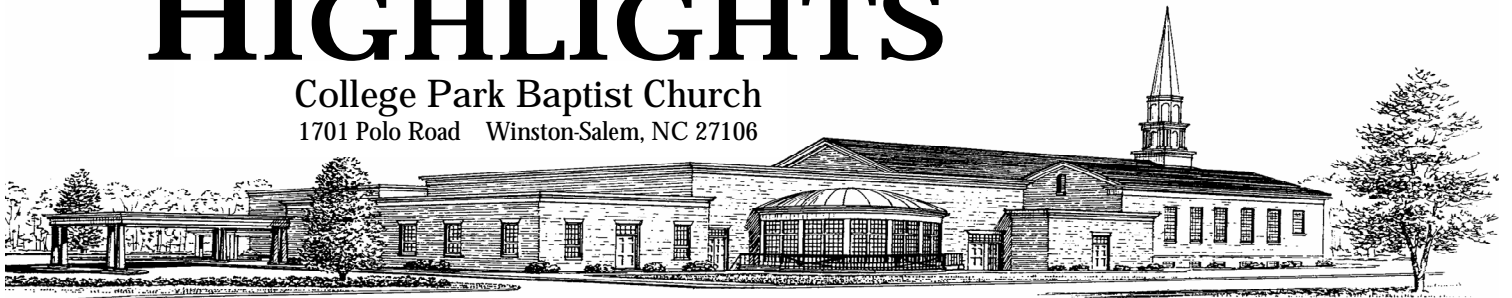


# HIGHLIGHTS

College Park Baptist Church  
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*"A people gathered in Christ; nurtured in His Spirit; and sent in His name."*

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## *From Your Pastor...*

**PRAYER:** There is nothing more critical to our development as Christians, yet this discipline may be the most lacking in our faith. (Well, I suppose you could make the argument that Bible Study is more neglected.) But our prayer time is vital if we are to have an intimate relationship with our Heavenly Father. You simply can not get to know someone that you do not speak to, *or listen to!* As we begin our series of worship services around the theme of *Home Improvement*, I believe it is critical that we begin with prayer. As we talked about Sunday, it is important that our children see us in prayer, and that they learn from us how to communicate with God. So as a family I want to challenge us to pray...pray earnestly, and daily, for each other that God will help us grow individually and as a church family!

**Men:** We can begin this *Home Improvement* emphasis with prayer together on Sunday morning! The Baptist Men will be gathered on the church steps this Sunday morning at 8:15 to pray, and we invite you to join us. There will be no breakfast this month...just food for the soul as we pray together!

Also as a part of our *Home Improvement* series, we will offer a new Sunday School class that will study from John's gospel in a video-driven curriculum. This new Sunday School class will meet in the Adult One assembly area, and it is for anyone who would like to attend (ages youth through Adult 4). If you are not currently attending a Sunday School class, this is a wonderful way to begin a new, good "habit." If you are currently in a class, you may come to this class which will meet for four weeks beginning on May 22nd.

We'll see you Sunday!

*Ramon*



**Vacation Bible School**  
June 20 - 24  
5:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

**Everyone is invited!**  
This year, Vacation Bible School will be for all ages!  
Make plans now to come.

**"Be conformed to the image of His Son."**  
Romans 8:29

NC Baptist Hospital  
Offering

**Our Goal: \$2,000.00**  
**Received to Date:**  
**\$520.00**

**New Mini-Bus**



**Amount Needed:**  
**\$21,535.68**



**Mt. Outreach**  
July 3 - 8, 2005

Please pray for Kenneth Wolfe, the husband and father of our Mountain Outreach family. Kenneth broke his back in an accident and receives a disability check that is the family's only income. Their trailer is in very bad condition, with holes in the walls, exposed wiring, leaking pipes, and pests. Kenneth wants to take good care of his family, but cannot repair the trailer or improve their circumstances. With our help, the family will have a clean, dry place to live. Pray about your participation in our annual house-building project.

**Goal: \$20,000**

## *I N TOUCH*

GRADUATES NEEDED!

Spring is in the air and you can hear graduate processions playing throughout the area. Our church will be honoring this year's graduating class on Sunday, May 22 during the morning worship service. We would like to recognize all of the high school and post-high school graduates. Please contact me if you or someone in your family is graduating this year. I need to know this information no later than this **Sunday, May 15**. We look forward to celebrating this extraordinary accomplishment with you on Sunday, May 22. Our church is proud of you!

*Jeff*

## Children's Celebration

**Sunday**  
**May 15, 2005**  
During Worship  
Smith Hall



## NEW YORK CITY TEAM MEETING

**Sunday**  
**May 15, 2005**  
12:15 - 2:00 PM  
Smith Hall



## CHURCH-WIDE AUCTION

**Saturday**  
**May 14, 2005**  
Dinner - 5:00 PM  
Auction - 6:00 PM  
Smith Hall



## FAMILY MINISTRY TEAM MEETING

*(Preschool, Children, Youth, Family Enrichment)*

**Sunday**  
**May 15, 2005**  
4:00 PM  
Smith Hall



FAMILY NIGHT SUPPPER WED., MAY 18

Lasagna  
Salad Bar Bread Sticks  
Dessert

Please make your reservation by noon on Tues., May 17.

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 week:



*Marjorie Turner*

Christian love and sympathy are expressed to **Bonnie Price** in the death of her sister.



Notes of appreciation have been received and posted on the bulletin board from Salem Pregnancy Crisis Center, from Noah, Terri, Cameron & Matthew Goodman, and from the Jim Edmonds family.

**Crisis Control Gift for May:**

**Laundry Detergent**

Collected Last Month: 151 packages of muffin mix, 14 bars of soap, 5 bottles of deodorant, 5 cans of pinto beans, 4 cans of soup, and 1 can of mixed greens.

*“Whatever you do for one of the least of these brothers of mine, you do for me.” Matthew 25:40*

**REPORT FROM MAY 8, 2005**

Sunday School	238
Worship	367
Brookridge	45
Budget Requirement To Date	\$255,164.11
Budget Receipts To Date (88.20%)	\$225,052.04
<b>FULFILLING THE PROMISE</b>	
New FTP Pledges	\$295,522.00
New FTP Pledged Gifts to Date (117.81%)	\$348,148.33
Total Building Fund Receipts To Date	\$2,959,016.44
Balance Due on Building	\$125,727.55

**OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 15 - MAY 21, 2005**

**Sunday, May 15**

**8:15 a.m. Baptist Men-Prayer on Church Steps**  
9:15 Media Center Open  
9:30 Sunday School Classes  
10:45 Gathering in Sanctuary for Worship  
11:00 Children's Celebration  
12:15 p.m. Visitation Assignments  
NY Mission Team Meeting  
4:00 Family Ministry Team  
5:30 Youth Snack Supper  
6:00 Discipleship, Adult Bible Study

**Monday, May 16**

10:00 a.m. Monday Bible Study  
7:00 p.m. Boy Scout Troop 907

**Tuesday, May 17**

5:30 p.m. Yoga Class

**Wednesday, May 18**

5:30 p.m. Media Center Open  
5:30 - 6:30 Supper Line Open  
6:45 Prayer Meeting  
Mission Friends, RAs, GAs, Acteens, Challengers  
7:30 Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal  
Deacons

**Thursday, May 19**

11:30 a.m. College Parkers - Smith Hall

**Saturday, May 21**

7:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study

**Workers in Worship Nursery:** May 15, 10:30 a.m.  
Linda Palmer; Judy Johnson; Van & Sally Crotts; Barbie Morgan; Angie Somers; Terri & Noah Goodman  
**Deacon of the Week:** Marcellus Waddill

**Greeters:** May 15 Sarah Hauser & Ed Lane  
**Properties Comm. Member on Duty:** Jay Edmonds  
**Brookridge Driver:** Larry Jones  
**Information Center for May:** Joyce Baxley, Tom Hurst



**THE WORSHIP OF GOD**

**Sunday, May 15th**  
10:45 a.m.

*Home Improvement, Week One*

*My Shepherd Will Supply My Need*  
Sanctuary Choir

*Nothing Without You*  
APB

*Heaven Can Open Before Your Home!*

Ramon Smith  
John 1:29-51

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