# WESLEY MEMORIAL

A METHODIST CONGREGATION

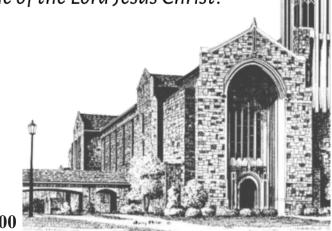
# **WELCOME**

To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest,
to all who mourn and long for comfort,
to all who struggle and desire victory,
to all who sin and need a Savior,
to all who are strangers and want fellowship,
to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness,
to all who have been blessed and wish to give thanks,
and to whoever will come -- we open wide our doors
and offer welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

**OCTOBER 12TH, 2025** 

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP IN THE SANCTUARY 11:00



Our purpose is to make and sustain spiritually healthy followers of Jesus Christ who live in ways that transform the world.

### Order of Worship

### **PRELUDE**

The prelude is a time for people to become quiet, to meditate and pray, and to prepare their hearts individually for the worship of God.

### Introit

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty arr. Sjolund Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of Creation! O my soul praise him, for he is your health and salvation! Come all who hear: now to his temple draw near; Joining in glad adoration, in glad adoration.

† CALL TO WORSHIP AND OPENING PRAYER Congregation reads bold print Blessed be God: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

And blessed be his kingdom, now and forever. Amen.

Let us pray.

O God, our refuge and strength, true source of all godliness: Graciously hear the devout prayers of your Church, and grant that those things which we ask faithfully, we may obtain effectually; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

### † Hymn No. 8

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee Joyful, joyful, we adore Thee, God of glory, Lord of love; hearts unfold like flow'rs before Thee, opening to the sun above. Melt the clouds of sin and sadness; drive the dark of doubt away. Giver of immortal gladness, fill us with the light of day!

All Thy works with joy surround Thee, earth and heav'n reflect Thy rays, stars and angels sing around Thee, center of unbroken praise. Field and forest, vale and mountain, flow'ry meadow, flashing sea, chanting bird and flowing fountain, call us to rejoice in Thee.

Thou art giving and forgiving, ever blessing, ever blest, well spring of the joy of living, ocean depth of happy rest! Thou our Father, Christ our brother, all who live in love are Thine; teach us how to love each other, lift us to the joy divine.

Mortals, join the mighty chorus which the morning stars began; love divine is reigning o'er us, binding all within its span. Ever singing, march we onward, victors in the midst of strife; joyful music leads us sunward, in the triumph song of life.

### Welcome!

Thank you for worshiping with us this morning! Please take a moment to sign the Friendship Notebooks during the announcements. If you are a guest, please leave your contact information and a pastor will contact you this week with more information about our church.

### **CARING CARDS**

We share the names of some of our people who would be blessed to hear from you. There are cards in the Welcome Folders. Please write your encouraging message on the caring card and drop in the offering plate for us to address and mail.

Sympathy to the family of Natalie Norcross who died on 9/25.

Carson Norcross (Husband) Rena & Mark Norcross (In-Laws)

Sympathy to Robert Barrett on the passing of his wife, Billie Barrett, on 10/4.

SYMPATHY TO GARRETT KEARNS ON THE RECENT PASSING OF HER MOTHER, KIT CAFFEY.

RECENT
HOSPITALIZATION:
Joe Gamble
Cynthia Tobin
Judy Layne

### ABOUT CHILDREN'S CHURCH

For quick information about Children's Church, please scan me!



### **GIVING**

Offering plates will be passed down each row during the service. To give online use your camera on your phone to scan the QR code to the right or text the word DETAILS to 94000 to give online.



### PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

SILENT PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

Pray in Unison

O holy merciful God, we confess that we have not always taken upon ourselves the yoke of obedience, nor been willing to seek and to do your perfect will. We have not loved you with all our heart and mind and soul and strength, neither have we loved our neighbors as ourselves. You have called us in the need of our sisters and brothers, and we have passed unheeding on our way. In the pride of our hearts, and our unwillingness to repent, we have turned away from the cross of Christ, and have grieved your Holy Spirit. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

† SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

Children's Sermon (Children proceed to the pulpit side door for Children's Church)

**CHURCH FAMILY NEWS** 

GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY SOLO

Take My Life, and Let It Be

arr. Mark Hayes

Take my life and let it be consecrated, Lord, to thee. Take my moments and my days; let them flow in ceaseless praise. Take my hands and let them move at the impulse of thy love. Take my feet and let them be swift and beautiful for thee. Take my voice and let me sing always, only, for my King. Take my lips and let them be filled with messages from thee. Take my will and make it thine; it shall be no longer mine. Take my heart it is thine own; it shall be thy royal throne. Take my love; my Lord, I pour at thy feet its treasure store. Take myself, and I will be ever, only, all for thee.

† Doxology

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

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Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below; Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

† Prayer of Thanksgiving

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Joshua 24:15 (Pg.198)

SERMON "As for Me and My House: Part II" Rev. Jeff Patterson

† APOSTLES' CREED We face the cross and profess in unison I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic\* Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

(The Altar is open for prayer.)

† Hymn No. 607 (verses 1, 3 & 4)
All to Jesus I Surrender
All to Jesus I surrender, all to Him I freely give; I will ever love and trust
Him, in His presence daily live.

Refrain: I surrender all, I surrender all. All to Thee, my blessed Savior, I surrender all.

All to Jesus I surrender, make me, Savior, wholly Thine; may Thy Holy Spirit fill me, may I know Thy pow'r divine. Refrain

All to Jesus I surrender, Lord, I give myself to Thee; fill me with Thy love and power, let Thy blessing fall on me. Refrain

- † Benediction
- † The Choral Benediction

  The Lord Bless You and Keep You

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  The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord lift His countenance upon you
  and give you peace. The Lord make His face to shine upon you and be
  gracious unto you.
- † CHIMES OF THE TRINITY
- † Postlude

† Those who are able please stand.

CONGREGATIONAL CARE
COMMITTEE'S NEW
PARENT MINISTRY HAS
PLACED A ROSEBUD ON
THE ALTAR TODAY TO
THE GLORY OF GOD AND
IN HONOR OF THE BIRTH
OF RIDGE CLARK
LASSITER, SON OF
SYDNEY AND
KRISTOPHER LASSITER.
THE GRANDPARENTS ARE
BARBARA AND RONALD
LASSITER..



LOOKING FOR ALTAR SERVERS!

WE ARE RECRUITING
FOR CRUCIFERS,
ACOLYTES AND BIBLE
BEARERS FOR OUR 11
AM SERVICE. IF YOU
WOULD LIKE TO SERVE
IN THIS MINISTRY,
PLEASE CALL PRISCILLA
SMITH AT
336-848-9589.

### WORSHIP LEADERS:

Reverend Dr. Jeff Patterson, Senior Pastor Reverend Clark Chilton, Contemporary Worship/Evangelism Reverend Dr. Ken Lyon, Generosity/Church Vitality/Missions Reverend Dr. Glenn Myers, Pastor of Visitation Chancel Choir

Ms. Charli Mills, Director of Traditional Music and Worship Arts

Mr. Chris Ward, Organist

Mr. Hidase Getahun, acolyte

Miss Brielle Keunnen, acolyte

Mr. Jonathon Getahun, crucifer

Mr. Teagan Ayers, Bible

Mrs. Gloria Adams, usher

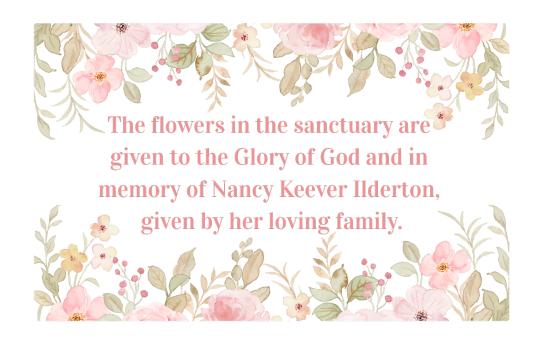
Mrs. Angela Wagner, usher

Ms. Beverly Fletcher, usher

Ms. Judy Hustrulid, usher

Mrs. Brenda Bradner, usher

Ms. Martha Jobe, usher



THE WOMEN OF WESLEY SPONSOR THE CAROLINA CHRISTMAS BAZAAR EVERY YEAR.

PROCEEDS GO TO THE FOLLOWING ORGANIZATIONS:

Boys and Girls Club
Caring Services
Community Clinic
Family Justice Center (For Camp Hope)
Feeding Lisa's Kids
Helping Hands

Leslie's House Macedonia Food Pantry Meals on Wheels Open Door Ministries Ward Street Resources Ward Street Food Pantry

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### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**



Welcome, guests! We're glad you're here. Scan the QR code to receive a free welcome gift. Nursery childcare is available for infants through 2-year-olds during the 9:30 and 11 a.m. services on the children's ministry hall (ask an usher for help finding it).

Members and guests, please take a moment to fill out and pass the friendship folders in each row. Large-print hymnals are available in the Narthex.

### THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

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MONDAY, October 13		
10:30 a.m.	Bible Study with Pastor Jeff	Media Center
5:30 p.m.	Ball & Bible	Fellowship Hall
6:00 p.m.	Girl Scout Daisy Troop	Children's Ministry Wing
6:30 p.m.	Cub Scouts	Student Gathering
7:00 p.m.	Boy Scouts	Scout Room
7:30 p.m.	AA Meeting	Adult Wing D208
TUESDAY, October 14		
12:30 p.m.	Handbells Rehearsal	Adult Wing D212
1:00 p.m.	GriefShare	Adult Wing D203
1:30 p.m.	Senior Adult Living Well Series	Media Center
1:30 p.m.	Card Ministry Meeting	Circle View Room
6:00 p.m.	Board of Directors Meeting	Circle View Room
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WEDNESDAY, October 15	Tales Marillatta Maria Dibla Charles	Dining Hall
7:20 a.m.	John Willett's Men's Bible Study	Dining Hall
9:30 a.m.	Pastor Jeff's Bible Study	Dining Hall
1:30 p.m.	Prayer Shawl Ministry	Conference Room 3
5:15 p.m.	Wednesday Night Supper (served until 6:30 p.m.)	Dining Hall
5:30 p.m.	Vespers	Chapel
5:30 p.m.	Handbells Rehearsal	Adult Wing D212
6:00 p.m.	Wesley Memorial Kids' Games & Gospel	Children's Ministry Hall
6:00 p.m.	Single & Parenting	Adult Wing D202
6:00 p.m.	GriefShare	Adult Wing D203
6:00 p.m.	Wesley Memorial Students (Grades 6-12)	Student Ministry Wing
6:15 p.m.	Disciple Bible Study	Circle View Room
6:15 p.m.	WOW Bible Study	Student Soul Cafe
6:30 p.m.	Men's Bible Study	Conference Room 3
6:45 p.m.	Pastor Jeff's Bible Study	Media Center
6:45 p.m.	Chancel Choir Rehearsal	Choir Room
THURSDAY, October 16		
6:00 p.m.	Contemporary Praise Team Rehearsal	Fellowship Hall
7:30 p.m.	AA Meeting	Adult Wing D202
7:30 p.m.	AlAnon	Adult Wing D201
SATURDAY, October 18		1
8:30 a.m.	Wesley 100 Men's Group	Dining Hall
SUNDAY, October 19		
7:30 a.m.	Televised Worship Service	WGHP, FOX8
8:30 a.m.	Traditional Worship	Chapel
9:00 a.m.	AA Meeting	Adult D202
9:30 a.m.	Contemporary Worship	Fellowship Hall
9:30 a.m.	Children's Ministry Sunday Funday	Children's Ministry Wing
9:30 a.m.	Youth Sunday School	Student Ministry Wing
9:45 a.m.	Adult Sunday School	Adult Wing
9:45 a.m.	Chancel Choir Rehearsal	Choir Room
10:13 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	Small Groups/All Welcome	Small Dining Room
11:00 a.m.	Traditional Worship Children's Church	Fellowship Hall
11:15 a.m.		Children's Ministry Wing
2:00 p.m.	Blessed Beginnings Unity Group	Circle View Room
4:00 p.m.	Wesley Memorial Kids' Fall Trail	Back Parking Lot

### Wednesdays @ Wesley

On Wednesday evenings we serve a warm, home-cooked meal from 5:15 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. in our dining hall. The menu for Oct. 15 is roasted pork loin with jus, rice pilaf, broccoli casserole and sweet potato casserole. The dessert is apple cobbler with whipped cream. All dinners come with salad bar and bread.



### Serving Expo Sunday, Oct. 19

"I had no idea ..." That's what someone said after attending last year's Serving Expo. Each year we have displays about our ministries and mission partners with representatives who can answer questions and talk about serving opportunities. All this takes place in the Dining Hall from 9 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. You can come by, enjoy some delicious refreshments, and check it out before or after the three services. That day, our 11 a.m. traditional service will be held in the Fellowship Hall so attendees can easily visit the expo without the long walk from the Sanctuary. It is a magnificent opportunity to see and engage how the good people of Wesley Memorial are being salt and light within and beyond the walls of our campus. God may be inviting you to consider a place of service in one of these high-impact ministries.





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### Wednesday Night Kids - Games & Gospel

Join us Wednesdays from 6 to 7:30 p.m. for Games & Gospel, a program for age 2 through fifth grade. Kids enjoy dinner, games, music, Bible lessons, and more. Check-in is in the lobby next to the Dining Hall. Sessions will be held Oct. 15, 22 and 29; Nov. 5, 12 and 19; and Dec. 3 and 10.

If you have an infant that needs care, please contact Ann Marie at achilton@wesleymemorial.org.

## COMMUNITY SERVICE OF WHOLENESS, HEALING, AND HOPE



If it has been a time of grief, loss, disappointment, or heavy-heartedness, join us for this most uplifting and meaningful service.

But those who wait on the Lord, shall renew their strength.
They shall mount up with wings like eagles, they shall run
and not be weary, they shall walk and not faint."

Leigh 10:23.

### Sunday, November 2, 2025

4:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary
Reception in Asbury Room
Sponsored by The Stephen Ministers

#### Senior Adult Event: Jazz Ambassadors Concert

The Senior Adult Council invites you to a performance by the official touring band of the U.S. Army Field Band at the High Point Theatre. The Jazz Ambassadors will present a versatile musical program featuring the big band sounds of the 1940s and contemporary hits of today.

The concert will be Tuesday, Nov. 4, at 7 p.m. Doors open at 6 p.m., and it is recommended that you arrive early as seats are general admission.

Tickets are free, but we only have 40 available. There is a limit of four per person. You may reserve tickets by calling the church office at 336-884-2204 and picking em up at the front desk until they are gone.

### Carolina Christmas Bazaar - General Store Donations

The trailer is here and ready to receive your donations... in fact, it's half full!

Clean out the closets, attic and garage. We welcome your gently used toys, holiday decor, acces-



sories, sports equipment, lamps and more. No clothing, large furniture or electronics.

To arrange a drop-off time, contact:

- Debbie Lassiter at 336.880.7111
- Teresa Swartz at 336.848.1793

Thank you for supporting the Wesley Women and the Carolina Christmas Bazaar!

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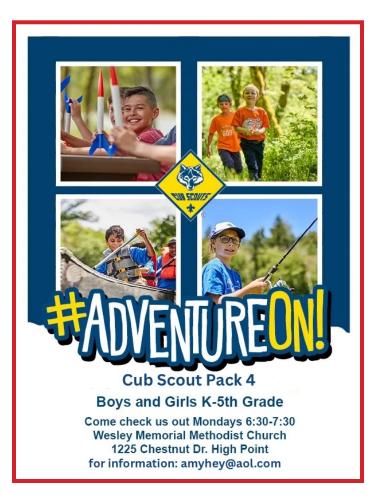
The number of items in the Treasure Hunt at the 2024 Carolina Christmas Bazaar. Antique, collectible and one-of-a kind pieces available for your purchase on the stage. Support Wesley Women and the Carolina Christmas Bazaar November 15, 8 a.m. - 3 p.m. Sponsored by Wesley Women

### Sea Scouts BSA

Wesley Memorial is organizing a program of Scouting America called Sea Scouts BSA. This program is for young men and women ages 14 to 20. It will complement our existing Cub Scouts Pack 4 (boys and girls, grades K–5) and the 105-year-old Boy Scout Troop 4 (boys ages 11 to 17). This expansion of Wesley Memorial's Scouting Ministry also includes GSA Daisy Scouts (girls, grades K–1). The new unit will be Sea Scouts Ship 4. Hilco Woudstra will lead the Ship as Skipper, and Bill Milliken will serve as Committee Chair.

For more information, contact:

- Hilco Woudstra 336-254-3691
- Bill Milliken 336-906-9406
- Steve Bouldin 336-471-1390





# Carolina Christmas Bazaar

SATURDAY • NOVEMBER 15, 2025 • 8 AM - 3 PM

**A Project of Wesley Women** 

**JEWELRY** 

**SEWN & KNITTED CRAFTS** 

75 Vendors

**WOODCRAFTS & CARVINGS** 

Treasure Hunt & General Store

**SOAPS & LOTIONS** 

Bake Sale and Food-A-Rama

GINGERBREAD HOUSES

Sausage Biscuits & Muffin Breakfast

POTTERY

**ARTWORK** 

Sandwich/Hot Dog & Soup Lunch

**HOUSEHOLD ITEMS** 

Stained Glass Windows Sanctuary Tours

TOYS & DOLLS

**WREATHS** 

HOUSEPLANTS

**HANDBAGS** 

CHRISTMAS DECOR

**METAL CRAFTS** 

FREE ADMISSION & PARKING

Proceeds benefit local missions!
www.wesleymemorial.org/CarolinaChristmasBazaar

## Carolina Christmas Bazaar

Saturday, November 15, 2025, 8:00 am -3:00 pm Presented By Wesley Women

### RESTAURANT

Kari Craig 336-847-5144 kcraig1063@northstate.net Susan Sumpter 336-848-4128 susan.m.sumpter@gmail.com

Mary Ann Bohi and Bonnie Horney, Advisors

It takes 35 volunteers to decorate the dining hall, cook and serve 500 meals on Saturday. Additional help is needed on Thursday, November 13 & Friday, November 14, before the Bazaar to make soup, pimento cheese and brownies, donate desserts and to decorate tables. CONTACT Susan if you would like to help.

### **EXHIBITORS**

Martha Jobe 336-880-6963 CarolinaChristmasBazaar@gmail.com

There are 75 vendors. September 1 was the deadline for applications.

HELP Needed:

Thursday, Nov. 13 9:00 am - 11:00 am (help mark vendor spaces)

Friday, Nov. 14 2:00 pm - 7:00 pm for Vendor Setup

Saturday, Nov. 15 3:30 pm - - - - Until entire Bazaar area is cleaned and Bazaar is wrapped up!

### **GENERAL STORE**

Debbie Lassiter 336-880-7111 debcarmichael123@aol.com Teresa Swartz 336-848-1793 tswartz@northstate.net

Clean, gently used items are needed. NO clothing, electronics or large furniture. Volunteers needed:

Thursday, Nov. 13 10:00 am - 4:00 pm Friday, Nov. 14 9:00 am - 3:00 pm Saturday, Nov. 15 8:00 am - 3:00 pm

Unpack, price and set up the store. On Saturday to work at the bazaar and after the Bazaar to box left over items.

### TREASURE HUNT

Carol Young 336-688-1896 cyoungisoldit@gmail.com

Your donation of collectibles, new items or antiques, art, for the would be greatly appreciated! Contact Carol Young to donate.

### **BAKE SALE**

Lesa Pierce 336-848-8886 pierce@northstate.net

Made from Scratch—Cakes, pies, bread, casseroles/stews/soups...dishes that makes life easier for those who have small children or work. Vegetable casseroles, home canned items and frozen items are very popular. Please bring baked/frozen items to Canteen (lower level) on Friday, November 14 from 10:00 to 5:00. VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED on Friday 14th from 10:00 – 5:00 to accept, wrap and price donated items and on Saturday from 8-12:00. Contact Lesa Pierce to volunteer! Your help will be greatly appreciated.

### **PUBLICITY**

Judy Hustrulid

### Carolina Christmas Bazaar Vendors 2025

\*New Vendors for 2025

(DR) Dining Room (F) Foyer (FH) Fellowship Hall

### INFORMATION AND WELCOME

Wesley Memorial Methodist Church, High Point NC (FH)

### GIFTS, HOME AND SEASONAL

Samuel Brimer, Archdale NC (DR)
Ethel Cheney, Kernersville NC (FH)
\*Robin Clifton, Asheboro NC (DR)
Color Your World Designs, Thomasville NC (DR)
Nicole Gomez, Greensboro NC (DR)
Nancy Perryman, High Point NC (DR)
\*Lucille Pretory, Greensboro NC (FH)
Karen Skinner, High Point NC (DR)
Belenda Slate, Trinity NC (FH)
The ARC of High Point, High Point NC (DR)
Wesley Memorial Wesley 100, High Point NC (DR)

### **GLASS**

Mikhail Benkovski, Greensboro NC (FH) Lysa Ricks, Liberty NC (DR) Janet Wallace, High Point NC (F)

### **JEWELRY**

Jeanneen Adamcik, High Point NC (DR) Geri Coenen, Greensboro NC (DR) Georgia Dorn, High Point NC (DR) Brianne Hauser, Mebane NC (DR) Tracy Hicks, Germanton NC (DR) Jessica Howard, High Point NC (FH) \*Amber Lewis, Gibsonville NC (FH) Grey Mabe, Stokesdale NC (FH)

### LEATHER

Randy Davis, High Point NC (FH) Blythe Leonard, Thomasville NC (FH)

### METAL

Dexter Covington, Mebane NC (DR)

### **PAINTINGS**

\*Phyllis Arnold, Winston-Salem NC (FH) Christina Becher, High Point NC (F) Linda Gleason, Archdale NC (FH) Bill Gramley, Lewisville NC (FH) Blake Henkel, Trinity NC (DR) Beth Holcomb, Yadkinville NC (DR) Rose Lambert, Kernersville NC (FH) Gayle Lambeth, Archdale NC (DR) \*Robin, Thompson, High Point NC (DR)

### POTTERY AND CERAMICS

Barbara Campbell, Lewisville NC (DR) Lola Henderson, Greensboro NC (FH)

### SEWN, KNITTED, WOVEN AND FIBERS

Diane Adams, Climax NC (DR) Cathryn Campbell, High Point NC (DR) \*Lisa Chiang, Stokesdale NC (FH) Pearl Dodson, Graham NC (DR) Anne Franklin, Greensboro NC (FH) \*Karen Gunter, Jamestown NC (DR) Irina Hamlin, Jamestown NC (DR) Cynethia Mayhand, Greensboro NC (DR) Sue McConnell, Greensboro NC (DR) Kim McEntee, Jamestown NC (DR) Carol Martin, Greensboro NC (FH) Mabel Muscat, Greensboro NC (FH) Becky Schiffman, Greensboro NC (FH) Deborah Schneider, Greensboro NC (FH) Joan Valentine, High Point NC (DR) Cathy Ward, Franklinville NC (DR)

### SOAPS, LOTIONS AND CANDLES

Susan Stringer, Jamestown NC (F) \*Autumn Guarino, High Point NC (FH)

### WOOD, GOURDS AND BASKETRY

Bob Campbell, Lewisville NC (DR)
Steve Coley, Kernersville NC (DR)
\*Will Crawford, Jamestown NC (FH)
Joe Ellis, High Point NC (DR)
Robyn Goode, Lexington NC (DR)
\*Charles Guyn, High Point NC (F)
Dan Marcantel, Winston-Salem NC (FH)
Shirley McGukin, High Point NC (FH)
Andrew Melos, Stokesdale NC (FH)
Patty Niten, Mt. Airy NC (FH)
\*Allen Schaver, Jamestown NC (FH)
Tom Ullman, High Point NC (FH)

### WREATHS, PLANTS, FLORAL DRIED

Maria Bayardo, Denton NC (FH)
Pat Farley, Lawndale NC (FH)
Susan Hawks, High Point NC (FH)
Crissy Pope, Welcome NC (DR)
Kay Stewart, High Point NC (DR)