

## Our church family **MATTERS**

**ON CALL MARCH 28-29**  
In case of an emergency call  
Barry Jimmerson @ 609-1845

### HOMEBOUND MEMBER OF THE WEEK

Margaret Reece  
10 Meadow Crest Circle, Greenville SC 29609



WELCOME  
TO NORTHGATE

Lynn, Brandon, and Daniel Mejia  
Deacons: Steve Todd, Jered Nisky,  
Perry Folk

Jodi Humphries  
Deacon: Jered Nisky



Our goal	\$6,500
<u>Received</u>	<u>\$3,034</u>
Need	\$3,466

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY FOR MARCH 29 - APRIL 4

\* HOMEBOUND MEMBER

29. Frank Black, Harold Yoder, Peter Rothfuss, Rachel Wallace, Eli Grace Rainey
30. Betty Kerr
31. Donna Brown
2. \*Yvonne Floyd, Lance Hendrix, John Boehm
3. Jimmy Cox
4. Suzanne Dugan, Lauren Vass

### FAMILY NIGHT SUPPER . . . WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1

Make or cancel reservations by Tuesday noon by calling the church office. If you do not cancel your reservation by **Tuesday noon**, you are obligated to pay.

**Menu:** Not available

**Serving Team:** Tom Simon, Anne Danciu, Anne Therrell,  
Stephanie Davis

**Reservation Attendant:** Barbara Lollis

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633 Summit Drive  
Greenville South Carolina 29609

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### BECAUSE HE GAVE, WE GIVE . . . MARCH 22

Budget Receipts	\$ 7,643
Budget Requirements Y-T-D	\$130,596
Budget Receipts Y-T-D	\$ 95,025

### MINISTERS FOR MARCH 29 - APRIL 4

**Deacons of the Month:** Tommy Stephens, Steve Todd, Glenn Walls  
April: Lewis Barker, Chasie Bearden, Jamie Brazell

**Preschool Ministers:** Lewis and Lou Jean Barker, Tina Jimmerson  
Richard and Cynthia Hudson

**Children's Church:** Mike and Janet Cartee, David and Susan McClure

**Wednesday Preschool Ministers:** Joan Taylor, Anne Danciu

**Ushers:** Bob Parker, Steve Poole, Scott Ferguson, Jered Nisky

**Sound/Video/Camera:** John Folk, Steve Todd, Hudson Peden

**Counters:** Barbara Lollis, Ken Shirley

### CHURCH STAFF

Pastor: Barry Jimmerson	Ministry Assistant: Anne Beaver
Minister of Students & Children: Blue Bryan	Custodian: Tommy Murray
Worship Leader: Jared Knight	Pianist: Patti Nance
Financial Assistant: Brenda Whitaker	Hostess: Tammy Wallace



## The Gate Post

Northgate Baptist Church  
Pastor, Dr. Barry Jimmerson

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# Don't miss out this Sunday evening!

Enoree Baptist, our sister church in Greenville, will be our guest in worship this Sunday, March 29 at 6 p.m. Rev. Tom Sloan, pastor at Enoree, will be preaching and the Northgate and Enoree choirs will be singing together.

Following the service, there will be a time of fellowship when our friends at Enoree will join us for one of our famous Northgate meals. We are asking each Northgate family to bring a vegetable **and** a dessert or salad to serve at least 10 people. The church will furnish the meat and drink.

**This is going to be a wonderful night of worship.  
Don't miss it!**

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**Greetings in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ!**

According to the November 25, 1992, issue of *Our Daily Bread*, someone calculated how the average (I assume American) person spends their life if they live seventy years. The results are as follows:

- Sleep.....23 years.....32.9%
- Work.....16 years.....22.8%
- TV.....8 years.....11.4%
- Eating.....6 years.....8.6%
- Travel.....6 years.....8.6%
- Leisure.....4.5 years.....6.5%
- Illness.....4 years.....5.7%
- Dressing.....2 years.....2.8%
- Religion.....0.5 years.....0.7%
- Total.....70 years.....100%

I hope these statistics are wrong! For an insightful exercise, I invite you to compare your life to these estimates. You may be in for a surprise!

It's spring now; let's take every opportunity to enjoy the life that God has entrusted to us. And, by the way, let's make sure that when all of the counting is done, more of our time has been dedicated to the worship and service of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ and less of our time dedicated to watching TV!

I look forward to growing with you in Sunday School and worshipping with you in church!

Blessings in Jesus,

*Bany*

**Ordinance of Baptism  
Sunday, April 5**

***My Chains Are Gone:  
An Easter Celebration of Freedom  
Presented by the Celebration Choir  
April 5 at 6 p.m.***



**EASTER  
EGG HUNT!**



**This Saturday**  
Preschoolers - grade 5  
10 a.m.

Hot Dogs

Games

**Pictures with the Easter**

Bring a family member or neighbor with you - especially someone who has no home church.

Rain Date: Saturday, April 4



*Sunrise Service*

Start a new family tradition this year. Bring your entire family (little ones included) to the **Sunrise Service** at 7 a.m. and after the service go out to eat breakfast. Make arrangements to meet your friends at the restaurant. Bet you'll see other NBC members there, too!

**Help our youth get to Greece!**

Get your orders to Dean Waters soon for your Northgate golf shirt. The cost is \$40 for Ping and \$50 for Cutter and Buck. You must prepay for your order.

**Basketball Camp 2009**

June 15-19  
K-5 - Grade 10

Registration forms are located on the table at the foot of the stairs.

**Leadership Council**

meets Tuesday, March 31  
at 6:30. There will be  
no meeting in April.



**Cottage  
Prayer Meeting**

**Sunday morning, April 19  
at 8:45 a.m.**

**Join us for prayer  
followed by coffee and donuts**

**JUST SCRAP IT**

Join us for some scrapbooking fun this Friday at 6 p.m. For more information, contact Del Sabeau.

**Miracle GROW**

**Monday at 7 p.m.**

Members of all GROW teams are asked to meet together on every 5th Monday of the month. If you have completed all 4 sessions of the GROW training, we can use your help in sending out letters about our upcoming Easter events.

If you missed week 3 of the training, you can make it up this Sunday morning at 9:30. We meet in the Fellowship Hall.

**Mark Your Calendar!**

One-hour Soul Winning Workshop  
April 19 @ 6 p.m.