



Pictured here from left are speakers at the event, Pastor Tim Adams, Sheriff Landric Reid, Chief Thedis Spencer, Sergeant Gerald Cannon, Captain James Paxton and Lieutenant Stephen Kelly.

## Harvest Ministries Holds Law Enforcement, EMS & Fire Department Appreciation Event

This is a release from Harvest Ministries: On Sunday February 12 Harvest Ministries in Wadesboro hosted the annual Emergency Services appreciation event. This event, part of the month of February events called 'Connections,' took time out to thank the many emergency service personnel and staff who keep Anson County and its towns safe and protected.

Lead Pastor Steve Adams opened up the event by showing a video of emergency service personnel in action, as well as those in Anson County serving at various times. Adams shared, "This month is about the value of connections and relationships, and today Harvest is extremely grateful for those who give of themselves, risk their lives, and do so much to protect and serve the people of this great county."

Adams then brought Anson County Sheriff Landric Reid and Captain James Paxton to share words with the crowd. In addition, Wadesboro Police Chief Thedis Spencer, Lieutenant Stephen Kelly and Sergeant Gerald Cannon addressed those in attendance.

Sheriff Reid and Chief Spencer were presented with plaques of appreciation on behalf of Harvest Ministries for their service and work. In addition, certificates were given to all officers in attendance as well as those who could not be present.

Harvest also took time out to recognize Wadesboro Fire Department and Fire Chief Marc Sessions for their service to the town. Chief Sessions was in attendance, however he had to leave to respond to a fire call. Pastor Steve said, "Chief Sessions demonstrated his duty today by responding to the call, to ensure the safety of those involved." Adams also presented Chief Sessions a plaque in honor of his service to the citizens. All Fire Department staff were issued certificates of appreciation.

Harvest and Adams also presented Rodney Diggs, Anson County Emergency Services Director, a plaque of appreciation for his service and oversight to EMS in Anson County. Certificates were given to all volunteer fire departments across the county. (Ansonville, Burnsville, Gullede, Morven, Lilesville, Peachland and Polkton)

To close out the program, Harvest Founding Pastor Tim Adams prayed for all Emergency Service personnel, their families, and the people they serve.

Pastor Tim Adams stated, "These folks give of themselves, serve faithfully, and protect our county so we can enjoy our families and our lives."

Events were planned through the month of February at Harvest. The next is on Sunday February 26, called Education Appreciation Day. Services begin at 10:30 am.

For more information or a ride to a service or event, please call 704-695-2879 or visit [www.harvestmin.com](http://www.harvestmin.com).

## Domestic Violence Coalition BBQ is Friday

Anson County Domestic Violence Coalition's BBQ Fundraiser is this Friday, February 24, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. at Calvary Episcopal Church in Wadesboro. Dine-in and take out are available.

## Expert Obstetric and Gynecological Care at McLeod Health in Cheraw and Bennettsville

McLeod Health welcomes Dr. Sutton Boyd to the medical staff of McLeod Health Cheraw. Dr. Boyd will be providing obstetric and gynecological care at McLeod Cheraw, as well as seeing patients at both McLeod OBGYN Cheraw and McLeod OBGYN Bennettsville. She joins fellow physicians Dr. David Bersinger and Dr. Michael Hoffman in serving the patients of Chesterfield, Marlboro, and surrounding counties.

A native of Sumter, South Carolina, Dr. Boyd brings a varied background to her career in medicine. Prior to her medical training, she pursued a degree in the performing arts, and also served Mercy ships in medical missions to Liberia. Her desire for serving others lead to choosing a career in medicine, and ultimately to her choice of women's health.

"I have a passion for women's health," said Dr. Boyd. "Being able to make a difference in the lives of women of all ages is a privilege and responsibility. I look forward to being a part of McLeod, the Cheraw and Bennettsville communities and surrounding areas, and creating positive relationships with the women who entrust me with their care."

Dr. Boyd welcomes new patients in both Bennettsville and Cheraw. To schedule an appointment please call (843) 454-4066.

About McLeod Health Cheraw McLeod Health Cheraw serves the residents of Chesterfield, Marlboro, Anson, Richmond and Scotland Counties. The 59-bed hospital joins six other McLeod Health not-for-profit hospitals providing advanced heart, vascular, orthopedic, surgical, cancer, women's and children's services from the midlands of South Carolina to the coast.

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Smithfield Food Representatives will be at the Wadesboro ESC Office located at 514 North Washington Street, Wadesboro, NC 28170 on Wednesday, March 8th, 2017, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. to accept applications and answer any questions that you may have. Reference Job Order number 10651057



**Feria de Empleo**

**Miercoles 8 de Marzo**

La division de produccion porcina de Smithfield Foods, Inc., tiene posiciones abiertas en el area de Ansonville para Tecnicos Porcinos. Los candidatos deben de poseer un buen record de trabajo. El pago es de acuerdo a la experiencia de trabajo. Un mayor pago esta disponible para los que tengan experiencia en granjas y/o supervision de granjas, y los incrementos estan basados en las destrezas demostradas.

Excelentes beneficios, incluyendo seguro de salud, dental y de vision, plan 401k, plan de pension y tiempo libre pagado. Hay oportunidades de desarrollar carrera para los individuos correctos. Los candidatos interesados deben aplicar en la oficina local de empleo (Employment Security Commission Office).

Los representantes de Smithfield Foods estaran en la oficina local del empleo localizada en 514 North Washington Street, Wadesboro, NC 28170 el 8 de Marzo de 2017 de 9:00 am a 1:00 pm para aceptar aplicaciones y responder cualquier pregunta que puedan tener. Orden de trabajo numero 10651057

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