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THE LIGHT

FORK BAPTIST CHURCH



MARCH IS VBS SIGN UP MONTH



Miraculous Mission VBS

June 17-21

Sign Up This Month to be a Mission Specialist



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SENIOR PASTOR NOTES!

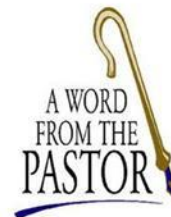
THE LADIES OF FORK..... truly led out in a great way this past Sunday during our morning worship services. There was great praise and worship, great testimonies and a wonderful challenge from awesome communicator, **Mrs. Susan Utsey**. Already many have shared how much they enjoyed the all ladies Sunday school fellowship and Bible study lead by **Susan**, as well. We are truly blessed to have ladies in our church that continue to take a stand for the Lord and for the mission He has given us. A special thanks goes to **Mrs. Dorothy Jones** and **Mrs. Jane Jones** for coordinating the day's events. Also thanks to many of our men for stepping up and taking on the responsibilities that our ladies provide each week. Ladies thank you for truly allowing us to see JESUS IN YOU.

OUR LORD YET AGAIN brought HIS harvest to our wonderful church family. This past Sunday, during our 11:00 a.m. service **Hunter Steele** united with our church family by profession of faith and baptism in the Lord, Jesus Christ. What a wonderful decision **Hunter** and others have made in recent weeks. Let's all do our best to help these that have made life changing decisions to grow in their relationship with Jesus Christ. Let's also assist them in finding God's purpose as they mature in their relationship with our Lord. Also, this Sunday during our 11:00 a.m. service we will have the blessed privilege to witness **Sebastian's, Bailey's, Wendy's, Destiny's, and Hunter's** Biblical profession of faith which is the ordinance of baptism. Please be here to not only witness their obedience to the Lord but to support them in this most important decision they will every make in their entire lives. Let's continue to rejoice for the harvest our Lord continues to bring to our church family. He has more for us to reap! *"I tell you, open your eyes and look at the fields! They are ripe for harvest."* John 4:35

OUR MIRACULOUS MISSION VBS.....directors, **Emily Quance, Brandi Miller** and **Renae Tkach** have already been preparing for an awesome week of Vacation Bible School. This year's Vacation Bible School is based on John 3:16 "For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life." We need as many adults (Mission Specialists) to volunteer and help **Emily, Brandi** and **Renae** make our 2019 VBS the very best yet!!! So be sure to VBS- Volunteer Before Summer.

"NOT FORSAKING THE ASSEMBLING..... *of ourselves together, as the manner of some is; but exhorting one another: and so much the more, as ye see the day approaching.*" Hebrews 10:25 Don't miss a single minute of what God will do in and through you this Sunday in HIS HOUSE.

For HIS Kingdom only,
Pastor



YOUTH MINISTRY & OTHER NEWS



**Mid/Week in the Loft
Wednesday Nights
6:30 P.M. ~ Youth Room**



Every Sunday come grab a cup of Factory Coffeehouse Coffee in the Youth Café after the first service before Sunday School.



**Registration Open Online
Girl's Retreat
Fearless
Morton's Lake House
March 15-17
\$30 Due Next Sunday**

**Golf Tournament
April 27
Registration Online
Open Now
\$100 Hole Sponsorships Available
See Dakota**



**Loft Under Construction
Come Check Out All the
New Changes in our Youth Room**



**AWANAS
Sundays
5:30 P.M.**



**This Sunday-Wear a Hat!! The Crazier the Better
Next Sunday-Bring a Friend Night**

**Beginning This Sunday
Connect Groups
(Sunday Night Youth)
Will take place during
Sunday School**



**Guy's Retreat
Camping Trip April 5-7
Sons \$60/Dads \$30
Due March 31
Register Online forkyouth.com**



**Snowbird Camp
July 1-6 \$400 per person
Space limited \$100 Deposit due April 3
Red Springs Mission Camp
July 22-27 \$275 per person
\$75 Deposit Due April 28
Both Open for Registration Now Online at forkyouth.com**



**New & Prospective
Member Class
Begins This Sunday
9:45 A.M.**

**Fellowship Hall
All adult members and non-members
are invited to join us**



UPCOMING EVENTS!

NURSERY SCHEDULE

This Sunday, March 3

8:30 A.M. SERVICE— Matt & Heather James

11:00 A.M. SERVICE

Nursery 1— Robbie & Barbara Lanier
Nursery 2— Keith & Carey Mason



Next Sunday March 10

8:30 A.M. SERVICE— Todd & Cindy Freeman

11:00 A.M. SERVICE

Nursery 1— Michael & Sherry Jaycocks
Nursery 2— Jim & Angela Eberly

Coordinator

March — Paula Tkach 336-940-5547

CHILDREN'S CHURCH SCHEDULE

This Sunday, March 3— Blaire Whitaker

Next Sunday, March 10— Diane Green

Coordinator ~ Holly Miller 940-4117



Almost 50 people stepped up to help make our Ladies Day 2019 a blessing to all. Wonderful testimonies, inspiring messages from Mrs. Utsey, and men serving breakfast and filling in for nursery helped make this day special.
~Thank you, Dorothy Jones, WMU Director



Missions Conference

"Known by Love"

April 6 in Charlotte, NC

\$20 per person includes Lunch & Sessions

Sign Up Outside Church Office

See Jane Jones with any Questions

We will carpool

Easter Cantata Practice

Sunday Nights

7:00 P.M.

Begins Next Sunday, March 10



Spring Forward

One Hour

Saturday, March 9

Before You Retire for the Night

**STAFF
RETREAT**

Staff Retreat
Friday-Saturday
March 1-2

Deacons' Meeting

March 10

3:45 P.M.

Library



Seniors' Gathering

March 18

11:00 A.M.

Fellowship Hall

Lunch & Entertainment by The Sunshine Sisters



Baby Shower for

Brittany & Bradley Prevetle

This Sunday

2:00-4:00 P.M.

Fellowship Hall

Registered at Target and Bed, Bath & Beyond

Bring a Book Instead of a Card

COME WORSHIP WITH US

Come Worship With Us

This Sunday, March 3

8:30 & 11:00 A.M.

"Made to Count: Leadership or Followership"

Matthew 4:18-22

By Our Pastor

5:30 P.M.

AWANAS

6:00 P.M.

Life Group



Next Sunday, March 10

8:30 & 11:00 A.M.

"Made to Count: The Heart of Followership"

Luke 5:1-11

By Our Pastor

5:30 P.M.

AWANAS

6:00 P.M.

Life Group

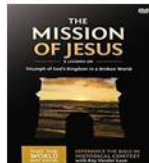
Life Group

Sundays

6:00 P.M.

"The Mission of Jesus"

By Ray Vander Laan



Ordinance of Baptism

This Sunday ~ 11:00 Worship

Sebastian Booe, Hunter Steele

Wendy Booe-Rycroft,

Destiny Rycroft, Bailey McKnight,



VISITORS

Ben & Sheryl Steele
4365 NC Hwy 801 S
Advance, NC 27006

NEW MEMBERS

Joined Sunday, February 24, 2019

11:00 a.m. Worship Service

Hunter Steele

SS Class: Grades 6-8

By Profession of Faith & Baptism

Family Deacon: Brian Miller



NEW WEDNESDAY NIGHT

BIBLE STUDY SERIES

BEGINS MARCH 6 ~ 7:00 P.M.

What are the true marks of an effective follower of Christ? Join us on Wednesday nights at 7:00 p.m. as we together learn key marks of a great Christ-follower from the early church in the book of Acts. In this day in time we all need assistance in making an impact on our family and community.

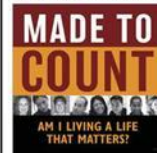
Join us as we together gain great insights from God's Word in being an effective Christ-follower.



PASTOR RESUMES MESSAGE SERIES

THIS SUNDAY ~ 8:30 & 11:00 A.M.

We all desperately want to leave a positive imprint on our world. We want to leave things and people better than we found them to be remembered well. And so, we dread the idea that, in the end, our lives might not count for much. *This Made to Count* message series drives straight to the heart of that fear of failure. It will help each of us discover our God-designed purpose during 2019 and beyond as well as to find our life's true meaning and experience life's greatest passion. Our theme passage is *"Be very careful, then, how you live—not as unwise but as wise, making the most of every opportunity, because the days are evil. Therefore do not be foolish, but understand what the Lord's will is."* Ephesians 5:15-17 Join our Church family for the few weeks as we continue to make sure 2019 is "Made to Count"



<u>Spiritual Statistics</u>	
<u>Sunday, February 17</u>	
S. S. Attendance	154
8:30 a.m. Worship Attendance	91
11:00 a.m. Worship Attendance	102
TOTAL IN MORNING WORSHIP	193
<u>Financial Statistics</u>	
<u>Week of February 17</u>	
Weekly Budget Receipts	\$11,768.00
Weekly Budget Needs	\$7,700.00
Surplus	+\$4,068.00
<u>Weekly Designated Funds</u>	
Homebound	\$50.00
<i>Total Tithes & Offerings</i>	<i>\$11,818.00</i>
<u>Sunday, February 24- Ladies Day</u>	
S. S. Attendance	160
8:30 a.m. Worship Attendance	90
11:00 a.m. Worship Attendance	119
TOTAL IN MORNING WORSHIP	209
<u>Financial Statistics</u>	
<u>Week of February 24</u>	
Weekly Budget Receipts	\$5,349.22
Weekly Budget Needs	\$7,700.00
Deficit	-\$2,350.78
<u>Weekly Designated Funds</u>	
Homebound	\$50.00
Awanas Offering	\$43.74
<i>Total Tithes & Offerings</i>	<i>\$5,442.96</i>



Forsyth
Frances Wilkinson
Room# 5162
Family Deacon:
Alvin Howard

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