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Let your light so shine before others... Matthew 5:16

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The Pumpkin Prayer

Dear God...

Open my mind so I can learn about
You (Psalm 100:3).

Take all my sin and forgive the wrong
that I do (1 John 1:9).

Open my eyes so Your love I will see
(Psalm 119:18).

I'm sorry for times I've turned up my
nose at what You've given me (Psalm
100:4).

Open my ears so Your word I will hear
(Isaiah 55:3).

Open my mouth to tell others You're
near (Psalm 118:17).

Let Your light shine in all I say and do!
Amen
(Matthew 5:16).

Up River Staff

Chuck Hartman - *Pastor*

Lynwood Winslow - *Music*

Amanda Winslow - *Interim Youth Leader*

Sarah Nelapety - *Interim Children's Leader*

Adam Lassiter - *Praise & Worship*

Kelli Price - *Preschool Director*

Amanda Winslow - *Preschool*

Anna Hooten - *Preschool*

Shelby Sweeney - *Preschool*

Conie Baker - *Caretaker*

Lynda Givens - *Caretaker*

Jon Bean - *Caretaker*

Elizabeth White USFW Missionary Circle

The Elizabeth White Missionary Circle met briefly September 17, 2022 at Up River Meeting before serving the Quaker tour group from the Greensboro and Perquimans area. Those in attendance were Ron Rountree, Lois Faye White, Etta Florence Winslow, and Jacque Pagels. Donations agreed upon were:

\$100 to Right Share World Resources Samson

Ababu Support, \$50 for the Mesquakie Friends Center

\$20 for membership.

The October 17, 2022 was held at the home of Paul and Lois Faye White. Those in attendance were Ron Rountree, Lois Faye White, Etta Florence Winslow, and Jacque Pagels. Etta Florence opened with prayer. Donations received totaled \$345.00.

Jacque Pagels shared the message from Ruthie Tippin, "Abounding in Hope". Related scripture was from Romans 15:13 and Isaiah 11:1-3a, 10. Ruthie stated "when we feel hopeless, we feel helpless." Too often we forget the source of our hopefulness. As Paul states in the NT "we abound in hope through the power of the Holy Spirit". If we pay attention, we find God, not only in the great, grandiose places, but in the simple ordinary people and things where the power of God is most evident. We can plant seeds of hope, joy, peace, and trust; start small where we are with what we have and trust God with the things we absolutely have no power over. For who is it that brings hope to the hopeless?

Mission giving for October is:

\$100 Pradeep; \$100 Kenya: Samburu Ministry;

\$100 Belize School Feeding Program; \$100 NCUSFW
Scholarship Fund

We adjourned to fellowship with a cup of hot tea, cookies, and a bag of treat from former member, Judy Parsons, now living in Florida.

God Willing we will meet November 16 at 12:15 in the home of Paul & Lois Faye White. Before we begin our meeting, we will partake in delivered boxed lunch meals.

Update: Africa Missions

SUBMITTED

The ministry of Missionary Marianne Coetzee thoroughly blessed our hearts on September 18, 2022. Up River gave her \$500.00, but as a church, we received \$2000.00; thus, we could give her a check for \$2500.00 dollars. Our giving has help her continue her mission work and aid the school children in Masiphumelele on the Cape Peninsula of South Africa.

Below are pictures Marianne has sent to help us understand how some of the money has been used. Thank you for your support. 🏡



Awards for grade 7 pupils

And He (Jesus) said to them, "Go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature. He who believes and is baptized will be saved..." ~Mark 16:15-16a

Birthdays & Anniversaries for November

4th	Lori Winslow, Lerryn S. Spangler
6th	Matt Price
9th	Heather F. Colman, TOMMY & HEATHER COLMAN
10th	Tiffany Rhodes, Zadie Evelyn Lassiter
11th	Tiffany Upton, Jennifer McClaren
12th	STAN & LOUANN WINSLOW
13th	Robin Winslow
14th	Lot Winslow
15th	Melanie Hebert
18th	Benita Savaria
19th	Justin Winslow
20th	Stuart White, Dawn Boyce Stallings, Claire Ann Baker
21st	Amanda Crain Thompson, Judy Jones, Adam Lassiter
23rd	Tyler Lee
25th	Eloise White
26th	Arba Clair Winslow
27th	Eri Lassiter
28th	RICK & KIM OWENS , Connie Baker

Please let us know if you do not see your birthday or anniversary. urfmeeting@gmail.com

Calendar of Events November 2022

01st	Preschool Women's Bible Study 7:00pm
02nd	Preschool Pradeep speaking at Whiteville Grove Baptist 6:45pm
03rd	Men's Prayer Breakfast 5:00am Guest Speaker: Pastor Buck Leary, Chappell Hill Baptist Preschool
05th	Do not forget to set you clock back one hour before bed
06th	Sunday School 10:00am Worship 11:00am (Blended service in FLC) Youth 5:00pm TBD
8th	BOE using the Family Life Center ALL DAY Preschool Women's Bible Study 7:00pm
9th	Preschool Soup 6:00pm Soup Provided by Robin Winslow & Hannah Winslow-Miller Prayer Meeting in FLC 7:00pm Guest Speaker: Kelly Hoeltzel from the Community Care Collaborative
10th	Preschool
11th	Veterans Day
13th	Praise & Worship 10:00am Worship 11:00am Youth 5:00pm TBD
15th	Preschool Women's Bible Study 7:00pm
16th	Preschool Circle Meeting 12:15pm <i>At the home of Paul & Lois Faye White</i> <i>Special Meal Please see Jacque if you plan to attend.</i>
17th	Preschool
18th	Turkey Drop Hertford UMC 9:00am until 6:00pm
19th	Turkey Drop Hertford UMC 9:00am until 1:00pm Worship & Word Night (Leon Nixon Catering) 7:00pm
20th	Worship 10:30am - Thanksgiving Worship Meal following worship NO SUNDAY SCHOOL
22nd	Preschool Women's Bible Study 7:00pm
23rd	Preschool closed for Thanksgiving
24th	Thanksgiving Day Preschool closed for Thanksgiving FLC Reserved
26th	Small Business Saturday
27th	First Sunday in Advent Praise & Worship 10:00am Worship 11:00am Youth 5:00pm TBD
29th	Giving Tuesday Preschool Women's Bible Study 7:00pm
30th	Preschool

We wish to thank everyone who has contributed to this issue. Please get in touch with us if you want to share in an upcoming Lamplighter. Additionally, do not hesitate to contact us if you know someone who would like this publication or if you no longer wish to receive the Lamplighter: urfmeeting@gmail.com.

Playhouse Now Compleat!



Special thanks and appreciation to all who helped complete the playground addition. Rubber flooring is now installed under the playhouse, which includes a minimum six-foot fall radius around the entire structure. Thank you for helping all our children feel included on the playground. 🏡

Prayer Tent Ministry



Thank you to everyone who helped make our prayer tent ministry at Belvidere Day a success. We were able to pray with at least ten individuals and interact with hundreds more. 🏡



Shut-in Commette



The Shut-in Commette was able to prepare and deliver home-made soup, sandwiches, and desserts to the homebound in our church and community. Special thanks to our two young volunteers who helped package the food to be delivered. 🏡



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2022 Fall Festival

225 attended


30 volunteers

Fun, Food, Fellowship and
Puppet Shows sharing
message on the Lord of the
Harvest.

The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few;
therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to
send out laborers into his harvest. *Matthew 9:37, 38*

Edmundson-Fox Monument

Rededication of the William Edmundson and George Fox Monument at Phelps Point in Hertford Sunday, October 23, 2022, at 3:00pm. A small but stalwart crowd gathered to remember our past and look ahead to our future, while experiencing a bit of the weather conditions that William Edmundson recorded in his journal in 1672.

“But I perceiv’d a small Path, which I follow’d till it was very dark, and rain’d violently; then I alighted and set my Back to a Tree, till the Rain abated; but it being dark, and the Woods thick, I walk’d all Night between two Trees; and though very weary, I durst not lie down on the Ground, for my Cloaths were wet to my Skin.” 

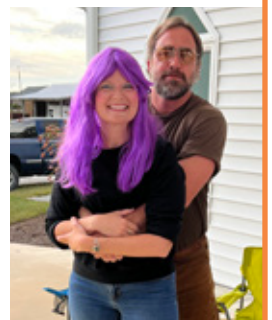
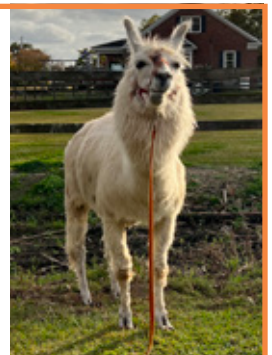
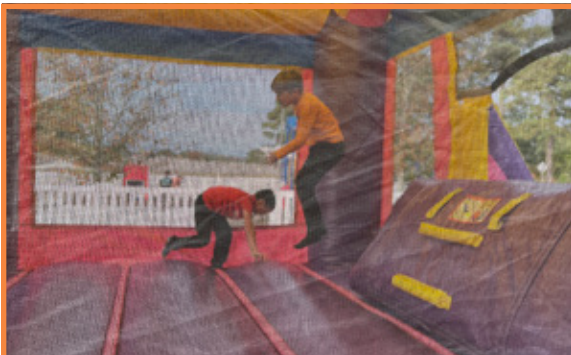


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Sunday School Rotation *for Open & Y&M Classes*

Date	Leader	Topic
October 2, 2022	Open & Y&M Classes	Week 4 The Church that Affirms Authority (1Peter 2:13-3:7)
October 9, 2022	Ro & Sarah	Week 5 Suffering together (1 Peter 3:8-4:19)
October 16, 2022	Mark	Week 6 Humble Together (1 Peter 5:1-14)
October 23, 2022	Lynette	Week 7 God's Grace for Life of Godliness (2Peter 1:1-15)
October 30, 2022	Scott	Week 8 The True Word and False teachers (2 Peter 1:16-2:22)
November 6, 2022	Ro & Sarah	Week 9 The Day of the Lord is coming (2 nd Peter 3:1-18)
November 13, 2022	Mark	Week 10 Contending for the Faith Jude 1-16
November 20, 2022	No Sunday School	Thanksgiving Service starts at 10:30 A.M.
November 27, 2022	TBD	Week 11 Persevering The Faith (Jude 17-25)





THE OPEN DOOR FOOD LION CASH CARD PROGRAM

We hope you will consider being a part of **The Open Door Food Lion Cash Card Program**.

This program is a significant fundraiser for
The Open Door of Perquimans County – Your Local Food Pantry.

HOW IT WORKS.

You purchase a cash card for any even dollar denomination from \$5 to \$500 per card. These cards do not expire, nor do they carry any fees. Food Lion gift cards may be redeemed at any Food Lion store. You may use your card to purchase any item except money orders, lottery tickets, other gift cards or pay for returned checks and pay utility bills.

A discount of 5% of the total order is given to The Open Door from Food Lion. Your gift card is for the entire dollar amount of your contribution. Bulk Food Lion cards for customers, employees, family, etc. are available. You may choose to receive more than one card per order, with varied amounts. They make great gifts!

The orders are made monthly, and you will be reminded, by email, of the date the order is to be due at HUMC. Usually within a week, we receive the cards for distribution to those who purchased them.

EVERYONE WINS!

This is convenient for you, business for Food Lion, and hundreds of dollars for our Open Door of Perquimans County.

If you record the number on your card and your gift card is lost or stolen, Food Lion can determine that it has not been redeemed and has some remaining value. After that, you can cancel your original card and a new card will be reissued for that value.

SIGN UP TODAY!

If you are interested in being a participant in this worthwhile program, please let us know. You can call or email Susan Christensen at 252-426-5467 / humcoffice@hertfordumc.org. We will need you name, address, telephone number and email address. Checks to be made to ODFLCCP or The Open Door of Perquimans County.



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Fall Pictures: URF Preschool Update

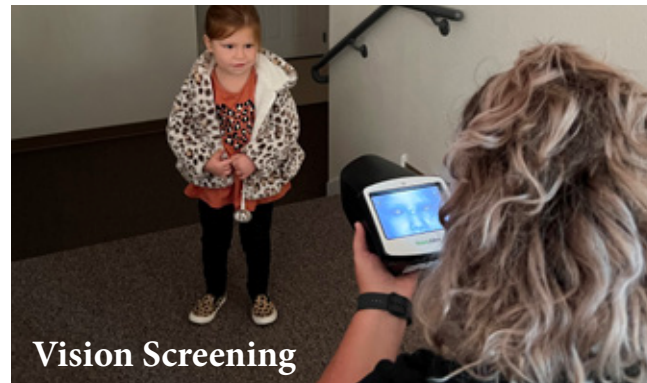
by KELLI LASSITER PRICE

As promised, I'm enclosing our preschool fall pictures, along with the names of our children. We still have an open spot in our 4 year old class so if you come across anyone with a 4 year old (or 5 year old after August 31) seeking a part time preschool, please send them our way!

The children and teachers would again like to express our appreciation of everyone's love and support. Please continue to pray for our preschool as we learn and grow.

Happy Thanksgiving,

Kelli Lassiter Price, Preschool Director
Email: KELLI_L_PRICE@yahoo.com
Phone: (252) 619-3528



Vision Screening

Also we wish to thank Jenna Caldwell, from Albemarle Alliance for Children and Families Inc. for conducting FREE vision screenings. Results of the screening were sent home with each child.



MRS. ANNA HOOTEN'S K4 CLASS



Children were invited to wear their favorite (non scary) costume to school on October 27!



MRS. AMANDA WINSLOW'S K3 CLASS



MRS. KELLI PRICE & MS. SHELBY SWEENEY'S
K2 CLASS



Special Thanks to
Jessica Winslow Chappell Photography

Scripture Memory for November 2022

Preschool

“Not to us, O Lord, not to us, but to you name give glory, for the sake of your steadfast love and your faithfulness.” Psalm 115:1

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“Praise the Lord, all nations! Extol him, all peoples! For great is his steadfast love toward us, and the faithfulness of the Lord endures forever! Praise the Lord!” Psalm 117

Prayer Requests

And this is the confidence that we have toward him, that if we ask anything according to his will he hears us. 1 John 5:14

PRAYER REQUESTS: World Leaders and those working to bring world peace. Our elders, children, youth, and leadership of our meeting; Lynda Givens; Tommy Riddick; Kaeli Price; Betty Bundy; Viola Britt; McKay and Judy Riddick; Cash Caldwell; Ken & Rebecca Spivey; Toni Bundy; Marsha Beatly; Ginger Bundy; Ms. Ron Rountree; URF preschool; Tammy & Tyler Givens; Jenny Underwood; Ukraine; Kelly, & Parker Smith; Kim Winfrey; Garry Copeland; Michael Barker; Tony & Tracy Dean; Connie Baker; Justin Riddick Family; Wade Winslow Family; Horace Bundy; Bobby Reames; Wayne Harold; Shirley Sawyer; Bruce Gibbs; Wayne & Jean Ashley; Brenda White; Jo White; Lilah Copeland; Charles Hartman; Amber Trueblood; Todd Barton; Ella Lassiter; Patty Priest; Bernice Langley; Michael Mainello; David Smith (Leg); Ann White Felton; Ken Spivey; Richard Thach; Vanessa Evans; Vivian Sutton; Gilbert Backus' daughter Danielle; Bob & Judy Parsons & granddaughter Nicki; Right Share World Resources Samson Ababu Support; Mesquakie Friends Center; Kenya: Samburu Ministry; Belize School Feeding Program; Pradeep, Rebecca, Shifa, & Saachi Manchala; Samantha Midgett; Lindi Friends School; Marianne Coetzee; Michael Tyhali; Ukhanyo Primary School; Our missionaries.

HOMEBOUND AND/OR CONVALESCING: Tommy & Lona Stallings; Lorraine Casper; Red Chappell; Eloise and Lyndon White; Renee Marshburn; Herbert Williams; Lois Faye & Paul White; Carey Guyer; Virginia Texine Stallings Williams; Micah Brooks; Linda Hall; Ashley Winslow (Zak, Finn, & Oliver); Our Caregivers.

If you have a prayer need, please get in touch with us: urfmeeting@gmail.com, <https://www.upriverfriends.org/prayer>, or

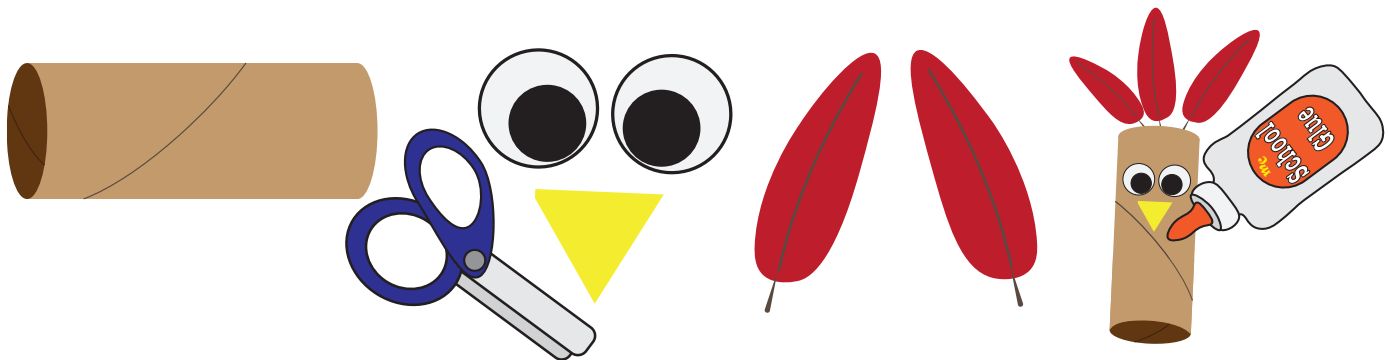


Crafting for Young Friends

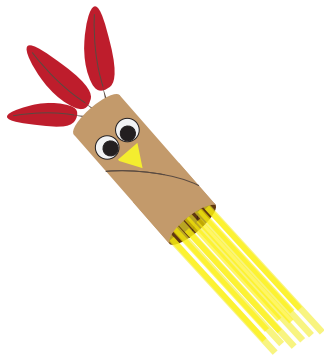
Turkey Windsock

You Will Need: You Will Need: toilet tissue tube, feathers, ribbon, scissors, tape, glue, construction paper, google eyes.

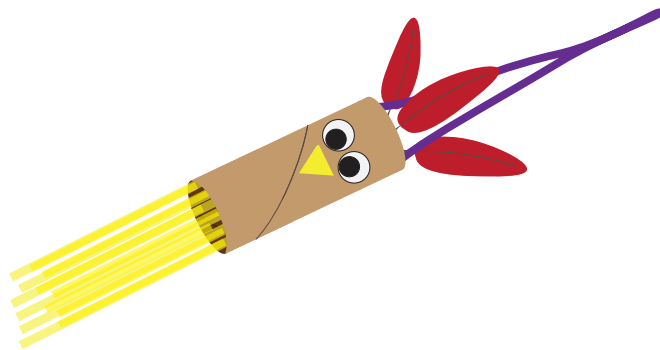
1) Start by creating a face for your turkey. Cut, with scissors, a triangle shape for a beak, and glue the triangle, along with google eyes and feathers, to the toilet tissue tube until the turkey face looks desirable.



2) With scissors, cut the ribbon and tape it to the bottom of the tube. The ribbon will act as streamers for the windsock.



3) Finally, attach ribbon to the top of the windsock. This ribbon will act as a hanger. Now hang the windsock and watch it move in the wind.



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