# HIGHLIGHTS



**Re: Vival!** Hopefully you were able to attend these services and experience personal revival as we met together and learned more about how we can serve our God. I want to thank again all those who served to make these services (and dinners) possible. Fortunately, there are so many involved that I dare not start naming names for fear of accidentally excluding someone; but you, and we, know who you are, and are so grateful!

Our guest preacher for the week, Randy Weeaks, made an observation that I wanted to share with you. He said: "Ramon, your people just truly enjoy coming together and being with each other, and worshipping together. I can assure you that is not the case in other churches that I know of...!" While I take that as a compliment to us (and it was meant as such), I thought, "how sad that

there are churches where the people do not enjoy one another's company!" And while his comment was meant to be complimentary, I am also aware that we need to be careful that we do not become exclusive in our approach to fellowship. If we are to be a lighthouse to our community, we need to actively work to love and encourage all people...accepting them where/as they are, and helping them to grow in their journey to be more like Christ. I think that is the balance that Jesus taught: Loving and accepting all people, but also actively encouraging all to grow to be more like Christ! As we minister in our respective circle of influence, may we do so with abundant grace!

Blessings and Peace! *Ramon* 

### Our Mission...

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



# THE WORSHIP OF GOD



May 5, 2019 11:00 a.m.

In Christ Alone Sanctuary Choir

Transformer
Acts 9:1-8
Ramon Smith

May 19, 2019 11:00 a.m. In Praise of God

Worship led by the musicians and choirs of College Park

May 12, 2019 11:00 a.m. Mother's Day

My Savior Leads Me Sanctuary Choir

"You Don't Know My Mother!"

Exodus 20:12

Exodus 20:12 Ramon Smith

May 24, 2019 11:00 a.m.

My Hope Sanctuary Choir

Right Place...Right Time
Acts 16:9-15
Ramon Smith

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# A NOTE FROM MARY



Christ is risen, Christ is living, dry your tears, be unafraid! Death and darkness could not hold Him, not the tomb in which He lay. Do not look among the dead for One who lives forevermore; Tell the world that Christ is risen, make it known He goes before.

If the Lord had never risen, we'd have nothing to believe; But His promise can be trusted: "You will live, because I live." As we share the death of Adam, so in Christ we live again; Death has lost its sting and terror, Christ the Lord has come to reign.

Death has lost its old dominion, let the world rejoice and shout! Christ, the firstborn of the living, gives us life and leads us out. Let us thank our God, who causes hope to spring up from the ground. Christ is risen, Christ is giving life eternal, life profound.

-Nicholas Martinez; tr. Fred Kaan

Book Club June 3, 2019 7:00 p.m.

This month's book: *Perennials*by Julie Cantrell

Heck Jones Offering

Our Goal: \$1,500 Received: \$2,122

North American Missions Offering

Our Goal: \$5,500 Received: Annie Armstrong \$4,740.50 Global Missions: 1,388.50

### STEWARDSHIP OF SERVICE

### 9:00 Worship Nursery Workers

<u>May 5</u> - Cathy Chinlund, Beth Nelson, Bernice Hudspeth, Vickie Sprinkle, Leah Spare

<u>May 12</u> - Bonnie Roberts, Danielle Phillips, Bernice Hudspeth, Vickie Sprinkle

May 19 - Pam Nicholson, Melanie Alexander,

Joseph Alexander, Bernice Hudspeth, Vickie Sprinkle,

Bet Matthews, David Matthews

<u>May 26</u> - Sarah Talley, Kathy McDaniel, Beth Hinesley, Bernice Hudspeth, Vickie Sprinkle, Terry

Lefler

### 11:00 Worship Nursery Workers

May 5 - Rachel Eller, Carolyn Matthews, Karen

Lefler, Leigh Ann Pernell

May 12 - Janice Jordan, Nell Baker, Beth SR,

Melissa May, Lori Cogdill

May 19 - Lee Loftis, Donna Bates, Bernice Hudspeth,

Carolyn Britt, Anita Hatchett, Ann Heller

May 26 - Friends & Partners SS Class, Linnea Cauble,

Jeremy Cauble

#### **GREETERS**

May 5May 12Sarah HauserKen Hatchett

Tony Perkins

May 19
Dennis Palmer

May 26
Jim Pernell

Josh Hauser

### **INFORMATION CENTER**

Karen Lefler Tom Hurst

#### **PROPERTIES COMMITTEE**

May 5May 12Barry NelsonTerry Lefler

May 19
Dennis Palmer

May 26
Phil Roberts

### **DEACON OF THE WEEK**

May 12-18
Karen Lefler Steve Loftis

May 19-25
Phil Roberts
Bill Hinson

## Senior Adults & Family Recreation

Being a parent is one of the hardest and most rewarding challenges life has to offer. In November, I wrote an article about how my wife was going to be a surrogate mother and help another couple become parents. Today by the grace of God, we sit on the other side of that journey. During revival, Randy mentioned that people say all the time that God will never give you more than you can handle. He then explained how that is theologically inaccurate. God will never give you more than HE can handle so you have to rely on Him through the journey. The recovery process has begun and we are very thankful for your prayers and support through this journey. Please keep praying for Tori as well as the babies and the new parents.

In Christ, Matt & Tori

### College Parkers Gathering

May 16 @11:30am Covered Dish

Come join us for great food and fellowship!

Danny Crouse, the singer we enjoyed in March, will be back with us to do his "Elvis" show. His warm personality and good singing will make for a good time.

### **Upcoming Trips**

May 11 Hanes Brand Theater (Sound Counsel)

July 11 Wohlfahrt Haus Dinner Theater

Aug 6 13 Bones

Aug 12-16 Fort Caswell Beach Week Sept 12 Johnny Cash Ring of Fire Oct 17-18 Flat Rock Playhouse

Nov 11-14 Myrtle Beach

May 1 May 8
ed Spaghetti Breakfast for Supper

Baked Spaghetti Salad Rolls

Dessert

May 15 May 22

Salad Chicken Pot Pie
Sandwich Salad
Dessert Bar Dessert

May 29

Pot Luck
Bring a dish to share,
but come anyway if
you can't bring food.
No money will be collected.

Wednesday Night Supper

### CRISIS CON†ROL MINISTRY

Gift for May

Instant Oatmeal

#### 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 month:

> Bill Baker Steve Foster Bill Hinson Janet Jones Eddie Lynch Sam Parnell Buddy Priest Dick Sneed Tori Wilson

Notes of appreciation have been received and posted on the bulletin board from Sarah Knopf and from Theresa Duncan.

Christian sympathy is extended to Sarah Knopf in the death of her brother-in-law, to Mildred Hoots in the death of her sister, to Earl Parker in the death of his brother, to Georgie Kitchen in the death of her daughter-in-law, to Theresa Duncan in the death of her husband, Boyce, to Beth SabbaghRabaiotti in the death of her father, and to Josh Norman and Hannah Norman in the death of their grandfather.

In Loving Memory of

John L. Crabbe

April 11, 1935 to April 15, 2019

Member of College Park since January 1970

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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

### Welcome New Member

Monica Gaither 510 Shamel Ct. Winston Salem, NC 27105 336-317-1084

### ATTENDANCE STATISTICS

	<u>4/7</u>	<u>4/14</u>	<u>4/21</u>	<u>4/28</u>
Re:Creation Worship	N/A	76	136	N/A
Sunday School	164	156	183	135
11:00 Worship	227	140	260	189
Brookridge	28	40	41	39

### STEWARDSHIP OF FINANCES

Budget - March 2019	MTD	YTD
Budget	\$71,704.37	\$215,113.12
Receipts	72,102.93	194,119.59
Expenditures	68,272.00	212,030.72
Building Fund - March	2010	
Beginning Balance	\$57,097.21	\$63,087.55
Receipts	9,992.00	22,624.00
Expenditures	9,086.17	27,708.51
Ending Balance	58,003.04	58,003.04
Loan Balance		\$1,152,687.16



### Parent/Baby Dedication

If you would like to participate in our Parent/Baby Dedication on Mother's Day, May 12, please contact the church office no later than May 4.