



## BUDGET/FINANCE UPDATE

(As of 10-31-16)



Members: Treasurer: Jim Wind, Jerry Johnson,  
Beverly Lovingood, Connie Lowe, Donna Mitchell.

### WHERE DO WE STAND

1. Monthly Budget \$23,846. YTD Budget \$238,461.
2. October 2016 general fund offerings \$17,416. YTD offerings \$ 211,099.
3. October offerings were 36.9% below October's budget. YTD offerings 87.04% of total budget.
4. Unrestricted cash on hand as of October 31<sup>st</sup> was \$66,569 (September balance was \$68,609).
5. Account 5115 CBFNC Mission Resource Plan (our church 10% tithe) paid for October.
6. Designated fund offering for October were \$5,625. YTD designated offerings \$38,427. Designated fund balance \$116,612.
7. Due to the services being cancelled for Hurricane Matthew, please don't forget to do any "catch up" offerings that may have been missed.



I will be out of the office on the following days in December: Friday, December 23<sup>rd</sup> thru Thursday, December 29<sup>th</sup>. Please call on those days to make sure someone is in the office.

Thank you so much.  
Debbie



**Riptide Believers Youth**  
All youth are invited!!



**Our Young Adults**  
If you are college age(ish) and would like to join us, please contact Melinda Latta!!!



### Cub Scouts

Each Monday night, our church hosts Cub Scout Pack #230 at 7 pm in the Education Building.



## MISSIONS AND MORE

### Ladies of All Ages – Come Join the WMU

All women are invited to come out to the church on the second Monday of each month to join the Vera Harris Circle of the WMU as it focuses on missions education and prayer and plans missions projects in our community.

### WMU NEWS.....



The Vera Harris Circle met on November 14 with 11 members present. Plans are continuing for the Annual Hot Dog Supper for Friday, December 2, preceding the Christmas Parade. We will begin serving at 5:30 p.m. until 7 p.m.

Anyone who is willing to help should come at 5 p.m. and you will be told what you can do. We have already had several willing volunteers!

We voted to have WMU Women's Day in March or April. Ladies will fill the choir and act as ushers. Hal will be securing a speaker for us and that will determine the date. A special offering for Global Missions will be taken at that time.

Marjorie Colman presented an interesting program about missionaries in Zambia and also told interesting facts about bees right here in Carolina Beach. Delicious key lime pie was served by Debra.

Our next meeting will be our Christmas luncheon at Jack Mackerel's, Wednesday, December 14. We will meet at the church at 11:30 a.m. in order to carpool.

Margie Underwood  
Director, WMU

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### Meals on Wheels



On the 4th Saturday of each month, our Missions Committee has a team that prepares and delivers meals in the community for the Meals on Wheels program. If you are interested in learning more about how this ministry works or if you would like to be a part of this ministry, contact Lori Griffin (798-5857). Thanks to all our Meals on Wheels volunteers! We couldn't do this without you! The next opportunity to serve will be Saturday, December 24<sup>th</sup> at 10 am.

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### Needs for the Help Center

The Federal Point Help Center is in need of the following items: Pasta sauce, cereal, canned meats, canned peas, vegall, green beans, spaghetti-o's, canned pasta/ravioli, or any other canned or dry goods (not out of date), and toiletries. Please place your items on the table in the sanctuary.

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### Martha's Kitchen

Tuesdays and Thursdays, 6 – 7 PM

Martha's Kitchen offers a warm, free meal to members of our community twice a week. Currently, our volunteer roster is filled for this ministry, but prayers are always welcome.



## VOLUNTEER NEEDS

### **URGENT! Nursery Volunteers Needed**

We have a critical need. I know that sometimes we just have to make needs known so that the sweet folks in our congregation can come to the rescue!

One of our greatest resources for a strong, vibrant Ministry are the lives of the precious Children that God has blessed us with as a Church family. We are stewarding the pages of their hearts and what is being written there by the hand of God as we share in their spiritual heritage. It's not easy work but it's one the greatest works that we have in the Kingdom of God. Often "working in the nursery" is seen as a chore when in fact I believe that it would be the first place where Jesus would go if He came for a visit to our Church!

We desperately need a total of EIGHT people on rotation for EACH service so that there are two people in the nursery at all times. That is a total of sixteen Nursery Staff as minimum for both services... Otherwise we'll

see our Nursery workers overwhelmed from lack of help to steward these precious young lives. Can you help with this urgent need at least once a month? Anyone who wishes to volunteer can call or text Tammy Dew at 252-904-0928. Thank You so much for the way you are loving Jesus and touching our World with His GREAT love.

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### **Welcome Team Volunteers**

We would like to extend the opportunity for additional people to serve as Greeters & Ushers. If you would like to be a part of the rotation on Sundays, please contact the church office.

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### **Audio/Visual Volunteers Needed**

The church needs volunteers to help with Audio/Visual elements during the worship services and musical rehearsals. Training will be provided. If interested, please contact the church office.



## Merry Christmas From the Staff



*Pastor Hal*



*Debbie*



*Greg*

*Susie*

*Betty*

