

HIGHLIGHTS

College Park Baptist Church
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From Your Pastor...

This past Sunday we “unofficially” began our journey to the cross. The reason I say “unofficially” is because Ash Wednesday is the “official” beginning point for our Lenten journey. For many of us, Ash Wednesday is still fairly new since many Baptists churches did not/do not observe Ash Wednesday. For us, it is an incredibly meaningful service as we remember the forty days of fasting and prayer that Jesus used to prepare for his ministry (and to resist the temptations of Satan). May we use this Lenten journey to pray, fast, and encourage each other as we resist the temptations that Satan and this world throw at us, and align our wills to the Father’s!

Let me strongly encourage you to be a part of “The Way” small group studies as we journey through Lent. Several Sunday School classes are using this material; but if your class is not, remember we are using it on Wednesday nights also! This series will lead us through the Lenten season, exploring the ministry of Jesus as we see video and hear stories of his life and

journey. The worship services on Sunday, as well as many Sunday School classes and the Wednesday Family Night studies will focus on this journey. Here’s an overview:

Week # 1: **Baptism and Temptation**
Mark 1:9-13; Matthew 4:1-11
(Completed 2-10-2013)

Week #2: **The Healing Ministry**
Mark 1:21-28; Luke 4:18-19

Week #3: **Proclaiming the Kingdom**
Matthew 5:1-2a, 7:24-29

Week #4: **Calming the Storm**
Mark 3:35-41

Week #5: **Sinners, Outcasts, and the Poor** *John 4:3-10*

Week #6: **The Final Week**
Mark 11:7-10

Week #7: **Epilogue** *John 20:19-23*

See you Sunday!

Blessings & Peace,
Ramon

Our Mission...

“A people gathered in Christ;
nurtured in His Spirit;
and sent in His name.”

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THE WORSHIP OF GOD



February 17, 2013
11:00 a.m.

Draw Me Nearer, Blessed Lord
Sanctuary Choir

The Way (week #2)
Mark 1:21-28; Luke 4:18-19
Ramon Smith

February 24, 2013
11:00 a.m.

Holy Lord of All
Sanctuary Choir

The Way (week #3)
Mark 5:1-2; 7:24-29
Ramon Smith

A NOTE FROM MARY



Amazing Love

My Lord, what love is this that pays so dearly; that I, the guilty one may go free?

And so they watched Him die, despised, rejected;

But O the blood He shed, flowed for me.

Amazing love, O what sacrifice, the Son of God, given for me;

My debt He pays and my death He dies, that I might live.

And now this love of Christ shall flow like rivers;

Come, wash your guilt away, live again.

Amazing love, O what sacrifice, the Son of God, given for me;

My debt He pays and my death He dies, that I might live.

-Graham Kendrick

Next book club meeting: February 25 @ 7 pm

Book for the month:

Kisses From Kate by Katie J. Davis & Beth Clark

IN TOUCH...with Jeff

February 16 @ Greensboro Coliseum

All YOUTH are invited to go to this great concert event!

Meet at church at 12 PM, we will return at 11 PM. Bring \$10 to get in and money for 2 meals, souvenirs, etc. Sign up on by calling, emailing, or texting Jeff by **February 10!** Make sure your annual permission form is on file too!

Our *Girls In Action* are asking for your help! In honor of Children's Ministry Day, we are collecting food which will be donated to the food pantry at College Park and to the food pantry operated by Maple Springs Methodist Church. Our girls will deliver the food on February 13. They will bag items for College Park and stock the shelves at Maple Springs. Please help us to help our neighbors... We are asking for cereal (Cheerios or Rice Krispies), peanut butter, saltine crackers, macaroni & cheese, pudding, jello, soup and spaghetti noodles. Collection boxes will be in the entrance hallway outside Smith Hall.



CHRISTA'S CORNER

Our senior adults are invited to lunch at Arbor Ridge in Stanleyville on March 17, following our Sunday worship service. Debbie Mitchell of Arbor Ridge has extended the invitation, emphasizing there will be no commercials involved. She added that they would like to be a part of the community. Bill Wright and the Goodriches are residents there, so basically we are joining them for lunch. Please sign up by calling the church office or signing up with me on Sundays or Wednesdays, with the deadline being March 13. Please also let me know if you need transportation, as we may take a church van.

We look forward to seeing you at College Parkers on Thursday, February 21 at 11:30 a.m. Bring a dish to share and join us in welcoming Mrs. Debbie Pilson of NC Baptist Aging Ministries. She is a delightful person and wonderful resource for senior adults.

Those signed up for our trip to Wohlfahrt Theater on February 20 are reminded we board the bus at 9:00 a.m. as we travel to Wytheville for lunch and to see the play "Church Basement Ladies."

Christa Warise

Happy Anniversary

Jeff Allen - 9 years
Teresa Hill - 6 years
Grace Hodge - 1 year
Sheila Hutcherson - 28 years
Ramon Smith - 21 years

Thank you for a job well done!

YOUTH MINISTRY

Youth Spring Break Retreat

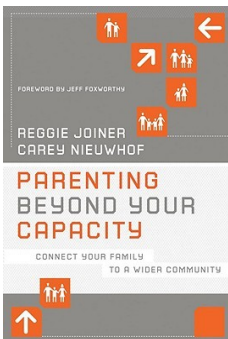
March 27-30, Caswell

Our youth group is going to the beach for Spring Break for a great retreat of fun, food and merriment (how many times have you seen THAT word used in a sentence?)! We will be staying at Caswell for a long weekend. The total cost is \$160 for one youth and \$140 for any more youth from the same family. Sign-ups are going on now until **Sunday, March 10**. We need a non-refundable deposit of \$50 turned in by March 10. Sign up today!

FAMILY MINISTRY

Parent Discipleship Classes

Wednesday, 6:45 PM



An important part of our Wednesday night ministry is with parents, grandparents, and any adults interested in helping students and families become devoted followers of Christ. To this end, we will be studying a new book, "Parenting Beyond Your Capacity" by Reggie Joiner and Carey Nieuwhof, over the next several weeks on Wednesday evenings. Copies of this book are available for \$10 in the church office. Please join us in room E101 on the lower level of the Education Building as we grow together in our knowledge of God and His purpose in our parenting.

RECREATION MINISTRY

Hoops4Him Basketball

Tournament Schedule

February 16

11:00 AM Girls (at Old Town Baptist Church)

February 18

7:00 PM Intermediate Boys (at Calvary Baptist Church)

February 23

9:00 AM Junior Boys (at Calvary Baptist Church)

10:00 AM Potential Game—Girls (at Old Town Baptist Church)

12:00 PM Potential Game—Intermediate Boys (at Calvary Baptist Church)

March 2 (Championship Saturday)

9:00 AM Potential Game—Junior Boys (at Calvary Baptist Church)

10:15 AM Potential Game—Intermediate Boys (at Calvary Baptist Church)

11:30 AM Potential Game—Girls (at Calvary Baptist Church)

High School Boys Tournament schedule available at www.hoops4him.org

Kitchen Mission Brunch

April 13, 2013, 9:30 a.m.

WMU is sponsoring a brunch on Saturday, April 13, and we need everyone to participate! Please come and enjoy a morning with friends sharing good food and fellowship, learning about a local ministry, and raising money for a few items for the kitchen here at College Park, which provides countless ministry opportunities for all of us! If you are interested in hosting a table, please call Julie Blink (924-5570).

What does hosting a table mean I have to do?

- ◆ You can host a table on your own or with a partner.
- ◆ Decorate your table however you like—paper products and pretty napkins are as lovely as Grandma's fine china.
- ◆ Find 8 people to sit at your table for \$10 per seat. If you need assistance finding people, Julie can help you!
- ◆ This is a churchwide event. You do not have to be a member of WMU to participate!

CRISIS CONTROL MINISTRY

Gift for February

100% Fruit Juice

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 during the last two weeks:

Sue Moore
Bonnie Price
Jim Puryear

Christian love and sympathy are expressed to Patty Overby in the death of her mother and to Roy Martin in the death of his sister.

In Loving Memory
of
Mrs. Elaine B. Hill

December 15, 1919
to
February 2, 2013

Member of College Park
since
June 1992

If you would like to place an Easter lily in the sanctuary in honor of or in memory of someone, please submit an order form (found at the Welcome Desk) and your payment to the church office no later than March 17. The cost of the lilies is \$11.50 per plant.

College Parkers will meet on February 21. Following the usual delicious covered-dish lunch, Debbie Pilson will be with us to talk about the NC Baptist Aging Ministry. This is a new thing among NC Baptists. Plan to join us. Bring a friend!

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Charles D. Edwards, Pastor Emeritus

STEWARDSHIP OF SERVICE

9:00 Worship Nursery Workers

February 17 - Carolyn Ely, Sue Buitendorp, Jennifer Allen, Sandra Smith, Bernice Hudspeth, Vickie Sprinkle, Courtney Gruver, Michael Gruver

February 24 - Carolyn Ely, Sarah Talley, Melanie Alexander, Beth Hinesley, Bernice Hudspeth, Vickie Sprinkle, Jennie Lewis, Sarah Hauser

11:00 Worship Nursery Workers

February 17 - Sheryl Burnett, Larry Burnett, Brandi Smith, Jason Smith, Bernice Hudspeth, Vicky Palmer, Becky Haney, Pat Blackwell

February 24 - Bonnie Roberts, Phil Roberts, Trudy Elkins, Angie Bonner, Carol Sauers, Larry Sauers, Marla Andrews, Scott Andrews

Greeters

February 17
John Vogler
Jim Pernell

February 24
Dennis Palmer
Wayne Lewis

Properties Committee

February 17
Phil Roberts

February 24
James Stoneman

Information Center for February

Jeff Rawls

June Crabbe

Deacon of the Week

Feb. 17 - Feb. 23
Charlie Jones

Feb. 24 - Mar. 2
Kent Hobson

ATTENDANCE STATISTICS

	Feb. 3	Feb. 10
Re:Creation Worship	147	128
Sunday School	238	231
11:00 Worship	190	190
Brookridge	39	43

STEWARDSHIP OF FINANCES

Month of January 2013

Budget Beginning Balance	\$9,224.39
Budget Receipts	\$43,050.91
Budget Expenditures	\$65,127.44
Budget Ending Balance	\$(12,852.14)

Year to Date 2013

Budget Beginning Balance	\$9,224.39
Budget Receipts	\$43,050.91
Budget Expenditures	\$65,127.44
Budget Ending Balance	\$(12,852.14)

Building Fund-Month of January 2013

Building Fund Beginning Balance	\$336,513.04
Building Fund Receipts	\$16,482.14
Building Fund Expenditures	\$76,605.28
Building Fund Balance	\$273,836.77
Loan Balance	\$922,548.76

E-giving

Go to www.re-creation.ws and click on the treasure chest to give electronically by check or credit card. Coming soon to the College Park website as well!

This makes it convenient to register for upcoming events and for out-of-town people to make memorial or honorarium gifts. We are also working on getting the room set up for the giving kiosk.

Please contact Grace if you have any questions.

Family Night Supper

February

"That's Italian"

Various Italian Entrees

Salad Bread

Dessert

February 13 - Valentine's Dinner

Stuffed Roast Pork

**New Potatoes Green Beans Baked Apples
Dessert**