

Our Family Matters

On call this weekend

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

Homebound Member of the Week

Gertrude Moore
Aldersgate Retirement Community, 3800 Shamrock Drive
Charlotte NC 28215



Ruth Harrison
Deacon: Perry Folk

Happy Birthday for April 18-24

* HOMEBOUND MEMBER

- 18. Willine Littlejohn
- 19. John Folk
- 20. Ashley Agnew, Nathan Hamilton
- 21. Violet Shehan, Mat Wallace,
Donna Dill, Bonnie Burgess, Blue
Bryan, Luke Ross
- 24. Betty Agnew



Happy Anniversary

- 18: Rusty and Charlene Hill
- 22: Tom and Almena Simon
- 24: Bill and Shirley Bishop

Family Night Supper . . . April 21

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 is now online at www.northgatebaptist.com.

Kitchen Helpers: Melissa Lawton, Marian Huskey, Peter Danciu, Ted Garner, Judy West, Eunice Graham

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Because He Gave, We Give . . . April 11

Budget Receipts	\$ 9,486
Budget Requirements Y-T-D	\$ 159,915
Budget Receipts Y-T-D	\$ 119,752

Ministers for April 18-24

Deacons of the Month: Tommy Stephens, Barry Agnew, Will Kirby
Preschool Ministers: Harry and Dawn Cunningham, David and Susan McClure, Tina Jimmerson
Children's Church: David and Susan McClure, Carole Coker
Wednesday Preschool Ministers: Teresa Green, Linda Bearden
Ushers: Rusty Hill, Bob Landers, Jack Nance, Don Calvert
Sound/Video/Camera: John Folk, Debbie Hudson, Anthony Capparelli
Counter: Ken Shirley

Pastoral Staff

Pastor: Barry Jimmerson
Minister of Education and Students: Blue Bryan
Interim Worship Leader: Sherilyn Ammons
Minister of Preschool and Children: Ruth Harrison

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Pastor, Dr. Barry Jimmerson



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Deacons... In the first century A.D., the Apostles selected men to help serve the congregation. The primary duty of these men was to serve the widows of the congregations. Today, deacons serve more than just the widows. They are actively serving in many areas of the church, assisting with various needs of the congregation.

Deacons at Northgate are assigned to Sunday School classes. Call your deacon if he can minister to you

Crossties	Don Calvert
Bryan Whitmire	Warren Peden, Glenn Walls
Fidelis	Walt Green
Friendship	Ted Garner
Grace Fellowship	Will Kirby, Perry Folk
Mary/Martha	Chasie Bearden, Tommy Stephens
Youth	Jered Nisky, Mat Wallace
Hope	Joey Hall, Tom Simon, Barry Agnew
Children/Preschool	Perry Folk

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Greetings in the name of Jesus Christ!

I am so grateful for God's ministry to our area schools through His church at Northgate! Sixteen names were written in the Lamb's Book of Life because God chose to use the Good News Club at Summit Drive Elementary School. Students also came to know Christ and grew in their faith through Release Time at League Academy and Sevier Middle Schools. There is an old and correct saying that everything rises and falls on leadership. I am thankful for the godly leadership we have here at Northgate in the area of preschool, children and student ministries. Blue Bryan has done a tremendous job organizing these ministries. Now God has empowered us even more with the calling of Mrs. Ruth Harrison to lead our preschool and children's ministries while Blue focuses on students and education. The future is bright at Northgate because we are investing in the next generation!

The students did a tremendous job leading us in worship Sunday. From the announcements to the reading of Scripture to the ushers to the singing to the interpretive movement to the prayers, they all served the Lord with enthusiasm and all seriousness. I appreciated Taft's challenge to us that our students are the next generation and are indeed tomorrow's church. That is an especially somber reminder when we (as he so eloquently pointed out) consider that we are living in the last days.

All of these efforts in ministry would be unfruitful if it were not for adult volunteers giving of themselves to be channels of God's blessings to preschool, children and student ministries. When you pray, thank God for these saints in ministry and thank God for our children.

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

Blessings in Jesus,

Bany

GROW Team O
Monday at 6:00

Annie Armstrong Offering for North American Missions

Our Goal: \$5,000



Received to date: \$3,082

For every \$200 we receive toward our mission goal, an egg will be placed in the Easter basket on the Lord's Table in the sanctuary. We now have 15 eggs in the basket! Let's fill it up this Sunday!

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There will be an informational meeting on Sunday, April 25 At 4 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. All students who will be participating and their parents should attend this meeting.

Coming in May!

The John Wesley Great Experiment

Make a 30-day commitment to this spiritual discipline program and change your life forever! Christians will band together in small groups for the purpose of coming into a personal encounter with Christ. Through the five basic principles of Bible study, prayer and meditation, service, self-sacrifice, and Christian concern, the participants experience renewed spiritual growth and fulfillment.

Dr. Jimmerson will host information meetings this Sunday night, April 18, and next Wednesday night, April 21 at 6 p.m. in the Crossties Sunday School room.

Senior Adult Day

We will honor our senior adults on Sunday, May 2. Dr. Rick Freeman, a Messianic Jew with *Chosen People Ministries*, will be preaching that day.

Parent Child Dedication on May 9

Parents, if you would like to publicly dedicate yourself to raising your child for the Lord, please call the church office by Sunday, May 2 and let us know.



JOY Club Tuesday, April 20 Covered Dish Lunch

Speaker: Joada Hiatt, storyteller
Hostesses: Marian Huskey, Frances Gregory, Sue Ridgeway

All senior adults are invited!

Joint Worship Service with Enoree Baptist April 25 at 6:00 at Northgate

Rev. Tom Sloan will be preaching and the choirs from both churches will combine to present the music. Northgate will provide a fellowship meal following the service.

We need **graduation** information. If you or someone in your family is graduating from high school or college, please call the church office and let us know. May 16 is Graduation Sunday.



We need people with great personalities to **greet** people each Sunday. If you would like to help, call the church office.

Just Give Me Jesus Follow-up Bible Study

Each Wednesday at 6:15
Facilitator: Ann Therrell

Senior Adult Spring Fellowship

Thursday, May 13 from 8:45 - 11:30 a.m.
Standing Springs Baptist Church
Deadline is May 5 to
Matt Limbaugh at 288-7835