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Church OCTOBER 20 - 24

Fall Revival
At Victory Temple
Miracle Center, 1685
Morgan Sellers Rd in
Wadesboro. Pastor Larry
Williams of Tabernacle
of God Ministries in
Dillon, SC at 7pm
nightly.
**OCTOBER 25
Fall Festival**
Ebenezer Presbyterian
Church, 2271 Shiloh
Church Rd in Morven,
11am-3pm. Enjoy
crafts, face painting,
food, fun, trunk or treat
& more! Bring friends &
family!
**50 Years of Ministry
Celebration** For Dr. T.J.
Horne at Harvest
Ministries Outreach
Center in Wadesboro,
4-7pm with Pastor
Diane Barrino & other
musical guests. Donated
tickets are \$10, formal event attire is black &
silver.
**OCTOBER 26
51st Pastoral
Anniversary**
For Pastor D.S. Taylor at East Rock Ford
Missionary Baptist Church, 11am.
Pastoral Anniversary Pastor Gregory
Everett & Lady Donna Everett at First
Baptist Church-Sikes Ave in Wadesboro
with Pastor Keith Bradley of Heirs
Christian Center in Charlotte at 11am.
**15th Pastoral
Anniversary** At Rock Hill Missionary
Baptist Church for Pastor T.J. Horne at
11am with Rev. Eddie Maye, followed by
dinner. Rev. LaGrant Maye at 3pm.
**OCT 26 & NOV 1
155th Anniversary
Celebration** At Saron Missionary Bap-
tist Church, 2285 Winfield Rd in Polkton.
Sun, Oct. 26 Pastor Ernest Chambers of

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Weeping Mary Baptist Church in Winns-
boro, SC at 3pm. Sat, Nov. 1 is Formal
Gala at Twin Valley Country Club, 2305
Country Club Rd in Wadesboro at 5pm
with Pastor Joseph McFarlen of Macedo-
nia Baptist Church in Cheraw. \$50
adults, \$25 children 5-12, pay at door or
via CashApp \$SMBCPOLKTON.

**NOVEMBER 9
Missionary Program**
At Henry Grove Missionary Baptist
Church, 2:30pm with Rev. Mary Lindsey
of St. John Baptist Church in Derby, NC.
Everyone is invited.
**NOVEMBER 15
Annual Rainbow Tea**
At Centenary AME Zion Church, 2pm
with Rev. Dr. Josephine H. Harris of
Chapel Hill. With speccial memories of
the late Bro. Sugar Ray Robinson.
Buffet meal served.

Events

**OCTOBER 27
Board of Education
Regular Meeting** Closed Session begins 5pm to
discuss matters related to personnel & property pur-
suant to NCGS 143.318.11(a)(6) and NCGS 143.318.11(a)(5). Open Session begins
at 6pm. View at Anson County School's YouTube page. (*Search YouTube for Anson
County Schools.*) Meeting takes place in Administrative Office Board Meeting Room,
320 Camden Rd in Wadesboro. For public comment, sign up in-person. Sign-up sheet
will be available 30 minutes before the meeting.
NAACP Meeting
They invite you to attend. 6:30pm at Ebenezer Baptist Church, located at 612 Salis-
bury Street in Wadesboro. They welcome everyone. Meetings are held the fourth Mon-
day of each month. For info: Sinic Marsh mrshs6@yahoo.com or 704-254-0630.
**NOVEMBER 8
Bike Ride** To support Hope Pregnancy Resource Center. Registration 8-9:30am,
breakfast 8am, briefing 9:45am, kickstands up 10am. \$20 single, \$25 rider. 2485 US
74, Wadesboro. RSVP 704-694-8988.

This Week...From Mole Day to Internet Day

An unusually festive week for science fans, snack lovers, and night owls

If you've been looking for an excuse to celebrate something - anything - this week
has you covered. Each day from October 23 through 29 offers a quirky reason to
smile, snack, or simply scratch your head. Here's your guide to this delightfully random
lineup of "holidays" you didn't know you needed:

- October 23 Thursday – Mole Day: Not the fuzzy kind! Chemistry lovers honor
Avogadro's Number (6.02 × 10²³) with experiments, jokes, and perhaps some
guacamole for good measure.
- October 24 Friday – Bologna Day: The one day a year when it's socially
acceptable to say "I'm full of bologna" and mean it. Sandwiches, anyone?
- October 25 Saturday – Sourest Day: Pucker up, it's a celebration of sour
personalities and even sourer candy. Perfect for those who think sweet is overrated.
- October 26 Sunday – Howl at the Moon Day and Night: Channel your inner wolf
and let out a good howl. Neighbors might not understand, but the moon will.
- October 27 Monday – American Beer Day: Raise a glass (responsibly) to the
nation's favorite beverage. Local breweries everywhere salute you.
- October 28 Tuesday – International Animation Day: A toast to the magic of
moving drawings, celebrate by binge-watching your favorite cartoons guilt-free.
- October 29 Wednesday – Internet Day: Honor the invention that made cat videos,
memes, and online shopping possible. Maybe even take a break from
scrolling... just kidding.

Leaf-ing It All Behind: Explore NC's Scenic Byways

Fall is in full swing, and Mother Nature has gone all out with her seasonal
wardrobe. Western North Carolina may still be sweeping up after Hurricane Helene,
but its scenic byways are open, shining, and ready for your leaf-peeping road trip
— pumpkin spice latte optional but highly encouraged.

With recovery efforts underway, it's a great time
to hit the road, soak in the golds and reds, and help
support local businesses along the way. Sixty-two
scenic byways weave through North Carolina, offer-
ing everything from mountain views to "did-we-take-
a-wrong-turn-or-is-this-a-postcard?" moments.

"North Carolina's scenic byways not only show-
case some of the state's most breathtaking fall land-
scapes but also serve as vital routes supporting the
recovery and resilience of communities impacted by
recent storms," said Jeremy Goodwin, N.C. Depart-
ment of Transportation's roadside environmental
engineer. "This season, travelers have a wonderful
opportunity to explore, enjoy the stunning scenery,
and contribute to the ongoing revival of Western
North Carolina's towns and local businesses."

So grab your map (or GPS if you're fancy), cue up
your best road trip playlist, and prepare for some
seriously scenic leaf therapy. These mountain
byways are open and ready for adventure:

- Appalachian Medley • Big Horse Creek Byway •
- Cherohala Skyway • Fontana Byway • Forest
- Heritage Scenic Byway • French Broad Overview
- Highlands of the Roan Byway • Historic Flat Rock
- Byway • Interstate 26 Scenic Byway • Little Parkway
- Mission Crossing • Mt. Mitchell Scenic Drive (Mt.
- Mitchell State Park is open but must be accessed via
- the Blue Ridge Parkway's western side.) • Nantahala
- Byway • New River Valley Byway • Upper Yadkin
- Way • U.S. 421 Scenic Highway • Waterfall Byway
- Whitewater Way

Before heading out, check DriveNC.gov to make
sure your route is clear — because no one wants
their adventure to end in a traffic cone conga line.
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ncdot.gov and see why leaf season in North
Carolina is always worth the drive.



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