



# The Beacon



Jesus said, "I am the light of the world." John 8:12

August 2023

## happy church anniversary

2004

Pastor Dave & Laura Pryor  
Celebrating 19 years at Red Mountain

2023

We are collecting non-perishable food items for the Yates Baptist Association Food Pantry July-Sept. Please place your donations in the food barrel located in the Welcome Center.



### We Received a Thank You Note From:



- ✍ Lumpy and Sheila Compton
- ✍ Don and Connie Garrett

## Welcome

### New Members

Bill & Dale McGrath  
Pete McGrath  
(Transfer of Membership)



The Women and Men's Bible Study Groups are postponed for the summer. Study will resume in September.



*We extend our sympathy and prayers to:*

Allison Bowers and her family in the death of her mother, Barbara Powell

A heartfelt "Thank-you" to everyone who attended VBS this year and to all of our volunteers. We had an average of 130 in attendance and over \$3000 was given for our W.V. Missions.

Ladies, you are invited to a luncheon with the **Roxboro Christian Women's Club**, on Thursday, August 17<sup>th</sup> at 12pm at the Homestead Steakhouse in Timberlake. The cost is \$14. Please RSVP to Susan at 336-364-7777 by August 13<sup>th</sup>. Follow us on [Facebook](#) for upcoming events.

### Coming up in September...

- 3rd - The Lord's Supper
- 5th - Women's Bible Study resumes
- 17th - Homecoming
- 18th - Men's Bible Study resumes
- 24th - 27th - Community Revival



**Building Loan Balance**  
(as of 07/13/2023)  
**\$ 235,127**



### Pastor Dave's Message for the Month

What will you leave your children or grandchildren when your life on this earth comes to an end? I know that is a morbid question to ask, but we all need to think about this topic. Many people focus on leaving their children money, possessions, property, family heirlooms, or something else. All those things are good to leave for our children. The Bible tells us we should leave an inheritance for our children. Proverbs 13:22 says, "A good *man* leaves an inheritance to his children's children."

But are you leaving more than just material items for your children? What type of godly inheritance are you leaving for your children? Proverbs 20:7 says, "The righteous *man* walks in his integrity; his children are blessed after

him." God desires for us to live in such a godly way that our children will be blessed. Now is the time to live for God and live by His Word. Now is the time to teach our children the Word of God and the importance of living by it. Now is the time to teach our children the importance of attending and being actively involved in church. Now is the time to show our children the importance for serving God and serving others. If we want our children to be blessed by God when we are gone, then we need to leave them a godly legacy. We need to be men and women of godly integrity so our children can learn from our example, and they too can live godly lives. It is never too late to start. I encourage you to not only leave a material inheritance for your children but also leave a godly inheritance.

For His glory,

*Pastor Dave*



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# AUGUST 2023 BIRTHDAYS & EVENTS

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		<b>1</b>  <i>Penny Pendleton</i>	<b>2</b> Wed. Night Service 7p	W.V. Mission Trip 8/3 - 8/6		<b>5</b>  <i>Craig Watson</i> <i>Christi Davis</i>
<b>6</b> Worship Service 8:45a & 11:00a Sunday Sch. 10am	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b> Missions Night 7p	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>
<b>13</b> Worship Service 8:45a & 11:00a Sunday Sch. 10am  Deacons Mtg 4p	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>  <i>Nathan Young</i>	<b>16</b> Business Mtg 6:45p Wed. Night Service 7p	<b>17</b> RCWC Luncheon @Homestead 12p	<b>18</b>  <i>Carol Carden</i>	<b>19</b> Youth Lake Retreat
<b>20</b> Worship Service 8:45a & 11a Sunday Sch. 10am  Missions Celebration 6p <i>Summer Wilkins</i>	<b>21</b>  <i>Dorinda Laughinghouse</i>	<b>22</b>  <i>Steve Copley</i>	<b>23</b> Wed. Night Service 7p	<b>24</b>  <i>Paul Terry</i>	<b>25</b>  <i>Josh Garrett</i> <i>Norma Grinstead</i>	<b>26</b>
<b>27</b> Worship Service 8:45a & 11a Sunday Sch. 10am	<b>28</b>  <i>Wade Ellis</i> <i>Cameron Lewis</i> <i>Adam Riggs</i>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b> Wed. Night Service 7p	<b>31</b>	<b>Memory Verse</b> "The righteous <i>man</i> walks in his integrity; his children <i>are</i> blessed after him." Proverbs 20:7	