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THE LIGHT

FORK BAPTIST CHURCH



Fork Family Thanksgiving Meal

Wednesday, November 20
6:30 P.M.

Fellowship Hall

Special Times of Testimony & Praise
Bring Enough For Your Family +1



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Mr. Jonathan Scott, Minister of Students & Education

Rev. Steve Dowl, Worship Pastor

Suzie Sallen, Ministry Assistant

Nora Smith, Church Custodian & Organist

Doug Sarver, Finnist

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SENIOR PASTOR NOTES!

FORK'S FALL FESTIVAL.....was truly an awesome experience for everyone who witnessed what God did. With about 600 in attendance we were able to reach many for the glory of the Lord that we might not have been able to do otherwise. Of course we would not have been able to pull off such an amazing event without the hard work and dedication of many "Fork folks". Thanks especially to our Leadership team as well as to everyone who brought extra candy for our 12th annual Wilderness Tunnel. Also a special thanks goes to *Holly Miller*, and all her kitchen helpers, as well as, Coed 4 for doing a great job cleaning up. We could not have done it without these and SO many others!! Fork leadership you have indeed lived out I Timothy 3:13 *"Those who have served well gain an excellent standing and great assurance in their faith in Christ Jesus."* GREAT JOB!

OUR 2020 PROPOSED MINISTRY BUDGETwill be given out next Sunday following the morning service. Our Finance Committee and Deacons have prayed and worked diligently in presenting a budget that is attainable but challenging. Please review and be here Sunday night, November 23 to discuss and adopt this important budget. We must all then pray and follow God's leading on how we must do our part in reaching this ministry budget so God's Kingdom can continue to be advanced in this community and even throughout our world. Remember Luke 6:38 *"Give and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over, will be poured into your lap. For with the measure you use, it will be measured to you."*

OUR LORD IS SHOWING us through our series on the "Disciples Prayer" that prayer is indeed vital for every aspect of our lives. We determined this past Sunday that we must pray for "our daily bread" (needs). In light of this important spiritual discipline we will be having a FORK day of prayer November 18. Our sanctuary will be open all day for prayer and mediation, as well as, we will have two prayer and praise services that day. One at 11:00 a.m. and then at 6:30 p.m. Read 2 Chronicles 7:14 and let's not just talk about prayer LET'S DO IT.

WE ARE ENTERING INTO..... indeed my favorite time of the year, THE HOLIDAYS. For the next month we as a church family will have many opportunities to truly experience the true meaning of the upcoming Thanksgiving and Christmas season. As we celebrate Thanksgiving and our Savior's birthday, may we as individual families and a church family truly experience all that God has for us. I hope you will take advantage of all the opportunities the Lord will give you during these special times with your church family to express your love to the Lord and His people. A brand new Christmas event you will have the opportunity to experience is our Family Advent Wreath Making Party. See this edition of The Light for details. Also we will have our 2nd annual Christmas Gathering on December 1 at 6:00 p.m. We are hoping, planning and praying all our events will impact not only our Fork Family but our entire community. PRAY AND PLAN WITH US.

NEXT WEDNESDAY.....our church family has yet another opportunity to experience "koinonia" which means true fellowship at our annual Thanksgiving meal and celebration. Each year this is one of the highlights of our church family celebrations. I hope and pray you will make this special celebration a priority for you and your family. Don't forget to bring enough food for your family PLUS 1. Then get ready to join God's people in *"Giving thanks to the Lord for HE is good."* Psalms 106:1

Your Grateful Pastor

YOUTH MINISTRY & OTHER NEWS



High School Guys Bible Study
Thursdays
6:30 P.M.
Youth Room

Wednesday Night Youth
6:30 P.M.
Youth Room



Capture the Flag Youth Outing
November 9
Meet at Church at 5:00 P.M.
Traveling to Yadkinville
Return by 10:00 P.M.



Mark Your Calendars...
Youth Bonfire
November 23
7:30 P.M.
Home of David & Paula Tkach
398 Joe Rd, Mocksville

SUNDAY NIGHT
YOUTH GROUP

Youth Sunday Nights
5:30 P.M.
Youth Room

AWANA Christmas Party
November 17
5:30 P.M.



Thank you to all the ladies who participated in the Elijah Bible study with Susan Utsey. It was a wonderful time of fellowship studying God's Word. - Thanks, Jane Jones



Shoe Boxes
For Operation Christmas Child
Available Outside Church Office
Please put Finished Boxes Across From Church Office Along the Wall
Boxes due by November 24



2020 Budget Process
November 17- Proposed Budgets Handled Out in Morning Worship Service
November 24 - Proposed 2020 Budget Presented at Business Meeting for Discussion & Vote



Business Meeting
November 24
5:30 P.M.



Agenda

- October Financial Report
- 2020 Proposed Budget Presentation, Discussion & Vote

Angel Tree Sunday
Next Sunday
Before and After
10:00 A.M. Service
Choose an angel from the Tree and help a child in our community.



UPCOMING EVENTS!

NURSERY SCHEDULE

This Sunday, November 10

10:00 A.M. SERVICE

Nursery 1- Bradley & Anna Coe

Nursery 2 - Jennifer & Savannah Becker



Next Sunday, November 17

10:00 A.M. SERVICE

Nursery 1- Andrey Freeman & Julia Howell

Nursery 2 - Nick & Bryn Taylor

Coordinator

November- Bryn Taylor

CHILDREN'S CHURCH SCHEDULE

This Sunday, Nov. 10- Justin & Amelia

Latham

Next Sunday, Nov. 17- Gina Bandy

Coordinator ~ Holly Miller 940-4117



Fall Festival Update

A God-Size Event

About 600 Present

Over 20 cars in Trunk or Treat

**Thanks to everyone who made this
a "God-Size" Event**

**Special Thanks to Our Wonderful
Team Leaders:**



Registration- Heidi Jones

Meal- Holly Miller & Benita Finney

Trunk or Treat- Jonathan & Emily Quince

Concessions- Darryl & Gina Bandy

Hayride- James Hendrix

Face Painting- Rachel Quince

Games- Jonathan Scott

Car/ Trunk Contest- Jon & Emily Quince

Costume Contest- Vickie Garrett &

Melody Morton

Wilderness Tunnel- Jonathan Quince

Cupcakes- Carey Marson

Photo Booth- Vickie Garrett

Parking- Grady Barney



Decorate the Church

For Christmas

November 25, 26, 27

9:00 A.M. - Until

Children's Choir

Christmas Practice

Sunday Nights

4:30 P.M.

Dawn Jones: Director

Come & Join Us!!



Deacons' Dinner

November 16

6:00 p.m.

Fellowship Hall

Bring a Lawn Chair

Choir Christmas Cantata Practice

Sunday Nights

7:00 P.M.

Sanctuary

All Are Welcome to Join Us!!



Seniors Meal

This Monday, November 11

11:00 A.M.

Fellowship Hall



Preschool Christmas Choir

Practices

Sunday Nights

5:00 P.M.

Holly Miller: Director

COME WORSHIP WITH US

Come Worship With Us

This Sunday, November 10

Special Veteran's Service

10:00 A.M.

"Mere Human Beings"

I Corinthians 3:3-17

By Jonathan Scott

5:30 P.M.

Awana & Youth

6:00 P.M.

Life Group

Next Sunday, November 17

10:00 A.M.

"The Pardon of Prayer"

Matthew 6:12,14-15

By Our Pastor

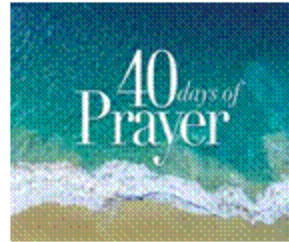
5:30 P.M.

Awana & Youth

6:00 P.M.

Life Group

Life Group
40 Days of
Prayer
Sunday Nights
6:00 P.M.
Sanctuary
Join Us!



Church-wide Day of Prayer
November 18
Church Open All Day for Prayer
Special Prayer Sessions at
11:00 A.M. & 6:30 P.M.
Sanctuary

Special Veterans Recognition Service

This Sunday

10:00 A.M. Worship

Jonathan Scott, Speaker



Mark Your Calendars!!!
Advent Wreath Making Party

November 24

6:00 P.M.

Fellowship Hall

Come and make an Advent Wreath to Take Home

Families & Individuals of all ages

Cocoa, Snacks & Christmas Music

A Great way to Kick Off Your Christmas Season



Pastor's Sermon Series

Prayer is the Key That

Unlocks All Doors

Sunday Mornings

10:00 A.M. Worship

In this series we will attempt to answer these questions in *Prayer the key that unlocks ALL doors*, an up-close, phrase-by-phrase look at the prayer Christ modeled for His followers of every era.

Spiritual Statistics

Sunday, October 27

S. S. Attendance 121
10:00 a.m. Worship Attendance 141

Financial Statistics

Week of October 27

Weekly Budget Receipts \$5,894.50
Weekly Budget Needs \$7,700.00
Deficit -\$1,805.50

Weekly Designated Funds

Total Tithes & Offerings \$5,894.50

Sunday, November 3

S. S. Attendance 147
10:00 a.m. Worship Attendance 186

Financial Statistics

Week of November 3

Weekly Budget Receipts \$10,409.00
Weekly Budget Needs \$7,700.00
Surplus +\$2,709.00

Weekly Designated Funds

Bereavement \$100.00
Seniors \$50.00
Building Fund \$20.00

Total Tithes & Offerings \$10,579.00



Rowan Regional
Refr. Remembrance
Surgery
November 14

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Mocksville, NC 27028

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