



**BAMM on
Wednesday's @
6:30pm**

Good News Club

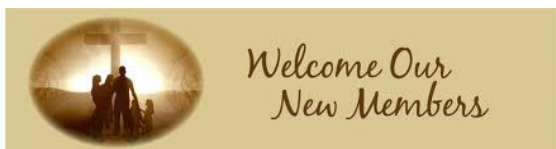
**Resumes at Stone Academy and
Summit Drive Elementary**

Good News Club, a Bible-based club featuring Bible stories, games, songs, snacks, and missions stories, meets at Summit Drive Elementary on Mondays at 2:45 p.m. and on Tuesdays at 2:45 p.m. at Stone Academy. The clubs will begin on Monday, September 16 and Tuesday, September 17.



Workers are always needed to assist with this ministry. If you are interested in working in Good News Club, please contact Ruth Harrison rharrison@northgatebaptist.com or 864-380-7850.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER RELEASE TIME WHICH BEGINS SEPTEMBER 11 AND GOOD NEWS CLUB WHICH BEGINS ON SEPTEMBER 17. Pray for the many volunteers and students. Pray that many children will receive Christ as their savior.



Miss Lily Burgess

*Mr. and Mrs. W. Barry Agnew, Sr.
Request the honor of your presence
At the marriage of their daughter*



*Ashley Lane Agnew
to
Jack William Hammack, Jr.*

*Northgate Baptist Church
Saturday, September 21 at 4:30pm*

*Reception to follow
RSVP to Denise at 268-1766
or wbagnew301@aol.com*



**CHURCH
DIRECTORY
OCTOBER 7, 8, 9**

Times 2-9pm

Many have been asking about a Church Directory and now we will be getting one. See the Gate Post insert for all of the information. Please read it carefully.

Go online to www.northgatebaptist.com and sign up **TODAY - it's as simple as 1-2-3**. That will insure you get the time most convenient for you and your family. Sign-up in the foyer of the church on **September 1, 8, 15, 22**. We want ALL MEMBERS to be in our new directory. If you have any questions during the process, please call Tina in the church office 242-3805 and she will happily assist you.

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPERS BEGIN
SEPTEMBER 11**

We need volunteers to help serve and cashier for our suppers. If you can help, please contact Rhonda Capparelli at 864-325-2111 or rwcapparelli@gmail.com

REMEMBER to sign-up for standing reservations. If you do not have a standing reservation you must call the church office 864-242-3805 by noon on Tuesday to make a reservation for dinner or cancel one.

The Joy Club will meet on **September 17 at 11:00am**. Our guest will be Randy Kirby, Minister of Music at Simpsonville First. Lunch will be catered. Please contact Evelyn Brady if you will be attending.



**Fall back
into reading!**

In Northgate's Library, you'll find inspiring fiction, insightful books on parenting, faith and finances, intriguing mysteries and more! Come check us out.

We open Wednesday's @ 5pm and

Sunday's @ 9am.



*The Season of Prayer for
State Missions, Janie*

*Chapman Offering program will be on
Tuesday, September 24 @ 10am in the
Fellowship hall. Bring a covered dish for
lunch.*

*On September 26 @ 7:00pm we will meet at
Nancy's home and continue with the Body
Bids mission project.*

We share our sympathies with:

Frankie Ballentine on the passing of her sister;
The family of Frances Boggs on her passing;
James Jeter on the passing of Betty; and Sylvia
Lee on the passing of Bob.



ANNUAL BLOOD DRIVE

October 14

**See Judy Rothfuss or
call her at 233-1099**

Discipleship Classes

Wednesday, September 11

6:30pm - Women's Bible study entitled **Vertically Inclined** begins. Contact Debbie Hudson for further details.

6:15pm - **Men's Fraternity** will be offered. See Robby Bannister for information.

Youth News!

Youth will be studying **The Survival Kit** beginning September 8 @ 6:00pm. Please let Blue Bryan or Valia Warren know if you will be joining the group by **September 1**.

BIG GOD CONFERENCE DECEMBER 30-JANUARY 1

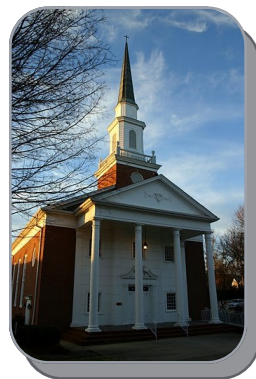
in Myrtle Beach, SC

The cost is \$90 plus money for food (7 meals). We will leave the church at 10:30am on December 30. The conference will be held at the Beach Church in Myrtle Beach. You will need to bring Bible, pen, notebook and toiletries.

Chaperones Needed: 2 females and 3 males

How to sign-up: **Fill out a permission form and pay a \$50 deposit by September 22, 2013**. You may place your check marked with "winter retreat" in the offering, turn it in to Blue on Wednesday evening, or at the church office. Deposit should be turned in with permission form. See Blue for further information.

Season of Prayer for State Missions is September 8-15



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Moving? Please notify the church office of your address change



2014 Planning Packets

Yes! It's planning time again. If you are the leader/chairman of a committee then a planning packet is waiting for you on the table at the bottom of the stairs near the office. They will be listed by name of committee. The packets are due back by **October 6**.



September 2
Office Closed



September

2 NO GROW
9 G Team
16 R Team
23 O Team
30 NO GROW

THIS DO
IN REMEMBRANCE
OF ME

The Lord's Supper and
Fellowship meal
September 29



Pastoral Staff

Dr. Barry Jimmerson

Pastor

Dr. Blue Bryan

Students and Education

Mrs. Ruth Harrison

Preschool and Children

Rev. Richard Hendricks

Worship

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*Gate Post deadline is the
15th of each month*

Deacons of the Month

Robby Bannister

Sam Beason

Don Calvert

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From our Pastor



The fiscal year for Northgate Baptist Church coincides with the calendar year (January-December), but the ministry year roughly coincides with the school year (September-August). We baptized thirty-five of you in the 2012-2013 church year!! God called thirteen others of you to join by statement of faith or by transfer of membership by letter. There were a total of forty-eight additions to God's church at Northgate in 2012-2013! Praise the Lord!

Now, we have begun a brand new year of ministry at Northgate. We will have a tremendous year if God continues to bless as He did in the past year. As we have analyzed God's growth of His Kingdom through Northgate, we have discovered the same truths that nearly every other church discovers. The church is growing because people are reaching people for Christ. It is that simple! While it is important that we have strong Christ-centered ministry programs, biblically grounded Sunday School teachers, biblically-based preaching and Christ-honoring music, the key is the Holy Spirit working through you! We are praying and fasting that we might seek to obey the Great Commission. We strive to be a Great Commission church that seeks to live by the principle of Matthew 6:33 – "Seek first the Kingdom of God and His righteousness and all these things shall be added unto you." We simply pray that God brings honor and glory to Himself through His church at Northgate.

Everyone knows someone who needs Jesus Christ as their Savior and Lord. If you do not know anyone that needs Jesus, I encourage you to avail yourself to places where you can meet new people. You could make an eternal difference in someone's life simply by inviting them to Northgate. Our guests routinely tell me that they experience genuine Christian love when they visit Northgate. Obviously, God doesn't call everyone to join Northgate, but those that visit with us experience the love of her fellowship.

As we begin a new year of ministry, I encourage you to be proactive and intentional in inviting people to Northgate. Think back to the person or persons that invited you to Northgate and give the same gift that has been given to you – a warm invitation to a loving church family. We are not large, but we are genuine. We are Northgate Baptist Church!

May God bless you in the new church year and may He bless His church at Northgate.

For Christ,
Barry

The Gate Post