## It was on August 15 that North Carolina joined the Peace Road Team 2020

Klaus Schick August 15, 2020



Actually it was 20 of us that braved the challenge of scattered thunderstorm predictions affirmed with dark storm-clouds above, just like the national conditions reflected in the daily scary news.

Instead we presented a vision of Hope and better and greater days to come.

John Pace was our EMCee, Ron Pappalardo led us into a visionary prayer and Bob Honeycutt presented some historical accounts concerning the Triangle area.



Pastor Klaus Schick presented some very personal accounts from the parents of our oldest Charlotte member Asa Paschal (85) His Mother wrote a 15 page memoir at age 95 of how it was back then for Black Americans in NC.

When I met her twelve years later, her at the age of 107, she had still that smile that one can feel reading those 15 pages of her story. Even so there were plenty of hardships in her life story, never was there a word of resentment or blame. She already had overcome as we concluded about ourselves in our closing song "We have overcome".

MLK must have been smiling too....