

From Your Pastor...

As a church, we have two upcoming events that I am very excited about! The first of these is happening this Sunday with our "Life Is A Mission Trip" one-day seminar on lifestyle evangelism. Marty DuPree will be leading us in several sessions:

Sunday School Elective: "Life Style Evangelism: Being an On-Mission-Christian" 9:30am in the Sanctuary

Morning Worship: "Why Should We Pray for & Share with Lost People" 10:45am in the Sanctuary

Afternoon Elective: "Preparing Your Heart to Pray for & Share with the Lost" 5:00pm in Smith Hall (Snack Supper provided 6:15pm in Smith Hall)

L.I.F.E. Service: "Evangelistic Prayer for a Lost Person" 7:00pm in Smith Hall

I am also very excited about the preparations that are being made to launch our *Team IAM* (In-As-Much) neighborhood missions effort. You have heard me mention this, and you will be hearing more and more during the coming weeks, especially on Wednesday evenings and Sunday mornings! There will also be an organizational interest meeting on Sunday, September 24, at 5:00pm in Smith Hall.

Ramon



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

THE WORSHIP OF GOD



Sunday, September 17th 10:45a.m.

People Need the Lord Sanctuary Choir

Biblical Condition of Lostness Ephesians 2:1-12 Marty DuPree Sunday, September 24th 10:45a.m.

No Hands But Yours Sanctuary Choir

Who Is the Greatest? Mark 9:30-37 Ramon Smith

IN TOUCH

Crisis Control Gift for September:

Shampoo

*Collected last month at CPBC: 47 bottles of cooking oil 8 bottles of deodorant 2 boxes of macaroni & cheese 1 jar of peanut butter

Knitting/ Crocheting

We are working on the scheduling of a knitting/crocheting group. If you are interested, please call Shirley Guest at 924-5042 by September 23.

Called Church Conference Wednesday, September 27

There will be a called church conference on Wednesday, September 27, at 6:45 p.m. to consider a motion from the Denominational Relations Committee. The committee proposes adoption of a set of three alternative denominational giving plans for 2007. This is the only item of business for this conference.

Descriptions of the proposed plans and their implementation are available at the Welcome Desk and on the church web site.

Welcome New Members

On Sunday morning, September 10, Mary Keltner and her daughter, Melissa, came requesting membership at College Park. They live at 907 Chuppway, 27106, and their phone number is 794-8239. We are so glad to have Mary and her family at College Park!

Serve now? You have got to be kidding!

One of the greatest privileges and responsibilities we have as believers in Christ is to use the gifts God has given us to help build up and encourage other believers. Sometimes, however, there are some concerns that get in the way of our volunteering even when we really want to sign up. See if any of this sounds familiar:

I want to volunteer but...I do not have the skills necessary.

This is a big one! It can be daunting to stand before a group of 3rd graders and explain to them the truth of God's Word. Even greeting people as they come into church can be challenging. The biggest requirement for any volunteer position is for the individual to be willing to serve. God asks for us to be willing to serve and then He provides what we need to do the job. Willingness to give something new a shot is crucial and all the other skills can be learned! Answer this questions—what age do you enjoy being around? What do you enjoy doing in your spare time? Chances are the answers to these questions will help move you in the direction where God would have you go!

It takes countless volunteers to fill the many responsibilities in our church. To help you always know what positions are available, we will keep the list of currently open serving opportunities in the newsletter until all the positions are filled. If you have questions about the specific responsibilities, feel free to call me at any time. Thanks for being open to letting God use you! Next time we will look at a couple of other hurdles to volunteering!

Jeff

SERVE NOW...HERE'S HOW

So in Christ we who are many form one body, and each member belongs to all the others. We have different gifts, according to the grace given us.

(Romans 12:5-6)

PRESCHOOL SUNDAY SCHOOL

Preschool SS Director Babies/Cuddlers - Co-teacher 1st/2nd grade - Substitute teacher 3rd/4th Grade - Co-teacher

CHILDREN'S MUSIC

Psalm 8:2 (4-6 grade) Music Assistant

Sing For God (1-3 grade) Music Assistant

Cherub Choir (3s-K) Music Assistant

MISSIONS

Younger GAs (1-3 grade girls) Teacher Assistant

YOUTH MINISTRY TEAMS/ CROSSTRAINING

Publicity Team - Co-leaders Video Team - Co-leader

PRAYER PARTNERS

Several adult prayer partners still needed for students in our church

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:

Juanita Anderson Larry Jones Lib McCarn

Thank You

Thank-you notes have been received and posted on the bulletin board from Teresa Hill, from Ricky Boyles, and from Jim Palmer and family.

Christian love and sympathy are extended to Jack Hoyle in the death of his brother.

Prayer Partner Ministry Update

If you picked up a prayer partner envelope, please call Jeff or email him to tell him the name of the student for whom you will be praying.

In Loving Memory of

Mrs. Ruth Elizabeth Fisher King

August 28, 1917 -September 1, 2006

Member of College Park since August, 1961

MUSIC MINISTRY

Children's Choirs start this week!

September 13, 6:00 PM

With the school year in full swing, our children's choirs are back in action! That's right, there is a choir for everyone age 3 through 6th grade. There are three choirs that meet every Wednesday night at 6:00 PM - Cherub Choir (ages 3-kindergarten), Sing For God (1st through 3rd grade), Psalm 8:2 (4th-6th grade). These choirs meet each week to have fun and prepare for upcoming church events where the children will have opportunity to lead in worship. Come enjoy the fun!

YOUTH MINISTRY

Fall Retreat at Ridgecrest

November 17-19

Don't forget to turn in your deposit for the upcoming fall retreat at Ridgecrest. This is one of the best trips of the year. Get that **\$60 deposit** in to secure your spot. Fall Retreat is one of the best ways to get friends interested in God. Invite everyone you know to go!

SENIOR ADULT MINISTRY

College Parkers

Thursday, September 21, 11:30 a.m.

Please join us for a covered-dish lunch and a wonderful program presented by *The Morning Glories*. The theme of their musical presentation will be "love and marriage."

Adult Discipleship Classes
Beginning
Sunday, September 24
6:00 p.m.

Getting to Know Your Bible

Study of the New Testament

"Minor" Works

Study of Old Testament Minor Prophets

Contact the church office if you are interested.



Organizational/Informational Meeting Sunday, September 24th 5:00pm Smith Hall

If you are interested in learning how you can be part of an exciting new outreach ministry to our community, then come join us for the Team IAM Organizational/Informational Meeting on Sunday, September 24th. We will be outlining the specific goals of Team IAM, as well as sharing all of the different opportunities for you to share your Godgiven gifts as part of Team IAM. There will be no pressure on you to "sign-up," but there will be all of the information you need to decide if your gifts and interest line up with this missions/ministry project.

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

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CHURCH COLLEGE PARK BAPTIST

Workers in Worship Nursery: Sept. 17, 10:30 a.m.

Carolyn Matthews, Linda Palmer, Janet Somers, Cynthia

Ryder, Terri & Noah Goodman

Workers in Worship Nursery: Sept. 24, 10:30 a.m.

Ray & Ashley Wood, Joy & Keith Minster, Sally & Van Crotts

Greeters: September 17
Greeters: September 24

Russell Talley & Kate Thomas
David & Barbara Page

Properties Comm. Member on Duty (Sept. 17):

Jay Edmonds

Properties Comm. Member on Duty (Sept. 24):

Mitch Edmonds

Information Center for September: Van Crotts

Jean Jones

Deacon of the Week (Sept. 17 - Sept. 23): Sarah Talley **Deacon of the Week (Sept. 24 - Sept. 30):** Clara Edmonds

FINANCIAL REPORT THROUGH AUGUST 27

Budget Requirement To Date \$525,795.16 Budget Receipts To Date (98.38%) \$517,275.44

ATTENDANCE STATISTICS SEPTEMBER 3

Sunday School	235
Morning Worship	298
LIFE Worship	n/a
Brookridge	46
ATTENDANCE STATISTICS AUGUST 27	
Sunday School	298
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Sunday School298Morning Worship330LIFE Worship109Brookridge47

N.C. State Missions Offering

Goal: \$3,000.00

Received to Date: \$3,062.00

Family Night Suppers

Wednesday, September 20

Chicken Cordon Bleu

Rice/Gravy Mixed Vegetables Yeast Rolls Cheesecake

Wednesday, September 27

BBO Chicken

Mashed Potatoes Steamed Vegetables
Yeast Rolls Strawberry Shortcake

Reservations must be made/changed by noon on Tuesdays!

*Beginning September 13, the following prices will be in effect: Adult - \$5.00, Adult Deluxe - \$6.00, Children - \$3.25

Food Services Committee

Cecelia Cauble, Trudy Elkins*, Rachel Eller, Jeanne Hobson, Sybil McBride, Mary Nell Page, Sarah Talley

Hostess Committee Chairman - June Crabbe

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