



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

According to the March 31, 1994, edition of the magazine, *Bits and Pieces*, The Duke of Wellington, the British military leader who defeated Napoleon at Waterloo, was not an easy man under which to serve. He was brilliant, demanding, and not one to shower his subordinates with compliments. Yet even Wellington realized that his methods left something to be desired. In his old age a young lady asked him what, if anything, he would do differently if he had his life to live over again. Wellington thought for a moment, and then replied. "I'd give more praise."

I think for most of us, if we could live our lives over, we would give more praise. Sunday morning, we are going to take some time to praise God specifically for advances in cancer research. Clearly, people are living longer and with a greater quality of life with cancer than many have in the past. The source of our blessings, of course, is God. Many of us are literally reaping the benefits of the prayers of those who lived and prayed before us. Wear something pink to draw attention to the blessings we have received. The color of healthy lungs is pink!

Sunday afternoon, we are going to celebrate God's goodness in a service we are calling, "A Celebration of Praise." During this service, we are going to praise God for His grace while we intercede to Him on the behalf of others. We will meet at 4:00 and share a meal together afterwards.

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

Blessings in Jesus,

*Bany*

**World Hunger Offering: \$2,982**

### Safety at Northgate

Have you noticed that we are locking the outside doors each Sunday at 10:50 a.m. Our safety team feels this is necessary to ensure the safety of everyone in our buildings. If you need to enter the building after this time, please enter through the front doors. There are stairs leading from the vestibule to the preschool area, if needed. An usher will be there to help you. Thank you for understanding as we try to protect those worshipping in God's House, especially our precious little ones.

### Upcoming Dates Mark Your Calendar!

- November 3: Baptist Women's World Day of Prayer
- November 4: Election Day
- November 9: Patriotic Service (Veterans Day is Nov. 11)
- November 23: Lord's Supper and Fellowship Meal
- November 27: Thanksgiving Day - Office Closed
- November 30: Beginning of Advent  
Season of Prayer for International Missions
- December 7: Christmas Music at St. John's Baptist
- December 10: Preschool Birthday Party for Jesus
- December 14: Christmas Music at Northgate
- December 16: JOY Club
- December 24: Christmas Eve Service
- December 25: Christmas Day
- December 31: New Year's Eve

### Women on Mission Group Meetings

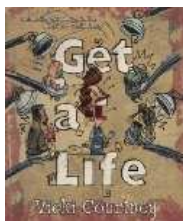
Tuesday, October 28  
Nan Herring Group @ 10 a.m.  
Missions of the Heart @ 7 p.m.

Join us for week two of our **Discovery Class**. Come to the Fellowship Hall at 9:30 a.m. this Sunday to learn something about our church you didn't know. This is a must for new members!



Get an information pamphlet, follow the instructions to fill up a shoe box, and return it

to the stage area in the Fellowship Hall by November 12. This makes a great family project!



### Get a Life! Debunking Six Myths on the Quest for Contentment

A six-week Bible study for women  
Meets each Wednesday from 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.  
Childcare available.



**October 31**  
5:30 - 7:30 p.m.

**free food, face painting, balloons, and an inflatable play area!**

WE NEED HELP! We need individually wrapped candy, volunteers to decorate the trunk of your car, and volunteers to help serve. Candy can be placed in the boxes around the church. Call the office this week if you will help.

**FAITH** training and community outreach will not meet Monday.

**Men's Prayer Breakfast** will not meet Tuesday.

Remember to bring your **rice bowl** back Sunday. You may write a check for world hunger - made payable to Northgate Baptist and labeled for World Hunger Fund or Eastside Crisis Center.



**November 3**  
4:30 - 9:00 p.m.

See or call Judy Rothfuss at 233-1099 to set a time to donate.

Basketball Sign Ups End This Sunday!  
Go to [www.northgatebaptist.com](http://www.northgatebaptist.com) to register!  
Practices begin the week of October 27.



Adult and high school boys games begin November 24  
K-4 through middle school games begin December 6

### Lost

A marcasite slide with the initial L on it.  
If found, please call the office.

# Our church family **MATTERS**

## HOMEBOUND MEMBER OF THE WEEK

Clara Caraway  
1814 N Main Street, Greenville SC 29609

**THANK YOU NOTES** are posted on the second-floor bulletin board from Frances Gregory and Mike McKinney and family.



Nancy Stephens  
10 Venning Court, Greenville SC 29609  
Joined by transfer of letter

## BECAUSE HE GAVE, WE GIVE . . . OCTOBER 19

Budget Receipts	\$ 3,385
Budget Requirements Y-T-D	\$ _____
Budget Receipts Y-T-D	\$ _____

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY FOR THE WEEK OF OCT. 26 - NOV. 1

\* HOMEBOUND MEMBER



## HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO:

28. Steve and Valda Poole

- 26. Jack Nance
- 27. Judy Holland, Richard Hudson
- 28. Elaine Estes, Jo Beth Graves, Payton Wright
- 29. Mary Black, Hunter Hamilton
- 30. Debbie Hudson, Sherri Wood, Marie Parker
- 1. Ben Pittman

## FAMILY NIGHT SUPPER . . . WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 29

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:** Bowl of Homemade Chili and Beans, Homemade Sub Sandwich, Brownie Sundae

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

**Reservation Attendant:** Barbara Lollis

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## MINISTERS THIS WEEK

Every member a minister

**Deacons of the Month:** Tommy Stephens, Steve Todd, Glenn Walls

**Preschool Ministers:** Carolyn Finch, Judy Anderson

**Children's Church:** Nick and Laurel Shaler, Judy West  
Almena Simon

**Wednesday Preschool:** Dan Burgess

**Ushers:** Ricky Adams, Dan Burgess, Joey Hall, Lewis Barker

**Sound/Video Projection:** John Folk/Debbie Hudson

**Counters:** Perry Folk, Chuck Cornish

## CHURCH STAFF

Pastor: Barry Jimmerson  
 Minister of Students and Children: Blue Bryan  
 Interim Minister of Music: Joel Duncan  
 Financial Assistant: Brenda Whitaker  
 Ministry Assistant: Anne Beaver  
 Custodian: Tommy Murray  
 Pianist: Patty Nance  
 Organist: Pat Cannon  
 Hostess/Food Service: Tammy Wallace



# The Gate Post

Northgate Baptist Church  
Pastor, Dr. Barry Jimmerson

*Loving God, Loving People...Here, There, and Everywhere  
Helping one another develop healthy, growing, and  
productive relationships with God, family, and community.*

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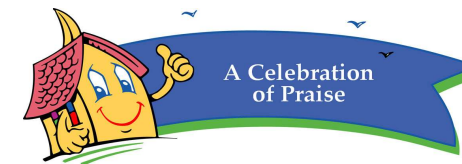
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# A Day of Prayer

## Cancer Awareness/Pray for a Cure Day

Breast cancer will strike more than 182,000 women this year and kill another 40,000. Next to lung cancer, it kills more women than any other cancer. Let's pray that we will see a cure for all cancer in the near future.

This Sunday we are asking everyone to wear **pink** to celebrate all cancer survivors and to honor those who have lost their battle with the disease. Men can wear pink too!



Be here at 4:00  
for our

**Celebration of Praise.** We will praise the Lord for answered prayer and have a time of prayer for those who are in need of prayer. Let's praise the Lord and thank Him for all His goodness to us.

Following the service there will be a fellowship meal for all who have made reservations.

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