

Open to the community, all events and activities for seniors 55 and older.

- Tuesday, March 17 movie, *Mrs. Palfrey at the Claremont*, 2:30 p.m.
- Tuesday, March 31 Senior Citizen Prom, 12 noon to 3 p.m. Refreshments will be served. Call to register 704-694-6616.
- Tuesday, May 12 Anson Wellness Expo. Refreshments will be served. Register at 704-694-6616.

**February Mobile Food Pantry Info**

Margot Barnes, Director of Anson Crisis Ministry has released statistics from the February Mobile Food Pantry which was held on Wednesday, February 5 at the Wingate United Methodist Church.

Barnes said, "Thank you to the 34 volunteers!"

- Total Families: 90
- New Families: 8
- Children & Youth up to Age 18: 66
- Youth & Adults Ages 19-64: 95
- Adults Over 65: 529

"Anson Crisis Ministry received 1,425 pounds of undistributed food," added Barnes. "Thank you! A lot of food was distributed!"

Anson Crisis Ministry is located at 117 North Rutherford Street in Wadesboro. The telephone number is 704-694-2445, email is [ansoncrisisministry@windstream.net](mailto:ansoncrisisministry@windstream.net) and the website is [ansoncrisisministry.org](http://ansoncrisisministry.org).

**Church News**

**ALL FEBRUARY Teaching Series**  
"Black History According to the Bible" by A Better Day Ministry at Piney Grove COG, 3pm each Sunday. Free, open to all. Info 704-294-1094

**FEBRUARY 21 & 22 BBQ Plate Sale**  
At Pleasant Hill AME Zion, 378 Pleasant Hill Church Rd (109 South), Wadesboro, 11am until. \$10 plate includes BBQ, cole slaw, baked beans & dessert. Sandwich \$5. Info 704-694-9734

**FEBRUARY 22 Books of the Bible Program** at Pee Dee COD, 1pm with Rev Bernice Johnson

**FEBRUARY 23 Family & Friends Day**  
At Henry Grove Baptist Church, 3588 Vintage Rd in Lilesville, 2:30pm with Rev Jean Douglas of Grace Temple Fellowship Church in Wallace, SC

**Candlelight Service**  
At Fairview COG, 3pm with Rev Nancy Hough

**Black History Program** at Divine Unity House of Restoration, 6090 Hwy 109 South, Wadesboro, 2:30pm with Pastor Louis Blakney of Solid Rock in Marshville

**FEBRUARY 29 Gospel Singing Program** at New Grove MBC, 5pm. All choirs are invited along with everyone else

**MARCH 4 - 6 Annual Spring Revival**  
Presented by Ushers & Mis-

sionaries at Greater St Mark COD, 1003 N Main St in Wadesboro, 7pm nightly with Pastor Cindy Wiggins from House of Faith Outreach Ministries in Wadesboro. All are invited

**MARCH 8 Missionary Program**  
At Henry Grove MBC, 3588 Vintage Rd in Lilesville, 2pm with Dr. Bernice Bennett of Harris Chapel AME Zion in Morven. All are invited

**18th Anniversary**  
Of West Deep Creek MBC Youth Choir, 2:30pm

**MARCH 15 Family & Friends Day**  
At Pleasant Hill Baptist Church in Ansonville, 3pm with Rev Jakeem Bowman or Reedy Branch Baptist Church in Clio, SC

**MARCH 21 Free Items**  
For senior citizens & those in need, including paper plates, paper towels, hand sanitizers, soap, toothpaste & toilet tissue. Held at 118 West Wade St in Wadesboro, 11am

**MARCH 29 Men of the Bible Program** at West Deep Creek MBC during morning worship

**ONGOING Bible Study**  
Every Wed night, 7pm at Victory Temple Miracle Center

**Prayer/Bible Study**  
Thursdays 6:30-8:30pm at House of Faith

**Bible Study**  
Every Wednesday at noon at Expected End Ministries by Pastor Betty Tillman

**Exercise Class**  
Each Thursday at 2pm at Hopewell UMC

**Intercessory Prayer & Bible Study** at Sandy Ridge MBC every Wednesday, 5pm

**Bible Study**  
At West Deep Creek MBC each Wednesday at 6:30pm

**Youth Night**  
At Vision of God Ministries in Morven each Sat, 5-7pm w/bible study, Christian movies, games, crafts refreshments & more

**Addiction Recovery**  
Support group meets every Sunday, 6pm at Harmony Community Church in Peachland. 704-272-7410

**Bible Study & Prayer**  
At Kesler Chapel AME Zion every Wednesday 7pm

**Bible Study Classes**  
Every Tuesday-Evangelistic Outreach Center on Hwy 74 in Polkton at 6:30pm

**Bible Study**  
Every Wednesday night at 7pm at New Grove MBC. Need a ride? Call 704-272-8884

**Bible Study**  
Every Tuesday at 6:30pm at Pleasant Hill Baptist Church of Ansonville

**Bible Class**  
At Red Hill Baptist Church, 12noon, Wednesdays, public invited

**Service Schedule**  
At Abundance Grace Ministry of Morven. Sunday School 10am, praise & worship 11am. Discipleship class Thur at 6:30pm. All are welcome

**Men & Women**  
Fellowship at Abundance Grace Ministry of Morven second Saturday, 3-5pm

**Free Exercise Class**  
Every Wed & Thu, 5:30-6:30pm at New Grove MBC. Need a ride? Call 704-272-8884

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**ANSON COUNTY BRIDGE BUILDERS COMBINED WORSHIP SERVICE**

**SUNDAY FEBRUARY 23<sup>RD</sup> @ 6:30 P**

Location: HARVEST MINISTRIES IN WADESBORO

**Kingdom Citizens OUTREACH**

Pastors Tim & Brenda Adams

SPECIAL SPEAKERS: PASTORS WAYNE & DEBRA MARSH

**CHRIST CRUSADERS**

Contact Pastor Steve Adams @ (704) 695-2879

**Events**

**NOW - FEB 29 Photography Exhibit**  
By professional photographer Austin Kiker at the Hampton B. Allen Library. All are invited to enjoy the landscape, wildlife & lifestyle photography

**FEBRUARY 20 Captain D's & Wadesboro Lions Club Share Night.**  
5-8pm tell order taker you support the Lions Club & 10% of sale goes to Lions Club efforts to support the blind & visually impaired in Anson County. This does not add to your cost. Wadesboro location only. Dine in, with small donation, for chance to win free prizes. Info 910-571-1448

**Monthly Meeting**  
Anson County Democratic Party, 6pm at Hampton B. Allen Library. Info 704-694-8326

**FEBRUARY 22 Anson Theatre Awards Ceremony,**  
7:30pm, recognizing excellence from the 2018-2019 season. Tickets \$10. Info 704-694-4950 or [ansontheatre.com](http://ansontheatre.com)

**FEBRUARY 24 Board of Education Regular Meeting** in Administrative Office Board Meeting Rm, 320 Camden Rd in Wadesboro. Meeting begins with Closed Session at 4:30pm, followed by Open Session at about 5:30pm

**Free Movie**  
*Same Kind of Different As Me* showing at the Hampton B. Allen Library at 10am. All are invited. Info 704-694-5177

**FEBRUARY 25 Board Meeting**  
Brown Creek Soil & Water Conservation District, 10am at BCSWCD office, 1758 Morven Rd, Wadesboro. Info 704-694-3516

**FEBRUARY 26 Early Release**  
At Anson schools for professional development

for teachers & staff. Elementary schools release at 12:30 p.m. Middle & high schools release at 1:30pm

**FEBRUARY 28 BBQ Fundraiser**  
For Anson County Domestic Violence Coalition, 10am-6pm at Calvary Episcopal Church, 304 E Wade St in Wadesboro. Dine in, take out & deliveries. \$9 plate includes bbq, slaw, baked beans, roll, dessert. Sandwich \$4, Pint \$10, Quart \$10. Phone 704-694-4499, fax 704-694-4515

**FEBRUARY 29 Free Groceries for Families in Need** at Burnsville Recreation & Learning Center. 12 noon-2pm. Call 704-826-8737 for eligibility info & details. Located at 13349 Hwy 742 North in Burnsville, across from the Fire Department. [www.burnsvillelc.org](http://www.burnsvillelc.org)

**MARCH 4 Free Groceries**  
For families in need Mobile Food Pantry at Marshville First Baptist Church, located at 636 Old Highway 74 in Marshville. Register 8-10am. Call for details 704-694-2445

**MARCH 5 Early Release For Elementary Schools Only,** 12:30pm because of Elementary School Parent-Teacher Conferences, 1-6pm

**Parent-Teacher Conferences** at Elementary Schools, 1-6pm. All parents & guardians urged to attend to find out how your child is doing in school & what you can do to partner with teachers for your child's benefit

**MARCH 6 State of Education Luncheon,** 12-1:30pm at Anson County Schools, 320 Camden Rd in Wadesboro. Sponsored by the Anson County Chamber of Commerce, speakers are Michael Freeman, Superintendent of Anson County Schools; Dr. Maria Pharr, SPCC President & Caroline Goins, Partnership for Children Executive Director. RSVP [conta.cc/2HyrGs8](mailto:conta.cc/2HyrGs8). Info 704-694-4181 or [serich@ansoncountychamber.org](mailto:serich@ansoncountychamber.org)

**MARCH 10 Board of Commissioners Meet** 6pm in Board Room, Suite 209, in Government Center, 101 S Greene St in uptown Wadesboro. Public Hearing regarding the proposed FY 2019-2020 Budget. To appear, sign up prior to meeting. Info 704-994-3201

**MARCH 17 Free Movie**  
*Mrs. Palfrey at the Claremont* at Grace Senior Center, 11:30am. Info 704-694-6616. Located at 199 Hwy 742 South in Wadesboro, just past IGA

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**MARCH 24 Auditions**  
For upcoming Ansonia Theatre play *Alice in Wonderland: Down the Rabbit Hole*, 6pm at the theatre. Be prepared to read from the script. The play runs May 15-24. Info 704-694-4950

**MARCH 26 Board Meeting**  
For Anson County Partnership for Children & NC Pre-K Task Force at 9am. Public is invited. 117 S Greene St, Wadesboro. Info 704-694-4036 or [caroline.goins@ansonchildren.com](mailto:caroline.goins@ansonchildren.com)

**MARCH 31 Senior Citizen Prom** 12 noon to 3pm sponsored by Grace Senior Center. Refreshment will be served. Info 704-694-6616

**MAY 12 Anson Wellness Expo** sponsored by Grace Senior Center. Refreshment will be served. Info & register 704-694-6616

**ONGOING EVENTS Afternoon Out**  
For ladies & gentlemen at Grace Senior Center each Monday from 2-4pm. Enjoy bingo & activities led by someone from the center. Register & info at 704-694-6616

Harvest Ministries,

**BLACK HISTORY MONTH**

SUNDAY  
February 23, 2020

10:30 AM  
**STRAIGHT OUTTA ANSON**

SPEAKER: JUDGE SOPHIA G. CRAWFORD

SPEAKER: KIMBERLY HARRINGTON

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