

The Episcopal Church of the Epiphany

Newsletter - November 2018

OUTREACH PROJECTS:

- Thanks to all who continue to supply individually wrapped snacks for patients and family members at Carolina Caring (previously Catawba Regional Hospice).
- We will be serving lunch at The Corner Table on Wednesday, December 19, and encourage anyone that can to take part.
- We will have a limited number of names from an angel tree with suggestions as to what child would like to have. It is requested that we spend \$30 to \$50 each. Please see Dona Richards if you would like to take a child. Gifts need to be back to church by December 9.
- Once again it is time for the Harold Craddock Memorial Ham Drive. Last year we reached our goal of 100 hams. These hams go to ECCCM and The Corner Table soup kitchen.

DIOCESE OF WESTERN NC CONVENTION: 2018 convention will be held on November 9 & 10. Dona and Billy Richards will serve as delegates from our parish and Tom Lowery will serve as an alternate. Thanks to the 3 of you for representing us.

STEWARDSHIP: Each of you should have received a stewardship letter and giving card. Please give prayerful thought to this and how you can support your church both financially and by use of your talents. Recently, Perrin has taken time on Sundays to explain the different ministries that lay people can perform and has asked us to try to get more people involved in our Sunday services. We need these cards returned so the vestry may complete the 2019 budget.

VESTRY: The next vestry meeting will be held on Sunday, November 11. Please contact vestry members if you have something you would like to have brought up at the meeting. Vestry minutes are available for anyone who would like to have them.

DOK: On Sunday, November 18, we will honor Epiphany's chapter of the Daughters of the King. Perrin will lead a rededication during the service.

Perrin and Laurel: We have been so blessed to have Perrin and Laurel with us for the last year. Sadly, November 25 will be their last Sunday with us. Since that is Thanksgiving weekend, the vestry decided to honor them with a covered dish lunch on Sunday, November 18. Please make plans to join us for this happy/sad gathering.