Northgate Family News

- In case of an emergency this weekend call Blue Bryan @ 243-7377.
- Congratulations to Michael Pryor and Sarah Wynn who were married on August 28.
- Congratulations to Lee Coker and Kasie Barnette who were married on August 28.

Homebound Member of the Week

Maxine Grooms
7 Spring View Lane, Taylors SC 29687

Because He Gave, We Give... August 29

Budget Receipts \$ 6,211 Budget Requirements Y-T-D \$372,015 Budget Receipts Y-T-D \$284,996

Happy Birthday... September 5 - 18

5. Nancy Taylor, Stacey Simpson, Laurel Shaler, Zachary Pearson

Walt Green

Happy Anniversary

- 9: Lyle and Patty Doornbos15: Randy and Bonnie Bishop
- 8. Will Moore, David Foster,
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- 9. Charles Johnson, Bruce Jackson, Sonny Ellison, Zachery Metz
- 10. Margaret Glenn, Bob Dyson
- 11. David Craig, Susan McClure
- 12. Randy Tucker, Valia Warren, Landon Bannister
- 13. Christi Hendrix, Tony Green
- 16. Peggy Kirby, Rita Delegatti
- 17. Charlotte Cameron, Allan Jenkins, Jonathan Bikas, Elizabeth Pelt, Chloe Hiott, Hagen Hiott
- 18. Jonathan West

Family Night Supper... September 8 and 15

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.

Kitchen Helpers: **September 8**: Youth

September 15: Judy West, Rhonda Capparelli, Jean Outz, Pam Waters, Lewis Barker (cashier)

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Ministers for September 5-11

Deacons of the Month: Walt Green, Steve Todd, Don Calvert

Preschool Ministers: Jered and Katie Nisky, Pam Waters, Danette

Hunter, Almena Simon, Laverne Walls

Children's Church: Walt and Teresa Green, Beth Todd

Wednesday Preschool Ministers: Robby Bannister, Dan Burgess

Ushers: Robby Bannister, Chasie Bearden, Mills Hunter

Harry Cunningham

Sound/Video/Camera: John Folk, Steve Todd, Adam Cartee

Counter (Tuesday): Marian Huskey

Ministers for September 12-18

Deacons of the Month: Walt Green, Steve Todd, Don Calvert

Preschool Ministers: Warren and Allison Peden, Chasie Bearden Joan Taylor, Harry and Dawn Cunningham,

Children's Church: Jamie and Teresa Brazell, Carole Coker

Wednesday Preschool Ministers: Bonnie Burgess, Tiffany Bannister

Ushers: Bob Jarvis, Walt Green, Perry Folk, Ken Hall

Sound/Video/Camera: John Folk, Steve Todd, Hudson Peden

Counter: Mary Jane Peden

Church Staff

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

The Gate Post

Northgate Baptist Church Pastor, Dr. Barry Jimmerson



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Sunday, September 26

A friend is one who strengthens you with prayers, blesses you with love and encourages you with hope.



Contact your old friends and make new ones and invite them to come to Sunday School and church with you on Friend Day. Cards are available for you to give them as a reminder.

September 26
High Attendance Day in Sunday School
Watch for a goal for your class!

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Greetings in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ!

Thank you for praying for Northgate Baptist Church. Please continue to pray, using your prayer guide to lead you throughout the end of September. On the last Sunday of September (September 26) we will have Friend Day at Northgate. As you are praying for Northgate, pray for your friends and for future friends to join you for Sunday School and church on the 26th. What a day of rejoicing that will be!

We want to continue this season of prayer by praying for every aspect of Northgate Baptist Church; but we want to focus particularly upon those who are not Christians or are unchurched. The ladies in the Mary/Martha Sunday School Class constructed a cross and attached the names of lost or unchurched friends upon that cross. They have graciously allowed us to borrow their cross to display it in the sanctuary for the same purpose. In the vestibule of the church, by the doors, you will find a basket with an envelope and a 3" x 5" card inside of it. Please take that card, pray, and ask God to give you up to three names of people who need salvation or rededication to Him. Write their first name(s) on the card, seal the envelope and write your first name on the outside of the envelope. Then bring it to church and attach it to the cross. You may want to attach your envelope to the cross during the invitation part of the service. If not, you may leave it near the cross and we will attach it for you later.

On September 26, invite the friend for whom you have been praying, along with many other friends and acquaintances, to church and we will all have a great time together in the Lord.

"Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, in everything give thanks; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you" (1 Thess. 5:16-18).

I look forward to seeing what God will do in our midst in the coming weeks.

Blessings in Jesus,



No GROW next week

There will be NO Gate Post Next Week.

The church office and buildings will be closed Monday.



Discovery Class

A new Discovery Class will meet September 12 and 19 during the Sunday School hour. This class is designed to introduce Northgate Baptist Church to anyone interested in learning more about God's church. This class is especially for our guests, and new/prospective members of our church. Schedule for the third class will be determined by the class. See Blue for more information

2010-2011 Planning Packets

Church leaders, you may pick up your Planning Packet this Sunday from the table outside the office. Please be punctual in filling them out (completely) and returning them to the office - no later than October 10. Names are on the packets.

Sock Day Is Coming!

Sock Day is September 19. Buy several pairs of socks now, any size, and we'll tell you later what to do with them.

Volunteers Needed

Volunteers are needed at League Academy on Thursday, September 23 from 3:30 - 5:30. More information will be available later. If you can help, please see Blue. He needs at least 20 people in several different areas.

Be sure all the children you know are involved in our Wednesday night program this school year. It begins each week at 6:15. Preschoolers will have Music and Mission Friends and children will have a rotation of Bible study, Activities, Missions, and Music.

Flowers for Sanctuary

If you would like to place flowers in the sanctuary in honor of or in memory of a loved one or for a special occasion, please call Linda Bearden at 244-5236. Watch for the new calendar on the wall outside the office.

Leadership Booklets

Leadership Booklets for 2010-2011 are available throughout the church. The booklet contains the Nominating Committee report and other important Northgate information. Pick one up and keep it in your Bible as a reference.

Sunday School Promotion

Preschoolers and children will go to their new Sunday School classrooms this Sunday, September 5 at 9:30 a.m. What better time than a new church year to join Sunday School!

For All Ladies and Their Friends

All ladies are invited to an early Christmas shopping event at Northgate on Saturday, September 18. See Bonnie Burgess for details of this event.

Discipleship Classes Begin Soon

<u>ParentFuel:</u> This is a study for parents of teens beginning September 12 at 6 p.m. See Tina Jimmerson for details.

<u>Financial Peace</u>: This class begins Wednesday, October 6 at 6:30 for a cost of \$50. If you have already paid and taken this class at an earlier time, you may attend any or all sessions for free. See Will Kirby or register online at northgatebaptist.com.

<u>Ladies Bible Study:</u> This six-week DVD-driven Bible study, <u>Becoming More than a Good Bible Study Girl</u>, begins Wednesday, September 15 from 6:30 - 7:30