

Rumple Memorial Presbyterian Church

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Rumple Youth Pool Party



Youth Mission Trip in Greensboro, NC



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July 2018

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

Dear Rumple Family,

It is hard to believe that it is almost July! The summer is already flying by. What a wonderful and full month of June we have had at Rumple. Lance and I are so grateful to you for our wedding celebration on June 15. We felt very loved and were amazed at how the Rumple House was transformed. It really felt like a wedding reception. Thank you, thank you to all who attended and to the committee who planned it!

Another great moment for me in June was this past Sunday, June 24, in 11:00 worship when the children (and their youth helpers) sang their Vacation Bible School songs. Their energy and joy in singing about Jesus the Light of the World was contagious. I loved looking out to a congregation full of smiling faces. Thank you to all who made our new weekend VBS format such a great success. Look for the VBS video (created by Andie and Wes Waugh) on the Rumple website, if you missed it on Sunday, or would like to see it again.

A great aspect of my second summer at Rumple is that I recognize so many of your returning faces this year. It's been so nice to see so many returning affiliate members and friends of Rumple as you have returned to the High Country for this beautiful time of the year. I know July will bring more familiar faces and I look forward to catching up with all of you.

I have enjoyed exploring vocation and calling in this June sermon series. I hope we will continue to explore who God is calling us to be and what God is calling us to do as a church, together. In July the Session will receive a summary report from the Vision Team after their extensive interviews with members and friends of Rumple. I look forward to what the next steps of this process may be as we continue to listen together for where God is leading us as we seek to follow Jesus and to show and share his love.

Every blessing. Your Pastor,
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!

The Youth Group will meet randomly this summer. Sometimes Sunday evenings, sometimes Monday evenings. There is no set schedule, but you will be informed.

Camp Discovery July 8—13

This is a camp that my home church in Salisbury puts on every year. It's completely paid for by members of the congregation. It is for kids in the community that might not otherwise have the opportunity to go to summer camp. I have been a mentor at this camp for four years and this year Molly Kirkland will be joining me!! We are very excited about this!
Cassidy Nooner

Montreat Youth Conference is July 22—28.

Our high school youth and their adult chaperones ask for your prayers.

The Rumple Youth have an exciting summer planned and they treasure your support!

In late July a group of 10 youth and 3 adults will spend the week at the Montreat Youth Conference. A "Giving Tree" is up in the office reception area with items you can donate to support the youth. Please take a "leaf" off the tree and return the needed items to the church office.

The youth will also be washing cars on Saturday, July 7, before the parade. Come park your car at Rumple and get it washed by our youth!

Children's Ministry



VBS Wrap Up and Thank You

Vacation Bible School was a great success! Our children had bible stories come to life, they sang songs about Jesus being the light, and they learned to carry their light into the community. They made "Thank You" bags for our local public safety officers and delivered them on Saturday. Thank you to Lou Moore, who organized VBS this year, and to all of our volunteers! This weekend would not have been possible without each of you!

Children's Sunday School

Starting Sunday, July 8th, there will be a Sunday School class for our children! It will be for all children, kindergarten through fifth grade. They will meet in the "Butterfly classroom" from 9:45 – 10:45am, during the Sunday School hour. Sunday School will be led by Holly Bannan, our Interim Director of Discipleship. Join us as we explore the bible through "rotation" workshops each Sunday!

Hymn for July by Dave McCollum

Have you ever had a "religious experience?" I'm not necessarily speaking of a "warm fuzzy" that can happen in a moment where we connect God with a thought or a song or even a relationship moment. But a religious experience that totally envelopes your senses and takes you away from your present reality. A moment you believe, often looking back, that achieved an intimacy with God transcending our day-to-day existence. I've had two that stand out in my memory. The second was at a service (concert) that I attended to hear my daughter's freshman college choir as they participated in a larger concert setting based on the tradition of the King's College Lessons and Carols. A festival of Nine Lessons and Carols was first presented at Christmas Eve, 1918 at King's College, Cambridge, to introduce a more imaginative approach to worship. The concert was held in a gothic chapel with candle light and a hushed reverence in the air. As her choir began to sing one of their octavos, I had a feeling of being totally immersed in the moment: the space, the music, the candles, came together in such a way that swept away my consciousness. I remember having the presence of mind to realize the uniqueness of the moment and not wanting it to end. When the piece ended, I looked forward to the next piece, hoping the experience would linger. It did not. I often go back to that moment in my memory.

The hymn I've chosen for this month's article is "In the Garden." The year was 1912 and music publisher Dr. Adam Geibel approached C. Austin Miles (1868-1946) to write a hymn text that would be "sympathetic in tone, breathing tenderness in every line; one that would bring hope to the hopeless, rest for the weary, and downy pillows to dying beds." I especially like the "downy pillows to dying beds," description. In George Sanville's book, *Forty Gospel Hymn Stories*, Miles included the personal account of writing the text and tune for "In the Garden." It reads like a religious experience.

One day in March, 1912, I was seated in the dark room, where I kept my photographic equipment and organ. I drew my Bible toward me; it opened at my favorite chapter, John 20 – whether by chance or inspiration let each reader decide. That meeting of Jesus and Mary had lost none of its power to charm.

As I read it that day, I seemed to be part of the scene. I became a silent witness to that dramatic moment in Mary's life, when she knelt before her Lord, and cried, "Rabboni!"

My hands were resting on the Bible while I stared at the light blue wall. As the light faded, I seemed to be standing at the entrance of a garden, looking down a gently winding path, shaded by olive branches. A woman in white, with head bowed, hand clasping her throat, as if to choke back her sobs, walked slowly into the shadows. It was Mary. As she came to the tomb, upon which she placed her hand, she bent over to look in, and hurried away.

John, in flowing robe, appeared, looking at the tomb; then came Peter, who entered the tomb, followed slowly by John.

As they departed, Mary reappeared; leaning her head upon her arm at the tomb, she wept. Turning herself, she saw Jesus standing, so did I. I knew it was He. She knelt before Him, with arms outstretched and looking into His face cried "Rabboni!"

I awakened in full light, gripping the Bible, with muscles tense and nerves vibrating. Under the inspiration of this vision I wrote as quickly as the words could be formed the poem exactly as it has since appeared. That same evening, I wrote the music.

"In the Garden," has been criticized through the years as sounding elitist; claiming a personal status with Jesus that "none have ever known." But isn't that what we're all looking for? We may gain strength in community and our earthly relationships but when all other relationships fall short, we come to the garden. What brings you to the garden? Joy, gratitude, humility, sorrow, loneliness, anger, rejection? There is usually no shortage of opportunities to come to the garden. And even if we are fortunate enough to experience a "moment" at some point in our lives, however brief, we are called to return to this world (He bids me go- with a voice of woe); to be faithful as we continue to walk with Christ. Here is the text. I'll bet you can sing it...

I come to the garden alone, while the dew is still on the roses; and the voice I hear, falling on my ear, the Son of God discloses, **(Refrain)** And He walks with me and He talks with me, and He tells me I am His own, And the joy we share as we tarry there, none other has ever known.

He speaks, and the sound of His voice is so sweet the birds hush their singing; and the melody that He gave to me within my heart is ringing. **(Refrain)**

I'd stay in the garden with Him though the night around me be falling; but He bids me go- with a voice of woe, His voice to me is calling. **(Refrain)**

Kenneth W. Osbeck, *101 Hymn Stories: The Inspiring True Stories Behind 101 Favorite Hymns* (Grand Rapids, MI: Kregel Publications, 1982), 101.

George Sanville, *Forty Gospel Hymn Stories*, 1943.

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

Missionaries in Russia return to Rumple on July 1. Please save the date!

The Rumple Missions Committee is excited to share that Ellen and Al Smith, PC(USA) mission co-workers serving in Russia, will return to Rumple on Sunday, July 1. They will teach the Discoverers Sunday School class- which is open to anyone- starting at 9:45 that morning, in the Rumple House. They will also serve as liturgists in worship that morning and offer a minute for mission about their work and ministry.



Lemonade on the Lawn begins again Sunday, July 1 and will continue each Sunday in July.

Medicine for Mexico Mission Trip

Rumple is assisting First Presbyterian in Boone with medical supplies going to Mexico in late July. Our Church will participate in the First Church mission trips to Chiapas, Mexico in the future. This year we will donate medical supplies. Can you donate some medicine for Mexico? Here is what they need:

- Children's vitamins
 - Antiseptic cream, such as Neosporin
 - Hydrocortisone cream in tubes
 - Ibuprofen, 500 count bottles
 - Tylenol, 500 count bottles (or a generic brand).
- Collection boxes will be set up in the Church lobby for your donations.
Mucho gracias !

Around Rumple

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

Discoverer's Class (Session Room of Rumple House) Anxious for Nothing by Max Lucado.

Explorer's Class (Adult Classroom Upstairs) Gospel of Hope by Walter Brueggemann

It's time for a new PHOTO DIRECTORY!

Smile for the camera Rumple members! We have lots of new members, and Pastor Kathy and family have arrived on the Mountain, so we need to **update our Rumple photo directory**. Photographers from *LifeTouch* will be here 2 weekends in August to take portrait photos of all our members.

There is **NO COST** to you for this, and each family photographed receives a free portrait just for participating. You may choose to buy additional photos, or not – no obligation. Portrait photos make great Christmas gifts, and the timing for this is perfect. You can sign up for your photo session after the 11 AM service in the lobby on any of the next 4 Sundays. Or, call/email in to the Church office.

Here are the dates available for photo appointments:

Friday, August 3, from 1 PM to 8 PM.

Saturday, August 4, from 10 AM to 3 PM.

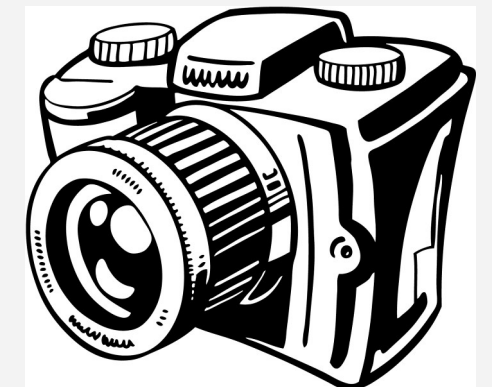
Monday, August 6, from 1 PM to 8 PM.

Friday, August 17, from 1 PM to 8 PM.

Saturday, August 18, from 10 AM to 5 PM.

Monday, August 20, from 1 PM to 8 PM.

Photo appointments are going fast, so grab your spot ASAP. We want all Rumple members in the Directory, so that the rest of us can recognize you and call you by name!



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

Rumple Visiting Scholar to arrive in September!



Rumple welcomes Dr. Brent A. Strawn, September 6th – 10th. Professor of Old Testament at Emory University and chair of the PhD program in Hebrew Bible for the Lane Graduate School at Emory, Dr. Strawn has built a reputation as a world renowned Biblical scholar.

CNN and other media organizations have interviewed Dr. Strawn numerous times for his expert opinion on topics such as the various religious holidays, gun violence, and the Bible and politics. His writings include: *The Bible and the Pursuit of Happiness: What the Old and New Testaments Teach Us about the Good Life (2012)*, articles for *The Oxford Encyclopedia of the Bible and Law (2014)*, plus many others. He is also on the editorial board and the translation team of *The Common English Bible (2011 -)*.

We anticipate that one of Dr. Strawn's main discussion topics here at Rumple will be based on his most recent book, *The Old Testament is Dying: A Diagnosis and Recommended Treatment (2017)*. There will be opportunities for discussions/lecture with Dr. Strawn on September 7th and 8th, and he will preach at the 11 AM service on September 9th. **Please save the date!**

Dr. Strawn is an ordained elder in the United Methodist Church. He and his wife, Holly, have three children, Caleb, Annie, and Micah.



Dr. Brent Strawn

Rumple to Host Salem Presbytery



Save the Date! **Tuesday, November 13th** Rumple Memorial Presbyterian Church is hosting the **120th Stated Meeting of Salem Presbytery**. Our co-hosts for this meeting are Bairds Creek Presbyterian Church and Presbyterian Episcopal Campus Ministry. We will need lots of volunteers to help with this gathering. Details about how you can help will be sent out soon! If you are willing to volunteer, please contact Stephanie Hankins at scoblehankins@gmail.com.

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—June 25, 2018

The meeting was called to order by prayer by Rev. Kathy Beach.

Cullie Tarleton's devotion asked if we are willing to trust God for all our needs. Reminding us that God provides—we need not worry if we give all our worries to Him!

Trish and Ed Cummer, from Davison, NC and Blowing Rock met with the Session professing a desire to join Rumple. Barbara Julien made the motion to receive them as members, seconded by Davis Hankins. The motion passed and they were welcomed by all.

Minutes from May meeting and June called meeting were approved.

Committee Reports

Christian Education—Vacation Bible School 2018 was a great success.

A motion was made for Dr. Brent Strawn to preach on September 9. More information coming about his heading a time of study in the fall.

Finance Committee—Session approved new data base REALM to be purchased. Finances reported from January through May in good shape.

Respectfully Submitted,

Mary Lentz, Clerk

Rumple on a Mission

Rumple Missions

Because we affirm that all children are a gift of God, created by God and created good; all children are a gift to the whole of the human community; all children have a real faith, and gifts for ministry; all children have the right to be children; and all children are not just tomorrow, they are today.

Because Jesus welcomed children and encouraged us to welcome them in his name; Jesus lifted up a child as an example of what the realm of God is like. - excerpt from "A Vision for Children and The Church" adopted by the PC(USA) 205th General Assembly in 1993

Rumple Missions continues the focus on child and youth services through July and August.

#1 We began our **Food4Families** deliveries on June 13. Rumple and Blowing Rock C.A.R.E.S. volunteers gathered at the church to pack and deliver boxes of food to nine Blowing Rock families. Thanks to the dedicated volunteers! This program provides food during the summer months to families with children on free or reduced cost lunches in Blowing Rock. We will deliver boxes every two weeks throughout the summer. If you would like to help with the Food4Families program, please contact Tracy Markland, marklandtracy@gmail.com.

If you are not available to volunteer for packing or delivery, you can still help! We need non-food items to add to the delivery boxes. You can bring shampoo, laundry detergent, dish detergent, and toothpaste throughout the summer for Food4Families deliveries. We have a bin in the church lobby labeled for these Food4Families "extras."

#2 We begin our **Back2School** collection in July to provide school supplies to students who have specific needs. Let's make sure kids in Watauga County have the supplies they need to start school off right! Here's what we need:

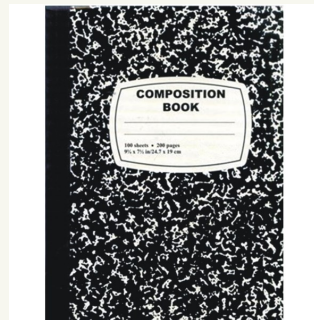
500 composition notebooks (see photo—college and wide ruled)

25 backpacks for all ages

100 packs of colored pencils

The July 8th Lemonade on the lawn will kick off the Back2School collection, so bring your items

That day or anytime between July 1—August 5. We will have a collection box in the church lobby.



#3 July 1 - Blowing Rock C.A.R.E.S. 1st Sunday food collection

The July items of need for Blowing Rock C.A.R.E.S. are applesauce (low or no sugar), any canned fruits in natural juices, beans (pork & beans, pinto beans, Great Northern beans, lima beans, black-eye peas, etc.), canned salmon, canned sauerkraut, large cans of spaghetti sauce, toilet paper. Please bring your items on July 1 (or anytime throughout the month of July) and leave them in the shopping cart in the church lobby.

#4 The fourth and final collection (yes, that's FOUR collections!) is **Medicine for Mexico** June 24-July 15. Rumple is assisting First Presbyterian Boone with medical supplies for their Chiapas, Mexico visit in late July. Here is what they need: children's vitamins, antiseptic cream, such as Neosporin, hydrocortisone cream in tubes, ibuprofen 500 count bottles, Tylenol 500 count bottles (or a generic brand). Collection boxes are set up in the church lobby for your donations.

Rumple on a Mission

WHAT'S ALL THIS TALK ABOUT TRAUMA?

Knowledge to Compassion to Healing

Traumatic events, like natural disasters, child abuse, illness, death of a loved one, school shootings, just to name a few, can have lasting impacts on individuals and communities. How can our congregation respond with compassion and resiliency to victims of trauma? What is God calling you to do? What is God calling us to do as a congregation? Rumple will host a forum series in August on trauma, trauma in our communities, and Rumple's response to those suffering from trauma.

Please join us for any or all of the following Sunday morning forums in the Fellowship Hall from 9:45-10:45:

August 5 – Trauma 101

August 12 – Trauma in Watauga County

August 19 Grandfather Home Sunday – Childhood trauma

August 26 – Rumple's response to trauma

We will conclude the series with a **Service of Healing and Wholeness on Wednesday, August 29** at 6:00pm in the sanctuary.

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies and God of all comfort, who comforts us in all our affliction, so that we may be able to comfort those who are in any affliction, with the comfort with which we ourselves are comforted by God. For as we share abundantly in Christ's sufferings, so through Christ we share abundantly in comfort too. – 2 Corinthians 1:3-5

Celebrating our 100 year mission with Grandfather Home

Rumple Church's special support for the Grandfather Home began in in 1918 when summer resident Dr. Charles G. Vardell visited Banner Elk and saw the need to improve facilities for the children living there. He told the congregation he wanted a special collection to raise \$1000 for Rev. Tufts's work of child care, and it was done. Special offerings have been taken virtually every year since. During the 1940s and 1950s, concerts featuring operatic performers sponsored by summer resident David Ovens of Charlotte drew crowds so large chairs had to be set up on the lawn and the collection taken in washtubs. By the 1970s and 1980s, the Farm House Singers, directed by Shirley Blackwell, provided choral music. The tradition of special music, and special offerings, continues. In other ways too, through the years, individual members have served on the board, and women's circles and member work days have aided the mission of the home. It is the oldest mission outreach of our church.

This year's Grandfather Home Sunday is August 19 at 11:00



June 2018—Making snacks and treats for children at Grandfather Home and lunch provided for the staff.



Around Rumble

Presbyterian Women Circle News and Meetings

Moderator Linda Mauldin 295-3327

Circle I will meet Monday July 2 at 6:00 in the Rumble 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 10:00 in the Rumble House or a member's home.
Jean Baskin 295-0901

Circle IV will meet Monday July 9 at 1:00 in the Rumble House. Members gather at 1:00 for fellowship and refreshments and the meeting starts at 1:30. Betty Womack 912-687-6483

Circle V will meet at 9:30 Wednesday July 9 in the Rumble 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

August 10-12, 2018

UPDATE TO REGISTER

Time is arriving to sign up for the annual women's retreat at Montreat, August 10-12. This will be different from our usual Rumble Women's Retreat because this is organized by the Montreat Conference Center. It is entitled WOMEN'S CONNECTION and you register on their website: www.montreat.org/women If you are staying at the Assembly Inn the cost is \$340/person, double occupancy, private bath and \$440/person, single occupancy, private bath. Other places to stay are Winsborough, Glen Rock Inn or Glen Rock Apartment with different rates. This includes food, housing, conference fee and the inspiring speaker, Kate Bowler's new book, *Everything Happens for a Reason and Other Lies I've Loved*. She will share her life story on Saturday evening at 7:00 and sign her book for you Saturday morning. As you register you will sign up for the Saturday morning and afternoon workshops that will be inspiring and focused on your interest. The conference will close with a worship service on Sunday.

Happy
Birthday

July BIRTHDAYS

- 1 Martha Spann
- 2 Kent Leonard
- 7 Jim Nelson
- 8 Debbie Brenner
- 9 Lou Moore
- 10 Bill Thorn
- 10 Richard Bevington
- 11 Sally Gunn
- 14 Eula Calvin
- 15 David Maner
- 15 Danny Kirkland
- 15 Joe Alexander
- 16 Mary Holstein
- 16 Walt Baggstrom
- 16 Bob Moore
- 20 Kathryn Holliday
- 20 Lorraine Mann
- 22 Josephine Beall
- 22 Sylvia Tarleton
- 23 Janice Robinson
- 23 Stephanie Hankins
- 24 Vicki Worsham
- 24 Kenneth Wright
- 26 Kay Jones
- 27 Tracy Markland
- 28 Mike Capristo
- 29 Ken Humphries
- 29 Martha Ameika
- 29 Jimmy Jones
- 31 Karen Clabough

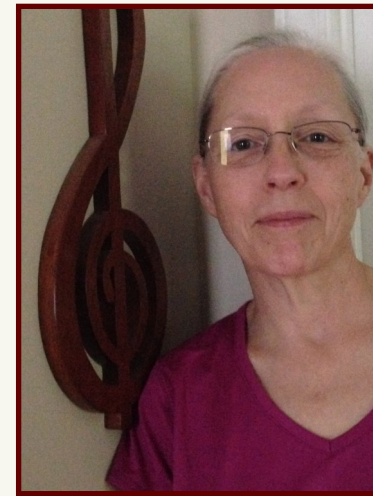


Welcome to Rumble's New Staff Members



Holly Bannan

Holly is serving as our Interim Director of Discipleship. She received her BS in Special Education from Lander University. She taught in the public school system. In addition to her teaching experience, she has served in several churches over the past twelve years as a Pastoral Intern, Assistant Worship Leader, and Contemporary Worship Leader. Here at Rumble, her primary areas of responsibility will be with Christian Formation, but you will also see her leading worship, participating in fellowship, and with all aspects of congregational life. Holly's favorite saying is "Love God, Love Others." She has a passion for sharing God's word and developing relationships with God through the study of scripture, music, and community.



Julie Anderson

Julie Anderson is serving as our Nursery Supervisor. She has a Music Education degree from Wittenberg University as well as a Masters in Education from the University of New England. During her teaching career, she taught band, chorus, and general music to students from preschool to junior college. She has also served in her churches as an organist, accompanist, choir director, and Sunday School teacher. When she is not serving in our nursery, Julie cares for her three granddaughters, baking (especially bread), learning Swedish, and volunteering in the music program at Blowing Rock School.



Mary Leah Reece

Mary Leah Reece is serving as our Nursery Assistant. She is currently a sophomore at Caldwell Community College, pursuing a study in music therapy. She plans to graduate from there and pursue her associates degree. She enjoys working with young children.

Open Doors on South Main is a ministry of hospitality that Rumple is now sharing with St. Mary's of the Hills Episcopal, BRAHM, and the Blowing Rock Historical Society. Rumple's sanctuary and the Rumple House will be open for visitors each Saturday there is an *Art in the Park*. Would you like to volunteer to greet guests and answer questions on one of these Saturdays? (Information will be provided to help you.) Please contact Judy Lilly, judy.a.lilly@gmail.com.



Would you like to become a member or affiliate member of Rumple? On Sundays July 15 and August 5 Rumple will host a Welcome Class at 9:45 in Kathy's study. New members will meet with the Session at 10:30 and then be introduced during 11:00 worship. If you plan to attend, please speak to Kathy, indicate your interest on the visitor card or on the fellowship pad, or call Hazel in the church office.



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. Thank you to those that have given to the scholarship already. It is not too late to give! Be sure to notate "ASU Choral Scholar," in the memo line of your check.

Be sure to join the old fashioned hymn sing on Sunday morning, July 1 at 10:40 in the sanctuary.

Thank you from Kathy and Lance for the Reception



Best Wishes to Natasha Sudderth

Rumple celebrates with our member, Natasha Sudderth, who was ordained June 24 by St. Augustine's Presbytery in Florida.

If you would like to read more about Natasha and her ministry, you can visit the website she set up as she was seeking a call for a pastoral position: www.howbeautifultheway.info Password: spiritandlife

If you'd like to send Natasha a card of congratulations, please send it to: First Presbyterian Church 511 S.E. Third Street, Ocala, FL 34471



Serving Communion for the First Time



Flowers given to celebrate her ordination by the Rumple Session



Natasha and Charlie Landreth former Interim Pastor at Rumple

Concerns and Cares

Rumple members Jim Ruff, recovering from surgery; Brenda Lentz, chemotherapy treatments; Darby Teander, serving as a Young Adult Volunteer; Bill and Pat Magruder, Recie Craig, Erin Tobin and Drew Taylor, active duty in military;

Family and friends of Rumple Susie Reynonds, sister of Patty Laubach; Brennan Smith, son of Jeff and Angela Smith; Leslie Novilla's friend Meg, pancreatic cancer; Debbie Brenner's mother, Betty Kern, with health issues; 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 grieve with the family and friends of Doug and Mary Holstein in the death of their daughter, Sally, on 6/22 in FL; the family and friends of Doug Stover, in the death of his wife, Elizabeth, on 6/23 in SC

New address for Sally Gunn is 1721 W. Sandridge Court, Ocean Isle Beach, NC 28469

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 and we'll make sure you are added to our email list.

Congregational Care News and Events

There will be complimentary blood pressure checks by AppFaithHealth on 7/1 in conjunction with the after worship *Lemonade on the Lawn*.

Also, there are extra booklets still available for taking in the Library following the well received Fellowship Hall workshop and discussion facilitated by MediHome Health and Hospice on 6/3. Additionally there is one large paperback book there for perusal, "The Unbroken Circle" toolkit for congregations around illness, grief and end of life.

L—Library
 RH—Rumple House
 FH—Fellowship Hall
 ACU—Adult Classroom Upstairs
 PS—Pastor's Study

July 2018 at Rumple

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 8:45 Worship 9:45 Sunday School w/ Al and Ellen 10:40 Old Fashion Hymn Sing 11:00 Worship 12:00 Lemonade on the Lawn	2 6:00 Circle 1 (RH)	3	4 Church Office Closed Happy July 4th	5	6	7 BR July 4 Parade (Youth Parking Lot) 3:30 HOA Mtg (FH)
8 8:45 Worship 9:45 Sunday School 9:45 Children's Sunday School begins 11:00 Worship 12:00 Lemonade on the Lawn	9 1:00 Circle 4 (RH) 4:00 Missions (L)	10	11 9:30 Bible Study (L) 9:30 Circle 5 (RH) 7:00 Sanctuary Choir	12 10:30 Prayer Shawl (RH)	13	14 Art in the Park (BR) CARES Parking Lot
15 8:45 Worship 9:30 Welcome Class (PS) 9:45 Sunday School 11:00 Worship 12:00 Lemonade on the Lawn	16 10:00 Circle 3 (RH) 4:00 Finance (L)	17 Rotary Blood Drive (FH)	18 9:30 Bible Study (RH) 11:30 Staff Mtg (L) 7:00 Sanctuary Choir	19	20	21
22 8:45 Worship 9:45 Sunday School 11:00 Worship 12:00 Lemonade on the Lawn 12:30 Depart for Montreat Youth Conference	23 5:30 Session (RH)	24	25 9:30 Bible Study (RH) 11:30 Staff Mtg (L) 7:00 Sanctuary Choir	26	27	28
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