The Good News



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SUMMER WORSHIP HIGHLIGHTS



- Scholarship Sunday, Celebration of The Lord's Supper in worship, August 5
- Movie Night, August 5, 6pm in Activity Building
- August 12—Meet in Activity Building for worship experience featuring the Puerto Rico Mission Trip
- SEE, Children's Choir resumes September 9 at 5pm
- Outdoor worship service and picnic September 30th, "I Love My Church" offering

I hope that you will join us for these worship opportunities.

Grace and Peace, Jeff

AUGUST MISSION FOCUS



The Mission Focus for the month of August is "Back to School." We'll be collecting supplies for Tryon Elementary School. Supplies needed throughout the school year include wide-ruled notebook paper, #2 pencils, two-pocket folders with no rings but with punch holes, non-spiraled composition books, glue sticks, highlighters, tissues, and disinfectant wipes. The number one need throughout the year is notebook paper. Boxes for collection of the supplies will be in the Lair, Scoggins, and Brady Sunday School rooms.

MOVIE NIGHT, AUGUST 5



Make plans to bring your family and join us in the Activity Building at 6pm on August 5, when we'll show the movie "Wonder", starring Julia Roberts, Owen Wilson, and Jacob Tremblay. Free popcorn and beverages will be available. Invite your friends, too - this activity is for the whole community!

SPECIAL WORSHIP SERVICE AUGUST 12

Join us in the Activity Building at 11am on August 12, when we'll have an opportunity to hear about our Puerto Rico Mission Team's experiences in Carolina. This will be an exciting time of sharing and fellowship, and we don't want you to miss out on it! Mark your calendars.

OUTDOOR WORSHIP SEPTEMBER 30



Join us for a special time of outdoor worship at the top of White Oak Mountain on Sunday, September 30. We'll worship at 10:30 and have a picnic in the shelter afterward. Bring your favorite picnic item to share! If you want to use your GPS, the address of the picnic pavilion is 11 Three Bridges Drive (off of Morning Ride Drive).

ALUMINUM CAN MINISTRY



Don't forget your cans! We've been presented an opportunity to help with missions for children in Guatemala. All you have to do is bring aluminum cans (in bags, please) to church, and put your bag in the back of Dr. Bob Lair's pickup truck. The money collected for the scrap aluminum goes to provide resources for Guatemalan children.

ONGOING CHURCH OUTREACH MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

We are collecting personal toiletries and amenities, located in the church kitchen. You can bring small bottles of lotion, shampoo and conditioner, toothpaste, etc. Sisterhood sees that these items are distributed to Steps of Hope women's shelter, and the Polk County prison. We're also doing some collecting for Thermal Belt Outreach Ministry. They're in great need of plastic grocery bags for their Food Pantry.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2018















Hooked



The David Stillerman Fishing Project of FBC Tryon

We'd love for you to come fishing with us!

You do not need any fishing equipment (you can certainly bring your own if you wish), experience, or license. We will supply fishing equipment, instruction, drinks, and a light dinner. This is a great opportunity for fun and friendship.

Children that attend two events will receive a free rod and reel.

We do ask that at least one adult be present with your child/ren.

Here are a few reasons we think "Hooked" is worthwhile:

- -Get outside . . . teach kids to enjoy and respect the outdoors.
- -Encourage friendships . . . with children and with adults.
- -Learn how to fish . . . fishing teaches patience and perseverance, builds confidence, and can be enjoyed for a lifetime.
- -It's fun!

We'll go fishing at these times and places:

Sunday, Sept 16 White Oak Mountain, 4-7pm

Sunday, Oct 7 Tryon Estates, 3-6pm

If you plan to attend, please RSVP, as that will help us provide the correct amount of fishing equipment, volunteers, and food.

For more information, or to RSVP, please text or call Jeff Harris at 828.899.1386 or email Jeff at: jeffreycharris@gmail.com

2018 Schedule for First Baptist Church, Tryon, NC

Regularly Scheduled Weekly Activities (unless otherwise noted) include:

Sundays Sunday School, 10am

Worship, 11am

Refuge (grades 6-12), 5pm

Wednesdays Bible Study, 10am

Women's Bible Study, Rock House, 6pm

Handbell Rehearsal, 5:30pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal, 6:30pm

Regularly Scheduled Monthly Activities (unless otherwise noted) include:

1st Monday of each month Mission Team, 5:30pm

1st Tuesday of each month: WMU, 10am
2nd Tuesday of every other month: Sisterhood, 7pm
3nd Monday of each month: Brotherhood, 6:30pm
3nd Tuesday of each month: Deacons, 6pm

3-4 Saturdays a year:: Firewood Ministry, Thermal Belt Outreach Ministry, 9am, dates dictated by TBOM

This is the current schedule for the year. Please note some things may be re-scheduled, added, or changed as needed. If changes occur, you will be notified by email, worship bulletin, newsletter, or announcement in worship. If you have any questions, please contact the church office. Thank you.

AUGUST MISSION EMPHASIS—Back to School (School Supplies)

Wed, Aug 1 VBS, 9am-12pm, Youth Peace Week 5pm-9pm Thur, Aug 2 VBS, 9am-12pm, Youth Peace Week 5pm-9pm

Sun, Aug 5 Celebration of The Lord's Supper, Scholarship Sunday 11am

Sun, Aug 5 Movie Night—Wonder, 6pm

Fri, Aug 31 Youth Retreat

SEPTEMBER MISSION EMPHASIS—Commitment to #GraceltForward Mission Day

Sun, Sep 9 SEE, Children's Choir, Refuge 5pm

Sun, Sep 16 Hooked! Fishing Event, 4pm, White Oak Mountain

Sun, Sep 23 SEE, Children's Choir, Refuge 5pm

Sat, Sep 29 Firewood cutting at Thermal Belt Outreach Ministry, 9am

Sun, Sep 30 Outdoor worship, picnic at White Oak Mtn., I Love My Church offering

OCTOBER MISSION EMPHASIS - Operation Christmas Child, #GraceltForward Mission Day

Sun, Oct 7 World Communion

Sun, Oct 14

Hooked! Fishing Event, 3pm, Tryon Estates SEE 5pm, Children's Choir, Refuge 5pm

Sat, Oct 20 #GraceltForward Mission Day Sun, Oct 28 I Love My Church Offering

Quarterly Church Conference Children's Fall Party, 5pm

NOVEMBER MISSION EMPHASIS – Warm Coats & Blankets for Polk County Residents

Sat, Nov 3 Firewood cutting at Thermal Belt Outreach Ministry, 9am

Sun, Nov 4 All Saints Sunday

Sun, Nov 11 SEE, Children's Choir, Refuge 5pm Sun, Nov 25 Celebration of the Lord's Supper Community Thanksgiving Service

DECEMBER MISSION EMPHASIS—Kathy's Kids, Angel Tree

Sun, Dec 2 Advent I, Annual Christmas Dinner

Sun, Dec 9 Advent II

Sun, Dec 16 Advent III, Christmas Drama in Worship

Sun, Dec 23 Advent IV, Christmas Caroling Mon, Dec 24 Christmas Eve Worship, 4pm Sun, Dec 30 I Love My Church Offering

AUGUST SUNDAY SCHEDULES

Deacons for August

*Keith Collins

Di Greene

Susan Smith

David Thompson

Don Batts

Ushers for August

Ashlyn Green, Ron Frady—Front

Diane Cothran—Hall

Renae Waldman—Side

Acolytes for August

Aug 5 No Acolytes—Communion

Aug 12 Oakley Whiteside, Hattie Crawford

Aug 19 Ellie Baughman, Jonathon Edwards

Aug 26 Laney Littlefield, McClain Koistinen

Children's Church Workers for August

Aug 5 Raye Dusenbury

Aug 12 JT & Cathy Johnson

Aug 19 Anthony & Emily Pereira

Aug 26 Susan Smith

Our Christian Love and Sympathy are extended to the following families: The Greene family, on the passing of Di's mother Mabel Chambers on July 28, and for the Burrell family, on the passing of Tommy Burrell on July 31.

AUGUST MILESTONES

August Anniversaries

- 2 Rick & Beth McCallister
- 7 Bernard & Peggy Edwards
- 11 Chuck & Denise Britton
- 12 Robert & Ruth Anne Arledge
- 15 Darryl & Doris Maxwell
- 16 Keith & Debbie Collins
- 18 Carroll & June Brady
- 19 Ron & Sandy Frady, Phillip & Hilda Pleasants
- 26 Joe & Gigi Covil

August Birthdays

- 1 Don Batts, Scout Fox ('11)
- 3 Missy Fincher
- 6 Elliott Whiteside ('04)
- 7 McClain Koistinen ('05)
- 8 Jan Rasmussen, Anna Feagan, Andrew Tolley
- 9 Shannon Bishop
- 11 Skyler Covil ('08)
- 13 Carla Tumbleson
- 14 Beverly Dillon, Jane Edwards
- 15 Mona Kimble
- 17 Laney Littlefield ('07)
- 18 Taylor Jackson, Lane Covil ('11)
- 19 Carol Hickey, Buffy Blackwell, Eden Gates ('16)
- 23 Kathy Ashley, Debbie Covil, Gabriel Gates (12)
- 24 Martha Covil, Carol Batts, Michael Tennant ('01)
- 25 Geoff Tennant
- 26 Evan Jones ('04)
- 28 Reva Williams
- 29 Susan Brady, Jan Ponder
- 30 Carroll Brady, Steve Stott, Georgia Garrett
- 31 Perry Tennant ('12)

Military Personnel Birthdays

16 Sharon (Mrs. Randy) Stillinger