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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



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

Doug Sarver, Pianist

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

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 FUNDAYthis 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
Turn into the Office or to Jane Jones.



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!!!!

WELCOME! 6th graders!



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

5:30 P.M.



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 Jones

11:00 A.M. SERVICE

Nursery 1– Scott & Amy Davis

Nursery 2– Brian & Emily Moore

S.S. Nursery – Melody Morton & Blaire Whitaker



Next Sunday July 29

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

11:00 A.M. SERVICE

Nursery 1– Jennifer & Savannah Becker

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



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 Becker, 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.



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

Homecoming Golf Outing

August 12

2:00 P.M.

See Pastor to Sign
up to Play



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



Mark Your Calendars
Church
Homecoming
August 12

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

COME WORSHIP WITH US

Come Worship With Us

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 Voice for Minister of Youth & Education

6:00 P.M.

Loveland, Colorado Mission Team Reporting Service

VISITORS

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1416 St Rt 203
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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



PASTOR BEGINS NEW MESSAGE SERIES THIS SUNDAY- CHRIST FOLLOWERS

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.

OUTREACH®
Helping You Share God's Love

**Outreach
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

Baptist- Thursday
Outpatient Surgery
Heidi Jones
Deacon: Ron Lanning

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