

Northgate Family

In case of an emergency call

Barry Jimmerson @ 609-1845 Blue Bryan @ 243-7377
Ruth Harrison @ 380-7850

Our homebound member of the week

Lillian Price
44 Pinehurst Drive, Taylors SC 29687

Giving to the Lord

June 26

Budget Receipts \$ 6,257
Budget Required YTD \$268,242
Budget Received YTD \$227,533

We have received a thank you note from

Brittany Way
The family of Alice Norton
Martha Franks Retirement Home
Child Evangelism Fellowship (Good News Club)

Happy Birthday July 3-9

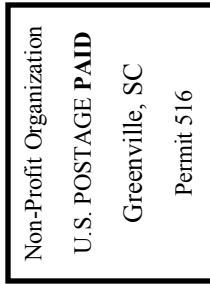
3: Terry Johnson
4: Joel Warren
5: Scott Johnson, Justin Adam, Josh Burgess
6: Mildred Sams
7: Jack Dill, Dean Waters, Bradley Waters
8: Lewis Barker, Nancy Williams
9: *Louise Kerr, Lou Jarvis, Evan Therrell

Happy Anniversary July 3-9

4: Roy and Del Sabean

Zumba Schedule

Ladies, come have some fun exercising at Zumba class. Times are Monday (6:45), Tuesday (6:15), and Thursday (6:45). The cost is \$15 for 4 classes and is open to all ladies.



**NORTHGATE BAPTIST
CHURCH**
633 Summit Drive
Greenville South Carolina

Ministers for July 3-9

ALL MEMBERS ARE MINISTERS

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

Preschool Worship: Lou Jean Barker, Tony and Laura Green,
Walt and Teresa Green, Will Kirby

Baby Room, Sunday School: Almena Simon, Rhonda Capparelli

Wednesday Preschool Ministers: Marian Huskey, Beth Todd

No Children's Church: Patriotic Concert

Ushers: Mike Cartee, Rodgers Gaines, Don Calvert, Will Moore

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

Counter: Marian Huskey (July 5)

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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Sunday, July 3
10:45 a.m.

GOD AND COUNTRY DAY

A mini concert of patriotic music, *Blessed Is the Nation*, will be presented by the Celebration Choir Sunday morning.

Rev. Jimmerson's sermon will be *Arise and Walk* from Matthew 9:1-8.

Northgate Baptist Church

Dr. Barry Jimmerson, Pastor

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Greetings in the Name of Our Lord Jesus Christ!

We have been blessed to have Sherilyn Ammons as our Interim Worship Leader at Northgate for more than two years. Having worked closely with Sherilyn during this time, I have seen her heart. She truly has a servant's heart. Her single desire is that Jesus Christ be glorified and lifted up in worship. She has given of herself to the point of near exhaustion. She has served the Lord with a beautiful stewardship. She has allowed the Lord to use her and her talents to help us all to better worship Him. She has allowed the Lord to use her to prepare Northgate for Richard's leadership. In the months and years prior to Sherilyn serving in this capacity, I saw in her character an attitude of selflessness and service. In fact, I have reflected upon her grace with great admiration and respect upon many occasions. Certainly seeing Sherilyn and David suffer the loss of their home to fire with such patience and resolve has been an inspiration not only to me and my family but to all of us.

We now have an opportunity to give honor to whom honor is due. This Sunday (July 3), at the conclusion of the service, we will receive a love offering at the doors of the sanctuary in appreciation for Sherilyn. Immediately following the service, we will host a brief reception in her honor in the fellowship hall of the church. I know that you, like me, want to personally express your appreciation to Sherilyn. While we are appreciative of Sherilyn, we also recognize David's contributions to our Lord's church at Northgate. He has shared his wife with us for two years and has supported her in a beautiful way. He has honored his bride and set a wonderful example for all husbands to follow. I hope you will make plans to stay after the service on Sunday to express your personal thanks to this amazing couple.

Of course, as we express our appreciation to Sherilyn and David, we also look forward to Richard Hendricks coming to serve as our Worship Leader. We are excited that God has called Richard and Syble to grow His kingdom through Northgate.

When we reflect upon things, we find that we are receiving a double blessing. God has called a Worship Leader to Northgate and our Interim Worship Leader will remain in the choir offering her encouraging support. I look forward with great anticipation to the days ahead for God's church at Northgate.

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

Blessings,

Barry



**No GROW tomorrow
Miracle GROW
July 11 and 25**



Sherilyn Ammons has faithfully served as our Interim Worship Leader for over two years. After the service Sunday, July 3, you will be able to give to a love offering and remain for a reception in her honor. Sherilyn has done a wonderful ministry for the Lord through music here at Northgate. We love and appreciate you, Sherilyn.

You're Invited

You are invited to a bridal shower honoring Barry Agnew, Jr. and Mandy Thompson on Sunday, July 3 from 2:30 - 4:00 in the Fellowship Hall. They are registered at Bed Bath and Beyond, Macy, and Target.

We're Closed on the Fourth

Northgate offices and buildings will be **CLOSED** Monday, July 4 for Independence Day. Have a safe holiday.

Sunday School Training

If you are working in Sunday School next year, please contact Blue about the training on Saturday, August 27 at Fairview Baptist Church from 8:00-12:30.



You are invited to celebrate
the renewal of the wedding vows of
Tommy and Beatrice Murray
on July 23, 2011, at 12:00 noon
at DayStar Holy Deliverance Ministries
1 West Warehouse Court, Taylors, SC 29687
A reception will follow at Northgate Baptist Church
Come and share this day of celebration
RSVP by July 20 to Nel Bryson at 293-8773

Upcoming Kids Stuff

- July 6: Horseback riding
- July 14: Children's Museum and picnic lunch on the museum grounds. Terrific Thursday is 10:30 - 1:30. Cost: \$5.

It's Almost Time for VBS!

Get ready for some fun around every corner at our **Big Apple Adventure: Where Faith and Life Connect!** As kids explore the big city of New York, they will learn how to step out in faith and connect with Jesus . . . sharing the message of Christ in their world. VBS at Northgate is July 17-21 from 6:00-8:30 p.m. Invite your friends to come with you. You will have a blast!

The **VBS Kick-Off** is Saturday, July 16 from 5:00 - 7:00. Come out and enjoy a cab ride, music, face painting, games, hot dogs, caricatures, and much more. Bring your friends and get a taste of what VBS will be about!

MISSING! Prize Offered If You Find Her!

Age: She'll never tell	Tires: Black around edges
Missing since: June 23	Height: About 1 foot
Color: Bright yellow	Aliases: Carla or VBS Cab
Lights: Shine in the dark	Reward: See Mrs. Ruth

Carla the Cab is missing! We believe she just drove off somewhere to advertise our VBS, but we miss her very much and need to find her soon. If you find her (on our website), you don't have to return her, just email Mrs. Ruth at rharrison@northgatebaptist.com and tell her where Carla is located. Be the first child age 3 (with help) - grade 6 to email Mrs. Ruth with Carla's correct location and you will win a prize. Carla will be hard to find since she will be off to a different place as soon as she is found. Keep watching our website to see where she is. We must have her back before July 17. We can't have VBS without her!

