

SUNDAY, MAY 22, 2016

DEACONS: Mary Anne Croom & Yates Parrish
BUS DRIVER: Gene Nixon (482-8281)
BUS RIDER: Mary Anne Croom
CHILDREN'S SERMON: David Brooks
CHILDREN'S CHURCH: Julie Privott
AUDIO OPERATOR: Keith Privott
VIDEO OPERATOR: Paul Stallings
OUTREACH COMMITTEE: Jenny Williams



Looking ahead...

- May 29.....Baptist Men's Breakfast, 8:30am
- Baptism of Alex Bergevin, 11:00am
- June 5.....Deacons Meeting in Youth Room, 8:00am
- High School Seniors Breakfast, 9:45am
- Graduate Recognition in Worship, 11:00am



Thank you so very much parents and grandparents for your support and dedication to "The Angel Choir". The children were absolutely wonderful this past Sunday as they sang and rang their bells. For children that age it is quite difficult to play and sing at the same time. I think if I had been entering them in a choral festival they would have won a "superlative" rating. I know you were so proud of them and your support and dedication is the reason they did so well. If anyone took a picture please let me know. I would love to have it put on our website.

I sincerely appreciate the support and help that Joan Privott and Michael Morgan gave "The Angel Choir". The children loved and adored both Joan and Michael, and I could not have done the choir without their help.

I have been truly blessed to have worked with Joan, Michael, and the children this year. Thank you so very much. As you all know Wednesday, May 18th, was the last day for children's activities for the season. Have a great summer and hope to see the children in Bible School. I will be getting in touch with you about the swim party for them at my home.

Ms. Jack-A

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VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Surf Shack: Catch the Wave of God's Amazing Love!

Monday, June 27 through Friday, July 1
9:00am – 12:00 Noon
Pre-K* through 6th Grade
*4 yrs old on or before Aug 31, 2016

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL PLANNING MEETING

This Wednesday, May 25, 5:00pm
Room 103 – Laura Harrell Sunday School Class
All VBS volunteers are encouraged to attend.



Homes & Hospitals Offering

During the month of May we take this special offering for the ministries of the Baptist Children's Homes, Baptist Retirement Homes, and the benevolence fund of Wake Forest Medical Center in Winston-Salem. Special envelopes are located in the narthex and hallways. The total amount given so far is \$2,518.00.

THE INFORMER

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Edenton, North Carolina 27932

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Lorraine B. Bass
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Preschool Coordinator

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THURSDAY, MAY 19, 2016

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SUNDAY, MAY 22, 2016

Trinity Sunday



YOUTH GROUP



LUNCH FUNDRAISER

Following worship, lunch will be served in the fellowship hall by our youth and their parents to raise funds for youth retreats, camps, and mission trips. There is no set cost for the meal, but donations will be accepted at the door.

LECTIONARY READINGS

May 22, 2016

Trinity Sunday

Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31

Psalms 8

Romans 5:1-5

John 16:12-15



May 29, 2016

2nd Sun. after Pentecost

1 Kings 18:20-21, 30-39

Psalms 96

Galatians 1:1-12

Luke 7:1-10

YOUTH MISSION TRIP TO KNOXVILLE, TN

Sat, July 16 – Sat, July 23

- Home repairs, painting, roofing, VBS for children
- \$50 deposit is due in church office by Sunday, May 29.
- Total cost of trip is \$200.



What an incredible experience we shared together on Sunday as Michael Blackwell and our guests from Baptist Children's Homes (BCH) joined us in worship. We are fortunate to be partners with a ministry like BCH that impacts and transforms the lives of so many families with God's grace and love. As Dr. Blackwell noted, BCH is a vital ministry made up of 20 different "homes" throughout North Carolina, plus an orphanage in Guatemala. BCH serves all 100 counties of our state, providing a new start and ongoing guidance for children who are in family crises or who have suffered abuse from their families. The annual budget for BCH ministries is \$17 million, one-fourth of which is supported by direct gifts from churches like ours who take up an annual offering.

If you have not already done so, please take time to pray to God and ask God to reveal to you how much you can give to our Homes and Hospitals Offering that we are currently receiving. Or perhaps you have already given this month, but last Sunday's worship service is motivating you to give more. So far, \$2,518.00 has been given, and every dollar will be used to care for the children of BCH, provide for the needs of the elderly in our Baptist Retirement Homes, and assist families at Baptist Hospital in Winston-Salem whose medical bills far exceed their ability to pay. Give from your heart. Give sacrificially, choosing to do without something so that someone in need can be assisted. Give as an act of devotion and ministry. Give because God has been good to you.

Your pastor,

David

WEEKLY REPORT (5/15)

Offering

Budget Needed	10,036.88
Amt. Received	9,727.25
Over (Under) Budget	(309.63)

Other Monies Received

Wed. Night Supper	247.00
Memorial Fund	195.00
Albemarle Preg.Resource	116.30
Bicentennial	1,840.00
Global Missions	10.00
E-C Food Pantry	50.00
Reimbursement	706.67
Heck Jones Offering	22.00
Homes & Hospitals Off.	851.00
TOTAL	3,037.97

Attendance

Sunday School	102
Chowan River Nursing	42
SS TOTAL	144
Worship TOTAL	248

YTD Offerings (20 Weeks)

Amt. Required	200,737.60
Amt. Received	185,785.22
Under Budget	(14,952.38)

PRINTS FOR SALE!

Don't forget that a new portrait of our church building has been completed by Betsy Campen Bierowski, and is on display in the church office. Prints are available for purchase in two sizes. The 7½ x 12 inch is \$20 and the 10 x 16 inch is \$30. They are available in the church office during regular office hours.

DO YOU KNOW?



In 1879 an organization of women was begun for the purpose of supplying furnishings for a new church building, including pews and a bell. For the present sanctuary, built in the 1910s, they paid for an architect to design the building and \$500 for each of the four limestone columns.

- A. W.M.U.
- B. Dime Society
- C. Baptist Women

SHUT-IN of the Week

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

THIS WEEK AT EBC

Sunday, May 22

9:45-Sunday School
10:45-Pastor/Deacon Prayer
11:00-Morning Worship
12:00-Spaghetti Fundraiser

Wednesday, May 25

10:30-LGN End-of-Year Program
(4 yr. olds) Fellowship Hall
5:30-Supper
6:30-Adult Bible Study
7:30-Adult Choir Practice

Thursday, May 26

10:15-Bookbag Buddies
10:30-LGN End-of-Year Program
(3 yr. olds) Fellowship Hall

HOSPITAL REPORT (5/18)

At time of printing there were no known members hospitalized.

Food Pantry Request for May:

spaghetti sauce

Newsletter
DEADLINE
5:00pm Monday

Birthdays

Sunday, May 22

Campbell Brown
Katherine Smith
Debra Waff

Wednesday, May 25

Bobby Brown

Thursday, May 26

Paul Bunch
Ginny Daniels
Skip Sykes

Friday, May 27

Tyler Leary
Sarah Nixon
Karen Parks
Della Mae Rud

Saturday, May 28

Clyde Adams
Casey Bass
Vincent Byrum
Brandon Stallings

Anniversaries

Monday, May 23

M/M Keith Warren

Wednesday, May 25

M/M Gary Stanley



The Dime Society served the physical and spiritual needs of the church for 82 years.