Our church family MATTERS

On call this weekend

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

Homebound Member of the Week

Maxine Grooms 7 Spring View Lane, Taylors SC 29687

Because He Gave, We Give . . . March 7

Budget Receipts \$ 11.931 Budget Requirements Y-T-D \$ 106,610 Budget Receipts Y-T-D \$ 77,183

Happy Birthday for March 14-20

* HOMEBOUND MEMBER

- 14: Dawn Cunningham, Kimberly Shillinglaw
- 15: Gloria Owings
- 17: Bill James, Jerry Gaines
- 18: Will Kirby
- 19: Tyler Simpson
- 20: Fred Fuller, Catherine Coker



Happy Anniversary

- 17: Joey and Kelly Hall
- 18: Chasie and Linda Bearden

Family Night Supper . . . March 17

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.

Menu: check online at www.northgatebaptist.com

Kitchen Helpers: Tom Simon, Anne Danciu, Anne Therrell, Alicia Henry, Del Sabean, Barbara Lollis

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Return Service Requested



Ministers for March 14-20

Deacons of the Month: Jered Nisky, Chasie Bearden, Tom Simon **Preschool Ministers:** Robby and Tiffany Bannister, Heather Bryan,

Joey and Kelly Hall

Children's Church: Jamie and Teresa Brazell, Joey and Kelly Hall Wednesday Preschool Ministers: Bonnie Burgess, Tiffany Bannister

Ushers: Lee Coker, Dan Burgess, Joey Hall, Lewis Barker Sound/Video/Camera: John Folk, Steve Todd, Ryan Wallace

Counter: Marian Huskey

Release Time (March 18): Jan Calvert, Barbara Lollis, Joye Solas

Pastoral Staff

Pastor: Barry Jimmerson

Minister of Education and Students: Blue Bryan Interim Worship Leader: Sherilyn Ammons

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Daylight Saving Time



Set your clocks **AHEAD**

Saturday night so you will be on time Sunday!

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Greetings in the name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ!

Friend Day is dawing near - March 21! I hope we are all taking the opportunities that God is giving us to invite our unchurched friends and acquaintances to church. Every one of us came to Christ and became involved in His church because someone cared enough about us to tell us how we can have a personal relationship with God through His one and only Son, Jesus Christ and worship and serve Him through His church. Well, March 21, 2010, could be a life-changing day for someone that God has put or will put into your life. It doesn't matter how you get them to Northgate, just get them to church! Call to remind them, go by and see them, send them a card, buy them a lunch, do something, anything to get them to Jesus.

Begin by praying! Begin by praying that God would put people in your path. Pray for people you already know that are unchurched. Take advantage of the "Friend Cards" we have made available around the church. Leave one with your tip at a restaurant. Hand one to your dentist and your dental hygienist. Give one to your physician and your nurses. Go to the park and give them to future friends and future Christians. Get creative. Pack a pew!

I am trusting that we will have a capacity crowd on Sunday March 21 and again two weeks later on Easter Sunday, April 4. I am having a great time meeting people, handing out cards and inviting people to church. I hope you are as well.

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

GROW Team O - Monday at 6 p.m.

Your friend.

Lynette Eason, daughter of Lewis and Lou Jean Barker, will be at Crossway Book Store on April 10. She will be signing her newest book, **Don't Look Back**, beginning at noon. This book will only be available at bookstores.

JOY Club

Tuesday, March 16 at noon Come hear the Challengers Quartet

Bring your favorite dish to share with the your friends and the singing group. Let's have lots of food this month. The meat and

tea will be furnished. Come on out and welcome these guys to Northgate. Hostesses: Mary Jane Peden, Bonnie Arey, Joan Taylor.



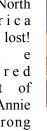
Annie Armstrong Offering for North American Missions

Our Goal: \$5,000

LIVE WITH URGENCY

We will observe the Week of Prayer for North American Missions next week. Did you know that

of three four people North America lost! are \mathbf{O} n hundred percent of our Annie Armstrong



offering goes to support over 5,000 missionaries and their ministries in the United States and Canada. These

missionaries share a urgency for common sharing the gospel by planting new churches,

> meeting the needs of the homeless, leading worship at ski resorts. or leading Back Yard Bible

Clubs. Pray daily and give generously to help those who serve throughout North America.

All ladies are invited to the Women on Mission North American mission study on Tuesday, March 23 at 10 a.m. Remember to bring a salad for the luncheon.

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March 21

Are you still giving out invitations and making phone calls to your friends? Are you making new friends and inviting them to Friend Day? Dr. Jimmerson has challenged us to a goal of 250 in worship service. As Bob the Builder says, "We can do it! Yes, we can!"

Important Meeting for Friend Day! All deacons, SS teachers/workers, ushers, and greeters are asked to meet this Sunday, March 14 at 5:00 in the Fellowship Hall.



Ladies, you don't want to miss this life-changing revival for women on March 19-20 at the Bi-Lo Center. You will receive a fresh touch from heaven, a fresh encounter with the living Lord Jesus Christ, and a renewal of love for Him as together we ask God to Just Give Me Jesus.