

HIGHLIGHTS

College Park Baptist Church
1701 Polo Road Winston-Salem, NC 27106



From Your Pastor...

It finally feels like Fall as the temperatures cool down, the leaves change, and we begin talking about Thanksgiving! We truly have much to be thankful for, and we were reminded of that, in part, at our Family Fall Festival last week. We had many guests with us for the evening, and almost every guest that I had a chance to talk with spoke of how warmly they were greeted here at College Park. So many guests come and are welcomed warmly, and now we, as a church *and as individuals*, have a responsibility to help new people get assimilated into the life of the church. It's all about relationships. The sooner new people form those significant relationships, the sooner they will identify fully with College Park as their church family.

So look around on Sundays during the Gathering Time and meet new people. Here's how it works: Instead of asking someone sitting beside you, "Who is that person over there?"...get up, walk over, introduce yourself, and get to know them. Church is the only place in our culture where multiple generations interact, so it is important that we value that interaction and take advantage of these opportunities. Take a step out of your comfort zone and meet some new people this Sunday morning...there's a high likelihood that you will actually enjoy it!

See You Sunday!

Ramon

Our Mission ...

*"A people gathered in
Christ;
nurtured in His Spirit;
and sent in His name."*



THE WORSHIP OF GOD



Sunday, November 11, 2007
10:45a.m.

Children's Celebration

Lord, Here Am I
Sanctuary Choir

Eyewitness

Stand By Me
2 Thessalonians 2:1-5, 13-17
Ramon Smith

Sunday, November 18, 2007
10:45a.m.

A Time for Everything
Sanctuary Choir

Be Still and Know
Channels

Jason Cogdill will be bringing the morning message

***Crisis Control Gift for
November:
Toilet Paper***

**Last month, the following items were
collected at College Park:*

- 20 cans of salmon*
- 53 cans of tuna*
- 4 jars of peanut butter*
- 4 jars of jelly*
- 7 bottles of cooking oil*
- 1 box of laundry detergent*

Crisis Control Ministry desperately
needs volunteers to work as inter-
viewers. Many clients are being
turned away each day. During this
past year, CCM was forced to turn
away 2,017 potential clients because
of a lack of volunteers. For more
information, please contact:

Vicki Jones at 724-7875, ext. 1043
or email her at
volunteer@crisiscontrol.org

World Hunger Offering

Goal: \$3,000.00

**Received to Date:
\$1,750.00**

**N.C. Baptist Children's
Homes Offering**

Goal: \$3,500.00

**Received to Date:
\$485.00**

***Biblical Recorder
Subscriptions***

It's time to order/renew subscrip-
tions to the *Biblical Recorder*. Based
on our current number of subscri-
bers, the annual price is
\$11.75. Please notify Gail Hol-
land in the church office by No-
vember 30 if you wish to order.
Payment is due with your order.

A NOTE FROM MARY



I thought I would share with you the lyrics to one of the songs the bells played in service this week. It is a beautiful song of invitation, reminding us that God calls us from the midst of our sin and ugliness to receive that which we could never earn on our own. It's an invitation He calls us to share with others.

Come just as you are; Hear the Spirit call.
Come just as you are; Come and see, come receive
Come and live forever.

Come just as you are; Hear the Spirit call.
Come just as you are; Come, receive Christ, the King
Come and live forevermore.
Life everlasting, and strength for today;
Taste the Living Water, and never thirst again.

Announcing: The Great Piano Bench/Bookshelf Search
Chances are, if you have ever participated in the music programs of
College Park, you may have an old folder, anthem, or other piece of music
hiding in your house somewhere. If so, we would love to have it back.
Now is the time to turn it in—no penalties or late fees!!
Feel free to anonymously turn it in to the office or in the basket outside the chapel.

IN TOUCH...with Jeff

Thanks for making the
FALL FAMILY FESTIVAL
such a huge success!

If you missed last Sunday's Fall Family Festival—you missed a great night! There were tons of people enjoying delicious food (cotton candy, popcorn, chili, soup, and great desserts) and great fun (obstacle course, speed pitch, bouncer, big slide, pumpkin decorating, etc.). One of the best parts of the event was seeing so many new faces. The festival was an excellent opportunity to show people from the community that believers in Christ have the most fun of anyone on the planet!



THANK YOU to all the members of the Family Ministry Team who worked hard to make this year's festival memorable!

To all those who provided food—THANK YOU!!!

Finally, a big THANK YOU to the Family Enrichment Committee for helping the event to run so smoothly!



IN THE HOSPITAL

Our prayers and support are offered to the following members of our church family who are, or have been in the hospital in the last two weeks:

*Karly Bertram
Lawrence Hudspeth
Marvin Murphree
Judy Howard Reavis*

Christian love and sympathy are extended to Jay Edmonds in the death of his sister and to Frances Watson in the death of her brother-in-law.

Flu Shot Clinic

Sponsored by SORT
(Special Operations Response Team)

**Wednesday, November 14
3:30-5:30 p.m.**

College Park Baptist Church

Shots are only \$20/person.
Please call the Church Office to sign up.

If you have questions, please call
Donna Hinson (766-0700).



Thanksgiving Eve Service

November 21, 7:00 p.m.

Make plans now to participate in our Thanksgiving activities. Our Family Night Supper will be held at the usual time, 5:30 - 6:30 p.m. There will be no mission groups or children's choirs that evening. Following the meal, we will join together in the Sanctuary at 7:00 p.m. for an offering of gratitude to our heavenly Father.

Deacon Election

The following people have been elected to the office of deacon, beginning January 1, 2008:

Craig Cashwell
Cathy Chinlund
Jerry Cook
Wayne Lewis
Carolyn Matthews
Keith Minster

NEWS AND SCHEDULES

FAMILY MINISTRY

Family Ministry Team Meeting

November 11

The regular monthly meeting of the FMT is coming up on the second Sunday of November. Please make sure to mark this on your calendar!

Youth Fall Retreat at Ridgecrest

November 16-18

We are ready for Ridgecrest! This retreat is going to be another great trip for our youth. Plan to meet at church on **Friday, November 16 @ 4 PM**. We will get back to church at **3:00 PM on Sunday**. If you have any questions, please give Jeff a call.

RECREATION MINISTRY

Basketball is back!

Practice every Tuesday!

This year's Hoops4Him Basketball league started and our teams are practicing! If you want to play, call Jeff or talk to one of the coaches below:

Team	Grades	Coaches
Junior Coed	3rd-6th grade	Larry Burnett, Roger Jones
Girls	7th-12th grade	Debbi Patterson
Intermediate Boys	7th-9th grade	Chris May
Senior Boys	10th-12th grade	Gary Elkins, Jason Cogdill

SENIOR ADULT MINISTRY

College Parkers

November 15, 11:30 a.m.

David Lane, former Minister of Music at College Park, will visit and sing for the *College Parkers* at their meeting on November 15. The meeting will begin with a covered-dish luncheon at 11:30. The *College Parkers* welcome all senior adults to the meeting.

So in Christ we who are many form one body, and each member belongs to all the others. We have different gifts, according to the grace given us. (Romans 12:5-6)

SERVE NOW...HERE'S HOW!

WORSHIP NURSERY

Several open spots available throughout the month

WEDNESDAY MISSIONS

Nursery Assistant during Children's Mission Groups

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Preschool
1st/2nd grade
3rd/4th Grade

1 Song Leader/Storyteller
1 Substitute Teacher
2 Co-Teachers

CHILDREN'S MUSIC

Psalm 8:2 (4-6 grade)
Cherub Choir (3s-K)

2 Music Leaders
1 Music Leader

YOUTH MINISTRY TEAMS/CROSSTRAINING

Scrapbooking/Publicity Team
Video Team

2 Co-Leaders
2 Co-Leaders

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Ramon E. Smith, Senior Pastor
Jeff Allen, Assoc. Pastor/Students
& Families
Mary Keltner, Assoc. Pastor/Music & Education
Jason Cogdill, Minister of Senior Adults &
Congregational Care
Charles D. Edwards, Pastor Emeritus
Wm. Foy Martin, Pastor Emeritus

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**COLLEGE PARK BAPTIST
CHURCH**
1701 Polo Road

Worship Nursery Workers - Nov. 11: Sybil McBride,
June Crabbe, Jennifer Allen, Haley Hendrix, Jason & Brandi
Smith

Worship Nursery Workers - Nov. 18: Carolyn Matthews,
Linda Palmer, Janet Somers, Cynthia Ryder, Terri & Noah
Goodman

Greeters: November 11 Sarah Hauser & Ed Lane
Greeters: November 18 John Vogler & Jim Pernell

Properties Committee Member on Duty (November 11):
Wilbert McBride

Properties Committee Member on Duty (November 18):
Jay Edmonds

Information Center for Nov: Joyce Baxley, Tom Hurst

Deacon of the Week (Nov. 11 - Nov. 17): Jim Pernell
Deacon of the Week (Nov. 18 - Nov. 24): Ed Hendricks

FINANCIAL REPORT THROUGH NOV. 4

Budget Requirement To Date	\$660,037.40
Budget Receipts To Date (100.42%)	\$662,792.80

ATTENDANCE STATISTICS OCTOBER 28

Sunday School	236
Morning Worship	342
Brookridge	46
L.I.F.E. Worship	63

ATTENDANCE STATISTICS NOVEMBER 4

Sunday School	250
Morning Worship	332
Brookridge	60
L.I.F.E. Worship	39

Wednesday, November 14

Ham
Macaroni with Cheese
Green Beans
Yeast Roll
Banana Pudding/Oreo Cake

Wednesday, November 21

Seasoned Chicken Breast
Mashed Potatoes
Tossed Salad with Dressing
Yeast Roll
Cheesecake

**Please make/revise your reservations
no later than Tuesdays at noon.**

Family Night Suppers



White Christmas
December 16, 2007

*“God so loved us that He gave
us His only son.”
What have we given?*

Please be in prayer about how you can show the
love of God to hurting and needy families this
Christmas. We want to be a light in our commu-
nity that draws people to Christ. Please help us
shine His light to others.

A list of food items for each class to provide will
be published in the next issue of *Highlights*.