



September

September Events

Sept. 1st — Official Board Meeting

Sept. 5th, 12th, 19th, 26th — Willow Oak Choir Rehearsals

Sept. 7th — Cleanup day at Dozier Campus, 9 a.m.

Sept 9th, 16th, 23rd, 30th — Weight Watchers Regular Meeting 10: a.m.

Sept. 15th, — All Church Dozier Picnic at the Dozier campus.

4:00 p.m.—Games, 5:00 p.m.—Picnic, - 6:00 p.m. Singing.

Annual All Church Picnic at Dozier

On Sunday evening, September 15th, we will gather at our Dozier Campus for our Annual All Church Picnic. At 4:00 p.m. there will be games for all ages. Our picnic meal will begin at 5:00 p.m. The Dozier School House will have loads of food for everyone. So ladies get our your recipes and begin planning. Drinks will be provided. There will be tables there and some chairs. If you have a chair or two it would be good to bring them. Bring your Picnic food and join us. At 6:00 p.m. we will gather in the Dozier Church for some special music by the Cicadas (Men's Choir) and opportunities to sing an old favorite. So mark your calendar and plan to join us!



From Pastor Alicia

Are not two sparrows sold for a penny?
 Yet not one of them will fall to the ground
 without God.

—Matthew 10.29

God does not go around pulling birds out of the air.
 God is not a guy sitting at a control panel.
 God does not “plan” your victory or defeat,
 cancer, your accident, the moment of your death.
 Things do not happen “for a reason.”

Stuff happens. Birds are free.

So are germs, and hurricanes, and idiots.

Love is God,
 the pure energy of being, setting us free,
 with us in every moment and movement of our freedom.

Jesus didn't say
 sparrows don't fall without a plan,
 he said they don't fall without God.

God's plan is not a mechanical routine.

God's plan is that you are free,
 and that you thrive and love.

God's plan is that whatever happens
 God is with you with love and grace.

Stop trying to figure out God's plan
 and pay attention to God's presence.

After all that's what you want:

not luck

but to be with God. – Steve Garnaas-Holmes

I'm sharing some good food for thought this month.

Grace, light and peace,

Alicia





Prayer

Concerns:

The Family of Ricky Murphy
 The Family of Ray Dean
 Doris Beesley
 Richard Gibbs
 The Communities of the
 mass shootings: Dayton,
 Ohio and El Paso, Texas
 Ned Rogers
 Kenny Rawls
 Shannon Daniels
 Mike Lynch
 Betty Woodard Family
 Jeff Dotson
 Sarah Parker ,
 Tim Boman and
 Jaxon Scott Boman
 Baby Grace
 Dot Woodard
 Charlotte Bell,
 Betsy and Josie Felts



SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

- 3 — Betty Dotson
- 6— Emily S. Hollingsworth
- 8 — Kathy Woodard
- 10 — Denise Parker
- 10 — Brent Sykes
- 12 — Lori T. Needham
- 15 — Cayce Brewer
- 16 — Ami Fletcher
- 21 — Jimmy Calvert
- 26 — Taylor Parker
- 29 — Marty Parker
- 29 — Adam Parker

SEPTEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

- 15 — Marty and Denise Parker
- 27 — Jason and Amy Morris

Worship Leader Tom Beesley

Presiding: Tom Beesley
Jack Dunn

Communion and Offering:
Dick Dean
Fisher Davis

Communion and Greeter:
Janie Calvert

Invitation to Communion:

- September 1 - Tom Beesley
- September 8 - Beth Herscher
- September 15 - Janie Calvert
- September 22 - Alecia Burton
- September 29 - Jimmy Calvert

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- September 1: Ava Heusser
- September 8: Lilly Reveyoso
- September 15: Ian Heusser
- September 22: Cammie Fulbright
- September 29: Fisher Davis



Art in the Park

**A Free Fine Arts and Folk Arts
 Festival
 September 28th
 10 a.m to 4:00 p.m**

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Central Christian Church Cupboard

Please remember that we are continuing to
Collect food items for our **Central Christian Church
Cupboard**. Lists of a box contents are available.



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