

Our Family Matters

On Call This Weekend

In case of an emergency call
Blue Bryan @ 243-7377

Homebound Member of the Week

Clara Caraway
1814 N Main Street, Greenville SC 29609



Congratulations to Josh Capps and Taylor Vernon who were married August 7.

Congratulations to Kent and Macie Kreutzer on the birth of their son, Kane Lawrence, on August 1. Proud grandparents are Chasie and Linda Bearden.



Because He Gave, We Give... August 8

Budget Receipts	\$ 6,814
Budget Requirements Y-T-D	\$340,128
Budget Receipts Y-T-D	\$260,179

Happy Birthday... August 15-22



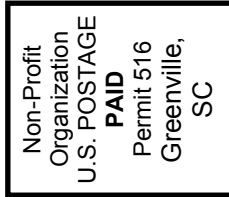
- 16: *Bob White
- 17: Taylor Capps
- 18: Linda James, Almema Simon, Bryson Hunter
- 19: Jonathan Craig
- 20: Mick Griffith

Happy Anniversary

- 15: Jerry and Ella Jones
- 16: David and Sherilyn Ammons
- 17: Walt and Teresa Green

Mark Your Calendar for The Hinge!

The Hinge is a citywide worship and prayer event bringing the body of believers in Jesus together to worship and pray for our city. It will be held at the Peace Center amphitheater on Saturday, August 14 anytime between 3:00 - 8:00 p.m. For more information, go to hingegreenville.com.



NORTHGATE BAPTIST CHURCH
633 Summit Drive
Greenville South Carolina 29609

Return Service Requested

Ministers for August 15-22

- Deacons of the Month:** Tommy Stephens, Barry Agnew, Glenn Walls
- Preschool Ministers:** Harry and Dawn Cunningham, David and Susan McClure, Walt and Teresa Green
- Children's Church:** Kelly Hall, Anne Therrell
- Wednesday Preschool Ministers:** Lewis Barker, Will Kirby
- Ushers:** Bob Parker, Steve Poole, Scott Ferguson, Jered Nisky
- Sound/Video/Camera:** John Folk, Joey Hall, Taft Jimmerson
- Counter:** Perry Folk

Church Staff

- Pastor: Barry Jimmerson
- Minister of Education /Students: Blue Bryan
- Interim Worship Leader: Sherilyn Ammons
- Minister of Preschool and Children: Ruth Harrison
- Financial Assistant: Brenda Whitaker
- Ministry Assistant: Anne Beaver
- Custodian: Tommy Murray
- Pianist: Patti Nance
- Interim Organist: Karen Beason
- Hostess: Tammy Wallace

The Gate Post

Northgate Baptist Church
Pastor, Dr. Barry Jimmerson



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God Is at Work at Northgate!

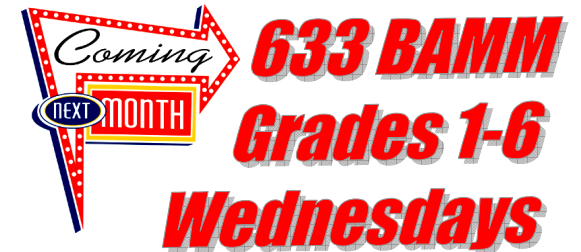
God is at work at Northgate and He is challenging us this school year through Release Time and Good News Club at Summit Drive Elementary, Stone Academy, League Academy, and Sevier Middle. This is a "God thing" for our church and will test our faith and commitment to the Lord. Please pray about where



God wants you to join Him this school year. We need at least 6 new volunteers to work along side those who helped last year.

See Ruth Harrison or Blue Bryan if you can answer God's call to help.

Good News Training is Saturday, August 28 at Brushy Creek Baptist Church from 9:00 - 12:30. See Ruth for details.



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Greetings in the name of our Lord Jesus

We have been considering H.W. Brands' reflections on Abraham Lincoln in his collection of essays entitled, *Lincoln's Genius*.

In his essay, *This General Can Fight* (p.60), Dr. Brands wrote, "The war could have ended in the summer of 1863 if Lincoln had been a better judge of men. The Union victory at Vicksburg split the Confederacy in two, and Gettysburg blasted Southern hopes of making Northerners experience the war on their own soil. Lincoln could barely contain his anger and disappointment when General George Meade had Robert E. Lee and his Rebel troops pinned on the northern bank of the Potomac River after Gettysburg and let them slip away. 'If I had gone up there I could have whipped them myself,' Lincoln fumed. 'Our army held the war in the hallow of their hand, and they would not close it.' On reflection, however, Lincoln realized that the fault for the missed opportunity lay as much with him as with Meade. He had given Meade command of the Army of the Potomac barely 48 hours before the Gettysburg fight. Beating Lee in a set-piece contest was accomplishment enough for one so new to command; pursuing Lee, the master of maneuver, on the heels of the harrowing battle was more than Lincoln could reasonably ask."

Have you ever said something in anger to or about someone or passed judgment on someone and later regretted your words or deeds? We have all been guilty of that at some point in our lives. James gave some priceless advice concerning this common mistake. He said, **"So then, my beloved brethren, let every man be swift to hear, slow to speak, slow to wrath; for the wrath of man does not produce the righteousness of God"** (James 1:19-20).

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

Blessings in Jesus,



**GROW Team O
meets Monday at 6**

Senior Adult JOY Club

JOY Club will meet Tuesday, August 17 at 11 a.m. for a program by Angela Lee. Angela is a Korean-born American citizen who came to the US at the age of 18 to attend the University of NC. In 1991, she married Rev. Seung-Heon Lee and has been serving Greenville First Korean Baptist Church for the past 15 years. She will share stories from her unique background and experiences that most Americans do not get to hear. Come and give her a big Northgate welcome and stay for the covered-dish lunch to follow.

Hostesses: Eunice Graham, Wilma McGarrity, Mildred Sams.

Letter from the IMB

We have received a certificate of participation from the IMB thanking us for participating in the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering in 2009. The total received for 2009 was \$148,984,819, a 5.43% increase over last year. Thank you, Northgate, for heeding God's command to "make disciples of all nations" (Matthew 28:19-20).

Discipleship Training

Watch for more information about discipleship classes that will be offered this fall: *ParentFuel*, *Financial Peace*, *Discovery Class*, and *Wide Angle: Framing your Worldview*.

Sunday School Teachers

Don't forget we're going as a group to the 2010 Regional Sunday School Training, *Transform Lives Through Teaching*, at First Baptist North Spartanburg this Saturday, August 14.

Upcoming Events

- * Ordinance of Baptism on August 15 and August 22.
- * Called business meeting on Wednesday, August 25 to approve the Nominating Committee report.
- * Week of Prayer for Northgate is August 22-29.

There will be NO Gate Post the week of Labor Day. Plan ahead and get your information to the office by August 23.

Kidz Stuff

Wonderful Wednesday

Guided Feet on August 18 at 6:30 p.m.

Terrific Thursdays

Terrific Thursdays were a wonderful experience for our kids this summer. If you see any of those who joined us this summer, be sure to invite them to Sunday School.

All Kids are requested to bring their back packs to worship this Sunday for the children's sermon.

Training for All Preschool, Children and Youth Workers

It is mandatory at Northgate that anyone working with kids under the age of 18 years old, must have a confidential background check done by Northgate and receive training annually. Training will be on Thursday, August 26 from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. A snack supper will be served at 6:00. It is extremely important that persons working in Sunday School, worship, music, Wednesday night activities, or any other ministry/activity/event involving preschoolers, children, and youth attend this training.

Call Ruth or Blue at the church office by Monday, August 23 to reserve a meal.

To Team/Ministry Leaders

Lists of ministry helpers for next year are needed in the church office no later than Monday, August 23. If you are a team/ministry leader and are responsible for this, please adhere to this request (deacons, preschool, children's church, ushers, counters).

Thank You, Church Family

Remember that on Sunday mornings Dr. Jimmerson is totally focused on the worship service. He is afraid that if you tell him something important that he will not remember the details. Therefore, please refrain from telling any of our ministers important information. Write it down and give it to them. Thank you for your cooperation.