Nelson; Stanley Coffey, son of Betty Coffey, Phyllis Foster, friend of Wes Thompson, Ellen and Al Smith missionaries in Russia

**We celebrate** with Mike and Ann Rhyne as they welcome their new grandson, Maverick Jackson, born on April 13 in Charlotte.

**We grieve with** Sara Charles Stevens in the death of her husband, Randy Stevens, who died 4/26 in Florida; Billy Worsham in the death of his mother, Hilda Blackmon Worsham, on 4/22 in Smithfield, NC.

**New address** for Matt Jay and his children, Sadie, Calvin and Eleanor, is 608 Cavanaugh Way, Evans, GA 30809

**If you go to the hospital** and would like the church office to know, please remember to call or ask the hospital to call the church office. Your name and hospitalization is not shared with the congregation unless you give permission.

**Congregational Care** If you or someone you know in the congregation would like a visit, please share this information with Kathy, an Elder, or contact the Church Office.

**Missed Worship?** There are audio CD's available of each worship service and they can be found in the library if you would like to check one out.

There is a **Medical Supply Loaner Closet** in the Rumple House with medical supplies to be used by anyone as needed.

**Does Rumple have your email?** Would you like to receive the weekly email updates from Rumple and other special announcements? Send your email address to Hazel at [office@rumplechurch.org](mailto:office@rumplechurch.org) and we'll make sure you are added to our email list.

**Congregational Care Offerings**

**AppFaithHealth Day at the Wellness Center in Boone**

All adult members of partnering congregations are invited.  
Saturday, June 9, 2018 8-11 a.m.

Enjoy the activities below completely free  
Free All-day Guest Pass, Tour of the facility, Door prizes, Free health screenings  
Health snacks and healthy pot luck tips from a registered dietitian, Bystander CPR training

Sign your congregation up for AppFaithHealth friendly health competition.

Pre-registration is encouraged. Register online at [apprhs.org/AFHday](http://apprhs.org/AFHday)

Or call Candy Jones at (828) 268-8968.

L—Library  
RH—Rumple House  
FH—Fellowship Hall

ACU—Adult Classroom Upstairs  
PS—Pastor's Study

**May 2018 at Rumple**

| Sunday                                                                                                                           | Monday                                        | Tuesday                                                                          | Wednesday                                                                                                                  | Thursday                      | Friday               | Saturday                               |
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| 6 Youth Sunday<br>9:30 Welcome Class (PS)<br>9:45 Sunday School<br>11:00 Worship                                                 | 7<br>6:00 Circle 1 (RH)                       | 8 Rumple Youth Day at Come Back Shack all day<br>11:30 West Community Lunch (FH) | 9<br>9:30 Circle 5 (RH)<br>11:00 Staff Mtg (L)<br>2:30 KICKS/Fusion (KMC)<br>6:00 Christian Ed (L)<br>7:00 Sanctuary Choir | 10<br>10:30 Prayer Shawl (RH) | 11                   | 12<br>3:00-5:00 Youth Sunday Rehearsal |
| 13 Mother's Day<br>9:30 Mother's Day Breakfast (FH)<br>9:45 Sunday School<br>11:00 Worship                                       | 14<br>12:30 Circle 4 (RH)                     | 15                                                                               | 16<br>Presbytery Mtg in Greensboro<br>11:00 Staff Mtg (L)<br>2:30 KICKS/Fusion (KMC)<br>7:00 Sanctuary Choir               | 17                            | 18<br>4:00 Rehearsal | 19<br>6:00 Wedding                     |
| 20 Day of Pentecost<br>9:45 Sunday School<br>11:00 Worship<br>12:15 Congregational Care Cmt (L)<br>5:00-6:30 Combined Youth (YC) | 21<br>4:00 Finance (L)<br>4:00 Missions (ACU) | 22                                                                               | 23<br>11:00 Staff Mtg (L)<br>7:00 Sanctuary Choir                                                                          | 24                            | 25                   | 26                                     |
| 27 Trinity Sunday<br>8:45 Worship<br>9:45 Sunday School<br>11:00 Worship<br>5:00-6:30 Combined Youth (YC)                        | 28<br>Memorial Day<br>Church Offices Closed   | 29<br>5:30 Session (RH)                                                          | 30<br>11:00 Staff Mtg (L)<br>7:00 Sanctuary Choir                                                                          | 31                            |                      |                                        |