

SUNDAY, JANUARY 24, 2016

DEACONS: Carlton Jackson & Artie Nixon
BUS DRIVER: Jim Parrish (333-9071)
BUS RIDER: Carlton Jackson
CHILDREN'S SERMON: Dianne Cinkovich
CHILDREN'S CHURCH: Travis Ellis
AUDIO OPERATOR: Paul Williams
VIDEO OPERATOR: Holly Smith
YOUTH SNACK: David & Laurie Brooks



SHUT-IN of the Week

Mrs. Corinne Thorud
 Edenton Primetime
 PO Box 987
 Edenton, NC 27932

STUDENT of the Week

Mr. Charles Maus
 NC School of Science & Math
 1219 Broad Street
 Box B166
 Durham, NC 27705

Expression of Thanks

The following wish to express their sincere appreciation to members of our church for the many acts of kindness and prayers rendered in their behalf.

-Mr. & Mrs. Orvin Rud

WEEKLY REPORT (1/17)

Offering

Budget Needed	10,036.88
Amt. Received	6,644.85
Under Budget	(3,392.03)

Other Monies Received

Wed. Night Supper	243.00
Memorial Fund	25.00
Global Missions	15.00
CWJC	100.00
Youth Retreat	380.00
Reimbursement to	
EBC Baptist Men	700.00
Reimbursements	<u>465.00</u>
TOTAL	1,928.00

Attendance

Sunday School	120
Chowan River Nursing	<u>46</u>
SS TOTAL	166
Worship TOTAL	185

YTD Offerings (3 Weeks)

Amt. Required	30,110.64
Amt. Received	26,183.15
Under Budget	(3,927.49)

HOSPITAL REPORT (1/21)

At the time of printing, the office knew of no members in the hospital.

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FIFTH SUNDAY SING

Sunday, January 31
 4:00pm
 Sanctuary

Invite your friends & family!



Senior Adult Valentine Dinner

Our Youth are honoring our Senior Adults who are 65 and over with a dinner February 14th at 5:00pm in the fellowship hall. There is no charge for the meal. Please call the church office to sign up (482-3217). More information will be forthcoming.

Dash for the Gold 5k **Fundraiser for Two Rivers Christian Women's Job Corp**

Saturday, March 12
 Register in the church office.



THE INFORMER

Edenton Baptist Church
 Edenton, North Carolina 27932

A Cooperative Baptist Fellowship Congregation

David B. Brooks

Pastor

Gary P. Stanley
 Interim Youth Minister
Michael W. Morgan
 Director of Music
Jackie P. Copeland
 Organist/Assistant Music Director

Janet C. Skinner
 Church Administrator
Lorraine B. Bass
 Financial Secretary
Sherry S. Dowd
 Preschool Coordinator

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 21, 2016

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The Third Sunday after the Epiphany

"When We Lose Control"

1 Corinthians 12:12-31



Baptist Men's Day is January 31

Next Sunday the men of the church will lead worship, and Dr. Jesse Croom will bring the message. Men of all ages wishing to be part of the men's chorus should report to the choir room at 10:30 that morning to prepare for the anthem.

NewsLetter
DEADLINE

5:00pm Monday

LECTIONARY READINGS

January 24, 2016

3rd Sunday after Epiphany

Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10

Psalms 19

1 Corinthians 12:12-31a

Luke 4:14-21



January 31, 2016

4th Sunday after Epiphany

Jeremiah 1:4-10

Psalms 71:1-6

1 Corinthians 13:1-13

Luke 4:21-30

Calendar of Activities

Saturday, January 23

EBC vs. SP/EM at Holmes High

5:30-Co-ed Grades K-2

6:00-Boys Grades 3-5, Girls 3-6

7:00-Boys Grades 6, 7, 8

8:00-Girls Grades 7-12

9:00-Boys Grades 9-12

Sunday, January 24

9:45-Sunday School

10:45-Pastor/Deacon Prayer

11:00-Morning Worship

5:30-Youth Group

Monday, January 25

2:00-Helen Hughes Group,

Anna Bass

Tuesday, January 26

12:00-Joy Club Christmas Lunch

Fellowship Hall

7:00-Website Committee,

Room 103

Wednesday, January 27

5:30-Supper

6:00-Children's Choirs

6:30-Adult Bible Study

6:45-Children's Missions

7:30-Adult Choir Practice

Thursday, January 28

10:15-Bookbag Buddies

5:45-Handbells



Birthdays

Sunday, January 24

Jake Thornton

Monday, January 25

Adam Furlough

Paula Rinehart

Tuesday, January 26

Ann Hawkins

Jimmy Patterson

Jennifer Privott

Kindsey Small

Wesley Spruill

Wednesday, January 27

Susie Swanner

Trent Ward

Nancy Winslow

Thursday, January 28

Sonjia Bell

Mary Partin

Friday, January 29

Yvonne Pittman

Kim Sloan

Saturday, January 30

John Brooks

Dorothy Layton

Anniversaries

Sunday, January 24

M/M John Bunch

Thursday, January 28

M/M James Alston



A
Note
from
the
Music
Director

In the music department, there never seems to be a time that there is nothing going on. We have come through the seasons of Advent, Christmas, and Epiphany and we keep singing no matter how tired we may be! And for that, I'm thankful.

I first want to say a VERY BIG thank you to everyone who had a helping hand in making our Advent and Christmas seasons very musical. From the Angel Choir, the Children's Choir, the Adult Choir, the Handbell Choir, the readers for Lessons and Carols, and to the many support people that it took to make everything happen for Christmas Eve. Without many hands and voices, it would not have happened. Edenton Baptist Church should *rejoice greatly* for all of the musical talent that is within its walls.

Second, we have a lot of different opportunities in which you can participate in the coming days. On January 31st, we will be hosting the Fifth Sunday Sing event at four o'clock in our sanctuary. Several local churches will be joining us. Afterwards, there will be a social time in the fellowship hall where we can meet and greet those from other churches. I hope that all of you will come and support your Adult Choir and your congregation in this event.

On February 7th at four o'clock in our sanctuary, we will have a concert given by Broadus (David) Hamilton, tenor, and myself on organ. Broadus is the music director of First Presbyterian Church of Kannapolis, NC. Broadus has captivated audiences from Indonesia to Israel to Mississippi. He has performed roles with Tacoma Opera, Opera Carolina, Natchez Opera, Sarasota Opera, Anchorage Opera, Mercury Opera Rochester, Wildwood Park for the Performing Arts and Bronx Opera in a repertoire spanning Mozart to Floyd. Broadus has performed leading solos in The St. John Passion of Bach and Handel, The Messiah, The Creation, the Requiem's of Mozart, Rutter, and Verdi, and Mass by Gounod and Schubert. Broadus holds a Master of Music in Vocal Performance from The Boston Conservatory and a Bachelor of Music in Vocal Performance from The University of North Carolina at Greensboro. He is also a member of Pi Kappa Lambda Music Honor Society. The program will include selections from Dvořák, Mendelssohn, Dubois, Locklair, to several hymn arrangements. The concert is free. A love offering will be received to help provide other such concerts as this in the future. Please invite a friend to this wonderful concert!

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Music is constantly around us and with us. It is a pleasure to see the children each week as they rehearse for upcoming services. To hear them use their voices to sing praises to our God is a true blessing and inspiration. Honestly, it is very rewarding to me to see them sing from their toes! That is how God created all of us - to sing and praise Him with our whole being. If you are not part of a musical group within the church, consider joining one. The doors are always open and there's room in the loft for you!

Soli Deo Gloria,

Michael

Adult Bible Study, Wednesday, January 27

Our study is based on Adam Hamilton's book, *The Way: Walking in the Footsteps of Jesus*. Our topic Wednesday will be *The Healing Ministry: Capernaum*. Please join us in the fellowship hall at 6:30pm.

JOY CLUB

Belated Christmas Lunch

12:00pm

Tuesday, January 26

Fellowship Hall

Bessie Perry must have a head count for this party, so Call her at 482-2002 if you plan to attend. There is no charge, and nothing to bring but yourself!

Hee Haw Show

7:00pm

Friday, February 2

Rocky Hock

Community Center

You must sign up by calling Bessie. Tickets are \$10. We will leave the church parking lot at 6:00pm.

A REMINDER!

A new portrait of our church building is on display in the church office. Prints of this are available for purchase during regular office hours.

"SOUPER MONTHS" at Edenton-Chowan Food Pantry

During January and February, please donate items used in making a hearty pot of soup:

- canned vegetables
- rice (1lb. bags)
- dried beans
- noodles
- or canned tomato and/or chicken noodle soups.