INSPIRATIONAL CONFERENCE & CAMP MEETING
JUNE 12-16

Tim Sheets
Tuesday, June 12 – 7 p.m.
Wednesday, June 13 – 9 a.m.
Thursday, June 14 – 9 a.m.

Beth Stephens
Wednesday, June 13 – 7 p.m.

Jay Pike
Thursday, June 14 – 7 p.m.
Friday, June 15 – 9 a.m.

Stacy Hilliard
Friday, June 15 – Global Outreach Service – 7 p.m.

Saturday, June 16 – 9 a.m. – Inspirational Conference
Dr. Doug Beacham, Presiding Officer

Appalachian Conference Campgrounds
Dublin, Virginia
Dr. Tim Sheets is apostle and senior pastor of The Oasis in Middletown, Ohio, along with his wife, Carol. Tim is a graduate of Christ for the Nations Institute in Dallas, Texas, and received his Doctor of Divinity from Christian Life School of Theology. Upon graduation from CFNI in 1979, God led him to Middletown with a vision to “take the city” for God. In 2003, Dr. Sheets founded Destiny Bible School, a school with an emphasis on equipping believers for active ministry. Dr. Sheets believes that his job is to do just that: equip and mobilize the saints to do the work of the ministry. He is also an accomplished author and has taught in more than 80 Bible schools around the world. He has authored three books: Armed and Battle Ready, Being Led by the Spirit, and Heaven Made Real.

Beth Stephens was called into the ministry in 1990, and she began evangelizing throughout the United States and internationally. Beth Stephens Ministries is an evangelistic ministry that crosses all denominational barriers, bringing the message of salvation, hope, deliverance, and restoration. After 10 years of evangelizing, God led her to New Covenant Worship Center in Athens, Georgia, for a revival that exploded into a mighty move of God. She is currently on staff as the associate pastor at that church. Beth’s style of ministry is delightfully unique! A powerful speaker, she delivers messages that energize those listening. She delivers the Word with simplicity and understanding so that it can be applied to everyday living. Many signs have followed her ministry, with countless lives being transformed through salvation, deliverance, baptism in the Holy Spirit, miracles, and healings.

Jay Pike spent eight years serving Bishop Tony Miller and the Destiny World Outreach ministry after receiving a call to the nations. Having ministered in over 30 nations and 5 continents, Jay and his wife, Sissi, continue to travel nationally and internationally. Thousands of people are impacted and changed each year by their humorous, dynamic and creative communication of the gospel. They have a passion to bring fresh inspiration, practical empowerment and lasting impact to their generation. Presently, Jay and Sissi are a part of the visionary team at The Cathedral in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

Rev. Stacy Hilliard is the director of Church Multiplication and African-American Ministries for Evangelism USA. He is also the founding pastor of Breakthrough Revival Center Church, Inc., where he has served for more than a decade. In keeping with his desire to serve the Lord with no inhibition, his ministry is one of reconstruction and spiritual reconciliation. His desire is that all people of God move into the true application of Jesus and serve Him through obedience and submission to God’s will. Through his dedication to the truth in salvation, his teaching serves to ignite the hunger and thirst for righteousness which God honors in man.
**JULY/AUGUST RETIRED MINISTERS’ BIRTHDAYS**

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**JULY 16**  
Rev. Dallas Jewell  
4613 Old Stage Rd.  
Pulaski, VA 24301

**JULY 17**  
Rev. Mrs. Aileen Aker  
624 Ft. Chiswell Rd.  
Max Meadows, VA 24360

**JULY 18**  
Rev. Donald Linkous  
3568 Greenhouse Rd.  
Hiwassee, VA 24347

**JULY 18**  
Rev. Mrs. Louise Mayhue  
3720 Parliament Rd #136  
Roanoke, VA 24014

**JULY 19**  
Rev. James Black  
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Bluefield, WV 24701

**JULY 23**  
Rev. Harry Kines  
30 Olflinn Street  
Luray, VA 22835-1722

**JULY 25**  
Rev. Ernest Kestner  
2820 Beaverbrook Dr.  
Salem, VA 24153

**JULY 25**  
Rev. Donald Elliott  
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**JULY 30**  
Rev. W.M. Post  
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**JULY 30**  
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81 Culpepper  
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Rev. James Hopkins  
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Rev. Walter Wood  
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**IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER**

**JULY**

- 2-5 Kidz Quest Camp
- 5 Mailing Deadline for YQ Registration
- 6 First Friday Fast
- 9-13 Adventurer Pre-Teen Camp
- 14 Royal Ranger Kids Field Day
- 19-22 Youth Quest – Orlando

**AUGUST**

- 2-5 Royal Ranger Pow Wow – Dublin
- 3 First Friday Fast
- 10 ATAM Golf Tournament – Draper Valley

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Camp Meeting has a family reunion atmosphere. It is an exciting and anticipated annual event. Relationships are renewed, and a fresh Word from God is deposited into our spirits. It is also a time to catch up on the news and rejoice in what God is doing. This article shares some of the events that have transpired since our last gathering.

The spirit of generous giving is breaking out for World Missions Ministries! Last year, the conference Global Offering (GO) increased, and our total giving is back above $800,000. We are poised to become a million-dollar conference. This translates into a multitude of ministry encounters around the world. Rev. Stacy Hilliard of EVUSA will minister in the Global Service of Camp Meeting on Friday, June 15, at 7:00 p.m. Come expecting a God encounter!

There are missionaries whose presence we miss. Violet Webb, David Fannin, and Larry Rogers have gone to be with the Lord, as well as A.C. and Vera Ashford. We are thankful for all their years of service in the Great Commission. Carl and Barbra Early retired after 24 years of ministry in South Africa. Margret Rogers retired after 17 years of service in Africa. May God bless them in this new season of life!

Mission teams lived out the GO GIVE GROW vision. A building team went to Maputo, Mozambique, last October. A roof was put on the new medical clinic, and a children’s crusade was conducted. Last February, medical and construction team members ministered in Tapio, Haiti. Block was laid for a new church and hundreds were ministered to in the medical clinics.

The future is bright for church planting! Both EVUSA and World Missions Ministries are conducting training in Dynamic Church Planting International (DCPI). This partnership gives the IPHC a track on which to run, as well as a new focus on this most important priority. This training, along with a revived Maranatha College and future mother churches, should produce desperately needed planters ready to reach our region of the United States with the gospel.

Six churches joined the conference last year, and two additional ones have joined this year. The locations are Altavista, Va.; Athens, Tenn.; Bedford, Va.; Harrisonburg, Va.; Lynchburg, Va. (2); Roanoke, Va.; and Staunton, Va. New churches are under way in Charlottesville, Va.; Fort Mill, S.C.; Kingsport, Tenn.; Grottoes, Va.; and Morristown, Tenn. Several others are in the planning stages.

Our Hispanic family is growing! We received our first Hispanic member churches in Harrisonburg and Staunton. Another plant is under way in Morristown, Tenn. We are providing Spanish translation via personal receivers for our Camp Meeting services.

Finally, Gforce is an evolving conference missional team that is in the planning stages of conducting a prayer walk and neighborhood outreach events at two of our plants this summer. EVUSA has published a new book, God’s Mission: The Mandate of the Church. This book gives the heart of the missional message and presents 15 church models. This book will be available at the GO GIVE GROW booth at Camp Meeting. Evangelist Amy Lambert desires your prayers and support for the Invasion Crusade for Charlotte on June 30.
1.1 Vocal Solo Female/Alpha
1st: Hannah Keyton – New Beginnings
2nd: Alex Elkins – Harbor of Hope
3rd: Holly Peck – Peterstown

1.1 Vocal Solo Female/Omega
1st: Emily Arnold – St. Paul
2nd: Brittany McGee – CLM Bedford
3rd: Hayley Pugh – Buena Vista

1.2 Vocal Solo Male/Alpha
1st: Zack Alderson – Max Meadows

1.2 Vocal Solo Male/Omega
1st: Graham Tate – New Life, Roanoke
2nd: Matt Akers – Baker’s Chapel
3rd: Dylan Swecker – Crosswalk

2.1 Vocal/Instrumental Ind./Omega
1st: Emily Arnold – St. Paul
2nd: Dakota Wickline – Peterstown
3rd: Jared King – Crosswalk

2.2 Vocal/Instrumental Ensemble
1st: Emily & Storm – St. Paul
2nd: Next-n-Line – Harbor of Hope
3rd: Crosswalk – Crosswalk

3.1 Vocal Ensemble: Duets/Trios/Qts
1st: Hay & Swecker – Crosswalk
2nd: Cool 2 Shine – Cool Springs
3rd: Conner & Cole – Harbor of Hope

3.2 Vocal Ensemble: 5 – 12
1st: Youth of Clay – Baker’s Chapel
2nd: Crosswalk – Crosswalk

4.1 Instrumental Solo: Wind/Alpha
1st: Tiffany Smith – French’s Chapel

4.1 Instrumental Solo: Wind/Omega
1st: Josie O’Dell – French’s Chapel
2nd: Jacob Shelor – New Life, Roanoke

4.3 Inst. Solo: Strings Plucked/Alpha
1st: Hannah Ingo – Draper Valley

4.3 Inst. Solo: Strings Plucked/Omega
1st: Trey Tate – Crosswalk
2nd: Zachary Carter – Cool Springs
3rd: Storm Reynolds – St. Paul

4.6 Instrumental Solo: Piano/Alpha
1st: Elijah Cortez – New Life, Roanoke

5.1 Instru. Ensemble: Duets/Trios/Qts
1st: All to Jesus – French’s Chapel
2nd: Crosswalk

5.2.1 Vocal/Instrumental Ind./Alpha
1st: Laykan Comer – Bethel

5.2.2 Vocal/Instrumental Ind./Omega
1st: Matthew Akers – Baker’s Chapel
2nd: Joshua Thornton – VHM
3rd: Elijah Willis – VHM

6.3 Com. Arts: Drama Aud. Ind./Alpha
1st: Micah Pike – Crosswalk

6.3 Com. Arts: Drama Aud. Ind./Omega
1st: Hayley Pugh – Buena Vista

6.4 Com. Arts: Drama Audible 2+
1st: Galax Drama Team – Galax
2nd: Crosswalk Drama Team – Crosswalk

6.6 Com. Arts: Drama Inaudible 2+
1st: Crosswalk Drama Team – Crosswalk

6.7 Com. Arts Human Video Ind./Alpha
1st: Aaron Tunnell – Baker’s Chapel

6.8 Com. Arts Drama Human Video 2+
1st: T-4:12s – Harbor of Hope
2nd: Galax Drama Team – Galax
3rd: Youth of Clay – Baker’s Chapel

6.9 Com. Arts Int. Dance Class. Ind./Alpha
1st: Alexis Lawson – Harbor of Hope
2nd: Brittany Perdieu – TOLM

6.11 C. A. Int. Dance Cont. Ind./Alpha
1st: Dara Pike – Crosswalk

6.11 C. A. Int. Dance Cont. Ind./Omega
1st: Makaela Shelton – New Life, Roa.
2nd: Caitlin Strickland – Crosswalk
3rd: Josie O’Dell – French’s Chapel

6.12 Com. Arts Int. Dance Contemp. 2+
2nd: Crosswalk – Crosswalk

6.13 C. A. Creative Movement Ind./Alpha
1st: Laykan Comer – Bethel

6.13 C. A. Creative Movement Ind./Omega
1st: Josie O’Dell – French’s Chapel

6.14 Com. Arts Creative Movement 2+
1st: Crosswalk Drama – Crosswalk

7.1 Creative Arts – Painting/Omega
1st: Nicholas Gilmore – Harbor of Hope
2nd: Lacy Storms – Crosswalk

7.2 Creative Arts – Graphics/Alpha
1st: Sindie Hedge – VHM
2nd: Leanna Leonard – 1st Trinity

7.2 Creative Arts – Graphics/Omega
1st: Logan Martin – Draper Valley
2nd: Chase Cooper – Draper Valley
3rd: Brittany McGee – CLM Bedford

7.3 Creative Arts – 3-D/Alpha
1st: Trevor Riggins – Baker’s Chapel
2nd: Jacob Persiani – Woodlawn

7.3 Creative Arts – 3-D/Omega
1st: Cole Lam – Shenandoah

7.4 Creative Arts – Enhanced Photo./Alpha
1st: Nicholas Thomas – St. Paul
2nd: Aaron Tunnell – Baker’s Chapel
3rd: Bryanna Young – Faith Central

7.5 C. Arts – Non-Enhanced Photo./Alpha
1st: Alex Elkins – Harbor of Hope
2nd: Z. J. Bittler – TOLM
3rd: Tiffany Smith – French’s Chapel

7.5 C. Arts – Non-Enhanced Photo./Omega
1st: Joanie Conner – Harbor of Hope
2nd: Krislyn Knighton – Shenandoah
3rd: Kayla Williams – Rural Retreat

7.7 C. Arts – Website Design/Alpha
1st: Bryanna Young – Faith Central

8.2 Creative Writing – Fiction/Alpha
1st: Dylan Crigger – Rural Retreat

8.3 Creative Writing – Poetry/Alpha
1st: Aaron Tunnell – Baker’s Chapel

8.3 Creative Writing – Poetry/Omega
1st: Brittany McGee – CLM Bedford
2nd: Caitlin Strickland – Crosswalk

9.1 Video
1st: Robyn Waldron – Faith Central Fellowship

10.1 Rap Solo/Alpha
1st: Alan Garay – Rural Retreat

10.1 Rap – 2 or more
1st: Pastrana & Swecker – Crosswalk
Women's Ministries Spring Tour

Our annual bus trip this year took us to Charleston, S.C. Forty-three ladies, representing ten churches, attended the spectacular event. We took carriages and clippity-clopped our way back to Colonial times—back 300-plus years—and viewed mansions, churches, and gardens as we listened and learned the history behind all the extraordinary sites.

One of the highlights was touring the Magnolia Plantation and Gardens. It was opened to the public in 1870 and has remained in the ownership of the same family for more than three generations. The gardens contain various varieties of flowers, including camellias, daffodils, azaleas, bamboo and countless other species in bloom year round.

The house is owned by the Drayton family. Part of the house was built prior to the Revolutionary War. It was dismantled and floated down the river and rebuilt after the Civil War on the Plantation.

After touring the home, we enjoyed a visit with the animals at the Petting Zoo, a very friendly hands-on experience. The handiwork of God was evidenced as we saw peacocks, white-tailed deer, pygmy goats, turkeys, rabbits, and even some reptiles.

Laughter, fun and fellowship are all a big part of a bus trip. Memories were made, friendships created and hearts became closer knit together.

If you missed the trip, we encourage you to plan to go with us next year. For those of you who went, I want to thank you. I couldn't have hand picked a better group of ladies. Truly, the world could see we are Christians by our love shown toward each other.

I'd like to give a special thank you to Ron Fredericks, our Discipleship Ministries director, for helping make this a wonderful trip.

Don’t miss this:

“Preparing for the Bridegroom,” Saturday, June 30, 10:00 a.m. at Word of Life in Wytheville, Va. Connie Black will be the guest speaker, and there will be special singing. A bridal luncheon will follow at 11:30. Please RSVP Regina Rogers, WM director, by June 15, at 276.228.4765.

LET US HELP YOU!

If you would like to announce an upcoming Women’s Ministries event, we are glad to help. However, we must have the information at least two months in advance. Please email Kathy Mathena at krmathena@gmail.com or Martha Hall at rlmjhall@aol.com.

“... and his bride has made herself ready.” Rev. 19:7 NIV
Smartphones, text messages, and high-speed Internet are all sophisticated means of communication. Yet, these are inferior to the Heavenly communication methods.

The Holy Spirit communicates to the heart by supernatural means. These heavenly messages pierce the heart, “even to the dividing asunder of soul and spirit and of the joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and the intents of the heart” (Hebrews 4:12).

FROM HEAVEN TO EARTH

The Father sends His message straight to the heart. The emotions of the heart respond to His WORD. “This is the covenant that I will make with them after those days, says the Lord: I will put My laws into their hearts, and in their minds will I write them” (Hebrews 10:16, NKJV, emphasis added).

SWEET WORDS

Oh, how precious is the Word of the Lord. His Word bathes the soul with HOPE! Honey from heaven nourishes the heart. “Pleasant words are as an honeycomb, sweet to the soul, and health to the bones” (Proverbs 16:24, KJV).

ABOVE THE STORM

Like the eagle, which uses the wind currents to fly above the storms, we are invited to come out of the storm. Our invitation is to come and be SEATED in HEAVENLY PLACES with Christ Jesus (Ephesians 2:6). From this position, we are surrounded by heavenly promises.

OVERCOME

“He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches” (Revelation 2:7, NKJV, emphasis added). His Spirit not only WRITES upon our hearts, but He also HELPS us through every trial. No obstacle is a challenge for Him! This message for Zerubbabel is also the message for you: “‘Not by might nor by power, but by My Spirit,’ says the Lord of Hosts” (Zechariah 4:6, NKJV).

FROM EARTH TO HEAVEN

Yes, Father, I receive Your Word, WRITTEN upon my heart. I return back to my first love, the Lord Jesus. I receive the victories You have for me now!

Holy Spirit, WRITE upon my heart!
Rev. Michael Allen Jenkins, 54, of Gate City, Va., went to be with the Lord on March 22, 2012. He joined the Appalachian Conference in 1996 and was ordained in 2008. He is survived by his wife, Denise, their sons, Jason, Brandon and Taylor, and two grandsons. Mike founded Mike Jenkins Evangelistic Association and poured his heart into the ministry of reaching youth. Gary Cope, a good friend of many years, says, “Mike devoted himself to youth and families. Mike spoke to people all across this country and encouraged people to respect themselves and others so they would make the right choices. He wanted everyone to know that though we can’t change our past, we can change our future. So long, my Air Force friend. Your wings have changed from silver to eternal in the presence of the Lamb of God. I love you, my brother.” A graveside military service was conducted on March 26 at Holston View Cemetery, Weber City, Va.

Rev. Mrs. Vera B. Ashford, 91, of Austinville, Va., went to meet her Lord on Sunday, April 29, 2012. She was preceded in death by her husband, Rev. Cadell Ashford, a daughter and a son. She was an English teacher and taught in South Carolina, Georgia, Virginia and Costa Rica. Rev. Mrs. Ashford attended Holmes Bible College in Greenville, S.C., and Emmanuel College in Franklin Springs, Georgia. She joined the Appalachian Conference in 1951 and was ordained in 1956. She and her husband were missionaries in Costa Rica for 21 years and also pastored St. Paul and Liberty Hill Pentecostal Holiness churches. She was a lifelong member of Baker’s Chapel P.H. Church, where her funeral services were held on May 2. Pastor James Tunnell and Rev. Hampton Atkinson officiated. She loved the Lord and people, and her laughter will be missed.

“PRECIOUS IN THE SIGHT OF THE LORD IS THE DEATH OF HIS SAINTS.”
(Psalm 116:15 NIV)

We will visit:
- Naval Station Norfolk
- Colonial Williamsburg
- Historic Jamestowne
- Yorktown Victory Center
- Shopping Outlets

Special Guests:
- Angelina McKeithen, Musician/singer
- Tim Lovelace, Christian comedian
- Timothy R. Moore, U.S. Coast Guard Chaplain

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