

Voices OF CHERRY LOG

Good friends help you
find important things
when you have lost
them. Your smile, your
hope, and your courage.
- unknown



Shirley Brewer

"Country girl" born, raised, educated in Iowa; 3-year commercial art course coordinated and graded by Norman Rockwell; at age 25 moved to Palmetto, FL; with Cox Chevrolet 9 years; Rinker Concrete as district bookkeeper (20 years); met Chuck at Methodist Singles' Club (all 40 members married); with Chuck, designed and built 3 homes (ask her) Collects Ashton Drake dolls (google these), teddy bears, orchids and antiques; music (trombonist), vocal music competition and performances; always in chorales and choirs; qualifies as professional seamstress (writer's opinion) Founding members of Faith Presbyterian Church; came to CLCC because of proximity and neighbors attended; member of Chancel Choir; music committee



Cynthia Smith

Born Newnan, GA as a PK; left area for Presbyterian College, SC; BA English; taught 20 years then fulfilled lifetime dream with MA Library Science, GA State; media specialist (11 years) in Murray County; retired 2011. Married teacher 1984; 2 sons (one in Columbia Seminary, one in prelaw, UGA); husband trained as Army ranger in Dahlonga and both dreamed of mountain life from wedding day. Avid reader, loves writing and music, passionate about simplification of life; sews (creating from denim); rescue terrier, Dogmatix, "God sent"

Came to CLCC in 2012 recommended by pastor, a friend of Dr. Craddock; discovered much in common with other members.

Frabia Smith

Born Whitestone Beach, VA. Met Jimmy in high school and married before graduation. Graduated with Actor Burt Reynolds. Jimmy served as MP in New Orleans. After military service, moved to West Palm Beach with Jimmy in banking and Frabia in West Palm Beach Court Services (10 years). One son, Jonathan. After vacationing in mountains every summer, bought a home in Blue Ridge in 1994 (family members lived here), becoming full time 2001. Visited several churches, but as long-time Disciples, they were thrilled to find CLCC in the newspaper. Joined July, 2001. Frabia, "CLCC was like finding heaven." Dr. Craddock renewed wedding vows on their 50th. Ask Frabia about the "Obey" part of the vows.



Tim Anderson

Born and raised in Troy, Ohio. Sergeant in US Air Force and stationed at Pease Air Force Base in New Hampshire. Considers himself a "boxologist." Career in Materials and Supply management. Worked for Schindler Elevator Corp until retired in 2004. Tim is a Mason and past master of Temperance Lodge No 73 Sidney Ohio, also Eastern Star and Past Patron Pleiades. He is also a Shriner and worked with Scottish Rite all in Ohio. Tim and his partner Tab moved to north Georgia and when looking for a church found CLCC through their realtors. When asked what he liked about CLCC, he quickly said "the people."