

NEWSLETTERS WILL NO LONGER BE MAILED

The decision was made at the last BOG meeting to send one last Newsletter by mail. If you are receiving this newsletter by regular mail, and you would like to continue receiving the newsletter, please send your email address to newsletter@eachapel.org. Please include your first and last name in the body of the email. The newsletter is also published on the chapel website, which can be found at www.eachapel.org.

We will have a few copies of the Newsletter available to be picked up at the Chapel.

MINISTERIAL SELECTION COMMITTEE

Hope and Dan Longest thank the members of the Ministerial Selection Committee for their dedicated efforts in accomplishing the task of filling the ministerial calendar for 2013. The committee, comprised of Jane Autry, Pat Braxton, Larry Combs, Freddie King, Jeri Mills, Brenda Price, Michelle Reynolds, Julia Sherron, Grayson ReVille, and Mildred Wilson met in October to establish the calendar. Confirmation has been received from all ministers and their sponsors have been notified. A complete list of the year's schedule is posted on the south wing bulletin board.

2014 applications can be found in the top left drawer of the vestibule cabinet. **As a reminder, each ministerial application should be submitted with the EAMC congregational representative sponsoring the minister.** If you have a minister that you would like to sponsor, please complete your portion of the form before forwarding the application to him/her. The deadline for 2014 applications is September 30, 2013. The selection committee will meet in October, so start your minister's application process soon.

If you have questions, please call Dan or Hope at 910-541-0198 or email hopeglnc@gmail.com.

ISLAND JUBILEE!

Island Jubilee is coming up Saturday, July 13. We need items for the Auction as well as volunteers to help with the event. Tom Eggleston and Julian Bone are Co-Chairmen for the Island Jubilee and Capital Campaign Fund. Thanks Julian

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD TEAM



The fourth trip to work at Samaritan's Purse's Operation Christmas Child was wonderful. We worked three shifts from December 5-7. Returning participants were Ginny Barnett, Bettye Benton, Jeannie and Tommy Daniels, Sandra Davis, Norfleet Herring, Debbie Hill, Dick Holder, Gerry Horner, Frances Keir, Freddie and Jim King, Michele Murphy, Butch and Margaret Parrish, Mary Riggelman, Marilyn Sides, Jamin and Pam Simmons, and Rebecca Womble. This year David and Dianne Barnes, Chris, Rachel, and Ross Emblar, Frank and Julia Sherron, and George Womble joined us. Chris led us and others we met at the hotel in inspiring devotions. Again next year we will add five more spots and hope to fill them. It will be in Charlotte and will probably be the same time frame, but we never know until the call-in date in August. Make plans now to join us on this mission trip.

PRISON CHAPEL MINISTRY OPPORTUNITY



Rick Benton, Chris Emblar, and Tom Eggleston report fast progress is being made towards building the prison chapel in Burgaw. These men have been enjoying the experience and would love to share the blessing and time with you. They can fill you in as to what to do to sign up, and Chaplain Joseph says all skill levels are needed EAMC has made financial donations to the project; the first prison chapel in the US funded and constructed by volunteers. This is a recent picture.

WORSHIP COMMITTEE

The Chapel will again sponsor a series of Lenten Lunch programs on the five Tuesdays prior to Holy Week (February 19 & 26; March 5, 12 & 19). The meetings will be held in the Assembly Building with lunch starting at 12:00 noon. We have a wonderful group of speakers lined up to share their faith with us, and we will conclude by 1:00 pm. The cost of each luncheon is \$5.00. Reservations are needed and can be made by signing up at the Chapel each week or contacting Grayson ReVille at greville@charter.net or 910-328-1244.

Other Easter Services are:

March 28 - Maundy Thursday - Communion and Way of the Cross at 6:00pm in the Chapel.

March 29 - The chapel will be open on Good Friday from 12:00noon to 3:00pm for meditation and prayer.

March 31 - Easter Sunrise Service at 6:30am Crews Avenue Beach access. Worship & Communion Services at 8:00am and 10:00 am Chapel.

Our regular 8:00am services will restart on May 26.

LIBRARY COMMITTEE

The Library Committee would like to encourage everyone to visit the library to see our new books and browse all the new library offerings. Over 60 books have been donated this winter. So come in and enjoy. Please contact any member of the Library Committee for additional information.

Our winter library hours will be Sunday 8:45 to 9:30 AM, and by request by contacting any member of the Library Committee.

We will continue the EAMC version of a bookmobile. If you live in the Topsail Island area and have books that you would like to read from the adult fiction or nonfiction, young adult literature or from children's literature sections but are unable to get to the library, call any member of our committee and we will check it out to you and deliver it. (Reference books, any book with a red dot, cannot be checked out of the library).

Members of the Committee are; Nancy Green, 328.1092, Gerry Horner, 328.7251, Nancy Howell, 328.0354, Cheryl Polzer, 382.7687, Grayson ReVille, 328.1244, Mary Riggleman, 328.5674 and Brenda Teachey, 910.200.8335.

OUTREACH PROGRAMS

I am so happy to be only a small part of the outreach program for showing the love of Jesus to others is a job the Lord has given us all. I would like to give a special THANK YOU to Janie Hauser and Nancy Green for keeping the prayer list on our board for the last 6 months while I've been busy with other things. I would also like to clarify the difference between the prayer board and prayer chain and who the people are that serve and need to be notified.

The prayer board is for people or families we know are sick, or had a death that we want to encourage and let them know we care. Since we all enjoy getting phone calls and cards we try to include addresses and numbers. Please remember that we never put a name on our list unless we have their permission, (some people are very private). We are also here to help if someone needs to be taken to the doctor and does not wish to drive. The ladies on this committee are Bobbie Stamper, Patti Walter and Marie Bone. Bobbie and Patti have served for some time and are always willing to help others. If you know of a name that needs to be on the list please contact one of us:

Marie Bone 910-328-3226 hm. Or 919-920-0658 cell
Bobbie Stamper 910-270-3619 hm. Or 910-264-0972 cell

Patti Walter 910-328-4880 hm. Or 910-526-4101 cell

The Prayer Chain is used for emergencies and someone needs prayer and needs it now. This is made up of a group of people who take time to pray as well as call the next person on the list. They are as follows:

Grayson Reville 910-328-1244

Mildred Wilson 910-328-1686

Dianne Barnes 910-328-2421

Freddie King 910- 328-1532

Jeri Mills 910- 328-4666

Lee Bryan 910-328-4226

Peggy & Charlie Bryan 910-328-2815

Marie Bone 910-328-3226 hm. 919-920-0658 cell

Michelle Reynolds 910-328-1212

Bettye Benton 910-541-0190

John & Janie Hauser 910-328-2827

Thanks to everyone on both committees for all you do and for keeping me straight.

Yours in Christ Marie Bone

BENEVOLENCE COMMITTEE

The Thanksgiving and Christmas Holiday Assistance Program was a great success. Thanks to all that helped through the Angel Tree, donations of food, money, gift wrappers and all the committee members that contacted your families and delivered food and gifts to 32 children and 23 adults. Our entire Chapel made this happen!!! Thanks again.

In the spring we will have a non-perishable food drive to be donated to Good Shepherd Soup Kitchen in Wilmington. God Bless, Teresa Johnson, Chairperson

FLOWER COMMITTEE

What a wonderful way to honor loved ones by giving flowers in their name! The memorial sheet for flowers is posted in the south foyer. If a memorial has not been requested, the sponsor of the minister for that Sunday will be contacted by the Flower Committee regarding their desire to provide flowers.

Again this year, a donation of \$85.00 is requested to cover the cost of the arrangements for the front of the Chapel. For your convenience, the selection and delivery of the flowers are handled by a local florist. Any questions, please call Judy Teachey, Lynette Boyd, or Mary Riggelman.

BOARD OF GOVERNORS

As Chairman of the Emma Anderson Memorial Chapel Board of Governors I would like to recognize and express my appreciation to everyone that is currently serving as a member of the Board of Governors, a Trustee or as a Committee Chairperson. This is a very dedicated and hard working group of people and I consider it an honor and a blessing to be affiliated with such a special group.

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MUSIC NOTES—After the Christmas Cantata, the choirs took a well-earned respite. Now they are ready to resume their labors in the Lord's vineyards. The Chancel Choir resumed rehearsals Thursday, February 21 at 7:15 p.m. New comers are welcome to join in the camaraderie. The Hand Bell Choir will resume practices April 4.

Join us for our next All Choir Sunday on May 19. May 26, the Chapel will go on the summer schedule with services at 8 and 10 a.m.

2013 SUMMER YOUTH PROGRAM--We pray that you have been seeking "The Treasure" throughout this year, and we are looking forward to another wonderful summer with you here at Emma Anderson! **We'll be starting Monday, June 10th**. Last summers' treasures included: the Amazing Race, Acts Week, the Olympics, Thanksgiving, Kingdom Week, Dependence Week, and Around the World --just to name a few. The Summer of 2013 is sure to be a filled with treasures-- old and new. Stop by the Youth Cottage when you get into town...we've been missing you! Asher's biggest questions at the end of the summer were "Where did everybody go?" and "When is everyone coming over today?"



See you soon! Chris & Rachel Emblor

THE ART OF MARRIAGE--EAMC will be hosting a marriage conference on April 26th – April 27th called *The Art of Marriage*. It will be an amazing weekend that will refresh and transform your marriages. Whether you have just married or you have been married for 50 years, this event will prove to be an amazing blessing for those who take a step of faith to come and see what God has for them. There will be a sign up sheet on the church bulletin board or you can contact Chris Emblor at 919-634-5657 or by email at mblur3@hotmail.com. You must reserve your spot, so we can order the necessary materials and surprises. Chris and Rachel Emblor will be facilitating the weekend. There will be more specific details forthcoming. Feel free to be in contact if you have any further questions. The registration deadline is Sunday, April 14. There will be a \$35 fee per couple to cover the cost of the workbooks. *The Art of Marriage* website is at

Emma Anderson Memorial Chapel
P.O. Box 3071
Topsail Beach NC 28445

<http://www.familylife.com/events/featured-events/the-art-of-marriage>.

THE BARNABAS FACTOR--May 6-7, there will be a 2 night teaching series called *The Barnabas Factor: Living as Sons and Daughters of Encouragement and How it Applies to EAMC*. Each session will be held from 7:00-8:30 on the top floor of the Fellowship House. Chris Emblor will be teaching the series. There will be a sign up sheet on the church bulletin board or you may contact Chris Emblor at 919-634-5657 or by email at mblur3@hotmail.com.

EASTER LILY—SUNDAY, MARCH 31, 2013

If you would like to participate in the Easter Sunday lily program, please complete the information and return it by **March 20** to the Flower Committee, P.O. Box 2682, Surf City, NC 28445—Attention Judy Teachey; or return the form and the money (\$12.00 per lily) in an envelope and place it in the offering plate. If you are paying by check, make it payable to Emma Anderson Memorial Chapel. **One form must accompany each lily if you wish to purchase.**

An insert listing all individuals designated by you will be included with the Easter bulletin. Please pick up your lily on Sunday morning at the conclusion of the 10:00 a.m. service. If you have questions—contact Judy Teachey at 328-1834.

Contributor's Name _____

Telephone Number _____

In Memory of _____

OR

In Honor of _____

Given by _____

I understand that I owe \$12.00 per lily and that I can pick the flowers up at the conclusion of the 10:00 a.m. service on March 31, 2013