

## Our church family **MATTERS**

### HOMEBOUND MEMBER OF THE WEEK

Wilton and Vera Jamison  
10 Woodland Lane, Greenville SC 29615

### CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY IS EXTENDED TO

Violet Shehan and Carter Ann Nix on the death of their step-mother (Nekoda McCauley)

### BECAUSE HE GAVE, WE GIVE . . . JANUARY 18

Budget Receipts	\$ 5,782
Budget Requirements Y-T-D	\$32,649
Budget Receipts Y-T-D	\$21,718

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY FOR JANUARY 25-31

\* HOMEBOUND MEMBER

- 25. Will Traynham
- 28. Steve Campbell, Scotty Johnson
- 29. Robert Lee
- 30. Judy Whaley, Adam Cartee
- 31. Bob Whaley, Lorra Sharp



### HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO:

30: John and Kellee Vernon



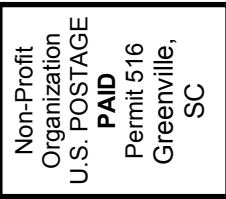
### FAMILY NIGHT SUPPER . . . WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 28

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:** Pork chops, Yellow rice, Pinto beans, Cole slaw, Pineapple cake with cream cheese icing

**Serving Team:** Judy Whaley, Kelly Hall, Almena Simon, Layne Winchester

**Reservation Attendant:** Perry Folk



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Return Service Requested

## God Bless America



*In God we still trust!*

### MINISTERS FOR JANUARY 25-31

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

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

**Children's Church:** Jamie and Teresa Brazell, Joey and Kelly Hall

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

**Ushers:** Rusty Hill, Bob Landers, Jack Nance, Mat Wallace

**Sound/Video/Camera:** John Folk, Debbie Hudson, Adam Cartee

**Counters:** Bonnie Arey, Eunice Graham

### CHURCH STAFF

Pastor: Barry Jimmerson

Minister of Students & Children: Blue Bryan

Worship Leader: Jared Knight

Financial Assistant: Brenda Whitaker

Ministry Assistant: Anne Beaver

Custodian: Tommy Murray

Pianist: Patty Nance

Hostess: 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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We will observe the ordinance of the Lord's Supper this Sunday morning.

Following the service, there will be a fellowship meal in the Fellowship Hall. Each family is asked to bring a vegetable and a salad or dessert. The church will provide the meat and drinks.

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### Greetings in the name of Jesus Christ!

Great things are happening at God's church at Northgate! In fact, such great things are happening that we need more help.

Our children's and youth ministries are growing. There are many opportunities for you to become involved in this work. We certainly would ask that you pray for the students, teachers, administrative staff and Northgate volunteers, but there is also a need for more helpers in various ways. We specifically need more help in the Good News Club ministry that God is doing through Northgate at Summit Drive Elementary School. See Blue if you feel God may be leading you to become involved in what He is doing in this ministry.

We had a great response to our informational dinner for F.A.I.T.H. and G.R.O.W. ministry. On Monday night, February 2, 2009, at 6:00 p.m., we will begin a new semester of outreach, evangelism and discipleship training at Northgate. G.R.O.W. is an outreach ministry that requires a commitment to attend four training sessions and a once per month commitment to come to the church and do community outreach as well as Northgate in-reach ministry. F.A.I.T.H. will feature a twelve-week course from 6:00 -7:00 written by Ergun Caner (a converted Muslim who is now Dean of the Liberty University Seminary in Virginia). The course is entitled, *When Worldviews Collide: Christians Confronting Culture*, and is open to everyone. I will be facilitating the course. F.A.I.T.H. trained persons will be leading visitation teams at 7:00 p.m. Our desire is that every Sunday School class be represented in these ministries. See Ted Garner or contact the church office if you are interested in becoming involved in either or both of these ministries.

Our discipleship courses, *Experiencing God*, *Financial Peace University* and *Men's Fraternity* are well attended and are making a difference in our lives. Thank you to the facilitators and participants of these ministries.

Our worship ministry is also expanding. Jared would love to talk with you about the stewardship of your worship talents and gifts that God has endowed to you.

**David Livingstone wrote, "I place no value on anything I have or may possess, except in relation to the kingdom of Christ."** How are you doing in the stewardship of the life that God has given to you?

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

Blessings in Jesus,

*Bany*

**Pray for our Good News Club at Summit Drive Elementary!**

### Mark Your Calendar for Meetings This Week

#### Sunday:

- Wedding Team @ 9
- Worship Cluster @ 3
- Communications Team @ 4
- Experiencing God @ 4
- Celebration Choir @ 4:30
- Children's Choir Kick Off @ 6
- Men's Fraternity @ 6

#### Wednesday:

- Library Team @ 3
- Food Service Team @ 4
- Financial Peace @ 6
- Church Conference @ 6:30
- Bereavement Team @ 7:30



**Children's Choirs** (grades 1-6) will have a kick-off party at 6:00 on January 28 in the grade 1-3 Sunday School class room. Parents, come see the exciting things your child will be doing in choir. Bring a friend.

Women on Mission Groups will meet Tuesday, January 27 at 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. All ladies are invited.



**Lottie Moon Offering for International Missions**

**Our Goal: \$13,000  
Given to Date: \$11,286**

The GBA Early VBS Clinic is Tuesday, February 17 at 6:30 at Mauldin First.

FAITH/GROW returns on Monday, February 2 @ 6 p.m. Do you have the FAITH to help Northgate GROW?



In case of inclement weather on Sunday mornings, please check our website to see if services and events have been canceled for that day.

Women's Ministry is offering something new! Once a month you can join other ladies for a two-hour **cooking class**, demonstrating complete meals for only \$5 a serving. Why order fast food when you can make a delicious and quality meal for only \$5 per person! You will also learn easy techniques and shortcuts to bring gourmet food on a budget to your table. The first session is Friday, January 30 at 6:00. For only \$20, which must be paid prior to class, you can take 4 servings home with you. Space is limited so contact Tammy Wallace soon at 268-8970 to reserve your seat in the kitchen!



**Have you checked the Lost and Found**

Copies of the proposed changes to the Articles of Incorporation concerning new **deacon selection procedures** are available in the vestibule. Vote on the changes will take place at church conference at 6:30 on January 28.



On Sunday, February 1 we will have a **Souper Bowl Lunch**. We would like for everyone to eat at the church and give the money you would have spent on your Sunday lunch to the Eastside Crisis

Center. We need 12 crock pots of soup and 12 loaves of sandwiches - plus desserts. Let Anne Danciu (884-4885) know what you are bringing.



### Women's Birthday Party

March 21 in the Fellowship Hall  
11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Ladies, come to a birthday party in your honor! Secret sisters will be revealed at this time. Cherie Nettles, our guest speaker, will present light-hearted humor and a heart-warming testimony.