



# The Challenge

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Central Baptist Church, 14 West Broad, Newnan, GA 30263

FIFTHTEENTH  
SUNDAY  
AFTER PENTECOST  
SEPTEMBER 2, 2018

Rev. Matt Sapp

SERMON  
“My Hymn Story”

9:00 AM  
Sunday School

10:00 AM  
Worship Service  
Special Music  
*A Great Day of Singing:  
This is My Story, This is My Song*  
Gospel Hymn Service  
The Chancel Choir  
The Straynotes Band  
Additional Soloists and  
Instrumentalists

USHERS  
10:00 AM  
Clay Hudson and Joe Rizzo,  
Captains

NURSERY  
Available for children ages  
birth– 3 years old

CHILDREN’S CHURCH  
Will resume September 9, 2018

Labor Day Weekend  
Gospel Hymn Service  
Sunday, September 2, 2018  
9:00 AM— Sunday School  
10:00 AM— Worship Service



Friday, September 7th  
6:30 PM—8:30 PM

Join special guest, Karen Gosselin, as she leads a workshop for the women of CBC. Praying in Color is a prayer form that allows you to know God better by not limiting your prayers to the finite limit of words. If you find yourself struggling with a short attention span, a restless body, or wandering thoughts during your prayer time with God, this prayer form just might help you focus your thoughts and deepen your time with God.

The cost of the workshop is \$20 per person, which will include dinner and supplies. You can register on our [website](#) if you plan to come. Please indicate when you register if you will need childcare. Grab a friend and come join us for a night of prayer and fun!

## PASTOR'S PEN

### Capital Campaign Kick-Off Dinner

We need you to be present at our Capital Campaign Kick-Off dinner on Sunday, September 16<sup>th</sup> at 4:30. You should have already received an email invitation. I hope you will soon be receiving a follow-up contact from your deacon if you haven't already. And, you'll continue to hear me talk about the importance of this event in the weeks to come.

Your Capital Campaign team is preparing a wonderful evening of music, fellowship, and BBQ in a perfect indoor/outdoor setting. This informal Sunday evening with church family will be the first opportunity for you to hear from our Capital Campaign team about the scope of our building project and its importance for the life of our church. We need ALL of you to be there!

I'd be hard pressed to come up with a one-time event more important to the life of our church as we have a first chance to celebrate our building project together. **RSVP now by calling the church office (770) 683-0610 or emailing Courtney Haynes ([chaynes@centralbaptistnewnan.org](mailto:chaynes@centralbaptistnewnan.org)).** If you need transportation from the church, we will provide transportation for you. Just let us know about your transportation needs when you RSVP so we can be prepared.

It's an exciting time to be at Central. I can't wait to see you there.

*Matt*

## PURSES IN THE PEW

**Monday, September 24, 2018 11:00 AM**  
The Heritage Room

Karen Harwell

Ministry Assistant for Faith Development  
Second-Ponce de Leon Baptist Church, Atlanta

Reservations are appreciated for name tags;  
reservations are required for lunch (\$7.)

Please register at [centralbaptistnewnan.org](http://centralbaptistnewnan.org);  
send an email to [kfaison@centralbaptistnewnan.org](mailto:kfaison@centralbaptistnewnan.org);  
or, call the church office (770) 683-0610.

## IN SYMPATHY

Sympathy is extended to Alan Dean in the death of his grandmother, Louise McMichael Dean, who passed away on Saturday, August 18, 2018.

## MUSIC MINISTRY

### Adult Handbell Choir

Tuesday, September 4, 7:00 PM (contact Anne for info)

### Middle School Choir

Sundays beginning September 9, 5:00 PM

### Senior High Handbells

Sundays beginning September 9, 5:45 PM

We have a few adults interested in a beginning handbell experience. If you're interested, please contact Anne so we can begin a full group.

*Anne*

## CHILDREN'S MINISTRY



### The Presence of Christ at Market Day October 6, 2018, 10:00 AM—2:00 PM

The children's ministries from the downtown churches plan to continue our ecumenical service together through the fall by being the presence of Christ at First Saturday. We have had a sign made that says, "Sharing Love & Kindness, From Your Local Churches" that we will set up along with a table/tent on the square. We plan to provide a free activity for children. Each church will be "responsible" for one month September- December (CBC -October). Our goal is not to advertise our own church, but to simply be, the presence of Christ! If anyone is interested in helping me in October please let me know. Otherwise, I hope you will all bring your children and visit our booth each month when you have the opportunity to come to First Saturday.

Blessings,

*Katie*

## ONE ROOF OUTREACH

One Roof is in need of peanut butter. If you are able to donate, please bring to the church office or to One Roof at 255 Temple Avenue, Newnan, GA 30263.

### CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

August 26, 2018 Sunday School

Preschool	13
Children	29
Youth	19
Adults	<u>114</u>
Total	175

## YOUTH MINISTRY



If you have a child who has moved away to college we would love to be able to encourage and support them by keeping in touch. Please email me or Courtney in the church office [chaynes@centralbaptistnewnan.org](mailto:chaynes@centralbaptistnewnan.org) and let us know your child's name and address.

Steve

### PATRIOT DAY COMMUNITY PRAYER GATHERING

*"How good and how pleasant it is...  
to dwell together in unity."*

**Join us,  
September 11, 2018  
6:45 – 9:00 pm**

**WADSWORTH AUDITORIUM**  
25 Jefferson Street  
Newnan, GA 30263  
[www.PrayCoweta.com](http://www.PrayCoweta.com)

*"For wherever two or three come together  
in honor of My name,  
I am right there with them!"  
-Jesus*

### DEACON ELECTION SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

Enclosed is the list of those members deemed eligible to be elected to our Deacon Board. This includes anyone 21 years of age or older who has been a church member for at least a year.

If you do not wish to be on this list, please call the church office and your name will be removed. Also, if we have inadvertently left off anyone who wishes to be considered, please call the office. Lists will be available Wednesday night and on Sunday. The final list will be available on Sunday, September 9. This year we will be electing six new deacons to serve a three-year term.

## CENTRAL SENIORS



**Bi-Monthly Breakfast**  
**September 12, 2018, 9:00 AM**  
**Cracker Barrel**  
**Second and Fourth**  
**Wednesday of the month**

No need to make reservations; just show up at Cracker Barrel and enjoy the fellowship of your peers!



Senior Adults are invited to help with the Back Pack Buddies program on **Wednesday, November, 28th**. We will meet at their new location (address TBA) at 11:00 AM (following breakfast at Cracker Barrel). We are looking for 10-20 people to help with this project. It should take about 45 minutes—1 hour of your time. Please mark your calendars. If you have any questions please call the church office or email Katie Faison at [Kfaison@centralbaptistnewnan.org](mailto:Kfaison@centralbaptistnewnan.org).

### NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Your Nominating Committee has begun its work for the 2018-2019 church year. There are many positions of service that must be filled if we are to do the work of the church.

When you are approached by a member of the Nominating Committee and asked to serve, please prayerfully consider their request.

Your Nominating Committee members are Jo Avery, Parks Avery, Christy Bass, Katie Keith, Paul Lisborg, Carrie Markham and Christy Van Drew.

### LAVINIA BARRON BOOK GROUP

On Monday, September 10 at 7:15 PM, the Lavinia Barron Book Group will meet at the home of Jo Avery at 109 LaGrange Street in Newnan. The book for discussion will be "Martin Luther: The Man Who Rediscovered God and Changed the World" by Eric Metaxas.

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## LOOKING AHEAD

### Sunday, September 2

9:00 AM Sunday School  
10:00 AM Worship Service

### Monday, September 3

LABOR DAY— CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED

### Tuesday, September 4

7:00 AM Men's Bible Study  
10:00 AM Feeding Our Friends

### Wednesday, September 5

5:30 PM Family Fellowship Supper:  
*Fried Chicken*  
6:00 PM Children's Music and Activities  
(PreK—Fifth Grade)  
6:30 PM REST Communion Service  
6:30 PM Youth Bible Study  
7:10 PM Chancel Choir Rehearsal

### Thursday, September 6

1:30 PM Ladies Bridge Group

### Friday, September 7

6:30 PM Praying in Color Workshop

### STEWARDSHIP UPDATE

Sunday, August 26, 2018

Weekly Budget	\$ 19,907.60
Budget Offering	\$ 26,855.00
YTD Budget Needs	\$ 676,858.40
YTD Received	\$ 759,386.29

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### Church Staff

Rev. Matt Sapp, Pastor  
Rev. Anne S. Cronic, Associate Pastor of Music and Worship  
Rev. Katie Faison, Associate Pastor to Children, Women, and Senior Adults  
Rev. Steve Cothran, Associate Pastor to Students

Mrs. Julia Huster, Organist  
Mrs. Debbie Porrello, Financial Manager  
Mrs. Courtney Haynes, Sr. Administrative Assistant  
Mr. German Lopez-Figueroa, Custodian  
Mr. Randy Boswell, Facilities Maintenance Manager