

CHURCH BRIEFS

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Cape Colony Church

Cape Colony Church, at 830 Soundside Road, will have a spring revival at 7 p.m. April 10-12. The speaker will be Pastor Bud Ball and will include special music each night. A nursery will be provided. Come join us to be revived again.

Greater Welch's Chapel Missionary Church

Rev. Franklin L. Griffin, Jr. and Pastor Carolyn V. Griffin will celebrate their 36th Pastor's Anniversary at 11:30 a.m. Sunday, April 28. The guest speaker will be Rev. T.J. Etheridge of Raleigh. Please join us in celebrating Pastor Griffin 36 years of service. For more information, contact President Susan Brothers for any information at susan.t.brothers@gmail.com

Edenton Baptist Church

Our worship during the Sundays of Lent are focusing on how we can know God through the "I Am" statements of Jesus that are found in the Gospel of John. The sermon title for April 14 is I Am the Way, the Truth & the Life (John 14:1-7). We have a special program, The Bridge, for 2nd - 6th graders during the worship hour, as well as Children's Church for K-1st graders, and nursery care. Wednesday evenings at EBC offer choir and mission groups for children ages Pre-K through 6th Grade, and Bible study for Young Adults and Adults. Edenton Baptist Church is a Cooperative Baptist Fellowship congregation, located at 200 S. Granville St. For information, see our website www.edentonbaptist.org or call 482-3217.

Edenton United Methodist Church

Edenton United Methodist Church, 225 Virginia Road, has Sunday services at 8:45-10 a.m. in the Family Life Center and 11 a.m. in the sanctuary. Sunday School for all ages is at 10 a.m. each week. Nursery is available for all services. For information, call 482-

3269. During Lent, there will also be a short-term adult study. The church will also observe Holy Week by participating in the ecumenical services. In addition, we will have Maundy Thursday services at 7 p.m. April 18 and Good Friday services at 7 p.m. April 19.

Emmanuel Gospel

Emmanuel Full Gospel Church at 145 Jamestown Road, Merry Hill, will participate in the Shekinah Glory Conference at Whosoever-will COGIC 4109 Walker Drive, Edenton, takes place starting at 10 a.m. Saturday, April 13. Speaker is pastor Connie Vaughan.

Faith Pentecostal Holiness Church

Join us for services at 10:45 a.m. Sundays and 7 p.m. Wednesdays. Faith Pentecostal Holiness Church is at 1614 Virginia Road.

Happy Home Church

Pastor Walter Byrum and the congregation of Happy Home Church invite you to join us in worship and fellowship on Sunday and Wednesday at 534 Happy Home Road in Tyner. Please see our website, www.hh-church.me, for a full listing of service times and other information.

Liberty in Yahweh Worship Center

Liberty in Yahweh Worship Center, 2862 Virginia Road, Tyner, invites you to join us for Saturday services, starting at 10 a.m. Call 214-629-9540 for information.

Macedonia Baptist Church

Come join us at Macedonia Baptist Church, 1004 Macedonia Road, Edenton. Services are scheduled as follows: Sunday — Sunday School, 10 a.m., Worship Service, 11 a.m., Evening Bible Study, 6:30 p.m., Youth, 5:45 p.m., and Children in Action, 6 p.m.; Wednesday — Prayer Meeting, 7:30 p.m., Youth, 7 p.m.

Rocky Hock Baptist Church

An exciting kids event is coming up on April 13 (rain date April 20). Our Community Easter Egg Drop will be held at 11:30 a.m. at Rocky Hock Baptist Church. There will be lunch, games and

prizes for the kids, we will share the Easter story and we will drop thousands of Easter eggs from a helicopter for the kids to gather.

Shalom International Church

The church will host "The Wailing Women's Family Life Conference" on April 19-20 at the Hilton Garden Inn, 100 E. Constance Road, Suffolk, Va. For information, call 757-925-1300. The church, at 701 A. North Broad St., Edenton, hosts Sunday prayer from 9:30-10:30 a.m.; Sunday morning prayer service starts at 10:30 a.m.; Wednesday intercessory prayer from 6:30-7:30 p.m.; Wednesday midweek empowerment starts at 7:30 p.m.

St. Anne Catholic Church

St. Anne Catholic Church offers the following Mass schedule during Holy Week and Easter Triduum, 15 — 21 April: Ecumenical Services, Monday-Friday at noon in the Church followed by lunch in the Church Hall; Holy Thursday, 7 p.m., bilingual Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper (Church Hall); Good Friday, 3 p.m., Liturgy of the Passion and Death of the Lord (Church Hall) & 7 p.m. (Spanish) in the Church; Holy Saturday, 8 p.m., bilingual Easter Vigil Mass (Church Hall); Easter Sunday, Mass of the Resurrection of the Lord; 8:30 a.m. (Church Hall); 10 a.m. (Church); 12:30 p.m., Spanish (Church). All are welcome!

Melton Grove Church

Melton Grove Pre-Men's Day Concert will be held starting at 3 p.m. Sunday, April 14. Various male chorus groups will be performing. All are welcome. For more information, the church can be reached at 426-9555.

Matthew 25:35-36 Ministries

Meal, box food, clothing, diapers, formula, new children's coats are offered the second Saturday of each month starting at 2 p.m. at 1211 Beech Spring Rd, Tyner. Bring picture id and WIC card (for diapers and formula).

St. Paul's Episcopal Church

Please join us for Sunday morning worship at 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. Nursery is provided during the 11 o'clock service. Breakfast is served in the parish hall at 9 a.m. Sunday school starts at 9:45 a.m. The church is at 101 W. Gale St. in Edenton. For information, call 482-3522 or visit our website at www.stpauls-edenton.org. All are welcome.

St. Luke Disciples of Christ

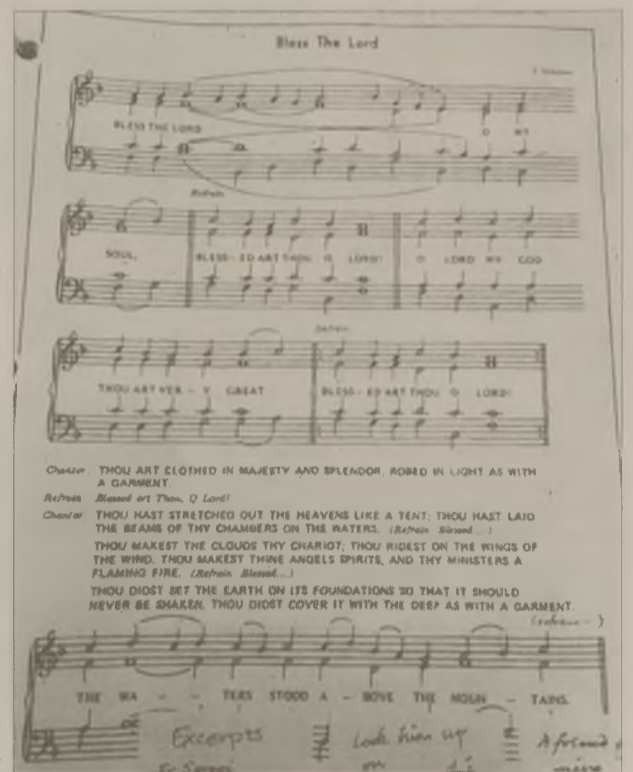
In remembrance of our loved ones, St. Luke Disciples Church, 1215 Vann St., (Paradise Road) Edenton, will be having a Memorial Day Service at 1:30 p.m. May 26. Also, come and enjoy fellowship with us each second and fourth Sunday.

'BLESS THE LORD'



MILES LAYTON/CHOWAN HERALD

Let's just say it like it is — a capella Russian Orthodox music stirred the soul and perhaps brought people closer to God. The sanctuary was packed when the clergy performed recently at St. George's — which has been undergoing some impressive renovations. Sponsored by the Chowan Arts Council and the church, the a capella group, who dressed in black robes, did not disappoint. The Deanery clergy were also in Edenton for their semi annual retreat. While publishing the words to "Bless the Lord" as a photo doesn't do the harmony justice, perhaps they serve as a reminder to those readers who acknowledge God's grace.



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Apply now for summer camps

From Submitted Reports

Spring is here, but summer will be here before you know it.

Plan ahead to register your child(ren) for eight weeks of Summer Camp at the Boys & Girls Club/Edenton Unit, starting June 24 through Aug. 15.

Applications are available and the fee is \$250 for the eight weeks. The camp has limited space and is available on a first-come, first-served basis.

The camp schedule includes camp at the club, Mondays through Wednesdays, and field trips on Thursdays. The club will be closed each Friday.

Lunch and snack will be

provided each day.

Transportation will be available. Morning pick-up will be at 7:30 at the Rose's parking lot, with drop off at 5:45 p.m. Students can be dropped off at the club each day at 8 a.m. Staff will be on site to receive them. Pick up from the club each afternoon is at 5:30 p.m. If your child is picked up late, there will be a \$10 fee of \$10.

The Northern Recreation Center will be available for the campers to attend three days a week for fitness and fun. Stop by the club and pick up your application(s) and sign your child up for a great summer at the BGC.

For information, call 252-482-7082 and ask for Unit Director Susan Brothers.

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