

## CHURCH BRIEFS

### Ministry raising gifts for children

World Care Ministry is working with the North Carolina Air and Army National Guard units to provide Christmas and Thanksgiving gifts to families of troops.

Persons are asked to drop off gifts of toys, games, clothes, diapers for newborn and infants, grocery and department store gift cards, phone cards, footballs, care bears, soccer balls, Bratz dolls and accessories, basketballs, Barbie accessories, Lego blocks, Power Rangers, portable CD/radio players, cassette records, Crayola First Art Studio, Lite Bite cubes, Rescue Heroes, bicycles with safety helmets, Gameboy XP and games, leap frog pad with books, Yu-gi-ho cards, toddler three-wheelers, and Spiderman toys and games for children ages newborn through 17 years.

The collection center is the Kings Mountain Police Station. Items should be dropped off by November 12.

For more information, call World Care Ministry at 923-0777.

### Family Conference at Mt. Olive Baptist

The mission department of Mt. Olive Baptist Church is sponsoring a family conference Saturday, Oct. 30.

Registration is at 9 a.m. and there will be a devotion at 9:30. The theme is "Communication Within the Family and Church Family" and facilitator is Dr. Mary D. Williams of Spartanburg, SC.

For more information call Carolyn Robbins at 739-4264.

### Special service at Second Baptist

Dallas Holm will be in worship Sunday, Nov. 14 at 11 a.m. at Second Baptist Church, 120 Linwood Road, Kings Mountain.

A love offering will be received.

For more information call the church at 739-4216.

### Trunk or Treat at Macedonia Baptist

Trunk or Treat will be held Saturday, Oct. 30 at 6:30 p.m. at Macedonia Baptist Church, 1101 S. Battleground Ave., Kings Mountain.

Admission is one can of food per person.

There will be food, fun, fellowship and treats.

### Thanksgiving hams, turkeys to be sold

Macedonia Baptist Church Brotherhood and Activities Ministry is taking orders for slow-cooked turkeys and hams for Thanksgiving.

The cost is \$25 for ham and \$20 for turkey. Orders may be picked up on Thanksgiving morning from 8-10 a.m.

For more information or to place an order call the church at 739-6811.

### Revival to be held at True Gospel HC

Rev. Bill Daniels of Kernersville will be guest speaker for revival services next week at True Gospel Holiness Church, 1608 Shelby Road, Kings Mountain.

Services are at 6 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 31 and at 7 p.m. November 1-5.

Rev. LeAnn Chapman, pastor, invites the public.

### Pastor appreciation set at First Wesleyan

Pastor Appreciation Day will be held Sunday, Oct. 31 at First Wesleyan Church, Kings Mountain.

Rev. Don Williams has been pastor of the church for 10 years.

There will be a catered meal after the service. A table will be set up for gifts and cards of appreciation.

The public is invited.

### Rev. Allen to speak at Gastonia church

Rev. James E. Allen, former pastor of the Family Worship Center, Kings Mountain, will speak at the morning worship service at Yorkwood Church of God, Gastonia, October 31 at 10:45 a.m.

The public is invited.

### Gospel concert set at Westover

The Songsters will be in concert Sunday, October 31 at 6 p.m. at Westover Baptist Church, 114 Westover Drive, Kings Mountain.

Refreshments will be served after the singing. The public is invited.

### Fall Festival set at Central UMC

There will be a church-wide fall festival Saturday, Oct. 30 from 5:30-7:30 p.m. at Central United Methodist Church, Kings Mountain.

For more information call 739-2471 ext. 15.

### Breakfast, bake sale set at El Bethel UMC

El Bethel United Methodist Church, Kings Mountain, will have a breakfast and bake sale on election day, November 2, beginning at 7 a.m.

Ham and sausage biscuits, muffins, cookies, cakes and pies will be available at the parsonage beside the church, 122 El Bethel Road.

### Fun day to raise money for Bibles

Equestrian Ministries Saddle Club will have a family fun day October 30 from 11 a.m.-3 p.m. at B&B Arena, off Hwy. 55 on Beamguard Road, Clover, SC.

There will be games for people and horses, music and a drill team performance at noon.

Take a chair. Concessions are available.

Proceeds will go to purchase Bibles to be given

away at horse events.

For more information call Wanda Wood at 684-0076 or 230-8810 on the day of the event.

### Ministerial Assn. to meet Nov. 10

The Kings Mountain Ministerial Association will meet Wednesday, Nov. 10 at 11:45 a.m. at Summit Place.

### Scrapbook class at Emmanuel Baptist

A basic scrapbooking class will be held November 9 from 6:30-8 p.m. at Emmanuel Baptist Church, 602 Canterbury Road, Kings Mountain.

The class is free. Participants will make a fall fun theme page for scrapbooks and learn how to use rubber stamping in scrapbooks. Take fall theme photos to mount. Colors used are white, summer sun, ruby red and creamy caramel.

Class size is limited. Refreshments will be served. Call Tammy Howell at 739-0642 to sign up or for more information.

The Herald appreciates your church news. Bring news items by the Herald at 824-1 East King Street, phone the news department at 739-7496, fax 739-0611 or e mail gstewart@kingsmountainherald.com. The deadline is Monday at 12 noon.

## BRIEFS

### Arts Society presents awards

Gateways to the South awards were presented at October 8th for the Southern Arts Society's most recent show.

Honorable mentions went to Susan Bell for her pastel drawing "Rodeo Queen," Lynn Eskridge for her hand-split, hand-woven white oak basket; Chris Tessnear for her watercolor "Pilgrims Progress" and to Joyce Netzler for her watercolor "The Hot Seat."

Third place went to Bonnie Price of Shelby for her clay piece "Salute to a Southern Lady." Second place went to Jack Greenfield of Kings Mountain for his realistic watercolor "Deep Gap in January." First place went to Jewel P. Elliott of Casar for her mixed media "Cotton South."

The last day to see this show will be Saturday, November 6. Art Center hours are Friday 3 to 7 p.m., Saturday and Sunday from 1 to 4 p.m., and other times by appointment by calling 704-739-5585.

## MEDITATION

# We need reminders of what life's about

Many believers are skeptical of contemporary science, but whatever one's opinion there is no doubt that there is excitement when scientists publish their conclusions.

One group of scientists has worked for a number of years trying to decode the human genome. At first, they thought that humans possessed as many as 100,000 genes, but the latest count is now down to approximately 20,000, which puts us in the category of certain plants. This kind of news is a blow to our pride, but there is nothing wrong with having our pride deflated once in a while.

There was a certain doctor who had an interesting routine. On two days during the year he would go upstairs to his closet and take out a coat that was out of style and in pitiful condition. One sleeve of this coat was covered with a homemade patch and the coat as a whole was tawdry, stringy

and dirty. One of his patients noticed him with the coat and asked him why he didn't just get rid of it.

The doctor replied that he had gotten that coat while he was an intern in New York City. One cold winter night someone came knocking at his door. When he opened it, he found a little girl pleading with him to come and help her little brother. He followed the girl to a one-bedroom tenement apartment in lower Manhattan, where a little boy lay terribly sick. There was no heat in the room and no sign of food. But there was evidence of love, for the doctor found there a terribly distraught mother and father hovering over their little boy.

The young doctor did everything he could, but in spite of his best efforts, the little boy died right in front of him. The doctor was shivering not only from the hurt of the boy's death, but also because of the lack of heat in that tiny apartment. Noticing his discomfort, the boy's father took off his own coat and gave it to him and

said, "Here, you're cold. Take this, and thank you for coming and trying to save our little boy."

The doctor realized then that there was only one way that couple could possibly thank him. He didn't have the heart to refuse the coat or give it back. After he became prominent and wealthy, twice a year - on the anniversary of that boy's death and on the anniversary of the day he got his diploma to be a doctor - he made it a custom to take that coat out of his closet and wear it as a reminder.

"This coat reminds me of what it's all about," he said. Jesus once said that the meek would inherit the earth. There's always been speculation about what it means to be "meek," but I think that doctor is a good example of meekness. And like him, I suspect that all of us need an occasional reminder of what it's all about.

Jeff Hensley is pastor of Kings Mountain Baptist Church



Jeff Hensley Meditation



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By 1 lb. or box

**Field Peas**  
Shelled or Unshelled

**Fruits Juices/Ciders**  
By Bottle or Case

**Jams, Jellies, Etc.**

**Salad Greens**  
U-pick begins Friday

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9:00-6:00 Weekdays  
9:00-4:00 Saturdays  
Sunday 1:00 - 5:00pm

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<b>\$799</b>	<b>\$949</b>	<b>\$1049</b>	<b>\$1,199</b>	<b>\$1,399</b>	<b>\$1,649</b>

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Laminate Flooring.....	1.79 sq.ft.
No Wax.....	4.49 sq.yd.
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Title Glue.....	4.95 qt. 9.95 gal.
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**MATERIALS FOR STORAGE BUILDINGS**

8X8.....	605.73	10X12.....	802.82
10X10.....	752.91	12X16.....	1077.09

Prices Do Not Include Tax

**MATERIALS FOR TREATED DECK**

8X8.....	227.54	12X14.....	435.50
10X10.....	292.67	12X16.....	536.16
12X12.....	375.26	16X16.....	685.05

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Hardboard.....	8.95
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TILEBOARD.....	10.95
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2x6.....	3.25	4.47	5.19	6.05
2x8.....	5.49	6.25	7.25	8.25
2x10.....	7.35	8.45	10.65	12.40
2x12.....	8.19	10.05	13.89	16.45
2x12.....	10.95	12.99	17.45	19.45
1x4.....	2.39	2.89	3.39	
1x6.....	3.89	4.79	5.49	
5/4X6.....	3.89	4.69	5.55	6.36
2x2.....	1.99	2.39	2.89	3.39
4x4.....	6.65	9.39	10.95	12.37
6x6.....	17.95	20.46	26.60	30.95
4x6.....	9.50	13.15	15.95	18.45
Lattice 4x8.....	3/4"	13.95		
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1x10.....	7.92
1x12.....	9.50
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## TRUNK OR TREAT

**FREE HOT DOGS, CANDY, HAYRIDE AND FUN AT SUMMIT PLACE OF KINGS MOUNTAIN ON PHIFER ROAD THURSDAY, OCTOBER 28TH 6:30 TILL 8:00**

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