

Northgate Baptist Church

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Northgate

Seek. God. First.

Eggstravaganza

Saturday, April 6

10:00 - noon

for kids birth - grade 6



Individually wrapped candy is needed. Please drop off candy in the box at the preschool wing door. Thank you for all donations. **Pick up some flyers and give them to family, friends and neighbors.**

We need everyone that can stay after Eggstravaganza to help us begin moving things back into the church from the storage buildings. See Don Durham if you have any questions.



April 14 is Palm Sunday, it is also Preschool Sunday at Northgate. Join us as we have our first service in our newly renovated sanctuary and give praise, glory and honor to God for what HE has done.

NOTE: We want to be good stewards of our newly renovated sanctuary. Please NO FOOD OR DRINK IN THE SANCTUARY.



Join Us!

Easter Sunday, April 21, to
celebrate the Risen Christ!

Come! Celebrate Easter Worship in our newly
renovated sanctuary! See what Jesus Christ is
doing in and through His church at Northgate!

Easter Worship begins at 10:45

The Gate Post



Thank you to all of the volunteers that helped with League Academy Released Time that was held each Wednesday here at Northgate. We could not have been a part of this ministry to middle school students without each one of you. We look forward to continuing this wonderful ministry again beginning in September. May God bless you.



FACILITIES USE: Please be reminded that you must call the church office if you desire to use any part of the church facilities. Also, be sure to turn off all lights and please leave the gym, kitchen, classroom, or any place you reserve in good order following your event or use of God's church. Thank you for being good stewards of the facilities at Northgate.

A CALL TO CORPORATE PRAYER

Church-wide prayer will be held on Sunday,
April 14 at 5:30pm in the Friendship classroom.
Come join us in prayer.

April GROW @ 6:00pm

- 1 Team G
- 8 Team R
- 15 Team O
- 22 Team W



**The church office will
be closed in observance
of Good Friday on
April 19.**

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Deacons of the Month
Will Hunt
Wayne Jones
David McClure



Fellowship and Move-in Day will be held Saturday, April 13.

We will be moving things out of the storage buildings into the church and we will have a **hotdog/hamburger luncheon**. We need everyone that can help from moving furniture and boxes to preparing for our luncheon. There will be something for everyone to help with. **If you have any questions about the move in days on Saturday, April 6 following the Eggstravaganza or April 13, please contact Don Durham.**

Praise God, our Jesus is ALIVE!!
How amazing is it to know that because of JESUS' love we are able to spend eternity in Heaven, if we accept Him as our personal Savior. April is full of new beginnings and ministry events here at Northgate Baptist Church.



First we have our Easter Eggstravaganza. This event will be held in our church gym on **April 6, 2019, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm**. We have an awesome time planned and fun will be had by all. Come out for bounce houses, fun and games, and Easter egg dash and the Easter Story will be presented.

The next event will be Preschool Sunday, this will be held April 14, 2019 in our Worship hour in the **newly renovated sanctuary**. Our Preschoolers will sing songs and share with you their love for Jesus Christ. We have several family ministry events in the works, so please be on watch and check the bulletins regularly. Please be in prayer about our upcoming events and pray that we are planting seeds in the hearts of our Preschoolers. This is such an important time in their lives and we need to show them how Christ works in our lives and being at church on a regular basis helps in this journey.

**Blessings,
Maranda Williams
Minister of Preschoolers and Their Families**



Nine years ago God blessed my life when Northgate Baptist Church called me as your Minister of Preschool and Children. These nine years have been filled with joy, sorrow, fun, ministry, and love. My greatest joy has been to get to know all of you as my family and to witness many children come to know Jesus as their Savior through the Good News Club Ministry and here at church.

Circumstances happen that alter the course of our lives. These things often happen unexpectedly and certainly unplanned. As most of you know, my husband, Wesley, has been diagnosed with Alzheimer's, and his condition has worsened dramatically and quickly. As his wife, I am committed to give him the care he needs.

My heart is saddened to make this decision to retire as your Minister of Children and their Families for I truly love each of you. My ministry fills my life with excitement and joy. I will treasure in my mind and heart precious memories of CentriKid Camp, VBS, Good News Club, and teaching children in small group settings. These memories will bring joy to me.

I thank you from the bottom of my heart for all the prayers, visits, cards, concern, and most of all love that all of you have shown, are showing, and I believe will continue to show. I desperately need my Northgate family at this heart wrenching time in my life. I covet your prayers for Wesley and me.

**My prayers will be with each of you and with the ministry of Northgate Baptist Church. "I thank my God in all my remembrance of you" Philippians 1:3
Ruth Harrison**



**2019 VBS WILL BE
SUNDAY-THURSDAY
JULY 21-25
5:45pm-8:30pm
Ages 2-Adult
(nursery provided for workers)**

We are needing everyone to begin praying for Vacation Bible School 2019. Also, be in prayer as to how you can serve in VBS this year. We will have sign up cards coming soon. Vacation Bible School is a wonderful time to share the gospel with young and old alike.



*You are invited
to Wedding
Shower for
Amy Poe and
Taft Jimmerson
on Sunday, April 7, at 2:30pm
in the gym.*

Everyone is invited. Amy and Taft are registered Bed Bath & Beyond, JC Penney, and Target.



Good News Clubs completed the 2018-19 year on April 8 and 9. We have had a wonderful year. We say a great big THANK YOU to everyone who helped and all who have prayed. **At both schools we had a total of 12 children accept Christ as their Savior. Praise God! Thank you for supporting this ministry through your prayers, serving, and monetary gifts.**



**NORTHGATE BAPTIST
BASKETBALL CAMP
June 10-14, 2019**

Northgate Basketball Camp is on this year! Coach Charles Wimphrie will be leading this camp that focuses on basketball fundamentals and spiritual growth June 10-14, 8am-12pm each day. The camp is open to boys and girls that have completed K-5 through 9th grade. Kids will be placed in groups according to age and skill level for drills, practice, and scrimmages. The cost is \$80 for reservations before May 15.



WMU will meet on Tuesday, April 23 at 10:00am in the Crossties classroom. All ladies of the church are invited to join us. If you have any questions, please contact Anne Danciu at 884-4885.



**Annie Armstrong Easter Offering
Northgate's goal is \$2,500
Received to date \$1,021**



We share our sympathies with:
Carole Coker on the passing of her mother, Ann Werner Bryant, in November 2018 at the age of 97; and Betty Agnew on the passing of her son, Don Agnew, and Don's brother, Barry Agnew. Keep these families in your prayers.



Congratulations to: Hudson & Laura Peden on the birth of Camden White Peden, born on March 24. Camden weighed 8 lbs. 14 ounces and was 20-1/2" long. Warren & Allison Peden are the proud grandparents; Patrick & Audrey Waters on the birth of Cameron Patrick Waters, born on March 23. Cameron weighed 6 lbs. 6 ounces and was 20.25" long. Dean & Pam Waters are the proud grandparents. **Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow!**

**Leadership Council Meeting - Tuesday, April 2 @ 6:30pm in the Hope classroom
Church Conference - Wednesday, April 10 @ 6:30pm in our newly renovated sanctuary**