

AMEN CORNER



Dear WUMC Hand In Hand Friends—We can't thank you enough...but we hope you know we appreciate everything you've done...just another "Thank You" for your continued support of Mo' Falls! May God continue to richly bless each one of you for the kindness you have shown to this school; and especially to these students! The gift cards that you have given us to distribute to needy families will put many smiles on the faces of children in a few weeks J.

~ With much gratitude, Shanda Adkins, Moravian Falls Elementary School Principal [See the Thank You card signed by MFES staff posted on the bulletin board in the Education Building.]



Thank you to everyone who sent cards, gifts, and well-wishes to me and my family this Christmas. I am grateful for your loving-kindness and care.

~ Pastor Karen



I wish to express great gratitude for Jim Brooks, Markus Giles, and John Henry Groce for their service and dedication to our worship services. When I worried that I would have to cancel the Christmas Eve service Jim was adamant that it would go forward, volunteering to lead that service and, at the last minute, the service on the 26th as well. Markus jumped in enthusiastically and learned how to perform the necessary technology roles to livestream the service. John Henry, as always, was the steadfast presence that prepared the sanctuary, welcomed the people, and was the last to go home after seeing everyone else off and securing the building. The truth is, none of them will believe that they deserve thanks, but I offer my gratitude anyway for it brought me peace knowing that the act of worship is the work of the people - not just the pastor - and this Christmas Jim, Markus, and John Henry showed us the beauty of such work.

~ Pastor Karen



Jim & Brenda Dale moved to Jasper, Georgia on December 30, 2021. Jasper is nicknamed "The First Mountain City," and is located 50 miles north of Atlanta. Jim & Brenda enjoyed 42 years of being Wilkesboro United Methodist family in Wilkes.

If you would like to share greetings to stay in touch, please send to:

Mr. & Mrs. Jim Dale, (678) 454-7048
Rock Creek Manor
70 Cagle Mill Road Apt 8
Jasper, GA 30143



Amen! Wilkes Ministry of h.o.p.e. shares a heartwarming "God Moment" in their December newsletter. It is truly a testimony that God knows and cares for our needs/desires (like preparing specific meals). It's available to read on the bulletin boards in the sanctuary and Education building. "Your support is making a difference in the lives of families in Wilkes County! Thank You—John Triplett"

JANUARY 2022 CELEBRATIONS

Happy Birthday!

1 Ray Beshears, Jim Day, Becky Lakey, Ray Rich; **2** Jackie McEntire, Rachel Miller; **3** Jim Davenport, Caroline Randolph, Laura Snyder; **4** Pam Whittington; **5** Hailey Dills, Herb Taylor; **6** Rosie Drum, Charles Wise; **7** Trenton Greene, Trevor Greene, Aidyn Harkless; **8** Terri Groce; **9** Tom Kinlaw; **10** Joseph Bumgarner, Terry Pierce; **12** Cynthia Sturdivant; **13** Ansley Joyce, Misty Smithey; **14** Jeremy Dull, Rob Thornburg; **15** Ashlyn Chavez, Modio Chavez II; **17** Cathy Freeman, Shirley Inscore; **18** Stephen Dills; **20** Paul Barelski, Jake Shepard; **22** Stan Clark, Cary Rousseau; **24** Leigh Combs, Molly Kolstad; **25** Rebekah Lakey, Sonny Thomas III; **28** John York; **30** Van Souther



Happy Anniversary!

21 Todd & Beth Hubbard; **27** Ken & Kim Hayes

Contact the church office if you have not seen your birthday or anniversary posted and would like it to be shared in the Newsletter.

PRAYER CONCERNS

[12/29/21]



Please let pastor Karen or the church office know if you would like prayer, or know of church family and/or friends in need of prayer.

- **Members**—Jean Alvis, Jeff Atwell, Family of Kathy Benfield, Family of Jean Brown, Chuck Byers, Bobbie Burke, Diana Cecil, Debra Cox, Jim & Brenda Dale, Jim & Pat Day, Anne Groce, Frances Howell, Françoise Hughes, Becky Lakey, Marie Lenderman & Family, Greg Luck, John Mabry, Sherry Mabry, Family of Deloris Porter, Adam Randolph, Caroline Randolph, Antha Reid & Family, Jean Stetler, Herb Taylor, Ray Triplett, Barton Waddell, Family of Donna Webber, Ernie Winslow, Randall Woodruff
- **Residing In**—Accordius Health: Buddy Hulcher, Bob Webber; Rose Glen Village: Bobbie Blake, Jean Garwood, Wanda Garwood; Villages of Wilkes: Mary Lou Brooks
- **Friends & Relatives**—Jessica Barbosa, Beth Bishop, Mona Brandon, Vernon Eller, Graeme of WA, Darrell Harrold, Joyce Hayes, Jonnie Honeycutt, Shannon Hughes, Sherry Mabry's family, Chris May, Kim McGuire, Family of Dorothy Snyder Myers, Stephen Nobles, Holly Porter & Family, Hannah Riley, Ridge Riley, Gerald Stierwalt, Brenda Williams, Becky Wilson, Remi Kyle Worthman
- **In the Military**—Tyler Bowman, Aaron Jones
- **In the World**—Individuals who do not know Jesus Christ as Lord. AND all who are sick, unemployed, and challenged by the effects of COVID-19.

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