



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

Steve's Corner

This Sunday I will conclude the series on the Commands of Christ with: The Love Commands of Christ. The text is Matthew 22:34-40. In Sunday School I am beginning a study of the virtue of Forbearance and its accompanying virtues: humility, patience and hope, wisdom, faithfulness, friendship, truth and justice. Forbearance is a beautiful but forgotten virtue in today's world. Let's take a look at it .

I am beginning my sermon planning for the Season of Grace and I want your help. Would you let me know what you would like to hear a sermon on? Some Text, or Topic, or Question? You can email me with your suggestion. My Email is shoe1948@yahoo.com.

Our Lenten offering this year is now complete. \$1389.70 was collected plus all the items donated.

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

The week of April 15-21, 2018

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

NEW PRAYER REQUESTS

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:
Edith Harris, Anita Johnson,
Gay Shaver, Robert Riese,
Brian Bumgardner and family,
Casey Leslie, Georgia Theriot,
Teddy Raye, Mae Cashdollar,
caregivers, and healthcare
workers, Earthquake and Wild
fire victims, homeless
children, our nations
immigrants.

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,
Mary Jane Johnson, Travis
Clower, Caleb Sisk.

Celebrations:

Birthdays:

17 - Betty Orren
19- Sarah Rawls
21 - Steve Shoemaker
21 - Ruby Angell

Anniversaries:

18 - Greg & Jean Gibson

Elizabeth Brown appreciative of wedding shower last week.

Concerns:

Jim Streetman has the flu.

Gay's cousin with spina bifida passed away.

George's brother-n-law, Ken Masser, had a heart attack.

Our world—Syria....

Zootastic

Family that house burned down.

End of school stress for students.

All decisions made about gun violence at the government level.

Upcoming Events

April 22 - Shower for Katelyn McMillan at Grace.
2:00pm-4:00pm.

June 2 - Engagement/Wedding party for Steve and Sue.
6:00pm to 9:00pm at the Statesville Women's Club.

June 3 - The choir will be coordinating a Grace Potluck to celebrate with Steve and Sue after the wedding on the 3rd. More details to come.

Announcements

Please sign up to mow. The list is on the bulletin board.

Please donate items to be sent for care packages for our college students for exam

Calendar

Wednesday

7:00pm - Choir Practice

Sunday

10:00am - Sunday School

11:00am - Worship

Scripture for the Week

Matthew 22:34-40

SUNDAY'S SERMON

Commands of Christ:
Love

Budget

Needed year to date: \$25,043.40
Received year to date: \$23,724.00
Under budget: \$1319.40
Weekly needs: \$1669.56

Weekly Assignments

Church Maintenance
Starrette/Lippard

Worship Leader

David Comer

Worship Reader

Neal Grose

Second Hour Helpers

Kevin Angell &
Phyllis Rogers
Alt. Tom Wiberg

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