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# THE LIGHT

*FORK BAPTIST CHURCH*



## Fork Men's Day



This Sunday, March 9th

Men's Breakfast at 7:30 am in Fellowship Hall

8:30 & 11:00 Worship Led by Men of Fork

Special Guest Speaker, Bill Williams with Campers on a Mission

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**Rev. Nathan Hepler, Minister of Youth & Education**

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## S E N I O R   P A S T O R   N O T E S !

THE MEN OF FORK.....will be leading our time of worship in both morning services this coming Lord's day. Your Pastor's heartfelt desire and plea is that every man of Fork will be here this Lord's day as we act upon the command in Scripture that men are to be the spiritual leaders in the home AND church. We will begin the day with a Men's Breakfast at 7:30 a.m, so all men, young and not so young, come out and join us for this great time of fellowship and worship. A special thanks goes to **Mr. Tony Moore and Mr. Lane LeVan** for coordinating the day's events. Men of Fork, let's together make sure we live out 2 Timothy 3:17 which says, "[t]he man of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work."

TIME IS RUNNING OUT .....to sign up for the new pictorial directory of our church family. This is a vital outreach and in-reach ministry tool that we can use to advance God's kingdom in the community and church. The directory will continue to help us to connect names with faces, especially with those who have united with our church over the past few years. PLEASE PARTICIPATE! All we ask is that you have your picture taken by the professional photographer and meet with a portrait consultant at the church. You can also sign up online by going to our website [forkbaptist.com](http://forkbaptist.com). Every participating family that selects a pose for the directory will receive a FREE directory and a complimentary 8 X 10 Custom Natural Portrait. You will only be asked to come to the church once for photography and for portrait viewing. PLEASE PARTICIPATE! Our new pictorial directory won't be complete WITHOUT YOU!

NEXT SUNDAY BEGINS FORK'S .....very important "Youth Week" with an awesome theme. The theme of Youth Week 2014 is "Make a Difference" based on Acts 6. It all starts NEXT Sunday morning, as our youth will lead ALL our Sunday School classes, so PLEASE be in your place to support and encourage our youth as they take on this great responsibility. Then, on Sunday and Wednesday nights they will have some very special fellowship and worship times together lead by our Minister of youth. Youth week will conclude Sunday, March 23 during our 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. services as our youth lead us in worship. Please refer to the insert in THIS edition of the light so you won't miss out on all the exciting things our youth are involved in. I would like to express my deepest appreciation and support to our Minister of Youth and Education **Nathan Hepler** and our entire Youth Ministry leadership. We are indeed blessed at Fork to have the awesome youth ministry leadership that we have. Let's pray for and encourage our youth and their leadership especially this week as they lead us in "MAKING A DIFFERENCE!"

OUR SONTREASURE ISLAND ADVENTURE V.B.S..... directors have already been meeting and preparing for an awesome week of Vacation Bible School. We need as many adults (Captains) to "enlist" and help **Emily Quance and Stephanie Ashby** make our 2014 VBS the very best yet!!! So be sure to VBS- "Volunteer Before Summer."

HOPE TO SEE YOU SUNDAY..... and don't forget to set those clocks one hour ahead before going to bed on Saturday night! We don't want you to miss a single minute of what God will do in and through you this Sunday in HIS HOUSE.

For HIS Kingdom only,  
Your Pastor

## YOUTH MINISTRY WEEK



**March 16-23 Youth Week**

**March 16** - Youth Lead S.S.

**March 23** - Youth Lead  
Worship Services

Theme: Make a Difference! (Acts 6)



Don't Forget!

Baskets for Youth Fundraiser are due on March 23rd. Youth will pick them up from your SS Class that morning.

They will be available to bid on March 30th - April 13th.

Thanks for your support of our youth!

**Port-a-Pit Tickets  
on Sale Now!**

See a Fork youth now to purchase tickets for our youth fundraiser on May 31st!



**Youth Missions Trip  
to Kentucky**

\$40 Deposit Due ASAP



**NOW OPEN!!!  
FORKBUCKS COFFEE**

Open on Sundays

9:20-9:55 a.m.

Located upstairs in Youth Café

Serving Coffee & Pastries

Donations Accepted, Benefits Youth Missions

**"God's Not Dead"**

Movie Night  
For Youth  
March 29th  
Time TBA

**GOD'S  
NOT DEAD**



All Youth Save the Date!!!!

**Camp Caswell**

**July 7-12**

Begin Signing Up Now. \$50 Deposit Due.

Calling all youth!

Join us on  
Sunday nights at 5:30 pm  
as we continue our small  
group series

**"Made to Make  
a Difference"**



**Youth Ice Cream Party**

Wednesday, March 19th  
following Youth Direction  
at 7:00 pm



Save the Date for  
**FBSM's Annual  
Golf Tournament**

**May 17th at Lake Louise**

Start inviting your friends now to  
put teams together!

See Nathan with any questions.

**AWANAS**  
Sunday Nights ~ 5:30 P.M.

Menu/Events

**March 9:** Corn Dogs,  
French Fries & Fruit

**March 16:** Pizza Bites,  
Carrots & Broccoli with Ranch



## UPCOMING EVENTS!

### NURSERY SCHEDULE

#### **This Sunday, March 9**

8:30 A.M. SERVICE - Dorcas Seaford &  
Breanna Parker

11:00 A.M. SERVICE

Nursery 1 - Cliff & Renae Tkach

Nursery 2 - Amy Jarvis

6:00 P.M. - Sandy Leonard

S.S. Nursery - Scott & Amy Davis



#### **Next Sunday, March 16**

8:30 A.M. SERVICE - Wendy Turner

11:00 A.M. SERVICE

Nursery 1 - Brian & Brandi Miller

Nursery 2 - Vickie Garrett & Charlie Wood

6:00 P.M. - Sandy Leonard

S.S. Nursery - Michael & Sherry Jaycocks

**Coordinator ~Amy Jarvis 749-9408**



### **CHILDREN'S CHURCH SCHEDULE**

This Sunday, March 9 - Diane Green

Next Sunday, March 16 - Brian & Emily Moore

### **March is VBS Sign Up Month!!!**

**June 16-20**

**9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.**

Theme: SonTreasure Island



### **Church Pictorial Directory**

**March 26-29**

**April 18-19**

Sign Up Now Outside of Church Office  
or on our Website!



Be a part of our  
family album  
**PORTRAIT  
SIGN-UP**

### **March Ushers**

8:30am - Gray Bodford, Capt.

Jesse Beeker

Ricky Rummage

11:00am - Brian Moore, Capt.,

Justin Lanning, Mike

Livengood & Don Bailey



*gideon*

BY PRISCILLA SHIRER



Ladies Bible Study

**Monday Nights**

**6:30 p.m. ~ Fellowship Hall**

Gideon by Priscilla Shirer

### **Wednesday Night Suppers**

**6:00 P.M. ~ Fellowship Hall**

**March 12 - Fried Chicken, Fixings &  
Dessert**

**March 19 - Mexican Buffet & Dessert**



This Sunday

March 9

3:45 p.m. ~ Library



### **Seniors Lunch**

Tuesday, March 18

11:00 am

In Fellowship Hall



We offer our Christian love & sympathy  
to Elizabeth Hendrix & Frances  
Wilkinson in the loss of their brother,  
John Foster.

## COME WORSHIP WITH US

### Come Worship With Us

**This Sunday, March 9**

**8:30 & 11:00 A.M. Worship**

Fork Men's Day

Guest Speaker:

Mr. Bill Williams

**5:30 P.M.**

AWANAS & Youth

**6:00 P.M.**

Life Groups



**Next Sunday, March 16**

**8:30 & 11:00 A.M. Worship**

"Getting Our Heart to a Better Place"

Mark 4:21-32

By Our Pastor

**5:30 P.M.**

AWANAS & Youth

**6:00 P.M.**

Life Groups

### **Annie Armstrong Offering**

Our Goal: \$8,000.00

Given to Date: \$551.00

**Needed to Reach Goal: \$7,449.00**

**Week of Prayer for North America Missions**

March 2-9



### WELCOME VISITORS

Robin & Eddy Dotson  
415 Comanche Drive  
Advance, NC 27006

Harry Lee Williams  
Mocksville, NC

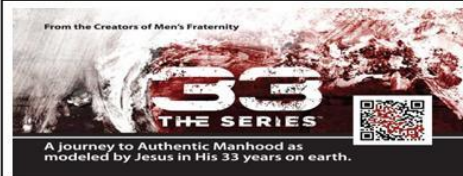


**New Wednesday Night**

**Bible Study**

**Got Faith?**

**7:00 P.M. ~ Fellowship Hall**



**Men's Bible Study**

**Beginning April 7**

**Mondays ~ 6:30 p.m. ~ Fellowship Hall**

**33 the Series: Authentic Manhood**

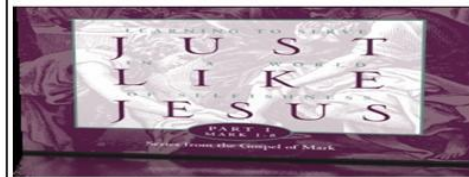
**Sign Up Now Outside the Church Office!!**

**See Nathan Hepler with Questions.**

### **Pastor's Sermon Series**

**Sunday Mornings**

**8:30 & 11:00 A.M. Worship**



### Spiritual Statistics

#### Sunday, February 23

<b>S. S. Attendance</b>	<b>179</b>
<b>8:30 a.m. Worship Attendance</b>	<b>81</b>
<b>11:00 a.m. Worship Attendance</b>	<b>139</b>
<b>TOTAL IN MORNING WORSHIP</b>	<b>220</b>
<b>Life Groups on Sunday Night</b>	<b>52</b>

### Financial Statistics

#### Week of February 23

<b>Weekly Budget Receipts</b>	<b>\$5,136.00</b>
<b>Weekly Budget Needs</b>	<b>\$7,929.00</b>
<b>Deficit</b>	<b>-\$2,793.00</b>

### Weekly Designated Funds

<b>Building Fund</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>
<b>Annie Armstrong</b>	<b>\$100.00</b>
<b>Youth</b>	<b>\$50.00</b>
<b>Total Tithes &amp; Offerings</b>	<b>\$5,306.00</b>

#### Sunday, March 2

<b>S. S. Attendance</b>	<b>220</b>
<b>8:30 a.m. Worship Attendance</b>	<b>84</b>
<b>11:00 a.m. Worship Attendance</b>	<b>167</b>
<b>TOTAL IN MORNING WORSHIP</b>	<b>257</b>
<b>Life Groups on Sunday Night</b>	<b>52</b>

### Financial Statistics

#### Week of March 2

<b>Weekly Budget Receipts</b>	<b>\$11,795.00</b>
<b>Weekly Budget Needs</b>	<b>\$7,929.00</b>
<b>Surplus</b>	<b>+\$3,866.00</b>

### Weekly Designated Funds

<b>Annie Armstrong</b>	<b>\$451.00</b>
<b>Initial Offering</b>	<b>\$2.00</b>
<b>Youth</b>	<b>\$297.00</b>
<b>Total Tithes &amp; Offerings</b>	<b>\$12,545.00</b>



Don't forget to set your  
clocks an hour ahead  
this Saturday night!

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