

COMING  
THIS FALL

- THE LORD'S DAY—Saturday, September 10
- HOMECOMING—Sunday September 25
- UMW BAZAAR—Saturday, October 8
- TRUNK OR TREAT—Saturday, October 29
- VETERANS SUNDAY November 13
- PILGRIMAGE—November 11-13
- CHARGE CONFERENCE November 7
- THANKSGIVING SERVICE Sunday, November 20

# Saulston United Methodist Church

“Loving People to Jesus”

FALL 2011

## Homecoming Celebration



SEPTEMBER 25th.

It will be an all-day event again this year so mark your calendars now! Our guest speaker this year will be Rev. Dennis Draper. Also, a Homecoming Harvest Offering will be taken at our morning service. This offering will go towards our new building. Let this be a sacrificial offering towards our additional ministry area. Please plan on staying for our Homecoming Celebration meal. We look forward to the delectable dishes you will favor us with for our covered-dish lunch.

### OLD PICTURES ARE NEEDED

If you have any pictures of the way things used to be at Saulston UMC (people, activities, special occasions, etc.), please contact Barbara Jean Harrison or the church office. We would like to borrow them to make an interesting display for our Homecoming.

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### HOMECOMING DAY AGENDA

No Living Waters Service ----- No Sunday School  
Morning Worship Service 10:30 A.M.  
Lunch served immediately following the worship service.  
Just follow the signs leading from the back of the sanctuary.

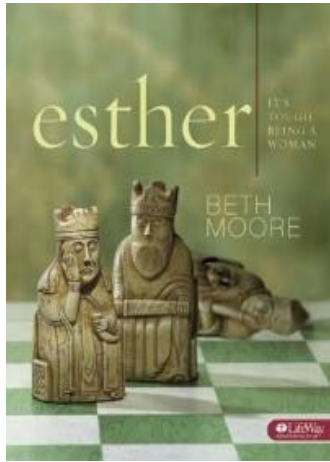
### Evening Activities

Hot dogs/hamburgers w/all the trimmings 5:00 – 5:30  
Outside games 5:30 – 6:15  
Ice Cream Served in Fellowship Hall 6:15 – 6:30  
(If you can bring a freezer please contact Barbara Jean at 778-4170 or the Church Office.)

Entertainment by our “Saulston Family” 6:30 –

# LIVING PROOF WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

## ESTHER: It's Tough Being a Woman



Going up against heavyweights bent on her destruction, Esther trusted God and landed a blow that saved her people. The Old Testament story of Esther is a profile in courage and contains many modern parallels for today's woman of all ages! Esther's destiny can be yours as you know more deeply the God who is in your corner!

Begins Thursday Sept. 15, 2011 at 7:00pm until 9:00pm for 10 weeks. Shawna Smith will lead this study.

**Please sign up by using the sheet on the bulletin board ASAP!**

### **Spiritual Formation Group To Form this Fall Led by Donna Hopewell**

**The group (2-7 people) will meet weekly in homes and will encourage one another in practicing a life of spirituality. Beginning sessions are based on an 8-week workbook, but members will be asked to covenant for a six-month period together. Please let Donna (751-2508) or Pastor Carolyn know if you are interested.**

### Precept Bible Study

Understanding the Anger of God  
Micah, Nahum, Habakkuk

Twelve-week study, beginning September 13 at 7:00 pm  
\$15

To register or get more information, please call Alma Strickland  
at 919/778-1386

**READING THROUGH  
THE NEW TESTAMENT  
IN 90 DAYS**

Please make sure to pick up your Common English New Testament and begin the 90-day reading plan on September 1.

By November 30, we shall have completed the entire New Testament.

Reading God's word together this fall shall be a powerful testimony to our faith and to our commitment to live the Christian life.

<http://www.saulstonntread.blogspot.com/>

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**DISCIPLE I AND DISCIPLE III CLASSES OFFERED THIS FALL**

If now is the time for you to study God's word in a time-committed study, we are offering Disciple I and Disciple III this fall. Both are 9-month studies which require daily study, and weekly meetings.

Disciple I is an overview of the entire Bible, giving students a wonderful framework for all future Bible studies. Disciple III is a study of the prophets and the Letters of Paul.

Disciple I will meet at the most convenient time for participants. Disciple III will meet on Thursday mornings at 10:00 am.

Please let Pastor Carolyn know if you are interested in either of these studies. (920-5899)





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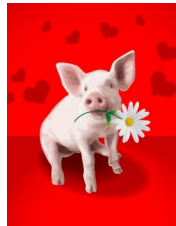
**We're on the web:  
[saulstonumc.org](http://saulstonumc.org)**

Find us on Facebook—  
Saulston United Methodist Church

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Rev. Carolyn K. Sims  
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# LORD'S DAY COUNTRY SUPPER & AUCTION

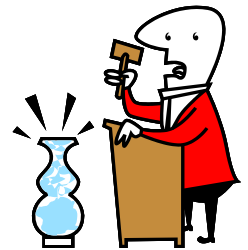
Saturday, September 10,  
4 - 7 PM.



Menu includes BBQ, pastry, yams, green beans, slaw, hush puppies, and dessert.  
Tickets are \$7.00

Please see Elaine B. Mason Circle members to buy tickets in advance.

Donated auction items needed.  
(e.g., craft items, new toys, baked goods, gift certificates, etc.).



Thanks for your support!

**Bible Buddies**  
Begins Wednesday, September 7  
Please see Carey Hinnant to volunteer!