

**FINANCIAL REPORT**

**May 3, 2009**

Budget  
Offerings \$ 19,352.76  
Budget Needs  
Per Week \$ 12,616.08  
Budget Needs  
To Date \$227,089.38  
Budget Receipts  
To Date \$225,422.76

**SUNDAY SCHOOL STATISTICS**

**May 3, 2009**

General Officers 5  
Preschool 17  
Grades 1 - 2 5  
Grades 3 - 4 2  
Grades 5 - 6 5  
Junior High 6  
Senior High 11  
Journey as One Class 6  
Shuford Class 2  
Young Adult Class 13  
Ladies Class 8  
Ledbetter Class 37  
Beam Class 35  
Samaritan Class 12  
20-30 Something Class 4  
168

**NURSERY VOLUNTEERS**

**May 10, 2009**

**BABIES**

Peg Ellis  
David Gray

**TODDLERS**

Gary and Beth Johnson

**TWO YEAR OLDS**

Bill and Jane Carter

**THREE YEAR OLDS**

Robert and Nan  
Benfield

**CHILDREN'S CHURCH**

Jeff and Lauren Clark

Please come to the  
Nursery at 10:50 a.m.

**YOUTH NEWS**

Sunday night, May 10-

Parent/Teen Pizza Party  
Bus leaves at 6:00 p.m.

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**CHILDREN'S CHOIR -**  
**GRADES 1 - 6**

Dress Rehearsal  
and Fun Night  
Friday, May 8  
5:00 - 10:00

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**CHURCH WIDE -**  
**- SPRING FLING**

Sunday, May 17  
Children's Musical  
At 6:00 p.m.  
Bring a dessert  
to share!

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**CALDWELL COUNTY'S 2009**  
**CELEBRATION OF LIFE**

For Senior Citizens  
(age 60 and over)

Friday, May 15  
Caldwell County  
Fairgrounds  
Music, Door Prizes  
and Lunch!

Free event in recog-  
nition of National Old-  
er Americans Month and  
in honor of the many  
contributions of our  
Senior population.

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PLEASE REMEMBER to re-  
cycle your Sunday  
School Literature.

**BIRTHDAYS**

**May 11**

Justin Chandler  
Brent Kincaid  
Robert Reid

**May 12**

Mrs. Lynn Hines

**May 13**

David C. Barnes, Jr.  
Kendall Goodwin  
Kevin Priddy  
Palmer Tucker

**May 14**

Mrs. Nan Benfield  
Mrs. Hazel Stephenson

**May 15**

Jackie Severt, Sr.  
David Tucker

**May 16**

Mrs. Becky Gibbons  
Emily Huffman  
Mrs. Angie Story

**May 17**

Mrs. Margaret Correll  
Jordyn Roberts

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**  
**COMING UP JUNE 22!**

If you can volunteer  
to help during VBS,  
please contact Amy  
Moore at 244-2975 or  
Lucy Cook at 292-0282.

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PLEASE REMEMBER that  
Anneal can use any  
Christian publications  
you can recycle.

## PASTOR'S NOTES

### **Sunday Night:**

On Sunday night our cups were filled and running over. We gathered with our sister church, The Mount Pilgrim Baptist, for an evening of sharing. There were joyous experiences of music, and a concert of prayer. We laughed together and lifted one another to the throne of grace. Friendships were formed while other friendships were renewed.

And then there was the food. There were four lines passing tables heavily covered with food. There was a rich variety of home-made goodness. When all had been served, it was like the miracle of the loaves and fishes...there was plenty of food to be taken home. I saw several people sharing their leftovers with others to take home.

We have an invitation to visit with Mt. Pilgrim this fall. We shall look forward to another gracious and grace filled evening of sharing.

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## ATTENTION

We are planning to publish the names of our high school and college graduates. If you have a student or know of someone who is to graduate, please let us know.

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## WOM PROJECT

The WOM are planning to ship 3 boxes to our Soldiers that are still away on War Missions. If you would like to help in any way, please contact Crystal Dula at 754-7393 or at [c-dularn@yahoo.com](mailto:c-dularn@yahoo.com).

They are planning on shipping these boxes the middle of May. WOM would love your help in filling these boxes.

## LOST AND FOUND

Several items have been found on church property (inside and out) and turned in to the office. If either you or your child has lost sun-glasses, jewelry, coat or even a purse, please check with the office. If these items are not claimed they will be donated or dis-carded.

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**REMEMBER YOUR  
MOTHER'S DAY  
CONTRIBUTION**

**FOR**

**NC BAPTIST  
HOSPITAL**

## CHURCH FORUM

Our regular scheduled church forum will be held on Wednesday, May 20, at 6:30 p.m. immediately following our family night supper.

## DENTAL BUS REPORT

Congratulations to the First Baptist Church for a very successful Dental Bus Project. This past week our Church was able to host a tremendous Mission statement by having the NC Dental Bus here again. We saw 20 adults on Wednesday and 65 children on Thursday and Friday. Those numbers surpass our previous numbers and we are making plans to improve next November. I want to thank very much the volunteers from our church for their hard work and dedication. Thanks to Phyllis Chapman, Joe Gambi, Jo Ann Gibbons, Judy Daughtridge, Judy Perry, Anneal Ledbetter, Arbie Runion, Bud Fisher, Helen Fisher, John Dockery, Helen Dockery, Dan Wortman, Clint Castellaw, John Bacon, Peggy Shore, Charles Helms, Bill Carter and Millie Brooks.

Also thanks to our fine Church Staff for their co-ordination and support.

This is a great program. Being involved with the Dental Bus is a great reward and we look forward to November.

Ron Stilwell

## HOSPITAL

**Frye Regional**

Andy Williams

**Carolinas Medical**

Jack Spainhour

**THANK YOU**

Dear Church Family,

Please accept my thanks for all the cards, visits, prayers and other remembrances following the death of my beloved sister, Mabel L. Taylor.

My special thanks to Dr. David Smith for his visit. He is truly God's messenger, bringing peace, comfort and hope in trying times.

In God's love,  
Margaret L. Smith

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**OUTREACH MINISTRIES**  
**OF OUR CHURCH**

T.V. BROADCAST OF OUR  
WEDNESDAY EVENING  
BIBLE STUDY AND  
SPECIAL EVENTS  
THURSDAYS - 8:00 P.M.  
LOCAL UHF CHANNEL 49  
AND CABLE CHANNEL 13

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH  
34 MAIN STREET, NEW  
LENOIR, NC 28645

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**FAMILY NIGHT MENU**

Wednesday, May 13

Glazed Roast Pork  
Rice and Gravy  
Vegetable Casserole  
Buttered Bread  
Orange-Walnut  
Lettuce Salad  
Fresh Strawberry Pie  
\*Grilled Cheese and  
Tater Tots

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**WEDNESDAY NIGHT**  
**WELCOME AND BLESSING**  
**May 13**  
Brent Kincaid

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT**  
**DINNER TAKE-OUTS**  
**May 13**  
Derrick Walters

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**SUNDAY MORNING**  
**OFFERTORY PRAYER**  
**May 10**  
Dan Redding

**STAFF**

**David B. Smith**  
Senior Minister

**Thomas R. Hinton**  
Minister of Music  
and Youth

**Rebecca K. Lawing**  
Children's Ministry

**Nan R. Benfield**  
Preschool Director

**Rodney Ward**  
Organist

**Elizabeth Icenhour**  
Executive Assistant

**Geneva R. Bradshaw**  
Administrative Assistant

**Paul C. McCurry**  
Maintenance Supervisor

**Terri Clapsaddle**  
Hostess

**Terry Hagy**  
Custodian

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