



Greetings in the name of the Lord Jesus!

Scientists estimate that every year a layer of the sea fourteen feet thick is taken up into the clouds by evaporation. The winds blow the clouds over the land, and the water comes down in rain upon the fields and forests, flows through streams into rivers and eventually back into the oceans. We are observers of God’s marvelous and meticulous creation, yet sometimes we question if this power of God is able to keep us.

As the seasons and circumstances change, we need to be reminded that the same God who controls the climate can save us and provide eternal security for our souls. While we may have all confidence that He can provide for our eternal needs, we need to remember that He is also quite capable of meeting all of our temporal needs.

As we see waters of Baptism and experience the memorial of the Lord’s Supper on Sunday, my prayer is that we would all be reminded that God is on His throne and is in control of all things (both eternal and temporal) all the time.

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

Blessings in Jesus,

Bany

There will be a special prayer service this Sunday at 5 p.m. in the sanctuary for David and Sherilyn Ammons whose home burned this week.

Our **joint worship service** with Enoree Baptist has been reschedule for November 29. Watch for more information.

GROW Team W will meet Monday at 6 p.m.

Youth Pecan Sale

If you have never bought these pecans from our youth, you are missing a treat! There are honey roasted, butter roasted, chocolate covered (dark, and sugar free), and pecan pieces for cooking. They are all delicious. Place your order and help our youth with summer camp expenses, etc. Order forms have been placed throughout the church. For more information see Pam or Dean Waters or Blue.



Basketball Registration Has Begun!

Registration runs until October 30. The fee is \$35 per player. There is a 10 player limit per team so register soon. Forms can be found throughout the church or online at northgatebaptist.com. For questions call Blue at the church.



It’s Fun Time Again!

Now is the time to start filling shoeboxes for children around the world who would otherwise have no Christmas joy. Brochures with complete instructions are located throughout the church. Please follow these instructions exactly. Bring your filled shoebox to the stage area and remember to put \$7 in the box to take care of postage. This is a fun project to teach children about sharing with someone less fortunate.

Our youth will go to Charlotte November 24 to help at the distribution center by packing and loading boxes.

Adult choir rehearsal for Christmas music will meet as scheduled this Saturday, October 24 at 10 a.m.



Discovery Class

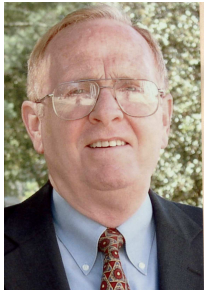
Begins November 1 at 9:30 a.m.

This class is for all new members and others who would like to learn more about Northgate.

Our Deacons

Will Kirby

Will has been a Christian since 1953 and a member of Northgate for 41 years. He received a BS from Clemson University and served in the US Army. Will is a business management consultant with the PM Group. He and his wife, Peggy, have two sons. Will is a teacher in the Friendship Class, the church ministry cluster leader, chairman of the facilities use team, serves on the long range planning committee, and leads the men’s prayer breakfast on Tuesday mornings. His area of deacon ministry is the Grace Fellowship Sunday School Class. Will can be reached at 244-5376.



**Church Conference
November 4**

Men’s Fraternity: Sunday at 6 p.m. in the sanctuary

Women on Mission will meet Tuesday at 10 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Fall Festival Light the Night

October 28
5:30 - 7:30

Visit the homes of popular Bible characters and see them come to life.



There will be bounce houses, candy, prizes, cookie decorating, face painting, and a free hot dog supper.

Only the following types of candy are needed: Individually wrapped skittles, whoppers, ring pops, gummy life savers, necklace candy, and powder-filled straws. They will be used in each “home.”

Five tents (tailgate/camping type) are also needed. See Tina Jimmerson if you have one we can use.

Our church family **MATTERS**

On Call This Weekend

In case of an emergency call
Barry Jimmerson @ 609-1845

Homebound Member of the Week

Margaret Reece
10 Meadow Crest Circle, Greenville SC 29609

Because He Gave, We Give . . . October 18

Budget Receipts	\$ 4,564
Budget Requirements Y-T-D	\$456,582
Budget Receipts Y-T-D	\$427,593



Congratulations to Michael and Jennifer Britt on the birth of their daughter, Sophie Katherine, who was born on October 19.

Happy Birthday for October 25-31

* HOMEBOUND MEMBER

- 25. Susie Jeter, Robert Vass, Ryan Snyder
- 26. Jack Nance
- 27. Judy Holland, Richard Hudson
- 28. Elaine Estes, Jo Beth Graves, Payton Wright
- 29. *Mary Black, Hunter Hamilton
- 30. Debbie Hudson



Happy Anniversary

25: Sean and Kelly Smith
28: Steve and Valda Poole

Family Night Supper . . .

To make or cancel reservations, you must call the church office by **Tuesday noon**. If you do not cancel your reservation by Tuesday noon, you are obligated to pay.

At the present time we are not equipped for walk-ins on Wednesday nights. Please make sure your name is on the list if you wish to eat.

Wednesday, October 28

Blue Team (Melissa Lawton, Marian Huskey, Peter Danciu, Ted Garner, Judy West) Cashier: Eunice Graham

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Ministers for October 25-31

Deacons of the Month: Ted Garner, Joey Hall, Will Kirby

Preschool Ministers: Dan and Bonnie Burgess, Season Foster
Janet Landers

No Children's Church: Children stay for worship

Wednesday Preschool Ministers: Dan Burgess, Robby Bannister

Ushers: Mike Cartee, Rodgers Gaines, Don Calvert, Will Moore

Sound/Video/Camera: John Folk, Debbie Hudson, Ryan Wallace

Counter: Bonnie Arey

Lawn Maintenance (October 30): Warren Peden, Barry Jimmerson,
Chasie Bearden, Rhonda Capparelli, Marcus Bennett, Taft Jimmerson

Release Time (October 29): Barbara Lollis, Lou Jean Barker

Church Staff

Pastor: Barry Jimmerson

Minister of Students & Children: Blue Bryan

Interim Worship Leader: Sherilyn Ammons

Financial Assistant: Brenda Whitaker

Ministry Assistant: Anne Beaver

Custodian: Tommy Murray

Pianist: Patti Nance

Interim Organist: Karen Beason

Hostess: Tammy Wallace

The Gate Post

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Pastor, Dr. Barry Jimmerson



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We will observe the Ordinances of Baptism and The Lord's Supper this Sunday

Following the service everyone is invited to stay for a fellowship meal. Members are asked to bring a vegetable and a salad or dessert to feed 10 people. The church will furnish chicken fingers.

This is always a great time of fellowship for our church family.

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