**Volume 7 Number 2** 

# THE LIGHT

# FORK BAPTIST CHURCH





Prospective Minister of
Youth & Education

Dakota Gragg & wife, Hailey

Saturday 4:00-6:00 P.M.

Youth & Parent Pool Party Meet & Greet

Rising 6th Graders & Their Parents are Invited



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# **Sunday**

8:30 & 11:00 Worship

Dakota Will Share His Testimony 9:30-10:00 A.M.

Meet & Greet in Fellowship Hall Coffee & Doughnuts

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Rev. Robert Garrett, Senior Pastor
Brian Murphy, Interim Youth Leader
Rev. Steve Dowd, Worship Pastor
Suzie Sidden, Ministry Assistant
Nora Smith, Church Custodian & Organist
Dong Sarver, Pianist
Fork Baptist's website address: www.forkbaptist.com & www.forkyouth.com

## SENIOR PASTOR NOTES!

OUR LORD YET AGAIN ...... answered our Matthew 9:38 prayer. We give Him the glory for adding to our wonderful church family. We welcome *Ms. Ruby Carroll* who united with our church family by promise of letter last Sunday during our 11:00 a.m. service. *Ruby* is mother of *Mrs. Debbie Saver* Let's all do our best to help *Ruby* get accumulated to our church family. 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 FORK SUNDAY FUNDAY ......this past Sunday evening at our Fork Recreation Park was truly enjoyed by everyone who participated. With over 50 present it was a great opportunity for our church family to spend some quality time together just sharing all the good things God has done and is doing in our church families lives. Special thanks to our Youth Ministry Intern, **Brian Murphy** for planning all the activities and to **Holly Miller** and **David Tkach** for helping prepare the delicious food. We will indeed continue to make this special time together a yearly event.

THIS PAST SUNDAY.......... during both services *Mr. Mike Morton*, Chairman of our Deacons, shared some very exciting news with our church fellowship. After much work, searching and above all prayer our Deacons and Personnel committee recommend unanimously *Dakota Gragg* as our Minister of Youth and Education. *Dakota* and his wife *Hailey* will be with our church family the weekend of July 28-29 so that you can meet them, as well as, affirm what our Deacons and Personnel Committee feel the Lord's will is in relation to our youth and education ministries. Please see in this edition of The Light the schedule for this all important weekend. Please take advantage of these important times we will have with this special couple so that we all might determine what the "good and perfect will of God" is. Please pray for *Dakota* and *Hailey* as they prepare for his all important weekend.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR STUDENTS AND LEADERS......as they leave Sunday morning for their mission trip to Loveland, Colorado. The Lord is indeed doing a GREAT work among our students. Pray and encourage our adult counselors *David and Annette Dezarn, Brian and Jennifer Beeker* and *Diane Green*. Also be present next Sunday night July 29 at 6:00 p.m. as they share of their experiences.

WE MUST GIVE VERY SERIOUS PRAYERFUL THOUGHT.................. to our deacon nomination process for our 2018-2019 church year. According to God's word our deacons are the spiritual leaders of the Lord's church and we are to submit and follow their leadership. So that means we ALL must seriously consider who the LORD would have lead us especially over the next three years. You have the blessed opportunity to nominate up to four (4) men for this important ministry. The nomination process will continue for the next several weeks (August 19). After this process we will publish all men nominated in the light before the Deacon Selection which will be during both morning worship services on August 26. Nomination forms are available in the church office, as well as, at all bulletin locations.

For HIS Kingdom only, YOUR Pastor

#### YOUTH MINISTRY & OTHER NEWS



Youth Revive
Wednesday Nights
7:00 P.M. ~ Youth Room
with Brian Murphy



Youth Mission Trip to Loveland, Colorado July 22-27

Missions Reporting Service
July 29
6:00 P.M.
Sanctuary

R.L. & Hilda Seaford Scholarship Apply Now!!!! Forms Available At All Bulletin Locations Due Next Sunday, July 29





# **ATTENTION COLLEGE STUDENTS & PARENTS**

Please submit the following information if you are attending college or any institute of higher learning, local or out of town, this school year. Name, institution attending, address, Phone, E-mail address and birthday.

Please call the church office (998-8306) as soon as possible. We will publish school information in The Light next month.

# WELCOME

Rising 6th Graders
Are Invited to Join Us for

The Welcome to Our
Youth Group Trip!!!!





Youth Carowinds Trip

August 7

Depart at 8:00 A.M.

\$40 for Youth

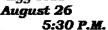
\$20 for Rising 6th Graders

Bring Money for Lunch
Sign Up in Youth Room ASAP!!!!



Youth Load the Bus For Mission Trip Saturday 5:00 P.M.

Homemade Ice Cream
Fellowship & Great American
Egg Toss
August 26





Bring Your Favorite Churn of Ice Cream Business Meeting Prior



Homecoming Covered Dish Lunch August 12

Following Homecoming Celebration Service Bring Enough for Your Family +1

#### UPCOMING EVENTS!

#### **NURSERY SCHEDULE**

This Sunday, July 22

8:30 A.M. SERVICE – Michael & Heidi Iones

#### 11:00 A.M. SERVICE

Nursery 1- Scott & Amy Davis

Nursery 2- Brian & Emily Moore

S.S. Nursery - Melody Morton & Blaire Whitaker



8:30 A.M. SERVICE – Audrey Freeman & Julia Howell 11:00 A.M. SERVICE

Nursery 1- Jennifer & Savannah Beeker

Nursery 2 - Jane Jones & Debbie Sarver

S.S. Nursery - Jonathan & Emily Quance

#### Coordinator

July-Paula Tkach 336-978-4797

#### CHILDREN'S CHURCH SCHEDULE

This Sunday, July 22– Brian & Kala Murphy
Next Sunday, July 29– Vickie Garrett & Charlie Wood
Coordinator ~ Holly Miller 940–4117



Seniors' Gathering
August 20
11:00 A.M.
Fellowship Hall
Lunch & Entertainment

Blood Drive
August 7
2:00-6:30 P.M.
Fellowship Hall
Sign up Outside
Church Office for Your
Appointment Time Slot





Business Meeting
Next Sunday
Prior to Missions Reporting Service

Agenda

\*June Financial Report

All Undesignated Monies at Homecoming will go towards Our Cemetery Fund





# 2018-19 Deacon Nominations August 26 8:30 & 11:00 Worship

#### 2017-18 Deacons

Brian Beeker, James Hendrix, Jonathan Quance, Donald Jones, Mike Livengood, Ken Merrell, Mike Morton, Robbie Lanier, Tim McKnight, Brian Murphy & Ricky Rummage.

Prayerfully consider who you would select to help minister to our church family.

Homecoming Golf Outing
August 12
2:00 P.M.
See Pastor to Sign
up to Play





Mark Your Calendars
Church
Homecoming
August 12

Guest Speaker: Ms. Karen Pruette
Covered Dish Luncheon to Follow

# **COME WORSHIP WITH US**

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This Sunday, July 22 8:30 & 11:00 A.M.

"The making of a Christ Follower"

Acts 14:19-28

By Our Pastor

**Outreach Sunday Evening** 

Next Sunday, July 29 8:30 & 11:00 A.M.

Special Testimony from Dakota Gragg
"Difference Makers Never Quit"

Acts 14:1-7
By Our Pastor

Services Concluded with Vote for Minster of Youth & Education

6:00 P.M.

Loveland, Colorado Mission Team Reporting Service

# PASTOR BEGINS NEW MESSAGE SERIES THIS SUNDAY~ CHRIST FOLLWERS

As we live between heaven and earth we are called to be God's light. To be God's light we must make sure we are growing into a mature follower of Christ. How can you identify a true Christ-follower? Effective Christ-followers are those who learn to lovingly do what God wants them to do. There are some identifiers of an effective Christ-follower. God uses transformed people

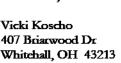


to transform people.

Join our pastor in this important study of the early church as we gain insights of being a true CHRIST FOLLOWER.

## **VISITORS**

Kim & Gayle Walker 749 Cornantzer Rd Mocksville, NC 27028



Renita Russell 1416 St Rt 203 Delaware, OH 43015

Tom Paterson 5190 King Rusty Ln Winston Salem, NC 27106



#### **NEW MEMBER**

Joined Sunday, July 8, 2018 11:00 a.m. Worship Service

# Ruby Carroll

SS Class: Ladies 3
By Promise of Letter
185 Meadow Oaks Dr
Statesville, NC 28625

(980)223-2453

Family Deacon: Robbie Lanier



Sundays

You are encouraged to spend the other Sunday evenings we do not meet with family and reaching out to those who need love, acceptance and encouragement.

# Spiritual Statistics

### Sunday, June 8

S. S. Attendance 149
8:30 a.m. Worship Attendance 88
11:00 a.m. Worship Attendance 104
TOTAL IN MORNING WORSHIP 192

#### **Financial Statistics**

# Week of July 8

Weekly Budget Receipts \$5,725.00 Weekly Budget Needs \$7,756.00 Deficit -\$2,031.00

# Weekly Designated Funds

none

Total Tithes & Offerings \$5,725.00

## Sunday, July 15

S. S. Attendance 136
8:30 a.m. Worship Attendance 78
11:00 a.m. Worship Attendance 107
TOTAL IN MORNING WORSHIP 185

## **Financial Statistics**

# Week of July 15

Weekly Budget Receipts \$9,622.00
Weekly Budget Needs \$7,756.00
Surplus +\$1,866.00

#### Weekly Designated Funds

Building Fund \$20.00 Total Tithes & Offerings \$9,642.00



Forsyth
Ruby Carler
Room#7170
Deacon: Jonathan
Quance

<u>Baptist-Thursday</u> Outpatient Surgery Heidi Jones Deacon: Ron Lanning Fork Baptist Church 3140 US Hwy. 64 East Mocksville, NC 27028

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