

HIGHLIGHTS

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



From Your Pastor...

There is always a temptation to attempt only what we are sure we can accomplish. That is true in our individual lives, so it pretty naturally carries over to the church body. If we were dealing with strictly earthly matters, then that might be an acceptable strategy with a mostly predictable outcome. But when we are dealing with Kingdom issues and the power of the Holy Spirit is in play, then we must rethink our decisions and the outcome becomes beautifully unpredictable...at least to our earth-bound minds! Such a set of circumstances faced us as a congregation last calendar year as we moved into an exciting new phase in our church's history. The expansion of our ministry base to include a new gym and totally renovate spaces that needed it

stretched us financially...and in our faith as well! The building fund did quite well; but with increased expenses in several areas of ministry (including building related expenses), we found our receipts trailing our expense for the year going into the final two months. Our Finance Committee (which does a remarkable job of managing and monitoring expenses) informed us of the financial need, and you, the body of Christ, responded in a remarkable way that erased the shortfall and placed us firmly "in the black" to start a new year! I'm never surprised by your faithfulness, but am constantly thrilled at your response to real need!

It is a joy to serve with you!

Blessings & Peace,
Ramon

Our Mission...

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



THE WORSHIP OF GOD



February 2, 2014
11:00 a.m.

Beloved, Let Us Love
Sanctuary Choir

The Be-Attitudes
Matthew 5:1-12
Ramon Smith

February 16, 2014
11:00 a.m.
Senior Adult Sunday

Alleluia
Sanctuary Choir

Keith McKinney- guest speaker

February 9, 2014
11:00 a.m.

Assurance
Sanctuary Choir

You Are...
Matthew 5:13-20
Ramon Smith

February 23, 2014
11:00 a.m.

This Is the Day
Sanctuary Choir

Transfigured?
Matthew 17:1-9
Ramon Smith

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A NOTE FROM MARY



We all are one in mission, we all are one in call,
Our varied gifts united by Christ, the Lord of all.

A single, great commission compels us from above to plan and work together
that all may know Christ's love.

We all are called for service to witness in God's name.
Our ministries are different, our purpose is the same:
To touch the lives of others by God's surprising grace,
so every folk and nation may feel God's warm embrace.

We all behold one vision, a stark reality:
The author of salvation was nailed upon a tree.
Yet resurrected Justice gives rise that we may share
free reconciliation and hope amid despair.

Now let us be united and let our song be heard.
Now let us be a vessel for God's redeeming Word.
We all are one in mission, we all are one in call,
Our varied gifts united by Christ, the Lord of all.

- Rusty Edwards

**NC Baptist
Retirement Homes
Offering**

**Our Goal: \$2,000
Received to Date: \$295**

We have a two dedicated teams of women who serve lunch to the bereaved families in the church. If you would be interested in serving on one of these teams, please contact Joan Snyder in the church office, 768-5870, Ext. 10.

Next book club meeting will be February 24 @ 7 pm
This month's book: *The Sinners' Garden* by William Sirls

STEWARDSHIP OF SERVICE

9:00 Worship Nursery Workers

- Feb. 2** - Carolyn Ely, Jan Doty, Rachel Eller, Beth Nelson, Bernice Hudspeth, Vickie Sprinkle
- Feb. 9** - Carolyn Ely, Chris May, Kathy McDaniel, Kim Jones, Bernice Hudspeth, Vickie Sprinkle, Tammy Cashwell, Craig Cashwell
- Feb. 16** - Carolyn Ely, Tammy McDowell, Jennifer Allen, Sandra Smith, Bernice Hudspeth, Vickie Sprinkle, Courtney Gruver, Michael Gruver
- Feb. 23** - Carolyn Ely, Sarah Talley, Melanie Alexander, Beth Hinesley, Bernice Hudspeth, Vickie Sprinkle, Anna Sheek, Sarah Hauser

11:00 Worship Nursery Workers

- Feb. 2** - Beth Huff, Jeanne Hobson, David Hodge, Beth SabbaghRabaiotti, Leigh Ann Pernel, Whitney Pernel
- Feb. 9** - Wanda Foster, Nell Baker, Janice Jordan, Stephanie Cayton, Jeff Cayton, Sybil McBride, June Crabbe
- Feb. 16** - Sheryl Burnett, Larry Burnett, Bernice Hudspeth, Vicky Palmer, Becky Haney, Pat Blackwell
- Feb. 23** - Trudy Elkins, Angie Bonner, Lara Pinnix, Chris Pinnix, Marla Andrews, Scott Andrews

Greeters

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> February 2
Jim Pernel February 16
Sarah Hauser
Tony Perkins | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> February 9
Russell Talley February 23
John Vogler |
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Properties Committee

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> February 2
David Matthews February 16
Phil Roberts | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> February 9
David Bass February 23
Scott Andrews |
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Information Center for February

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| Wilbert McBride | June Crabbe |
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Deacon of the Week

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Feb. 2 - 8
Becky Haney Feb. 16 - 22
Jon Cauble | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Feb. 9 - 15
Charlie Jones Feb. 23 - March 1
Chris Morris |
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CHRISTA'S

CORNER

On February 16th, we will celebrate Senior Adult Sunday. Rev. Keith McKinney of the NC Baptist Retirement Homes will bring an inspirational message, and our seniors will participate in worship leadership including testimony and music. We will be blessed by these members who have built a strong foundation for College Park Baptist Church through the years.

Game Day will be February 13th, 2-4 pm in Smith Hall. Bring a table game if you would like, or plan to choose one that's available. Come and enjoy the warmth of fellowship!

College Parkers meets February 20 at 11:30 a.m., welcoming Karen Taylor, Community Missionary for Pilot Mountain Baptist Association. Karen will share about the ministries of our association, and is always a delightful and inspiring speaker. Bring a dish and join us!

Grief Support will meet February 2, 3:00 p.m. **Prayer Time** together, open to anyone, will be February 6, 10:00 a.m. in the Coffee Room.

Please contact June Crabbe soon if you are interested in going to Lancaster, PA Sept. 8-10 on a coach with Yadkin Tours for the inspirational production of Moses at the Sight and Sound Theater, along with Hershey's Chocolate World, Amish Dinner, Tour of New Ground Roasting (coffee), and Amish Farm Tour. All meals and lodging are included in the price: \$375 per person, double; \$350 per person, triple. A \$100 deposit is needed to reserve space on the bus.

Also, sign-ups have begun for the **Guilford Technical College Culinary School on March 27**, along with a tour of Blandwood Mansion. Call Alice Wilson to sign up.

If you are interested in going to **The Cove**, The Billy Graham Retreat Center in Black Mountain, on **April 10** for a special time of worship, a buffet meal, and some time to explore the Ruth Graham library, chapel and the main building, contact Christa. The cost for the day is \$29.

Thanks to all our wonderful volunteers who give of their time to serve our church!
Christa Watise

Wednesday Night Suppers in February

February 5

Vegetable Beef Soup
Toasted Cheese Sandwich
Dessert

February 19

Sandwiches - Turkey, Ham, Roast Beef
Chips/Salsa/Cheese
Dessert

February 12

Fried Chicken
Rice/Gravy
Green Beans
Dessert

February 26

Chili
Salad
Potato Bar
Dessert

Welcome New Members

Aaron Morris
245 Cedar Ridge Circle
Winston Salem, NC 27127
245-3143

Janet Rodgers
2945 Reynolda Road, #252
Winston Salem, NC 27106
893-6932

Welcome to the College Park family!

**CRISIS CONTROL
MINISTRY**

Gift for February

100% Fruit Juice

*"Whatever you do for one of the
least of these brothers of mine, you
do for me."*

Matthew 25:40

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 four weeks:

**Laura Hauser
Bernice Lemons
Edna Mauney
Marie Murphree
Sam Parnell
Scott Sessoms**

Gracious notes of appreciation have been received and posted on the bulletin board from the family of June Bell, from the family of Jack Hoyle, and from Alice Wilson and Lori Cogdill.

In Loving Memory
of

Mr. Reece Alexander

January 14, 1924
to
January 9, 2014

Member of College Park
since
November 1956

In Loving Memory
of

Mr. Jackson S. Hoyle

September 27, 1927
to
January 3, 2014

Member of College Park
since
June 1959

**COLLEGE PARK BAPTIST
CHURCH**

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www.Re-Creation.ws

Ramon E. Smith, Senior Pastor
Jeff Allen, Assoc. Pastor/ Students
& Families

Mary Keltner, Assoc. Pastor/Music & Education

Christa Warise, Minister of Senior Adults and
Congregational Care

Charles D. Edwards, Pastor Emeritus

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ATTENDANCE STATISTICS

	<u>1/5</u>	<u>1/12</u>	<u>1/19</u>	<u>1/26</u>
Re:Creation Worship	117	131	143	127
Sunday School	219	231	209	211
11:00 Worship	193	222	185	186
Brookridge	37	28	20	34

O Lord, give us more charity, more self-denial, more likeness to you. Teach us to sacrifice our comforts to others, and our likings for the sake of doing good. Make us kindly in thought, gentle in word, generous in deed. Teach us that it is better to give than to receive; better to forget ourselves than put ourselves forward; better to minister than be ministered to. And to you, the God of love, be glory and praise for ever. Amen.

- Henry Alford

STEWARDSHIP OF FINANCES

Month of December 2013

Budget Beginning Balance	\$ (40,976.05)
Budget Receipts	137,688.19
Budget Expenditures	88,025.92
Budget Ending Balance	\$8,686.22

Year to Date December 2013

Budget Beginning Balance	\$9,224.39
Budget Receipts	819,641.81
Budget Expenditures	820,179.98
Budget Ending Balance	\$8,686.22

Building Fund - Month of December 2013

Building Fund Beginning Balance	\$286,243.60
Building Fund Receipts	12,522.36
Building Fund Expenditures	31,484.59
Building Fund Interest	5,561.24
Building Fund Balance	261,720.13
Loan Balance	\$1,605,211.18