

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Thur., Sept. 3:** Ruth Kersey circle will meet at noon in the Church Library. Bring your lunch. Blood Mobile in Pine Room 2-7 PM.

**Mon., Sept. 7:** Church office closed for Labor Day.

**Tues., Sept. 8:** Finance Committee meeting at 6:45 PM. Church Council meeting at 7:30 PM.

**Wed., Sept. 9:** Music and Mission begins at 5:30 PM with Dinner. Business Meeting at 7:30 PM.

**Thur., Sept. 10:** Deadline for Angel Food orders.

**Sun., Sept. 13:** WMU Quarterly meeting at 3 PM in the Pine Room. 6:30 PM Budget Planning Meeting.

**Mon., Sept. 14:** Valirie Payne circle will meet at 8:45 AM at the church and travel to Rural Love. A "Van" circle meeting will follow.

**Sat., Sept. 19:** Angel Food distribution at 10 AM-Noon at Orange Assembly of God. **Volunteers are needed and greatly appreciated.**

**Wed., Sept. 23:** Happy Agers will travel to Fredericksburg. Meet at 10:30 AM.

**Tues., Sept. 29:** Deacons –Birthday card addressing, 7:15 PM. Deacons Meeting, 7:30 PM.

**PRAYER CONCERNS**

G. I. Johnson; Missy Moubray; Alice Lumsden; Bobby Seal; Doris Samuels; Bart Daniel; Carolyn Rogers; Bob Boyles; Ritta Browning; Johnny & Jeanie Altman; Kevin Crane; Hidmore & Margaret Walton; Rick Wheeler; Helen Hutcherson; George Shifflett; Kathryn Higginbotham; Patricia Wagner; Josephine Shuler; Mary Palmer; Dan Hager (Bill Hager's brother); Margaret Bruce (Shirley Reynolds' sister); Michael Payne (Martha Payne's son); Andrea Shell (Ray Ezell's mother); Elaine May; Bendall Boyd (Barbara Ezell's father); Mary Carothers (Ted & Genie Carothers' daughter-in-law); Gary Kopjanski; Michelle Throckmorton; Eileen Green (Teresa Hall's sister-in-law); Bobby Hewitt (Judean Hines' aunt); Bill Short (Judean Hines' uncle); Judy Ipock; Amber Burke (sister of Cody Grannis); Barbara J. Gilmore (Pam Lawson's aunt); Caleb Shifflett (friend of Brandon Lawson); C. J. Sutphin (grandson of James & Erline Arthur); Robert Pruitt (served through Angel Food Ministry); Molly Keeney; Bill Proctor; Catherine Proctor; Louis Chisholm (Brenda Morris' father); and Carrie Clawson.

STEWARDSHIP - July Unified Budget	
Receipts	\$ 19,465.40
Disbursements	\$ 23,513.54
It takes three books to worship:	
God's Book	
Song Book	
Checkbook	
Anonymous	



**CONGRATULATIONS**  
Jack and Victoria O'Leary were married on August 1, 2009.

**THANK YOU!!**

I want to thank my church family for all the prayers, phone calls, meals and flowers during my 2 surgeries this summer. I'm doing good with my hip replacement—just a slow process.

Carolyn Rogers

It is hard to find words nice enough to thank people nice as you!

Bill and I thank you and your church family so much for all the love that was shown during the time of our dear Alice Ann's passing.

Bill & Betty Proctor

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A glorious heritage, a glorious future

**OBC welcomes new members!**



We welcome Bart Daniel by transfer of letter. Barton (Bart) Neal Daniel, Esquire was born in Charlottesville, VA. He is the son of Ken and Betsy Daniel. Bart grew up the youngest of three brothers, excelling in sports and school work.

Bart graduated from Culpeper High School continuing his educational development at Radford University. After earning his undergraduate degree, Bart pursued his Juris Doctorate at George Mason University. Bart has practiced law in Northern Virginia and Virginia Beach handling legal matters such as Personal Injury, Criminal Law, Traffic Violations, Contracts, Family Law, and

Child Custody.

Bart's daughter, Whitney, is beginning her first year at Rutgers University in a pre-med curriculum. His son, Buddy, will complete high school at Fork Union Military Academy this year. Bart, Whitney, and Buddy have each earned their Black Belts in Taekwondo. Whitney continues to compete at the international level and earned the Silver Medal in 2008 for the Junior National Olympic Team.

Bart is also a certified Yoga Master and teaches classes weekly in Virginia Beach. Bart plans to move closer to Orange as God directs and he is focused on discerning that path.

**ATTENTION BOYS AND GIRLS**

School is back in session soon and so is **MUSIC and MISSIONS!**

The Lord loves you! Please come and praise Him in song and learn about and help those in need through missions around the world as well as right here in Orange.

We're planning to have some great fun and new surprises so we NEED YOU!

**YOU ALL COME!**

**September 9th at OBC**

- 5:30 Dinner Prepaid reservations are encouraged one week in advance
- 6:00—6:45 Pre-school—Grades 3—Missions  
Grades 4-5—Music  
Grades 6-12—Music
- 6:45—7:30 Preschool—Grades 3—Music  
Grades 4-5—Missions  
Grades 6-12—Missions



**Nursery Helpers for September**

Sept. 6 Carolyn & Mark Herndon  
 Sept. 13 Sharon & William Chewning  
 Sept. 20 Marsha & Barry Jacobs  
 Sept. 27 Karen Gent & Kim Bartley

**DEACONS FOR MONTH OF SEPTEMBER**

Buddy Shumake	672-4139
Rick Wheeler	672-9703
Royce Hughes	672-1483
Ted Carothers	672-0418
Harrison Cluff	832-3405
Greg Hines	672-2737

**HAPPY AGERS TIME TO MARK YOUR CALENDAR**



Wed., Sept. 23rd at 10:30 AM we are traveling to Riverside Dinner Theater for the performance of Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat. Total cost is \$44.15.

Tues., Oct. 20th at 7:30 AM we will meet and travel for our Potomac Eagle Scenic Rail Excursion, a train ride in the dining car eating a chicken luncheon. Approximate arrival home 4 PM Total Cost \$50, includes ride, lunch, taxes and gratuity. \$\$\$ for gas collected on return trip.

Tues., Nov. 18th, 11 AM we will meet in the Pine Room.

Mon., Dec. 14th, 5 PM in the church parking lot we will meet and travel to Charlottesville for a Christmas show at the John Paul Jones Arena with "The Rockettes". Cost is \$55.50 for the show and \$1.50 for gas.

Except where noted we meet at the Country Cookin' Parking lot.

N O W: C A L L DORIS SHUMAKE, 672 4139 or CORNELIA CRAUN 672 4705 with any questions.

Come join us! We are having lots of fun!

Last month 18 of us enjoyed the Safari at Natural Bridge. We fed and petted the animals and had lunch at the pavilion in a nice breeze.



Earline and James Arthur share in feeding.



Betty Duffer feeding a buffalo.



**SINGING CHRISTMAS TREE**

On Dec. 12th & 13th Orange Baptist Church will be presenting the Singing Christmas Tree! What a wonderful opportunity for our church family to present the gospel in such a unique and exciting way. I am greatly appreciative of those who have done so much in the past to create this magical service, and am indebted to the creativity and foresight that was so evident in previous years.

The Chancel Choir is already at work learning music for the program, and the rest of the church's music groups will begin preparations very soon. If you would like to sing in the Christmas tree or participate in one of our musical ensembles, please see me about your involvement.

This event will not only require musicians, however. You will have the opportunity to be involved in various other areas, such as decorating, construction, wiring, lighting, nursery, ushering and many more aspects of the program that are imperative to its success. As our church begins to prepare for the Singing Christmas Tree, please prayerfully consider your talents and your time, and where they can be used to contribute to this joyous ministry. Thank you in advance for your help and involvement in the Singing Christmas Tree.

Alan Miller

**FROM WMU**

Miss Alma Hunt once stated, "I feel inadequate, if not defeated, when a day has passed and I didn't get around to seeing someone who needed a visit or writing a letter of encouragement." "Miss Alma" was missions! The naming of the special offering for mission causes in Virginia was a way to honor her zeal for life and her devotion to missions.

In 2009-2010 The Alma Hunt Special Offering for State Missions will be used for hunger initiatives, CrossRoads Camp and Conf. Ctr., Resort and Leisure Ministries, School of Rock and Worship, Standing Rock Indian Reservation, Impact Phreaks and Hope Builders. For information about the above ministries look for the special bulletin in the vestibule.

Be a part of Alma Hunt's legacy by giving generously during the month of September. Look for special offering envelopes in the pew racks. The offering goal for OBC is \$1060.

Our quarterly meeting is scheduled for Sun, Sept. 13 at 3 PM. Barry, Craig and Roger Jacobs are planning to present our program about their mission trip to South Africa. It would be good to have many, many attendees to hear of their experiences and work on this important mission endeavor. Thank you in advance Barry, Craig and Roger for your eagerness to tell your story. It is our story as well.

**BOOK CLUB ANYONE?**

Orange Baptist Church is organizing a faith-based book club-**The OBBC-Orange Baptist Book Club**. We will meet on Tuesday, September 15, 2009, at 7 PM, in the church office. Come join us for monthly discussions on varied titles and topics. Our first book is The Shack. Call Gwen Taylor @540423-1569 or [mtnkamper@hughes.net](mailto:mtnkamper@hughes.net), if questions.



**VISION TEAM**

Introduction of God's Emerging Future Story

Sunday, October 4  
 11 AM Worship

A vision coming from what we have heard from God and one another.