



# The FLASHES

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## Jayne G. Crisp, CTTS, Community Liaison Greater Greenville Mental Health Center



Our guest speaker today was Jayne G. Crisp, CTTS, (Certified Trauma Treatment Specialist) community liaison at the Greater Greenville Mental Health Center. Her numerous accolades include three books she has co-authored and edited on the faith response to victims of crime, receiving the South Carolina Order of the Palmetto in 2016, presented by Governor Nikki Haley, The National Crime Victim's Rights Week Award presented by President George HW Bush, founding the first rape crisis center in SC, which is now the Julie Valentine Center, HOUSEWISE STREETWISE, a presidential award-winning child safety education curriculum, and many other firsts. The mission of Mental Health Champions is to enhance community mental health services in accessing and providing mental health resources, support, advocacy, education, and to develop alliances to improve the quality of behavioral health.



**President Sam Bennett and  
Guest Speaker Jayne G. Crisp**

Meetings are held on the first and third Monday of each month at 1:00 p.m. unless otherwise stated.

Hilton Greenville  
45 West Orchard Drive  
Greenville, SC 29615

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## ***MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT***

We will be having our first meeting in July on this coming Monday, July 5<sup>th</sup>. I hope as many as possible will come out, because our special guest and honored speaker will be our state Governor, Mrs. Patsy Finley. Patsy will speak to us on how the proposed and recommended changes to the Civitan International By-Laws and Constitution can affect our local Clubs and Districts. She will surely give important information not only to our voting delegates, who will be voting at the International meeting on these issues, but also to us as member of Civitan. So I hope to see as many Civitans as possible at our 1:00 pm meeting on Monday, July 5<sup>th</sup>.

On Friday, July 23<sup>rd</sup>, we will be having our “Summer Social”, with lots of fun, at Dot Ray’s home. It will start at 6:00 pm. Dot Ray and her committee have a lot of fun planned for us. Mark this day and time down on your calendar, and please come out and have a great evening of food, fellowship and fun!

Sam Bennett,  
President

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### **ATTENTION: ATTENTION: ATTENTION:**

Greenville Civitans,

Thank you for the opportunity to serve as your president starting in October. I sincerely appreciate your support. In preparation, I am asking you to review the list of committees and please consider serving in numerous capacities.

President Elect,  
Charlotte E. Walker

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Do You Participate in our 50/50 Drawing?

***Heyward Johnson won \$24.00***

Will you be next?

## Meetings & Events

### *Meetings*

July 5 1:00 – Business Meeting  
Hilton Greenville

### *Events*

July 23 6:00 pm – Summer Social  
Dot Ray's home  
1424 Devinger Road  
Greer, SC 29650

**\*\*Please be sure and let Deborah Pearson know by Thursday, if you will be attending the meeting in person.**



### *Happy Anniversary*

Jessie Bowens 7/20/10  
Skyy Garrett 7/08/09  
Debbie Mitchell 7/31/19  
Dorothy Ray 7/19/10



### *Happy Birthday*

Jenny Johnson 7/01  
Connie Burgess 7/10  
Roy Mack 7/21



## Civitan Mission Statement

The worldwide mission of Civitan International is to build good citizenship by providing a volunteer organization of clubs dedicated to serving individual and community needs, with an emphasis on helping people with developmental disabilities.