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# Saddlebags

The NC Conference Commission on Archives & History  
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September 2018

## FALL MEETING - OCTOBER 13, 10 AM -UM Building - Garner

Please email Ani Simpkins – [ani.simpkins@nccumc.org](mailto:ani.simpkins@nccumc.org) to reserve a spot for lunch.

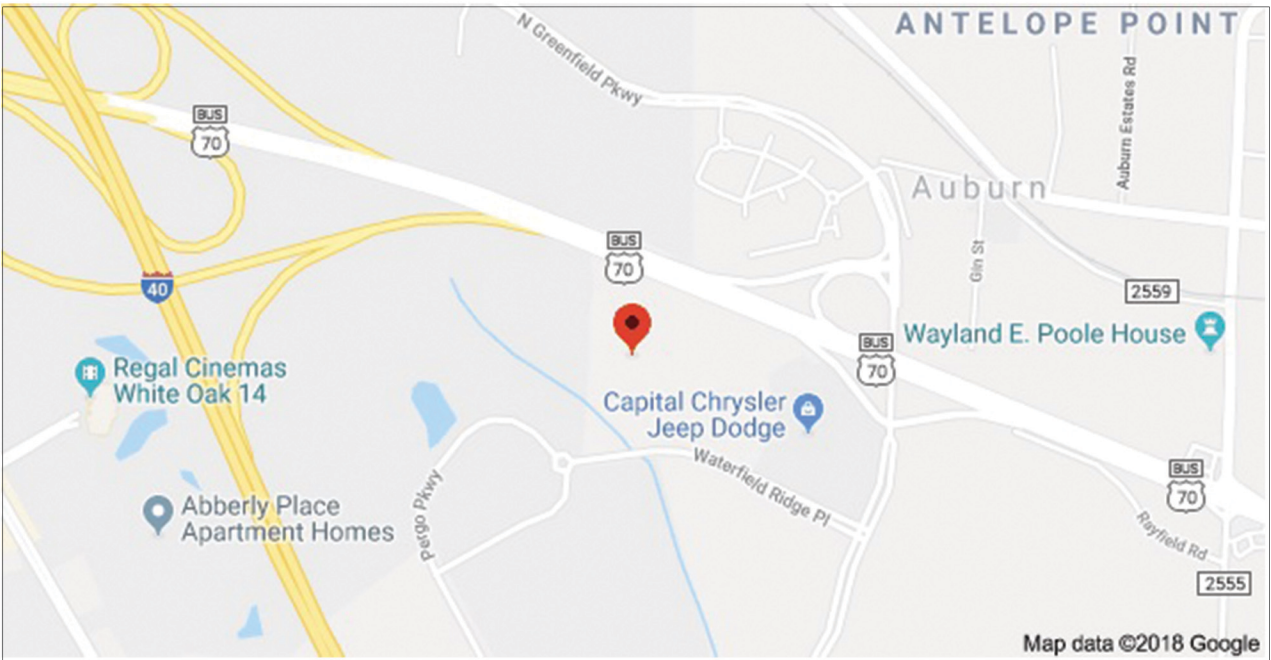
### 50 Years of North Carolina United Methodism

The program will be 50 Years of North Carolina United Methodism with Conference Historian, Rev. Dr. Bill Simpson. Dr. Simpson has been a pastor in the UMC since June 1963, retiring in June 2002. He received his MDiv at Duke Divinity School in June 1972 and his DMin in Pastoral Care in 1986.

“Dr. Simpson is a detailed, dedicated professional who handles any undertaking with integrity and upmost confidentiality.”

Dr. Simpson was one of the keynote speakers at the 2016 SEJ Historical Society of the UMC meetings held at Centenary UMC in New Bern, NC. His keynote address was The Antecedents of Methodism in North Carolina. We are excited to have Dr. Simpson!

Lunch will be provided. Please contact Ani Simpkins:[ani.simpkins@nccumc.org](mailto:ani.simpkins@nccumc.org) / 1-800-849-4433 ext. 252 to reserve your spot for lunch.



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For directions to the United Methodist Building, please visit the NCCUMC website at: <http://nccumc.org/find/>.

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MINUTES OF THE NORTH CAROLINA HISTORICAL SOCIETY MEETING  
April 29, 2017 At Purdie UMC, Tar Heel, NC

The meeting was called to order at 10:00 am by President Bryan Huffman.

A devotion was given by John Mitchell followed by a prayer by Bryan Huffman.

The minutes from the previous meeting was approved and then the financial report was given.

CD (UMDF Investment)	\$ 1,008.48
UMF RIA Investment	\$ 2,024.87
Cash in Bank	\$ 1,203.41
Unrealized Gains/Loss	\$ 122.69
Total	\$4,359.45

Old Business:

SEJ Historical Society will be meeting at Wilmore, KY at Asbury Seminary.

John Mitchell reported on the UM Church Historical Society and that they would be meeting in Alaska this Summer.

New Business:

Discussed ways to get more churches to write histories of their church or update existing histories.

Discussed how we can reach more historians and get them involved.

How we can acknowledge “Lifetime Members”.

Should we start a “GoFundMe” page to help raise more financial help for the society.

A special meeting was set up for August 12, 2017 at Genesis UMC in Cary to meet with Chris Daniel about making videos to make more people aware of the importance of their individual churches history and how to compile them.

A program about the history of Purdie was then given by Rev. Al Marshburn and a tour followed. After the tour, Rev. Al served us his special “Rice and Chicken” lunch. The meeting was dismissed following the lunch.

Respectfully submitted,  
Rev. Dennis Lamm

DECEASED CLERGY & SPOUSES

Clergy:

Bobby C. Black  
April 27, 1933 – March 4, 2018  
Husband of Marybel Black

Daniel Dwight Bowman, Sr.  
August 1, 1926 – March 21, 2018  
Husband of Dolores M. Bowman

Donald Charles Nagel  
March 6, 1938 – March 25, 2018  
Husband of Phyllis E. Nagel

Marilyn K. Shipman  
January 5, 1944 – April 4, 2018  
Wife of Dennis R. Shipman

Ralph Lang Fleming, Jr.  
May 30, 1926 – May 21, 2018  
Husband of Ruth Fleming

Donnie Gray Davis, Sr.  
June 29, 1933 – May 24, 2018  
Husband of Barbara Jane Barnes Davis

Henry Gurney Jinnette  
March 10, 1940 – June 16, 2018  
Husband of Betty L Jinnette

Murry Lee Dehart Jr.  
December 17, 1932 – June 25, 2018

John Hezekiah White  
November 8, 1936 – July 3, 2018  
Husband of Nancy H. White

Dennis Joseph Glennon  
April 6, 1946 - August 18, 2018

Spouses:

Vance C. Smith  
October 26, 1955 – April 13, 2018  
Son of Judi Johnson Smith

Susan Nell Braun  
March 1, 1955 – May 8, 2018  
Wife of Roger K. Braun

Jessie Jones Rogers  
February 25, 1915 – May 8, 2018  
Widower of Harry Lee Rogers

Hilda N. Lopez  
February 28, 1929 – May 29, 2018  
Widower of Hugo Luciano Lopez

Gladys E. Burgess  
January 7, 1931 – June 8 2018  
Widower of Roy Oliver Burgess

Edith E. Fogleman  
March 7, 1923 – June 13, 2018  
Widower of Clarence Fogleman, Jr

Clemintine Graham  
May 27, 1924 – June 30, 2018  
Widower of Oscar M. Graham

Sue E. Brooks  
August 4, 1953 – July 9, 2018  
Wife of Ernest Ray Brooks

Peggy Beard Owens  
January 12, 1930 – July 28, 2018  
Wife of Charles Edward Owens

Robert L Kunka  
August 30, 1947 – August 23, 2018  
Husband of Alice Kirkman Kunka

Beyond the sunset, O blissful morning, When with our Saviour Heav'n is begun.  
Earth's toiling ended, O glorious dawning; Beyond the sunset When day is done.

Beyond the sunset, No clouds will gather, No storms will threaten, No fears annoy;  
O day of gladness, O day unending, Beyond the sunset, Eternal Joy.

Beyond the sunset, A hand will guide me To God, the Father, Whom I adore;  
His glorious presence, His words of welcome, Will be my portion On that fair shore.

Beyond the sunset, O glad reunion, With our dear loved ones Who've gone before;  
In that fair homeland We'll know no parting, Beyond the sunset For evermore!

Josephine Pollard