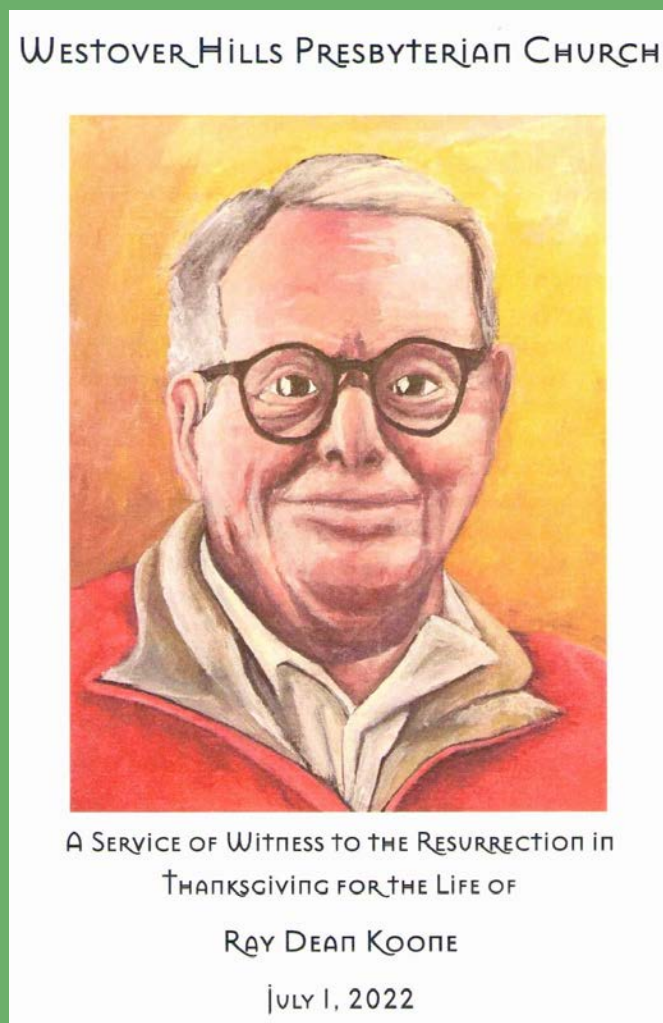


Stewpot July 2022 Newsletter

**This newsletter is dedicated
to the memory of Ray Koone
who passed away June 24 after
a valiant battle with cancer.**

Ray Koone worked at the Stewpot for many years. He was a team member for the Third Wednesday Westover Hills team and served as Team Captain for several years. Ray's sense of humor and flexibility made the day brighter for all who were around him. He not only worked at Stewpot, he was a huge advocate for our mission. Ray will be dearly missed at the

Stewpot.



The portrait of Ray was painted by his grandson, Wilson Whitlock. and was on the cover of the bulletin for his funeral service at Westover Hills Presbyterian Church





Be Safe

At the present time, wearing masks is optional for Stewpot Volunteers.

Masks should be worn if you are coming in contact with the diners.



**Summer is Here!
Enjoy it!**

July Fourth Cookout

The Stewpot Fifth
Wednesday &
Thursday Teams
prepared a
delicious meal for
the diners on

Thudsday, June 30. They prepared potato salad, coleslaw and a mixture of seasoned navy beans, black beans, and pinto beans. Nancy purchased about four hundred chicken legs and



Nancy and Jason precooked them prior to the meal served on Thursday, June 30th. Jason reheated the chicken legs on charcoal grills prior to serving. They were delicious. I (Charlie Frith) can attest to that because I ate two of them. Lonnie and Jane Anne Spikes, Vicki Atchley (Pulaski Heights Presbyterian Church), and Nay Phillips from Ben E. Keith and Bren Davis from Stewpot served the food. The delicious smell of cooking chicken attracted lots of diners. To see a short video of Jason dancing as he warmed up the chicken, click on Jason Video below.

[Jason Video](#)





Some of our diners enjoying their 4th of July meal

**A special Thanks to Michael Dean Shelton
for photographing the special event.**



Spotlight on...



Jason Benbrook

Jason Benbrook was raised in Benton, AR but has lived in North Little Rock for the last several years. He is the father of two teenage girls. He works for his mother and stepfather, doing projects around their home. His mother has volunteered at Stewpot for many years and introduced him to it about three years ago. He immediately fell in love with

Stewpot and the people that are served through their service. His favorite projects are the cookouts where Stewpot provides special meals for their diners. At various cookouts, Stewpot has served hamburgers, hot dogs, barbecue and chicken legs. He looks forward to many more years of service at Stewpot.

Stewpot Receives Contribution

The Stewpot received a June contribution of \$616 from Arkansas Mutual/Constellation. Arkansas Mutual, a local medical malpractice insurance company, merged with Constellation Mutual, a regional medical malpractice insurance company and Joyce Wilson, a volunteer on the 1st Wednesday team, introduced her former employer, Arkansas Mutual/Constellation to the good work of The Stewpot. She was able to obtain several sizable



contributions over the last few years through the company's GIVE Committee which encourages community involvement in their employees. Even though Joyce is no longer employed by the company, the employee's knowledge of the good work of The Stewpot lives on and those employees collected the \$616 and donated to Stewpot.

Clothes Closet

*"I needed clothes and
you clothed me."*

Matthew 25:38

Clothes Closet Update



Bombas

Socks Give

Back Program is expanding. After several years of receiving free socks from Bombas, they have recently expanded into underwear. Sometime in late July or early August, Stewpot will receive t-shirts and briefs for both men and women. What a blessing ! Our clothes closet goes through tons of underwear each year. This program will seriously help our diners in need of basic clothing.

Make a Donation to Stewpot

Stewpot's financial support comes from donations from churches and individuals. With food costs rising and our numbers increasing each month, we really need your financial support, Please help support the Stewpot. Make an online donation by clicking on Make a Donation below. When

you click on Make a Donation, you will have the option of making an online donation with either PayPal or a credit card.

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