

Northgate Family News

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

Homebound Member of the Week

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

Because He Gave, We Give. . . October 24

Budget Receipts	\$ 7,828
Budget Requirements Y-T-D	\$457,047
Budget Receipts Y-T-D	\$362,800

Happy Birthday. . . October 31 - November 6

1. Melissa Bayne, Ben Pittman
3. Porter Huskey
4. Barbara Moore, Dena Smith
6. Laura Catherine Vernon

Happy Anniversary

- 5: Gilbert and Willine Littlejohn

Family Night Supper . . . November 3

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.

Kitchen Helpers: Judy Whaley, Almena Simon, Evelyn Pugh, Dawn Painter, Lindsay Painter, Perry Folk

Menu: BBQ chicken, baked beans, potato salad, banana pudding

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633 Summit Drive
Greenville South Carolina 29609

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Ministers for October 31-November 6

Deacons of the Month: Jered Nisky, Chasie Bearden, Sam Smith

Preschool Ministers: Lou Jean Baker, Walt and Teresa Green
Tony and Laura Green, Will Kirby, Pat Foster,
Beth Todd

Baby Room, Sunday School: Ruth Harrison, Lou Jean Barker

Children's Church: Mike and Janet Cartee, Beth Todd

Wednesday Preschool Ministers: Bonnie Burgess, Tiffany Bannister

Ushers: Robby Bannister, Chasie Bearden, Mills Hunter
Harry Cunningham

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

Counter: Marian Huskey

Release Time: Barbara Lollis, Jan Calvert, Marian Huskey
Peggy Kirby

Church Staff

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

Ministry Assistant: Anne Beaver
Custodian: Tommy Murray
Pianist: Patti Nance
Interim Organist: Karen Beason
Hostess: Tammy Wallace

The Gate Post

Northgate Baptist Church
Pastor, Dr. Barry Jimmerson



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Share Christ this Christmas!



Help a child in another country this Christmas. Fill a shoebox and send it through operation Christmas Child to a child in a foreign country.

Boxes and brochures are located throughout the church or you can use your own. Plastic boxes are even better.

Add \$7 to the box for postage and bring it to the altar by Sunday, November 14.

We would like for every family to fill at least 1 shoebox this year.



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Greetings in the Name of our Lord Jesus Christ!

We have been considering H.W. Brands' reflections on Abraham Lincoln in his collection of essays entitled, *Lincoln's Genius*.

In his essay, *Trust the People's Will* (p.70), Dr. Brands wrote, "Its [the war's] slowness drove Lincoln to seek solace from a higher power. Joshua Speed observed the president resort to the Bible for wisdom and comfort; Eliza Gurney, a Quaker leader, saw the same side of Lincoln in a letter in which he revealed his deepening conviction that the country was in the hands of Providence. 'The purposes of the Almighty are perfect, and must prevail, though we erring mortals may fail to accurately perceive them in advance,' Lincoln wrote. 'We hoped for a happy termination of this terrible war long before this; but God knows best, and has ruled otherwise...Surely he intends some great good to follow this mighty convulsion, which no mortal could make, and no mortal could stay.' Joseph Mills, a circuit judge from Wisconsin, left a session at the White House in August 1864 with the perception that the mark of heaven was upon Lincoln: 'His transparent honesty, his republican simplicity, his gushing sympathy for those who offered their lives for their country, his utter forgetfulness of self in his concern for his country, could not but inspire me with confidence that he was Heaven's instrument to conduct his people through this red sea of blood to a Canaan of peace and freedom.'"

America needs leaders like Abraham Lincoln now. Let us not be negligent to go to the ballot box next Tuesday and vote for the godliest of leaders to lead our nation in the ways of the Lord. **"Do not be deceived, God is not mocked; for whatever a man sows, that he will also reap. For he who sows to his flesh will of the flesh reap corruption, but he who sows to the Spirit will of the Spirit reap everlasting life. And let us not grow weary while doing good, for in due season we shall reap if we do not lose heart. Therefore, as we have opportunity, let us do good to all, especially to those who are of the household of faith"** (Gal. 6:7-10).

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

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GROW Team G meets Monday at 6 p.m.

November

- 1 Baptist Women World Day of Prayer
- 2 Election Day
- 3 Church Conference
- 7 Daylight Saving Time Ends
- 14 Youth Sunday
- 24 No Wednesday Meal or Service
- 25 Thanksgiving Day
- 26 Office Closed
- 28 Beginning of Advent
- 28-5 Week of Prayer for International Missions
- 28 Joint Service at Enoree



December

- 1 Budget Discussion
- 2 Ladies' Tea
- 5 Vote on Budget
- 12 Christmas Music by Celebration Choir
- 15 Family Christmas Dinner
- 22 No Meal or Service
- 24 Office Closed
- 24 Christmas Eve Candlelight Communion Service
- 25 Christmas Day
- 26 Christmas Worship
- 27 Office Closed
- 29 No Meal or Service
- 31 New Year's Eve



You Can Help Northgate's Youth

Our youth are working to help defray the cost of summer mission trips, camps, etc. by selling pecans and smoked hams and turkeys. Order blanks, with options, are located throughout the church or you may see a youth. For a specific youth to get credit, their name must be on the order form. Deadline for ordering pecans is November 7 and for hams/turkeys is November 14.

Church Conference

Church conference will be held on Wednesday, November 3 at 6:30.

Childcare at Northgate

All childcare at Northgate must be done by Northgate members who have a background check on file in the church office and are on our approved list. Contact Ruth or the office for a complete list.

Baptist Women's World Day of Prayer

All ladies are invited to attend the Baptist Women's World Day of Prayer at Lee Road Baptist Church on November 1. Identical sessions will be at 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. Contact Nancy Stephens (241-9949) for transportation.

Basketball Registration Is Underway

Basketball registration sheets for K-5 through adults are located throughout the church. Don't miss the deadline of November 7 if you want to play this year.

Daylight Saving Time

Daylight Saving Time
Ends Sunday, November 7

Student Leadership University

Student Leadership University is June 27-30. The first deposit of \$50 is due by November 14. Students who will have completed 7th grade and up are eligible to attend.