

HIGHLIGHTS

College Park Baptist Church
1701 Polo Road, Winston-Salem, NC 27106



From Your Pastor...

30-DAY CHURCH CHALLENGE

So let's pause for a minute and review what we've learned thus far in our **30-Day Church Challenge**:

- 1) Week one we talked about developing **authentic community** so College Park would be the kind of place where we can personally experience love, encouragement and support. The weekly challenge was to commit to joining a small group or class where you can experience authentic community.
- 2) Week two we discussed that we are **wired for worship** and that according to Romans 12:1, worship is a verb that should touch all aspects of our lives throughout the

week, as well as on Sundays. The weekly challenge was to commit to coming to the worship service every week of this campaign, and to "take your everyday, ordinary life—your sleeping, eating, going-to-work, and walking around life," and give it to God as an act of worship.

- 3) The topic for week three was **spiritual growth**. In order to get and stay spiritually fit, the weekly challenge was to spend time with God in Bible study and prayer every day for the next twenty-one days.
- 4) And last Sunday we learned more about **stewardship**. The challenge was to take a step forward from where we are in our stewardship.

This Sunday we will learn more about how God wants us to help bring the lost to Jesus Christ! Don't miss it!

See you Sunday!

Blessings and Peace,
Ramon

Our Mission...

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

Inside this issue:

A Note from Mary	2
Treat Street	2
Christa's Corner	2
News and Schedules	3
Fall Family Festival	3
Stewardship Statistics	4
Family Night Suppers	4
Jail Ministry Training	4
Deacon Nominations	4



THE WORSHIP OF GOD



October 21, 2012
11:00 a.m.

Go Ye Into All the World
Sanctuary Choir

Lost and Found
Acts 2:42-47; Luke 15
Ramon Smith

October 28, 2012
11:00 a.m.

Praise Your Holy Name
Sanctuary Choir

Blindness and Hope
Mark 10:46-52
Ramon Smith

A NOTE FROM MARY



I have had more than one person dealing with crisis tell me, "I don't know what I would do without my friends at College Park." And, while I was fully aware of how well this church cares for one another, I had the opportunity to experience it in a new way this week. Thank you so much for your calls, texts, visits, and prayers while Becca was in the hospital. We were grateful for everyone who stopped by to check on us and the countless others who were checking in. As Ramon has been challenging us to be the Church, you were an excellent example of exactly what that means. Your presence helped us get through a rough few days. Your continued presence is a constant blessing in our lives. Thank you, once again, for your love and encouragement. We feel so blessed to be able to serve along side of you.

You are invited to join College Park's Book Club
Monday, October 29th at 7 p.m.
as we discuss

By Reason of Insanity by Randy Singer

Next month's book: *Wedded to War* by Jocelyn Green

Help our church reach our community with a brand new event!

TREAT STREET

A safe, indoor, fun-filled trick-or-treat experience for families!

We are turning our church hallways into a **CANDYPALOOZA!**

One of the things parents are looking for is a safe, non-threatening place for their children to visit for trick-or-treating.

So we are going to provide that place & we need your help!

The FMT has identified **25 doors** throughout our church we want to **decorate**. They can be decorated with any **child-centric theme** like board games, cartoon characters, biblical themes, etc. The children will visit these doors to receive candy, other give-aways, & even play a game!

We need Sunday School classes, mission groups, individuals, couples, families, etc. to sign up for a door. If you can help, give Jeff a call for more information!



Wednesday, October 31

5:30 p.m.

Hot Dog Supper (it's free!)

6:00-8:00 p.m.

Treat Street is open!

CHRISTA'S CORNER

We are gathering a Home Ministry Team, consisting of individuals or couples who will connect monthly with one or two of our seniors who are physically limited and cannot attend church regularly. A monthly visit is preferred, but calls and cards are also helpful. This outreach provides an additional layer of care to ministry taking place through our Sunday School Caregivers. Alice Wilson will serve as Coordinator of this ministry team. Please let Alice (765-2867) or me (768-5870, ext. 25) know if you are willing to serve in this way. Our first meeting will be Wednesday, November 7, 5:00 p.m. Let's reach out together to our saints!

The College Parkers welcome the New Horizons Band October 18, 11:30. This is a good time to stir up a little extra as we welcome this harmonious group. Thanks to our officers for their good work!

This Sunday, October 21, we wrap up our 30-Day Church Challenge evening study, focusing on reaching out to others with the love of Christ. What a wonderful group, faithful to come and open in sharing! Being with you has been a joy!

Christa Warise

**Church Conference
Wednesday, October 24**

We will be voting on the proposed 2013 budget, among other agenda items.

Please make plans to be present.

FAMILY MINISTRY

Discipleship/Discussion Classes for Parents Every Wednesday, 6:45 PM

An important part of our Wednesday night ministry is with parents, grandparents, and any adults interested in helping students and families become devoted followers of Christ. To this end, we offer a variety of classes/discussion opportunities on Wednesday evenings throughout the year. Please join us in room E101 on the lower level of the Education Building as we grow together in our knowledge of God and His purpose in our parenting.

YOUTH MINISTRY

Youth Fall Retreat
at Ridgecrest

November 16-18

Balances and Forms due November 4

Every fall our youth travel to Ridgecrest with other churches from the Winston-Salem area for a weekend event. This year's retreat, "Living Portrait," is going to be another great weekend. We are now in the normal sign-up period. The per person cost is \$115 and a \$60 deposit is due by October 14. So get your deposit in today!

RECREATION MINISTRY

Hoops4Him Basketball is coming! Practice starts **November 6**

It is time to get this year's Hoops4Him Basketball league started! This is the citywide church league that our children and youth participate in each year. There will be a team for everyone from the 3rd to the 12th grades. There is a spot for boys and girls to play and learn about the great game of basketball. So start practicing those lay-ups, free throws, and slam dunks.

Team	Grades	Practice Time	Location
Junior Boys	3rd-6th grade	Tue, 6-7:30 pm	Becks Baptist Church
Girls	7th-12th grade	Tue, 6-7:30 pm	Old Town Elementary
Intermediate Boys	7th-9th grade	Tue, 6-7:30 pm	Old Town Elementary
Senior Boys	10th-12th grade	Tue, 7:30-9 pm	Old Town Elementary

The CPBC Family Ministry Team invites you and your family to the

FALL FAMILY FESTIVAL

Free fun for people of all ages!

Inflatable Games, Great food, Popcorn, Face Painting, and more!

Come enjoy more fun than you can stand! We will have chili, soup, and desserts to provide the energy you need to have a great time! It will be a great night for the entire family!

Costumes are welcome, but not required.

Make sure you invite a friend!



Sunday, October 28

4:00-7:00 p.m.
Games, Food, Fun

5:00 p.m.
Dinner is served!

CRISIS CONTROL MINISTRY

Gift for October

Dry or Canned Pasta

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 during the last two weeks:

Bob Ely
Janice Farmer
Rebecca Keltner
Debbi Patterson

In Loving Memory
of
Virginia H. Harris

June 27, 1926
to
October 13, 2012

Member of College Park
since
February 1951

In Loving Memory
of
David L. Page

January 15, 1950
to
October 5, 2012

Member of College Park
since
September 1987

**N.C. State Missions
Offering**

Goal: \$3,000.00
Received to Date:
\$1,235.00

Non-Profit Org.
U.S. Postage Paid
Permit No. 87
Winston-Salem, NC

COLLEGE PARK BAPTIST CHURCH
1701 Polo Road
Winston-Salem, NC 27106
Phone 336-768-5870
Web Site: www.collegeparkbaptist.org
www.Re-Creation.ws
Ramon E. Smith, Senior Pastor
Jeff Allen, Assoc. Pastor/Students
& Families
Mary Keltner, Assoc. Pastor/Music & Education
Christa Warise, Minister of Senior Adults and
Congregational Care
Charles D. Edwards, Pastor Emeritus

STEWARDSHIP OF SERVICE

9:00 Worship Nursery Workers

October 21 - Carolyn Ely, Sue Buitendorp, Jennifer Allen,
Bernice Hudspeth, Vickie Sprinkle, Courtney Gruver,
Michael Gruver

October 28 - Carolyn Ely, Sarah Talley, Melanie Alexander,
Beth Hinesley, Bernice Hudspeth, Vickie Sprinkle, Jennie
Lewis, Sarah Hauser

11:00 Worship Nursery Workers

October 21 - Sheryl Burnett, Larry Burnett, Brandi Smith,
Jason Smith, Bernice Hudspeth, Vicky Palmer, Becky Haney,
Pat Blackwell

October 28 - Bonnie Roberts, Phil Roberts, Trudy Elkins,
Angie Bonner, Carol Sauers, Larry Sauers, Marla Andrews,
Scott Andrews

Greeters

October 21
John Vogler
Jim Pernell

October 28
Dennis Palmer
Wayne Lewis

Properties Committee

October 21
Earl Blink

October 28
Ron Cauble

Information Center for October

James Cobbler

Becky Haney

Deacon of the Week

Oct. 21 - Oct. 27
Becky Haney

Oct. 28 - Nov. 3
Gary Elkins

ATTENDANCE STATISTICS

	<u>Oct. 7</u>	<u>Oct. 14</u>
Re:Creation Worship	100	Not Reported
Sunday School	223	194
11:00 Worship	213	211
Brookridge	38	33

STEWARDSHIP OF FINANCES

Month of September 2012

Budget Beginning Balance	\$(5,622.52)
Budget Receipts	\$79,715.40
Budget Expenditures	\$70,083.43
Budget Ending Balance	\$4,009.45

Year to Date 2012

Budget Beginning Balance	\$32,252.61
Budget Receipts	\$547,792.31
Budget Expenditures	\$576,035.47
Budget Ending Balance	\$4,009.45

Building Fund-Month of September 2012

Building Fund Beginning Balance	\$347,115.56
Building Fund Receipts	\$10,040.00
Loan Proceeds	\$-0-
Building Fund Expenditures	\$20,000.00
Building Fund Balance	\$337,154.74
Loan Balance	\$230,207.76

Training for

Downtown Jail Ministry Volunteers

October 21, 2012 2:30 - 4:00

Phillips Chapel Missionary Church
132 North Glenn Avenue

Nomination forms for deacon election will be available through Sunday, October 21, in the Information Lobby, Hallway E, Adult IV, at the Welcome Desk, and the tables outside of the Sanctuary.

Family Night Supper

October 24

Sub Sandwich
Chips Apple Cake

October 31

(Dinner will be at 5:30. No Charge)

Hot Dogs
Chili Chips
Sundaes