

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...

It was so meaningful to be together in worship on Sunday. The music was beautiful, the fellowship was warm, and I sensed that God really spoke through His Word. We had several visitors in worship with us, and one mentioned to me that College Park was "a very friendly church." I love to hear comments like these because it reminds me that College Park truly is a welcoming community of believers!

Sunday evening we showed a preview of "The Passion of Christ," produced and financed by Mel Gibson. As I mentioned Sunday, the subject matter of this movie has placed it outside the realm of acceptable according to Hollywood. My suspicion is that many of those who are so openly critical only understand passion in the sense of the emotion associated with human physical desire. As Gibson himself said, this movie deals with "dangerous material." The movie has already received the support of most every religious leader that we would recognize and respect, and has been labeled a "career ender" for Gibson. My desire is not necessarily to promote a movie, but to spread the Gospel using every tool available. Wednesday night, February 18th, I will show this preview again following our prayer time.

See you Sunday!

Ramon

In Touch...

One of the most inspiring and motivational aspects of our church membership has to be the deep commitment to mission work in Winston-Salem and around the world. To continue this history of faithful service, I am excited to announce that our high school youth will be traveling to Haiti this summer.

We will be traveling with a group of youth and adults from churches across the PMBA. We will be staying at the YWAM camp in St. Marc, and we will be working on a variety of projects throughout the week of July 11-18. It promises to be a life-changing week for all!

All interested high school youth and parents are asked to attend an important informational meeting this **Sunday night, February 8**, immediately after the Follies. We will meet for approximately **45 minutes in the Youth Room**. I look forward to seeing you Sunday night. Until then, we covet your prayers as we prepare for what God will do in Haiti!

Jeff A.



Jeff's Notes

Now that the Super Bowl (and Super Bowl halftime show) have passed, we can move on to some real entertainment. Plan to be here for the 7th annual **College Park Follies** this Sunday evening at 6 p.m., following a church-wide fellowship supper at 5:30 p.m. This year we will begin earlier so that we can enjoy all the acts and still be home before 8 p.m. We are also having a meal together at 5:30 p.m. so that we can enjoy fellowship that sharing a meal provides. You won't want to miss this great time of fun for the whole family! We will have an altered rehearsal schedule again this Sunday, so choir members check the calendar.

A reminder to *Ainesis* members: There is still time to get your deposit to me for our Feb. 20-22 retreat to Blowing Rock and our March trip to Atlanta. The deadline for both of these trips is **February 18**.

You can now order CD's of *Channels'* Christmas Candlelight Concert that was recorded in the Chapel. The cost is \$5 and must be paid when you order (in the office).

Jeff P.

7TH ANNUAL COLLEGE PARK FOLLIES

Sunday, February 8

FAMILY FELLOWSHIP SUPPER - 5:30 PM

(A donation of \$2.00 per person is suggested to cover the cost of the meal.)

The "Show" starts at 6:00 p.m.!

Ministry Emphases

Mark Your Calendar!

for the annual

*Sunday School Leaders
Banquet*

Friday, February 13, 2004

6:00 p.m.

Teachers and Leaders:

Please contact a
Department Leader or Joan Snyder
by Friday, February 6,
if you will be able to attend
the banquet.



In Loving Memory of

Mrs. Helen Huber Davis

January 22, 1913

February 2, 2004

Charter Member of College Park
since October 1949

Family Night Supper February 11

Baked Ham
Macaroni & Cheese Green Beans
Yeast Rolls Dessert

PARKING CHALLENGE

We have been blessed to have wonderful attendance in Sunday School and Worship! With that blessing has come a challenge to our available parking space. If you are able to park off campus (at the dentist office and bank), please do. If you are able to park at the bottom end of the lot and walk up, please do. This will make space available for those who physically cannot walk long distances, and for our guests.

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:

*Julia Callaway, Fran Flora,
Vernon Howard, Ralph Means*



Crisis Control Gift for February: Instant Grits

N.C. Offering for Older Adults

Every dollar contributed is used to financially assist Older Adults who cannot pay for the quality of care they need and deserve.

Goal: \$3,000.00

Received to Date: \$599.00

A note of appreciation has been received and posted on the bulletin board from Mary Fisher.

WMU Focus Week February 8 - 15



† Discover what WMU
has been doing this year!

† Learn how you can participate in an
upcoming church-wide mission action

REPORT FROM FEBRUARY 1, 2004

Sunday School	330
Worship	386
Brookridge	41
Budget Requirement To Date	\$63,704.40
Budget Receipts To Date (130.53%)	\$83,153.00
FULFILLING THE PROMISE	
New FTP Pledges	\$289,522.00
New FTP Pledged Gifts to Date (48.47%)	\$140,322.93
Total Building Fund Receipts To Date	\$2,751,191.04
Balance Due on Building	\$330,595.37
Sound System to Date	\$15,650.00

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 8 - FEBRUARY 14

Sunday, Feb. 8

9:15 a.m. Media Center Open
9:30 Sunday School Classes
10:45 Gathering in Sanctuary for Worship
12:15 p.m. Visitation Assignments
3:00 Youth Vocal Ensemble Rehearsal
4:00 Ainesis Rehearsal
5:00 Channels Rehearsal
5:30 Church-wide Fellowship Meal
6:00 College Park Follies
No Adult Discipleship
7:30 Parents' Meeting of Youth going to Haiti

Monday, Feb. 9

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

Tuesday, Feb. 10

9:45 a.m. Grace Notes leave for The Elms
6:00-9:30 p.m. Basketball Practice - Smith Hall

Wednesday, Feb. 11

5:30 p.m. Media Center Open
5:30-6:30 Supper Line Open
6:00 Cherub Choir, Sing for God, and Psalm 8:2 Rehearsals
6:45 Prayer Meeting
Mission Friends, RAs, GAs, Challengers, Acteens
7:30 Sanctuary Choir, EyeWitness Rehearsals
7:45 Finance Committee

Thursday, Feb. 12

6:30-7:30 p.m. Primary Basketball - Smith Hall

Friday, Feb. 13

6:00 p.m. Sunday School Leaders' Banquet - Smith Hall

Saturday, Feb. 14

7:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study
11:30 Jr. Coed Basketball - Mt. Tabor Methodist
12:15 p.m. Sr. Boys Basketball - Becks Baptist
12:30 p.m. Intermediate Boys Basketball - First Baptist
Girls Basketball - BYE

Workers in Worship Nursery: February 8, 10:30 a.m.
Jean Dzeskewicz; Marci Fricke; Beth Huff; Marie & Dub
Fesperman; Ron & Becky Grubbs; Keith & Joy Minster
Deacon of the Week: Carolyn Matthews (759-0469)

Greeters: Feb. 8 John Vogler & Jim Pernell
Properties Comm. Member on Duty: Robert Huff
Brookridge Driver: Feb. 8 Larry Jones
Information Center for Feb: Wilbert McBride, June Crabbe



THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Sunday, February 8

10:45 a.m.

Almighty Father
Beloved, Let Us Love One Another
- Sanctuary Choir

The Lord Is With You, Judges 6:1-7, 25
- Ramon Smith

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