



On Monday morning, November, 7, 2011, I had the privilege of attending classes at the Evangelical Institute in Greenville, SC with Warren Peden. Three members of Northgate are students at EI: Warren Peden, Moses Jonnalagadda and Francis Jonnalagadda. We attended two classes taught by Art Nuernberg: "Prayer" and "Old Testament Survey" and one class, "Counseling," taught by Dan Johnson.

This was not my first visit to EI, nor was it my first meeting with faculty and students, but it was the first time I sat in a classroom and listened to the teaching. Mr. Nuernberg instructed his students, "Never listen to the report of a panicked heart." That kind of teaching is desperately needed to Bible students (2 Timothy 1:7)! My simple evaluation of the teaching and the ministry that the school provides in and to our community is that I have found it to be biblically solid and helpful to the community. It may be the best kept secret in Greenville! I would urge all members and friends of Northgate to avail themselves to the ministries of EI and get involved in what God is doing there. Students at EI lead a Good News Club in a local elementary school. On Monday evenings from 7:00-8:00 a Bible study is offered to the public at no cost. The current course is a year-long study of Old Testament saints.

You may visit their very helpful website (eibibleschool.org) for much more information. EI's doctrinal statement is on their website and it is the first thing that I was interested in reading when I first became aware of the school. The first line of their doctrinal statement reads: "We believe in the Scripture of the Old and New Testaments as verbally inspired by God, inerrant in the original writings, and of supreme and final authority in faith and life." The last line of their doctrinal statement reads: "We believe in the great scriptural doctrines of sin, salvation by grace, redemption, regeneration, justification by faith, prayer, physical resurrection, the reward of believers, and retribution of unbelievers." Everything between those two lines is, as stated above, biblically solid. If you value biblical truth, you will love this school!

I hope you will make yourself aware of this blessing to our community and avail yourself to EI's ministries. What may be the best kept secret in Greenville should not be secret anymore. You may see me or any of our students at EI for more information.

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

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**GROW
Team R
Monday @ 6:00**


Discovery Class meets again this Sunday at 9:30 a.m. in the Conference Room (Room 203).




Marriage Retreat Weekend

Plan to attend this weekend retreat with your spouse and strengthen your marriage. It will be at Bonclarken in Flat Rock, North Carolina, November 9-11, 2012. We must turn in a \$40 deposit per couple by January 15. See Tina Jimmerson for more details. This would make a wonderful and much-appreciated Christmas gift for your children, grandchildren or even your parents (yes, parents!).

CentriKid Fundraiser

 Order your Thanksgiving pies (pecan or pumpkin) for \$12 each by Friday, November 18 and pick them up on Tuesday, November 20. They will be freshly baked by Tammy Wallace. Order forms are located throughout the church

 Order Liquid Highway products (coffees, mixes, lemonade, hot chocolate, etc.) from a child. They are \$10 each.

Operation Christmas Child

There are a few extra spaces for the trip to the OCC Center in Charlotte on Saturday, November 26 to help prepare shoeboxes for shipping. We are opening it up to anyone age 13 and older who would like to go, leaving the church at 9 a.m. and working from 1:00 - 4:00. Contact Blue.

Parent Child Dedication

Call the church office by November 27 if you would like to participate in a Parent-Child Dedication Service on Sunday, December 4.

There will be **no Gate Post** the week after Thanksgiving. Please have your articles in the office in writing by Friday, November 18 for a two-week Gate Post.

Robby Bannister is organizing a **Dress for Success** at Northgate for the Salvation Army. The mission is to promote the economic independence of disadvantaged men and women by providing professional attire, support, and career development tools to help them thrive in work and life. Many men and women come to the Salvation Army with no place to live and no job. The Salvation Army's purpose is to help them get a job and to do this they need the proper attire for an interview. Boxes will be located at the entrances of the church on Sunday, November 20 for you to bring any of the following slightly used items for men or women: suits, dresses, skirts, dress pants, belts, ties, dress shoes, blouses, etc. These items do not have to be new but need to be something that you would wear for a job interview. Robby will take them to the Salvation Army for their *Dress of Success* program. Your donation will help an individual to find a job and secure their place in society.

JOY Club will meet Tuesday, November 15 at 11:00 for a program by Curtis Miller from Berea First Baptist. Hostesses will be Pat Foster, Anne Henderson, and Barbara Lollis.



To **stay up-to-date** on what's happening at Northgate, please read your Gate Post, Sunday bulletin, and check your emails and our church website frequently.

Our **Celebration Choir** will have an extra rehearsal this Sunday, November 13 after the morning service to prepare for our Christmas Cantata to be presented on Sunday, December 11.

The Library Corner

We have Billy Graham's newest book, *Nearing Home*, in the church library. This book shares his personal experience of growing older and discloses lessons on how we should view our time on earth. Stop by and check it out.

During the third quarter of 2011, 154 books were circulated and 26 books were added to the shelves.

Our church family **MATTERS**

In Case of Emergency Call

Barry Jimmerson @ 609-1845

Blue Bryan @ 243-7377

Ruth Harrison @ 380-7850

Our Homebound Member of the Week

Louise Kerr

1 Reid Street, Greenville SC 29609

Thank You Notes Have Been Received From

Judy Rothfuss, Judy Holland, Charlotte Cameron

Christian Sympathy Is Expressed to

Robby Bannister and family on the death of his grandfather (Louis Kunkle)

Margaret (Sis) Schaeffer on the death of her husband (Burns Schaeffer)

Giving to the Lord

November 6

Budget Receipts	\$ 13,656
Budget Required YTD	\$464,265
Budget Received YTD	\$402,647

Happy Birthday November 13-19

13: *Vera Jamison, Taft Jimmerson

14: Nick Skolnick

15: *Irene Black, Grady Poole

16: Joan Heinis, Ken Hall, Dawn Painter,
Barry Agnew, Mike Shaw

17: Mary Hodgden, Linda Garner, Heather Bryan

18: Sara Jo Jennings

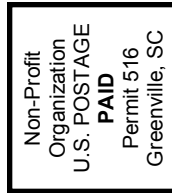
19: *Pete Bailey

Happy Anniversary November 13-19

14: Bruce and Peggy Jackson

18: David and Violet Shehan

Call the office before noon on Tuesday to remove your name from the permanent supper list or to add/remove it for the week. Payment will be expected the next week for meals not canceled by this time.



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Return Service Requested

Ministers the Week of November 13-19

Every member a minister

Deacons of the Month: Nick Shaler, Warren Peden, Sam Smith

Preschool Worship: Joan Taylor, Pam Waters, Tina Jimmerson,
Harry and Dawn Cunningham, Rhonda Capparelli

Children's Church: Blue and Heather Bryan

Wednesday Ministers: Lou Jean Barker, Laverne Walls

Preschool Sunday School: Joan Hall, Almena Simon

Ushers: Andrew Lance, Kristopher Newman, Bobby Taylor, Roy Sabean,
Richard Hudson, Jim Hardesty

Sound/Video Projection: John Folk, Joey Hall, Payton Wright

Counter: Mary Jane Peden

Fellowship Meal: Melissa Lawton, Peter Danciu, Ted Garner, Carole
Coker, Eunice Graham

Release Time: Jan Calvert, Barbara Lollis, Dawn Painter, Marian Huskey,
Linda Smith

Church Staff

Pastor: Barry Jimmerson

Minister of Students and Children: Blue Bryan

Minister of Children/Preschool: Ruth Harrison

Worship Leader: Richard Hendricks

The Gate Post

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Our youth
will lead worship
this Sunday, November 13
at 10:45 a.m.

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