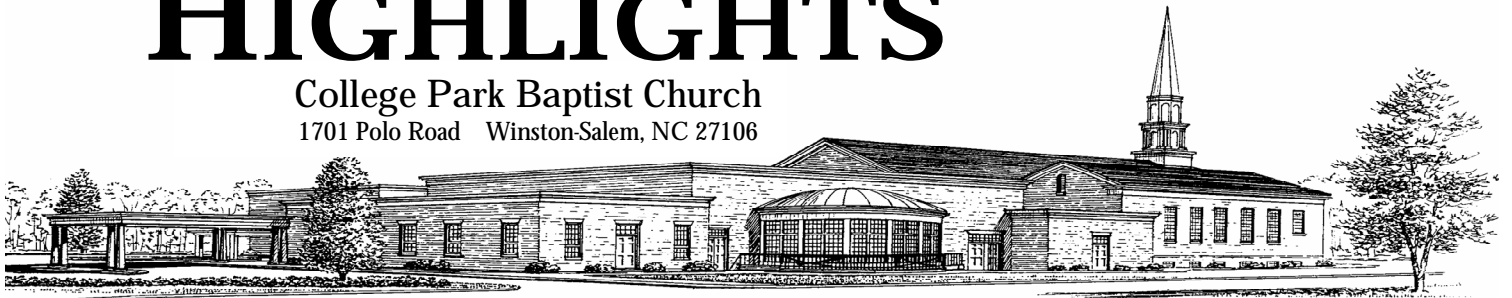


HIGHLIGHTS

College Park Baptist Church

1701 Polo Road Winston-Salem, NC 27106



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

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From Your Pastor...

Our choirs all did a wonderful job leading us in worship this past Sunday! Another "thank you" to all the music leadership!

This Sunday we will worship together on Mother's Day, and experience the joy of Parent/Child dedication ("Baby day"). I know you will want to be here to offer your encouragement to these parents and their children!

The Sunday following, we will start a new series of sermons based around the theme of "Home Improvement." We will be studying from the gospel of John in worship, and we will offer a *new Sunday School class* that will study from John's gospel in a video-driven curriculum. This new Sunday School class will meet in the Adult One assembly area, and it is for anyone who would like to attend (ages youth through Adult 4). If you are not currently attending a Sunday School class, this is a wonderful way to begin a new, good "habit." If you are currently in a class, you may come to this class which will meet for four weeks beginning on May 22nd.

As I write this article, Jeff is out delivering Exam Packs, and talk in the office is about summer scheduling...wow! Time flies! This summer we will continue our recent tradition of meeting for a special meal together and having a Bible study on Wednesday evenings. More details about this later...

We'll see you Sunday!

Ramon

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A Thank-you note to *Ainesis*

For the last two weeks, our church has enjoyed being led in music by *Ainesis*, our wonderful youth choir. The youth and their leaders, Kent Hobson, Teresa Hill, Cathy Chinlund, Donna Hinson, and Bill Hinson, have exhibited extraordinary leadership and powerful music offerings. I am grateful for their hard work and diligence throughout this past year. This group meets weekly and works together to produce passionate music of our faith. Thank you! I hope that all those who have enjoyed the music provided by our youth choir and all of the many music groups in our church will take the time to thank them for sharing their talents with us.

Auction reminder

Our New York mission trip church-wide auction is almost here! We are still in need of many items for the auction. Anything from baked goods to beach houses are useful in helping us raise funds to go to New York. If you are able to donate items, please bring them to the church or call me by Sunday, May 8.

Plan to be here on Saturday, May 14, at 5:00 p.m. for a great night of food, fun, and fabulous fellowship!

Jeff

In Loving Memory
of

Mrs. Edith Cornelia Lawson Brann

Member of College Park since March 1951

WMU Meetings for May

Monday, May 9

Kathy Phillips - 7:00 p.m. in the Adult I area

Phoebe - 7:00 p.m. at the home of Ashley Wood

Polly Clark - 10:00 a.m. at the Brookridge Parlor

Tuesday, May 10

Ann Sprouse - 1:00 p.m. at the home of Kate Thomas

Betty Gardner - 10:00 a.m. at the home of Jerry Osborne

Ethel Ledbetter - 7:00 p.m. at the home of JoAnn Jessup

Lucille Waddill - 6:30 p.m. at the home of

Marie Fesperman

Wiggs - 1:00 p.m. at the home of Grace Wright

Our Goal: \$2,000.00
Received to Date: \$345.00

New Mini-Bus



The church voted in Conference on April 20, to purchase a new 15-passenger mini-bus with accommodations for 2 handicap positions. This bus would replace the blue and white van. A designated fund was established and is open to receive contributions toward this purchase.

Received To Date: \$10.00

UPCOMING DATES YOU NEED TO KNOW

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| May 8 | - Mother's Day |
| | - Deadline for Groups to "adopt" a NYC team member* |
| | - Deadline to turn in Auction items for NYC auction* |
| May 14 | - Church-wide Auction for NYC Team* |
| May 21 | - Graduate Cook-Out |
| May 22 | - Graduate Sunday |
| May 27-29 | - Children's Camp* |
| May 31 | - Youth Summer Bible Study |
| June 13-17 | - Youth Camp |
| June 20-24 | - Vacation Bible School 5:30 - 8:00 p.m.
(Note the time change!) |




** look at Welcome Center for info flyers*

FAMILY NIGHT SUPPPER WED., MAY 11
Baked Chicken
Mashed Potatoes Mixed Vegetables
Yeast Rolls Dessert

Please make your reservation by noon on Tues., May 10.

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 week:



Jimmy Browne

Thank
You

Notes of appreciation have been received and posted on the bulletin board from Dot Whicker, Alma Stoess, Katherine Hobson, JoAnn Jes-sup, and the family of Margaret Carter.

Crisis Control Gift for May:
Laundry Detergent

Collected Last Month: 151 packages of muffin mix, 14 bars of soap, 5 bottles of deodorant, 5 cans of pinto beans, 4 cans of soup, and 1 can of mixed greens.
“*Whatever you do for one of the least of these brothers of mine, you do for me.*” *Matthew 25:40*

REPORT FROM MAY 1, 2005

Sunday School	257
Worship	354
Brookridge	49
Budget Requirement To Date	\$241,734.42
Budget Receipts To Date (90.07%)	\$217,718.68
FULFILLING THE PROMISE	
New FTP Pledges	\$295,522.00
New FTP Pledged Gifts to Date (117.38%)	\$346,886.33
Total Building Fund Receipts To Date	\$2,957,754.44
Balance Due on Building	\$133,164.48

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 8 - MAY 14, 2005

Sunday, May 8

9:15 a.m.	Media Center Open
9:30	Sunday School Classes
10:45	Gathering in Sanctuary for Worship
12:15 p.m.	Visitation Assignments
	No Evening Activities

Monday, May 9

10:00 a.m.	Monday Bible Study
7:00 p.m.	Boy Scout Troop 907

Tuesday, May 10

5:30 p.m.	Yoga Class
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Wednesday, May 11


5:30 p.m.	Media Center Open
5:30 - 6:30	Supper Line Open
6:00	Connections Team
6:45	Prayer Meeting
	Mission Friends, RAs, GAs, Acteens, Challengers
7:30	<i>Sanctuary Choir</i> Rehearsal
7:45	Finance Committee

Saturday, May 14

7:00 a.m.	Men’s Bible Study
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Workers in Worship Nursery: May 8, 10:30 a.m.
June Crabbe; Edna Mauney; Kevin & Christy Tuttle; Melissa & Chris May; Marla Andrews; Pat Blackwell
Deacon of the Week: Mary Nell Page

Greeters: May 8 David & Barbara Page
Properties Comm. Member on Duty: Wilbert McBride
Brookridge Driver: Larry Jones
Information Center for May: Joyce Baxley, Tom Hurst



THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Sunday, May 8th

10:45 a.m.

Mother’s Day

Parent/Child Dedication

For the Beauty of the Earth

Sanctuary Choir

Cradle Song

EyeWitness

Parenting With Purpose

Ramon Smith

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