# HIGHLIGHTS



# From Your Pastorna

Well, according to the groundhog, we can expect an early Spring this year! And when I think about Spring I usually think about Easter, with the all of the activities, Holy Week services, and opportunities to tell others about a risen Savior. But before we get to Easter, it is important to make the Lenten journey to the cross in order to more fully appreciate the nature of Jesus' sacrifice. This year Easter is the last Sunday in March, which means Ash Wednesday is February 10. I know that seems really early, but on Wednesday evening, February 10th, we will gather in the sanctuary to begin our Lenten journey together. I hope you will plan to be a part of this service, as well as all of the services leading up to Resurrection Sunday!

During February (as you can see in the box below) we have services a little outside

the "norm." On February 14th, we will have a combined service in the sanctuary at 11:00. This service will be a great opportunity for saints from the 11:00 service to meet saints from the Re:Creation service. We don't have as many of these combined services as I would like, but they are wonderful for the whole body to be together...we need you there...we want you there...don't miss it...

We also have a special series in February entitled "The Sermon on the Amount." This is not a series on money, it is a series on stewardship that helps us appreciate what tithing really is...and isn't! It can truly change how you view a loving and giving Father. See you Sunday!

Blessings and Peace! *Ramon* 

# Our Mission...

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

# THE WORSHIP OF GOD



February 7, 2016 11:00 a.m.

Lost In Wonder Sanctuary Choir

Leaving the Mountain
Luke 9:28-43
Ramon Smith

February 21, 2016 11:00 a.m.

Stand By Me Sanctuary Choir

The Sermon on the Amount pt. 2
Ramon Smith

February 14, 2016 11:00 a.m.

Combined Service

Sanctuary Choir Psalm 8:2

The Sermon on the Amount pt. 1
Ramon Smith

February 28, 2016 11:00 a.m.

Come, Celebrate Our God and King Sanctuary Choir

The Sermon on the Amount pt. 3
Ramon Smith

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# A NOTE FROM MARY



#### Indwelt

Not merely in the words you say, Not only in the deeds confessed, But in the most unconscious way Is Christ expressed.

Is it a beatific smile,
A holy light upon the brow?
Oh no, I felt His presence while
You laughed just now.

For me 'twas not the truth you taught, To you so clear, to me so dim, But when you came to see me, You brought a sense of Him.

And from your eyes He beckons me, And from your heart His love is shed, Till I lost sight of you, And see the Christ instead. -Beatrice Clelland

As we gaze on Your kingly brightness so our faces display Your likeness, Ever changing from glory to glory; Mirrored here, may our lives tell Your story; Shine on me. Shine on me.

-Graham Kendrick

Next book club meeting:

Monday, February 29 at 7:00 pm

We will be discussing:

Not By Sight By Kate Breslin

# **Baptist Retirement Homes Offering**

Our Goal: \$2,000

Heck Jones Offering

Our Goal: \$1,000

Scott Andrews

#### STEWARDSHIP OF SERVICE

9:00 Worship Nursery Workers

<u>February 7</u> - Carolyn Ely, Jan Doty, Rachel Eller, Beth Nelson, Bernice Hudspeth, Vickie Sprinkle, Julie Blink, Earl Blink

February 14 - NO RE:CREATION SERVICE

<u>February 21</u> - Carolyn Ely, Pam Nicholson, Melanie Alexander, Joseph Alexander, Bernice Hudspeth, Vickie Sprinkle, Angie Bonner

<u>February 28</u> - Carolyn Ely, Sarah Talley, Kathy McDaniel, Beth Hinesley, Bernice Hudspeth, Vickie Sprinkle, Anna Sheek, Sarah Hauser

# 11:00 Worship Nursery Workers

<u>February 7</u> - Beth Huff, Stephanie Phillips, Leigh Ann Pernell, Whitney Pernell

<u>February 14</u> - Janice Jordan, Nell Baker, David Hodge, Beth SabbaghRabaiotti, Stephanie Cayton, Sybil McBride, Anita Hatchett

<u>February 21</u> - Courtney Gruver, Michael Gruver, Jeanne Hobson, Donna Bates, Bernice Hudspeth, Carolyn Britt, Becky Haney, Pat Blackwell

<u>February 28</u> - Friends & Partners SS Class, Trudy Elkins, Lara Pinnix, Chris Pinnix, Kelly McCrary, Jason McCrary **Greeters** 

February 7February 14Russell TalleySarah HauserTony Perkins

February 21February 28Ken HatchettDennis Palmer

#### **Properties Committee**

February 7February 14Mike RoyalJohn NicholsonFebruary 21February 28

# **Information Center for February**

Wilbert McBride June Crabbe

Ron Cauble

# Deacon of the Week

Feb. 7-13 Feb. 14-20 Carolyn Matthews Chris May

Feb. 21-27Feb. 28-Mar. 5Sarah TalleyLori Cogdill

# CHRISTA'S

# **CORNER**

The *College Parkers* gather Thursday, February 18, 11:30 a.m. for a covered-dish lunch, fellowship, and to meet our guest, Billy Honeycutt. Mr. Honeycutt is a potter, who combines his skill with

his faith, bringing an inspiring presentation.

Our senior adults are invited to a six-week pottery class, without using a potter's wheel, to be held at Brookridge on Wednesdays, March 2—April 6, 1-3 p.m., with lunch at noon before each class. Projects include two coffee mugs, three serving/relish dishes and a birdhouse. RSVP by February 19th. Space is limited.

The Trip Planning Committee meets this week, so you will soon be hearing about some travel opportunities.

I hope you can attend the "**Dinner and a Show,**" presented by our youth on February 13 or 14.

Also, remember our **Ash Wednesday** service on February 10.

If you would like to serve on our **Home Ministry Team**, let Alice Wilson or me know.

Stay warm; spring will come!

Blessings,

Christa Warise

# Wednesday Night Suppers

February 3

Chicken with Dumplings
Asian Slaw
Cornbread
Celebration Cake

February 10 "Valentine Dinner"

Chicken Cordon Bleu
Oven Baked Rice
Mixed Veggies
Rolls
Dessert

February 17

Chili Taco Salad Frozen Ice Cream Dessert February 24

Chicken Parmesan with Spaghetti Salad Breadsticks Dessert

Church Conference Wednesday, February 17 6:45 p.m.

# CRISIS CON†ROL MINISTRY

Gift for February

Beef Stew

# 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 month:

Joan Brown
Edith Hunter
Melba Jones
Anne McDonald
Billie Miller
Virginia Stines

Christian love and sympathy are expressed to Sybil McBride in the death of her sister and to Vickie Sprinkle in the death of her mother-in-law.

**Thank-you** notes have been received and posted on the bulletin board from Coleman & Christine Hastings and from Bernice & Lawrence Hudspeth.

Our Girls in Action and their leaders invite all women to join them in "Knit 2 Gather" on Sunday afternoons through February 28, from 1:30 until 3:30 in the Coffee Room to knit scarves and hats for homeless folks who need warmth during cold weather. Looms will be used to knit, so absolutely no knitting experience is needed! If you would like to donate a skein of varn for the scarves and hats, there will be a YARN (Youth Actively Responding to Needs) Box in the hall outside Smith Hall.

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# 2016 Heck-Jones Offering

The Heck-Jones Offering is the primary source of funding for the programs, projects, and ministries of the WMU NC. The purpose of the WMU NC is to prepare and equip Christian believers to participate in the fulfillment of The Great Commission. They provide training, opportunities, and support for men and women who want to take part in missions. The ministries of WMU also include missions education for children and youth through Mission Friends, GAs, RAs, Acteens, & Challengers as well as ministry partnerships that reach across the state with organizations such as Habitat for Humanity and the NC Department of Corrections. Please prayerfully consider supporting this offering and the many ministries of the North Carolina WMU.

#### Welcome New Members

Leon "Sonny" & Eugenia "Jeanie" Patterson 4816 River Haven Pfafftown, NC 27040

Welcome to the College Park family!

# ATTENDANCE STATISTICS

08
24
85
35

# STEWARDSHIP OF FINANCES

#### Month of December 2015

Budget Beginning Balance	\$-51,985.28
Budget Receipts	134,014.03
Budget Expenditures	89,740.31
Budget Ending Balance	\$-7,711.56

#### Year to Date December 2015

Budget Beginning Balance	\$4,904.06
Budget Receipts	838,216.06
Budget Expenditures	850,831.68
Budget Ending Balance	\$-7,711.56

# **Building Fund - Month of December 2015**

Bunuing I und Pronun of December 2016	
Building Fund Beginning Balance	\$81,016.84
Building Fund Receipts	10,449.12
Building Fund Expenditures	4,892.72
Building Fund Interest	4,689.69
Building Fund Balance	81,883.55
Loan Balance	\$1,354,459.21