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AUGUST 2026

THE ENCOURAGER

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CAMP CREEK

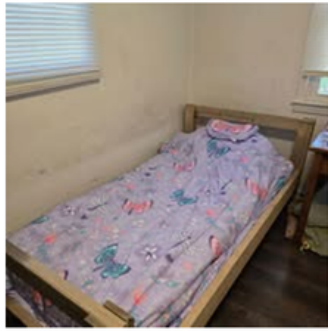


Camp Creek

Angie, along with other helpers took two days in July to talk to our kids about Ephesians 2:10 and talked about how God created us as His masterpiece, and how our hands can work for His purpose.

She also tied in Georgianne's book about how we all have times we feel different and that God created us all out of love, and that we each have different but special gifts He gave us.

They kids got to make their own pizzas and ice cream sundaes. There was a lot of creating that went on these two days.



**NC USFW Fall Annual Gathering
Registration
Saturday, August 29, 2026
Bethel Friends
2519 Bethel Friends Church Rd,
Asheboro, NC 27205**



David Millikan will be our guest speaker for the 2026 NC USFW Fall Annual Gathering at Bethel Friends. David will be sharing information on Sleep in Heavenly Peace and how volunteers have built beds for children in Randolph County. Sleep in Heavenly Peace is a national organization that provides beds for families in need with children ages 3-17. Families have to complete an application to be eligible for this program. There is a tremendous need for beds for children. 3% of kids sleep on the floor. In Randolph Co, there are 140,000 people and 4300 of those are kids.

We are very fortunate to have David Millikan in Asheboro leading a chapter of Sleep In Heavenly Peace in Randolph County. This is the only chapter in the Piedmont. Beds are actually built and put together by volunteers and youth groups. You may have heard this called the “build a bed program.” Each bed costs @\$250. Along with the bed, a mattress, sheets and a pillowcase are provided for the family.

There will be a place to put donations at the Fall Gathering on August 29. Please join us to hear David’s story and learn about this organization which definitely supports our theme of “Flourishing in faith, love and peace.”

9:00 – 10:00 am Registration and Bookstore with light refreshments

10:00 am – 12 noon Welcome, Music, Program and Business

12:00 noon Luncheon – catered lunch @ \$14.00 each

If you can’t attend, please watch the live stream video on You Tube- search for Paul Routh.

If you have questions contact Sarah Cox 336-963-2710 or Sherry Hylton 336-8058

NC USFW Spring Conference at Bethel Friends Please clip and send by August 19, 2026
Name(s) _____

Meeting _____

Number of Lunches at \$14.00 each _____ Total \$ _____

Send by August 19, 2026: Please attach this form with check written to Bethel Friends USFW and mail to: Bethel Friends USFW, 2519 Bethel Friends Rd, Asheboro, NC 27205

Walk for Hunger 2026

In Memory of Susan Steelman
Yadkinville Community Park
October 4th 3:00 - 4:30 p



Music Provided by: Anointed by Grace -
From West Yadkin Baptist Church

Registration: 2:30-3:00 PM
Parking at Yadkin Farmers Market
Homemade Ice Cream will be served
(If you choose, you can walk at your Home Church)

2026 Awards Include:

- Most walkers from a church or organization
- Largest Dollar Amount raised by a church or organization
- Random drawing for (2) \$25 gift cards

Sponsored by: Deep Creek Friends and the Susan Steelman family Yadkin Christian Ministries is supported by the people, churches, and organizations of Yadkin County to assist families in crisis times with food, medication, and water. The ministry seeks to do its mission in the spirit of Christ, with a nonjudgmental attitude. We request your prayers and goodwill.

MINISTRY AND COUNSEL

August Speakers

August 2- Mission Sunday

August 9 - Robin Dixon

August 16 - Jonah Pendegrass

August 23 - Robin Dixon

August 30 - Alvin & Annette Battle

Looking ahead to September 20 - Get out the overalls, hats/ bonnets and plan to join us we will have an old timey day with worship outside(weather permitting) and dinner on the grounds. More info to come next month!

Winding Down our Summer

Our summer here at Deep Creek has been immensely full and we are beyond grateful for the ways that God has shown up for each of us individually as well as collectively.

May we take a moment as we head into this back to school season where life doesn't really slow down but changes direction to reflect on where the summer has taken us. Where we want our autumn to head and how we can grow closer to God through every step of the journey.



NEWSLETTER
CONTENT DUE

August 16

GREETERS

Angie Brendle
Leon Robbins

NURSERY:
SUNDAY SCHOOL

ALL Sundays
Priscilla Shore

NURSERY:
WORSHIP

02 - Tracy Shore
09 - Jean Gibson
16 - Ginger Holt
23 - Priscilla Shore
30- Cathy Shore

MUSIC

02 - Walter Shore
09 - Jacob Brendle
16 - Angie Brendle
23 - Choir
30 - Annette Battle

FOOD FOR YOUTH

02 - Angie
09 - Tracy M.
16 - Janet
23 - Brenda / Priscilla
30 - Jean / Rhonda

SUN MON TUE WED THU FRI SAT

2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Mission Sunday						
3p - Back to School Bash			7p - Bible Study			
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Robin Dixon Children's Church						
5p - Youth			7p - Bible Study			
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
 Newsletter items due 8:15a - CE Meeting Jonah Pendegrass Monthly Meeting 3p - Choir 4p - Ignite 5p - Youth						
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Robin Dixon Children's Church Shore Reunion Ministry & Counsel 5p - Youth						NC USFW Conference
30	31		7p - Bible Study			
Alvin & Annette Battle 5p - Youth						
UPCOMING - Beach Retreat - Sept. 3-7 - Sleep in Heavenly Peace - Sept. 12 - Old Timey Day - Sept. 20 - Zoo Trip - Sept. 26						