

**WELCOME MARY ANNE PENTON**



Mary Anne Penton comes to OBC by Baptism.

Mary Anne has been in Orange her entire life where she met her husband, Wayne. They have two children, Emily who is 5 and William who is almost 8 months old. Mary Anne has been worshipping at Orange Baptist Church for about two years and is looking forward to raising her children within the church as well.

Mary Anne has been working at the Miller Law Firm, in downtown Orange, VA for the past 6 ½ years. She is a member of MOPS in Orange, VA, enjoys reading, spending time at the beach, and spending time with her family and friends.

**CONSECRATION SUNDAY**  
**NOVEMBER 13, 2016**

Dr. Ron Crawford, president of the Baptist Theological Seminary at Richmond, will be our guest speaker during morning worship on Sunday, Nov. 13. We are asking our attendees and members to make their financial commitments to our church's missionary, benevolent, and educational ministries in this community and around the world.

Every attendee and member who completes an *Estimate of Giving Card* does so voluntarily by attending morning worship on Consecration Sunday. We urge all to attend, even if you are opposed to completing a card. The commitment time is done in such a way that no one feels personal embarrassment if he or she chooses not to fill out a card.

A Celebration Luncheon will follow in the Pine Room. This is a prepared meal by our Kitchen Committee.

Our goal is to have every member and regular worship attendee present.

**UPWARD BASKETBALL**

It's that time of year for our Upward Basketball to begin once again.

Registration and mandatory evaluations will be held at Prospect Heights Middle School on:

- Sat., Nov. 12, 10 - Noon
- Sat., Nov. 19, 10 - Noon
- Sat., Dec. 3 9-Noon

Cost is \$60 per child.

We need lots of volunteers each of the registration dates to staff various stations where the kids will demonstrate their skill levels. Coaches and other volunteers are needed to provide devotionals during half time. Please contact the church office or send email to [upwardorange@gmail.com](mailto:upwardorange@gmail.com)



### UPCOMING EVENTS

**Thur., Nov. 3:** Ruth Kersey Circle will meet at Dogwood Village at noon. Bring a sandwich.  
7 PM - Stewardship Committee.

**Mon., Nov. 7:** Valirie Payne circle will meet at 11 AM at the church. Bring a sandwich.

**Sun., Nov. 13:** Carrie Webb circle will meet following the Consecration Celebration Luncheon.

**Tues., Nov. 15:** 6:45 PM Finance Committee.  
7:30 Missions Committee.

**Nov. 15-16:** BGAV General Assembly, Bonsack Baptist Church, Roanoke, VA.

**Sat., Nov. 19:** Distribution of Thanksgiving Baskets, 10 AM-Noon.

**Sun., Nov. 20:** Business meeting and Chili Cookoff following worship.

**Thur., Nov. 24 & Fri., Nov. 25:** Church office closed.

**Tues., Nov. 29:** 7 PM Deacons meeting.

The 20th of each month is the deadline for items to be placed in newsletter.

### ENCOURAGER CHURCH COVENANT



#### LUCHA Ministries

Sue and I would like to express our deep gratitude to the Orange Baptist family as our new CBF Encourager Church! We have known many of you for several years, and of course have counted Rick and Karen Clore as some of our best friends and colleagues in ministry. Your support of our school supplies ministry, and your interest through the years in learning about us and our work, has touched and inspired us. I think we are most grateful, though, for your love of the Latino people we work with and who bless our lives daily.

We look forward to sharing more of our lives and ministries in the months and years to come. Christ's message and love are too big and too awesome for us to share alone. Thank God we have churches such as yours to walk alongside us as we bear witness to Jesus Christ, cultivate beloved community and seek transformational development among our wonderful immigrant friends!

Greg & Sue Smith

The Missions Team is excited to announce that Cindy & Eddy Ruble will be joining us in worship on December 4.

### DEACONS FOR NOVEMBER

Tom Reynolds  
Crit Bartley  
Mayira Cluff  
Rea Cooper  
Patricia Salyers

Samantha Reynolds  
Dorothy Cluff  
Cornelia Craun  
Barry Jacobs

### NURSERY HELPERS - NOVEMBER

6 Tracey Newman  
13 Brenda Morris, Samantha Reynolds  
20 Carolyn/Mark Herndon, Gina Sedwick  
27 Debbie Kerley, Marcia/Patrick Colby

### COUNTERS -- NOVEMBER

Doris Shumake, Linda Cluff

### HAPPY AGERS

All are welcome to join the Happy Agers. Call Cornelia Craun, 672-4705, or Doris Shumake, 672-4139, if you wish to attend any of the events or have questions.

Food Lion/Wells Fargo is the meeting place for all outings.

Last month 24 Happy Agers enjoyed a beautiful warm day on the locomotive ride in Cass, WV.



THURS., NOV: 17, 12:30 PM (note date change) meet to leave for Gordonsville Methodist Church for a traditional Thanksgiving lunch. Pay \$18 by Nov. 10 to Cornelia Craun or Doris Shumake if you are going.

FRI., DEC 9: 7:15 PM meet to attend "The Charlie Brown Christmas" show at Four-County Players theater in Barboursville.

TUES, JAN. 17: 11:30 AM meet at church for SOUP DAY. We also bring BLANKETS for the clothes closet.

## STEWARDSHIP - AUGUST

### Unified Budget:

Receipts	\$ 21,171.21
Paid Expenses	\$ 23,120.11
Unpaid Expenses	\$ 16,654.60
Unpaid Mission Partners for 2015	\$ 6,726.95

### ENTERTAINING ANGELS

JAN 17 - OCT 16, 2016

PLEGGED TO DATE	\$56,740
MONEY RECEIVED BEYOND PLEDGES	<u>33,502</u>
TOTAL EXPECTED TO RECEIVE	\$90,242
RECEIVED TO DATE	\$76,142.06
ON HAND	1,945.69

#### \*44 PLEDGES

15 pledges completed

4 who made pledges have not given anything yet  
27 have given but did not pledge

## PRAYER LIST

### Illness within church family:

Patricia Coleman	Bobby Seal
Eleanor Jarrell	Erlene Arthur
Catherine Morris	Arlene Byram
Charlene Schweikert	Betty Duffer
Alice & Jake Jacobs	Tammi Waters
Mary Strickland	G.I. Johnson
Carolyn Styers	Connie Sardina
Bart Daniel	Spurgle Herndon
Doris Samuels	Phyllis Saintclair
Matthew Clarke	

### Illness of friends & family:

Sandy Jones Garrison	Shirley Painter
Don & Marcelline Waugh	Beth Cluff
Nadia Anderson	Palmer Waugh
Brooke Wheeler	Allen Shands
Doris Haney	David Hohman
Skeeter Lutz	Susan Birdsong
Geneva Compton	Sarah Biber
Joe Austin	Rachel Saxton
Gary Kendrick	Orville Cooper
Linda Frankenberry	W. L. Miller
Austra Skroedelis	Glen Forney
Em Komiskey	Linda Jenkins
Bendall Boyd	Andrea Shell
Willie Morris	Susan Pippin
Jeff Hensley	

### Other:

Victims of Hurricane Matthew  
Samantha Clarke

## FROM YOUR MUSIC SEARCH COMMITTEE

The Music Search Committee has met and is currently accepting resumes of candidates for our part-time Minister/Director of Music position.

## THANK YOU

Friends and family of OBC

I wish to thank all for the calls and visits during my recent illness with a concussion. The power of prayer is truly a blessing.

Bob Reeves



## FAREWELL GATHERING

On Sunday, December 18, Orange Baptist Church will be honoring Pastor Rick Clore and Karen with a covered dish luncheon and reception in the Pine Room following the morning worship service.

We want to invite ALL members, friends, and family as we say our heartfelt goodbye to our beloved Rick! We are so grateful and blessed to have had his guidance and leadership for the past ten years. Please come share your love, hugs, memories, and stories on this very special day in the life of our church.



Sunday,  
November 6, 2 AM

Set clocks BACK one hour!



“Sound the Alarm  
Let’s Raise the Home”

November 6, 2016  
12 PM – 4 PM  
120 Caroline Street  
Orange

Please join us for great food, music and face painting to help raise funds for the damage that was sustained from the fire at the Regional Maternity Housing and Educational Center.

Your support is crucial to help us rebuild and to continue our mission of “Saving Babies, One Mom at a Time”

Food provided by: Craig & Donna Hartman – BBQ Exchange  
Smoked Pork Barbeque, Smoked Chicken, Sides, Rolls, Dessert

Local television stations will be on site



For more information please call:  
Barb ~540-854-2300  
admin@paulstefanhome.org

### SHOPPING FROM AMAZON!!

Place your order through smile.amazon.com and select Orange Baptist Church as your charitable organization and the church will receive .5% of each order to our general fund from the Smile Foundation.

### CHILI COOKOFF SUN., NOV. 20

The men of the church will sponsor a chili cookoff following morning worship and business meeting Sun., Nov. 20 in the Pine room.

Soup will be available for those that cannot have chili.

### CRAFT BAZAAR DECEMBER 3 9 AM - 2 PM OBC PINE ROOM



Tables are:  
\$15 for non-church members  
\$10 for church members  
Contact Brenda Morris at  
540-672-5705 or  
[Bcmorris012@gmail.com](mailto:Bcmorris012@gmail.com)

### POINSETTIAS

Those wishing to place poinsettias in the sanctuary in memory or honor of a loved one please contact Brenda Morris, 672-5705, or the church office.



Dec. 5 is the deadline for ordering.

### THE PAUL STEFAN FOUNDATION

“Gently Used Items Fundraiser”

Sat., Nov. 12, 10AM - 3 PM  
Regional Maternity Housing  
and Educational Center  
120 Caroline Street, Orange

Donations are being accepted of items for the yard sale and a bake sale (cakes, pies, cookies, brownies, breads, cupcakes).

Volunteers are needed:

- Nov. 7-11 to clean, stage, sort and price items
- Nov. 12 for set up and help during sale
- contact [admin@paulstefanhome.org](mailto:admin@paulstefanhome.org) or Barbara Seal Harris at 540-854-2300.

### SINGING CHRISTMAS TREE

5 & 7:30 PM

Sat., Dec. 10  
Sun., Dec. 11



The serving committee needs help preparing food for the choir members during the two days of performances. If you would like to volunteer please contact Dotty Bradley, 661-0206.

If you would like to donate food there is a sign-up sheet in the kitchen.

