HIGHLIGHTS



There is a buzz in the air... It's the excitement that precedes Summer...school out...lots of activity in family life and church life! It's the same kind of feeling that we experienced together out on the front lawn last Wednesday night. It is the excitement of being a vital body of believers who have a desire to fellowship and worship together...and invite others to be part of this body! It is the excitement of seeing new people come into our church building each week for recreation on Tuesday and Thursday nights. It is the excitement of seeing people return to in person worship after a couple of pretty tough years. It is the excitement that comes best from the Holy Spirit dwelling within us, and bearing witness to those who we minister to daily! It is the excitement that we bring with us as we come to worship each Sunday IF we have prepared our hearts for worship. After a long week at work or at school, do we really prepare our hearts for worship, or do we stumble out the door preoccupied with all that seems to be pulling on our time? Do we enter into the

Lord's house with thanksgiving in our hearts, or do we come angry, frustrated, or distracted? You have heard Mary and I both say that if we leave from worship the same as when we came, then we have not truly worshipped. I believe this is true! We cannot come into the presence of a holy God (and I would add "and His people") and not be affected in some manner. In God's presence, our hearts should acknowledge who He is, and who we are in relationship to Him. That is life changing, and I pray for you that you will experience that transformation with us in worship this week...whether it be on Sunday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and/or every other day of the week!

I invite you to be with us each week...prepared to worship as One body...Loving God, and Loving People!

Blessings & Peace,

Ramon



THE WORSHIP OF GOD



June 5, 2022 11:00 a.m. Graduates' Sunday

You Are Mine Sanctuary Choir

Morning message from Jeff Allen

> June 19, 2022 11:00 a.m. Father's Day

Jesus Paid it All Sanctuary Choir

Jesus & His Father Luke 15:11b-32 Ramon Smith June 12, 2022 11:00 a.m.

Celebration of Baptism & Communion

Hearts of Gratitude
Sanctuary Choir

June 26, 2022 11:00 a.m.

Jubilate Deo Sanctuary Choir

Morning message from Bryson May

Our Mission...

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



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A NOTE FROM MARY



We live in a society in which we wear our busyness like a badge, like our busyness means we are important and needed. We must be somebody because, look, how busy our lives are! We hurry from place to place. We compare schedules and proclaim all we have yet to do. If we have children, our pace is amplified. We rush from games to performances and activities, mingling schedules, and juggling places to be. We do it in church as well, intermingling the busyness of church with the busyness of our lives outside the church walls. And yet, I have been reminded as of late that Jesus did not rush about from activity to activity. In fact, Jesus often went off by himself to talk with His Father. He took time



will meet on
Monday, June 27th
at 7 pm
This month's book is:
The Finder of Forgotten Things
by Sarah Loudin Thomas

away from the crowds and busyness to make sure that He and the Father were one. He knew his mission, and He knew the Father's will because He took time away from the busyness of life to ensure that He was spending time with God. Jesus didn't just ask God to bless the things that were keeping Him busy; instead, Jesus, in the middle of doing amazing things, was asking the Father where to go and what to do next. How much more necessary is it for us to do the same? Rather than allow our busyness to keep us from communing with God, we need even more to meet with Him, so we don't rush by Him in the world around us and miss Him completely.

As a reminder, at the April 20th Business Conference, the Personnel Committee announced the hiring of the Center for Healthy Churches (CHC). This is a mission-driven consulting group dedicated to helping congregations and clergy find new life and energy in the 21st century. Their driving motivation is to elevate the spiritual, organizational, and emotional health of churches and clergy. They accomplish this by helping establish a clear vision and focus for the congregation's future, addressing complex issues, enhancing communication, exploring opportunities for growth, and building a strong community. The process entails the CHC consultant meeting with three different groups: the staff, deacons, and a focus group representing a cross section of our members. The purpose is to discuss concerns or issues created, in part, by the pandemic as well as issues predating the pandemic along with the loss of a staff minister. The goal is to be able to address ways to enhance our communication with a recommended path moving forward. Stay tuned for a future update resulting from the work of the CHC.

Steering Committee:

Don Harvey, Center for Healthy Churches

Barbara Benfer

Julie Blink

Skip Chinlund

Lori Cogdill

Jim Pernell

David Shannon

Ramon Smith

We are grateful...

With appreciation for the ministry of

Jeff Allen

May God bless you for the time you gave, the work you did, and the care you offered.

UPCOMING COLLEGE PARK 2022 TRAVEL PLANS

* June 16th (Thurs.): Fellowship & Dinner — Games & Bingo with prizes at College Park Church and dinner at Cody Creek Cost—Self-Pay + \$5.00

* July 7th (Thurs.): Wohlfahrt Haus — "Sound of Music"

* August 27 (Sat.): High Point Theatre — "Master Vocal & Make-Up Illusionists"

 September 27th-Oct. 1st (Tues.-Sat.): Lancaster, PA and Washington, DC — Sight and Sound Theatre (David); museums in DC

* October 18th (Tues.): Lunch at Daniel Boone Inn and fall colors

Cost-\$520-\$757

Cost-\$65.00

Cost-\$70.00

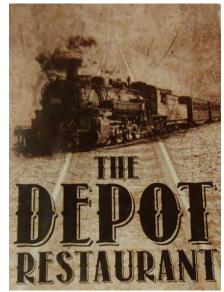
Cost-\$42.00

Sign-up sheets with additional trip details are available outside Smith Hall.

Benior Adults & Family Recreation







June 16th

Cards and Games 1:30-4:15pm Bus leaves at 4:30pm Dinner 5:30pm

Marriage Retreat November 4-6, 2022



CRISIS CON†ROL MINISTRY

Gift for June

~ canned meats ~ (salmon, beef, spam, tuna)

Items collected in May:

- 29 rolls of bath tissue
- 19 containers of condiments
- 12 containers of peanut butter, etc.
- 28 containers of salad dressing

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 individuals who are part of our church family who are, or have been in the hospital during the last month:

Bobbie Merritt



A WELCOME MESSAGE FROM BRYSON

Hey everyone! It's summer time and I am so excited to be back working as the children's summer intern here at College Park! I am so excited to work with all of the kids again this summer and can wait to grow with them in my walk with Jesus! We have so many amazing opportunities planed this summer that you are not going to want to miss! Its going to be an amazing summer!

~ Bryson

ADVENTURE CLUB

Join us for our very first Adventure Club, beginning Monday, June 13th! Every Monday, all throughout the summer, kids ranging from 3-12, can join us here at College Park for a morning of bible study, crafts, rec. time, and fellowship, as we study more about the Fruit of the Spirit, outlined in Galatians 5:22-23. Adventure Club will last for all preschool aged children from 9am-12pm, with lunch provided. For all elementary age children, Adventure Club will last from 9am-3pm, with away-from-church field trips lasting from 12pm-3pm. More details can be found on Realm!

Contact Bryson May if you have any questions!

JUNE AT A GLANCE



June 3rd-5th: Kids Beach Reach at Fort Caswell NC



Adventure Club: Every Monday starting June 13th



June 21st: Kids Lake Day at Badin Lake

KIDS BEACH REACH

This summer, from June 3rd to June 5th, the kids are headed to Fort Caswell! Join us for this unforgettable adventure packed full of fun camp activities, lots of fishing, children-focused worship, many opportunities to grow closer to God, and much more!

- Who Can Go? Children currently in 1st through 6th grade. Matt, Bryson, and several parents will chaperone the trip.
- What is it? A 2-night camp experience for elementary children.
- When is it? June 3rd-5th
- Where is it? Fort Caswell, Oak Island, NC

KIDS LAKE DAY

All kids ages 3-12 are invited to join us for a day on the Lake on June 21st! We will be traveling to Badin Lake for a day of tubing, boat riding, and a hotdog lunch! There is no cost involved for this trip! Space is limited so if you would like to sign up for this trip, you can do so on Realm or on the sign up sheet located in the Garden Lobby! Preschool children must have a parent present to join us for this wonderful adventure. Parents of elementary school children are invited to spend the day with us.



Music Intern Dynamics

To the families and friends of College Park,

My name is Jacob Andrews, and I am working alongside Mary Keltner this summer as College Park's first music ministry intern. During almost six years at College Park, I have been able to share and utilize my gifts playing keyboard in the Re:Creation worship band, playing French Horn and organ at the 11am service, serving as the Children's Ministry intern during the summer of 2020, and more. I am so excited about God's calling for me this summer to dive headfirst into our music ministry. There is so much in store!

Later this summer, we will be embarking on a week-long music camp where our children will get the opportunity to sing, learn and play new instruments, compete in games, build their own instruments, learn what it means to sing His praise, and more!

The camp will take place from 9am-1pm on July 25th through July 29th. Children who have completed grades K-6th are welcome to come to the camp to play and learn music from many talented youth and adult church members. The cost of camp will be \$30 which can be paid on Realm. The Realm sign-ups will be available June 1st. Lunch will be provided every day from 12:00pm-12:30pm. T-shirts will be given out to each camper. As of June 1st, there will also be a sign-up sheet in the garden lobby to register your campers and fill out shirt size information and safety/permission forms. For our preschoolers, the Adventure Club will still be taking place for them on Monday, July 25th. Please, invite your friends too! This will be an unforgettable week!

We are so excited to discover what it means to truly make a joyful noise in the eyes of our Lord, revealed to us through the musical gifts woven into our children. College Park has been blessed with many individuals with God-given musical gifts. At one point, they too were all children who had never sung a note or played an instrument. If Dad has a guitar in the attic, and he hasn't played for ten years, tell him he can come along and participate in the camp too!

We are thrilled and cannot wait for this week together.

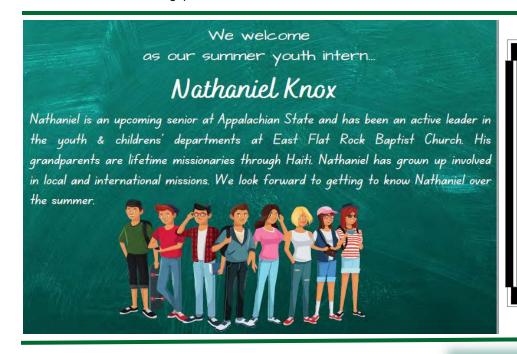
With love,

Jacob Andrews



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Matt Wilson, Minister/Senior Adults & Family Recreation
Charles D. Edwards. Pastor Emeritus



In Loving Memory
of
Jennie Lewis

Jennie Lewis

March 30, 1947 to May 1, 2022

Member of College Park since August 1999

STEWARDSHIP OF SERVICE

DEACON OF THE WEEK

June 5-11
Melanie Alexander

June 12-18 Doug Somers

June 19-25 Julie Blink June 26-July 2
Becky Haney

<u>GREETERS</u>

June 5 Sarah Hauser Tony Perkins June 12 Ken Hatchett

June 19 Dennis Palmer June 26 Josh Hauser Jim Pernell

INFORMATION CENTER

Bob Baker Trudy Elkins

PROPERTIES COMMITTEE

June 5-11 Josh Hauser June 12-18 Lee Hinesley

June 19-25
Doug Somers

June 26-July 2
Tom Hurst

Church Conference:

Wednesday,

July 20th

at 7:00 pm

in Smith Hall

ATTENDANCE STATISTICS

 Re:Creation Worship
 5/4 63
 5/8 104
 5/15 77
 5/22 69
 5/29 102

 11:00 Worship
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 135
 130
 127
 129

STEWARDSHIP OF FINANCES

Budget ~ April 2022	MTD	YTD
Budget	\$82,385.13	\$329,540.53
Receipts	\$71,719.80	\$313,570.32
Expenditures	\$88,025.16	\$322,739.61

Building Fund ~ April 2022

\$63,828.18	\$93,075.35
\$8,170.00	\$62,045.00
\$9,609.98	\$92,732.15
\$72,548.82	\$62,388.20
	\$8,170.00 \$9,609.98

Loan Balance \$885,417.24