

From Your Pastor...

Our Mission ...

"A people gathered in Christ; nurtured in His Spirit; and sent in His name." As I watched and listened to our children sing last Sunday, I was struck with the purity of their voices and the sweet spirit that filled the room! There is nothing a parent values more than to hear their child praising God! I suspect it is the same with our Heavenly Father...He desires for us a life that is filled with praise as we recognize Him for who *He* is and trust him with who *we* are becoming!

I also had a "flash-forward" to the next two Sundays, and began to anticipate a time of worship when we will celebrate the gift of children on **Mother's Day** and experience worship with the leadership of our young people on **Youth Sunday!** These are exciting times for us because we can see firsthand how God continues to bless us as we seek to be faithful to "Train a child in the way he should go," understanding that the promise/principle that follows is: "and when he is old he will not turn from it." (Proverbs 22:6)

Don't forget our discussion/training time of *The DaVinci Code* on Friday, May 12th (one week before the movie opens in local theatres). It will begin at 6:00pm. *Bring a snack supper* and join us!

Ramon



THE WORSHIP OF GOD



Sunday, May 14th 10:45a.m.

Mother's Day

Parent/Child Dedication

There's Something About That Name Sanctuary Choir

> Jesus Loves Me Kim Jones

God's Word to Parents Ramon Smith Sunday, May 21st 10:45a.m.

Youth Sunday with worship leadership from:

Our College Park youth and Ainesis, Puppet Team, Eye-Witness, yoU-turn

Why We Worship Romans 12:1-2; I Timothy 4:12-14 Jeff Allen, Bryn Hobson, Brittany Phillips



You're invited to the Summer Music Camp @ Northwest Baptist June 26-30

Come have fun learning all kinds of creative ways to use your gifts for God! Registration deadline is June 5. Pick up the purple packet on the Welcome Desk for more information!

N.C. Baptist Hospital Offering

Goal: \$2,000.00 Received: \$1,070.00

Crisis Control Gift for May:

Laundry Detergent

*Received last month at College Park:

- 38 packages of cookies
- 32 boxes of crackers
- other miscellaneous items

"Whatever you do for one of the least of these brothers of mine, you do for me." Matthew 25:40

Attention Sunday School Classes

Since we now post attendance on our computer, we have the ability to produce reports that tell us "who needs a contact." These reports were distributed last week to either department directors or to individual classes. Please use this tool to help you stay in touch with those who have missed two or more consecutive weeks. We want everyone to know that they are missed when they are not here!

IN TOUCH

THANK YOU TO OUR CHILDREN'S MUSIC GROUPS!

For the last two weeks, our church has enjoyed being led in worship by our preschool and children's choirs. The music and worship leadership provided by these choirs was excellent. I am grateful for their hard work and diligence throughout this past year. I would like to especially say thank you to the leaders of these groups - Sheryl Burnett, Katie Chinlund, Ginna Crews (Cherub Choir); Jamie Cobbler, Beth Ausley (Sing For God); Kim Jones (Psalm 8:2); and Teresa Hill. These groups met weekly and worked together this year to produce passionate music of our faith. Thank you! I hope that all those who have enjoyed the music provided by our children's choirs and all of the many music groups in our church will take the time to thank them for sharing their gifts with us.

Jeff

Long-Range Planning

The Long-Range Planning Committee is seeking your thoughts and spiritual insight on what College Park Baptist Church's Long-Range Plan should be. We appreciate your written comments and value your perspective on the following:

- What our mission at College Park Baptist Church should be for the next five years
- How we can best fulfill our mission statement: "To be a people gathered in Christ, nurtured in His Spirit, and sent in His name."
- The five most important things we need to do as a church

Please use the cards located at the Welcome Center Desk and place your comments in the Long-Range Planning Committee *Comment Box*.

Mt. Outreach July 2- 7, 2006

Crews are beginning to plan for Mountain Outreach, our annual house-building mission in Williamsburg, Kentucky. The advance team—Wilbert McBride, Bill Guest, David Voss, Barbie Morgan, and Becky Lassiter—made a visit to the site and met our family. College Park will be pleased to get to know Carolyn Jones, the new homeowner. Carolyn takes care of her son (15-year old Robert), her granddaughter (2-year old Hailey), and grandson (9-month old Dalton). Last fall, Carolyn's trailer burned and her daughter, son-in-law, and another child perished in the fire. Carolyn has suffered the grief of their loss, the loss of all her possessions, and the loss of her job when she had to take in the young children. They currently live in a borrowed trailer that looks very shabby and in poor repair; however, the inside is meticulously clean and neat.

Be in prayer for our family and your part in this annual mission trip.

Goal: \$22,000.00 Received to Date: \$5,376.94

News and Schedules

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 in the last two weeks:

Bob Hoots
Mary Lee Colpitts
Larry Jones
Ethele Martin
Lib McCarn
Sandy Orrell
Jim Puryear
John Snodgrass
Elsie Southard

Thank You

Thank-you notes have been received and posted on the bulletin board from Chancel Brown, from Richard & Pat Blackwell, from the family of Charlie Turner, from Lib McCarn, and from Bill & Donna Hinson.

Christian love and sympathy are extended to Richard Blackwell in the death of his mother.



In Loving Memory of

Mr. Charlie Frank Turner

August 7, 1925 to April 26, 2006

Member of College Park since January 1988

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Children's Camp May 26-28

So many people have been asking about this year's children's camp and here is all the information you need! We are headed back to Camp Kanuga in the mountains of North Carolina. This was a great place to have children's camp and we are looking forward to another great weekend of activities. We will be enjoying Bible study, worship, recreation, and a great time together. It is going to be so much fun. **The cost for this retreat is \$90.** If there is more than one child from a family going, the second child pays \$75. **Sign-up deadline is May 17** so get a \$25 deposit to Jeff to get your name on the list!

FAMILY MINISTRY

Graduate Information Needed June 4, Morning Worship

Spring is in the air and you can hear graduate processionals playing throughout the area. Our church will be honoring this year's graduating class on **Sunday**, **June 4** during the morning worship service. We would like to recognize all of the **high school and post-high school graduates**. Please contact me if you or someone in your family is graduating this year. I need to know this information by **May 24**. We look forward to celebrating this extraordinary accomplishment with you on Sunday, June 4. Our church is proud of you!

Here is a list of several upcoming events from now through August.

Date	Event, Location	Deadline, Cost
May 14	Mother's Day/Parent-Child Dedication	
May 21	Youth Sunday	
May 26-28	Children's Camp, Camp Kanuga	May 17, \$90/\$75
June 3	Graduate Cookout	
June 4	Graduate Sunday	
June 19-23	Basketball Camp (Children - AM, Youth -	- PM)
June 26-30	Children's Summer Music Camp, Northw	rest
July 10-14	Youth Camp, Garden City	February 26, \$175
July 20-24	Graduation Cruise	May 21, \$575
July 31-Aug. 4	Vacation Bible School	

YOUTH MINISTRY

Youth Sunday Coming Soon

May 21, Morning Worship

Our youth are excited about leading our annual Youth Sunday during the morning worship on Sunday, May 21. It will be a great morning of worship, music, praise, community-building, and learning for everyone. Please mark this date on your calendar and make sure you will be here with a friend. It is going to be a great day!

SENIOR ADULT MINISTRY

College Parkers

Thursday, May 18, 11:30 a.m.

The topic for the May gathering is, "That Will Never Happen to Me," a discussion of scams that the unscrupulous try to work on senior adults. David Dalrymple, president of the Better Business Bureau of Winston-Salem, will be the speaker. The meeting will begin with the usual delicious covered-dish luncheon. Lunch begins at 11:30 a.m., with the program to follow.

Ramon E. Smith, Senior Pastor Jeff Allen, Assoc. Pastor/ Students & Families Jason Cogdill, Minister of Senior Adults & Congregational Care Charles D. Edwards, Pastor Emeritus Wm. Foy Martin, Pastor Emeritus

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COLLEGE PARK BAPTIST

Workers in Worship Nursery: May 14, 10:30 a.m.

Kevin & Christy Tuttle; Jennifer Allen; Melissa & Chris May;

Marla Andrews; Pat Blackwell

Workers in Worship Nursery: May 21, 10:30 a.m.

Judy Johnson; Linda Palmer; Angie Somers; Ray & Ashley

Wood; Terri & Noah Goodman

Greeters: May 14
Greeters: May 21

Sarah Hauser & Ed Lane
John Vogler & Jim Pernell

Properties Comm. Member on Duty (May 14):

Jay Edmonds

Properties Comm. Member on Duty (May 21):

Mitch Edmonds

Information Center for May: Joyce Baxley, Tom Hurst

<u>Deacon of the Week (May 14 - May 20):</u>
<u>Deacon of the Week (May 21 - May 27):</u>

Sarah Talley
Clara Edmonds

Family Night Suppers

Don't forget to have your reservations turned in <u>no later</u> than noon on Tuesday. If you cannot keep your reservation, we ask that you pay for your dinners by the following Wednesday. Join with us to make this ministry successful by volunteering to assist with serving or clean-up.

May 17

BBQ Chicken Mashed Potatoes Steamed Vegetables Yeast Roll Strawberry Shortcake

May 24

Spaghetti with Meat Sauce Tossed Salad w/Dressing Breadstick Dessert

FINANCIAL REPORT THROUGH MAY 7

Budget Requirement To Date \$255,945.12 Budget Receipts To Date (103.92%) \$265,989.84

ATTENDANCE STATISTICS APRIL 30

ATTENDANCE STATISTICS AT KIL 30			
Sunday School			
Morning Worship			
LIFE Worship			
Brookridge			
ATTENDANCE STATISTICS MAY 7			
Sunday School	291		
Morning Worship	416		
LIFE Worship			
Brookridge	43		

LIFE

Contemporary Worship Service

7:00 PM on Sunday Evenings

May 14th No LIFE Service (Mother's Day)