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# THE LIGHT

**FORK BAPTIST CHURCH**



# H+OME COMING 2016

**Next Sunday, August 14**

**Guest Speaker: Rev. Nathan Hepler**

**8:30 A.M. Early Worship**

**9:45 A.M. Sunday School**

**10:45 A.M. Homecoming Celebration**

**12:00 P.M. Covered Dish Luncheon**

**2:00 P.M. Golf Outing at Pudding Ridge**

*No Evening Service or Activities*

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**Rev. Robert Garrett, Senior Pastor**

**Rev. Jeff Randolph, Minister of Youth & Education**

**Mr. Richard Holbrook, Worship Leader**

**Suzie Sibley, Administrative Assistant**

**Nora Smith, Church Custodian & Organist**

**Doug Sarver, Pianist**

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## SENIOR PASTOR NOTES!

THESE PAST FEW SUNDAYS.....has been truly another great example of how the Lord is moving within our church family. With the public profession of faith in Jesus Christ of *Frank and Edna Livengood* this past Sunday during our 8:30 a.m. service, as well as, *Richard Hoffbrook* accepting the call to become our new Worship Leader, our Lord is truly at work here in God's family. We have had great responses in both morning services, the Lord is truly moving amongst us. With all that the Lord is doing here in the Fork family we must never take it for granted. It is vital that we take very serious our Lord's words in Luke 12:48 .....*For unto whomsoever much is given, of him shall be much required....* He has given us so much so let's be "found faithful."

OUR FORK MINISTRY STAFF .....welcomes *Richard Hoffbrook* as our new Worship Leader. After much prayer *Richard* and his wife, *Jordan* have accepted the call to become our new Worship Leader. *Richard and Jordan* have two boys *Steven and Taylor*. Please welcome this new family as they come and minister to and with our church family. I am so looking forward as we sing and praise NOT about our Lord and Savior but TO our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Let's together be receptive to all that He has and continues to do in our lives and church. LET'S WORSHIP OUR LORD TOGETHER!

THIS WEEK OUR MINISTRY STAFF..... and many of our FBSM students and parents had the privilege to honor a very special group of folks in our church family, our widows and widowers. One of the major responsibilities of the ministry of FBC is to minister to this very special group. James 1:27 says *Religion that God our Father accepts as pure and faultless is this: to look after orphans and widows in their distress and to keep oneself from being polluted by the world.* Special thanks goes to *Emily Quance, Amy Jarvis, Annette Dezam, Suzie Siddlen* and many of our FBSM students for helping with the luncheon in their honor. Let's continue to love and minister to these very special folks. As we do GOD WILL BLESS OUR CHURCH.

WE WILL CELEBRATE 223 YEARS ..... of worshiping and serving our Lord NEXT Sunday at our homecoming celebration as a church family. Please be sure to invite former members, friends and neighbors for this very special celebration. We are honored to have with us *Rev. Nathan Helper*, and his lovely wife *Emily* to share the Homecoming messages. *Nathan* served as our Minister of Youth and Education from 2013 to 2015. Be sure to remain for our covered dish luncheon following our special celebrations. Come and let's celebrate together 223 years of "loving the Savior" here at Fork Baptist Church.

HOPE TO SEE YOU AT THE CELEBRATION!

For HIS Kingdom only,  
YOUR Pastor



## YOUTH MINISTRY & OTHER NEWS

Adventure Landing  
Putt Putt  
August 15  
Depart 9:00 A.M.

\$10 for all the putt putt you can play  
Need money for games, snacks/lunch



Youth Movie Night  
This Sunday  
6:00 P.M.  
At the Randolph's



Homecoming Golf Outing  
Next Sunday  
2:00 P.M.  
Pudding Ridge  
See Pastor to Sign Up



County-wide Youth  
Slip- n -Slide & Kick Ball Game  
August 28  
Details to Follow  
At Rock Baptist Church



Youth Tubing Trip  
on the New River  
Tuesday  
Depart at 8:00 A.M.  
\$15 plus snacks/meals  
4 hour tubing ride



### 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 date of birth.

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

Deacons  
Meeting

Deacon's Meeting  
This Sunday  
3:45 P.M.  
Library

Wednesday Night Suppers  
Resume  
September 7  
6:00 P.M.  
Fellowship Hall  
Make Plans to Join Us!



We offer our Christian love and sympathy to Dawna Jones, Pat Merrell, Sherri Queen, Jeffery Jones & Christopher Jones in the loss of their mother and grandmother, Nellie Snyder. To Martha Thompson in the loss of her brother, Douglas Vick. To Melody Morton, Emily Moore, & Zac Morton in the loss of their mother and grandmother, Jean Poplin.

## UPCOMING EVENTS!

### NURSERY SCHEDULE

This Sunday, August 7

**8:30 A.M. SERVICE-** Justin & Brittney Lanning

**11:00 A.M. SERVICE**

Nursery 1- Chris & Elaine Whitaker

Nursery 2- Amy Jarvis

S.S. Nursery - Eric & Aimee Parr



Next Sunday, August 14

**8:30 A.M. SERVICE** - Eric & Aimee Parr

**11:00 A.M. SERVICE**

Nursery 1- Kim & Paula Seaford

Nursery 2 - Mary Hinson & Debbie Cranfill

S.S. Nursery - Brad & Sherri Queen

### Coordinators

8:30 a.m.-Brittney Lanning 941-7162/Bayn Taylor 817-1371

11:00 a.m. -Paula Thach 978-4797/Amy Jarvis 749-9408

### CHILDREN'S CHURCH SCHEDULE

This Sunday, August 7- Sarah Randolph

Next Sunday, August 14 - Gina Bandy

Coordinator ~ Holly Miller 940-4117



### Fork's Fabulous Sundays

**August 28-** Special Service, Homemade Ice Cream Fellowship & 13th Annual Egg Toss

*\*\*You are encouraged to spend the other Sunday evenings with family & reaching out to those who need love, acceptance & encouragement.\*\**

It's That Time of Year AGAIN.... SS teachers if there is anything you need for the educational supply closet for your classrooms please write it on the notepad in the supply closet.



**Life  
groups**

Life Groups

Begin

September 18

Sunday Nights ~ 6:00 P.M.

Seniors Round Up  
**August 29\*note date change**  
11:00 A.M. ~ Fellowship Hall  
Meal & Mona Jo Griffin for  
Entertainment



Congratulations to **Bradley & Anna Cae**  
on the birth of their son  
**Henry Seaford Coe**  
Born July 23, 2016  
2:45 P.M.

6 pounds 15 ounces, 19 1/2 inches  
Proud Grandparents: **Kim & Paula Seaford**  
Proud Great-Grandmother: **Sarah Seaford**

Dear Church Family,

Thank you so much for all the acts of kindness showed to us during the passing of Tonya McBride. The food, cards, calls & especially the prayers. Thanks to Pastor Robert for all he did for us. The Bereavement Committee for the wonderful meal. I am so thankful to be a part of a loving church. -Love, Family of Tonya, Maretha & Kip

Homecoming  
Covered Dish Meal

Next Sunday

Following 10:45 Celebration

Fellowship Hall

Bring Enough For Your Family +1



Fork Baptist Church,

Thank you for the beautiful flowers and the food you brought to our family. Your thoughtfulness was a blessing to our family.

~ The Miller Family

## COME WORSHIP WITH US

### Come Worship With Us

This Sunday, August 7

8:30 & 11:00 A.M.

"Reality Check About Where to Begin"

1 Peter 1:23-2:3

By Rev. Robert Garrett

6:00 P.M.

Youth Movie Night @ the Randolph's

Next Sunday, August 14

Homecoming

8:30 & 10:45 A.M.

"Jesus' Homecoming"

Matthew 13:54-58

By Rev. Nathan Hepler

Covered Dish Meal to Follow

*No Evening Service or Activities*

### Visitors

Niah & Allisha Merrill

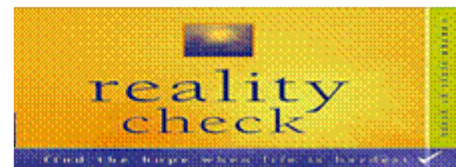
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**PASTOR CONTINUES**

**NEW SUMMER MESSAGE SERIES**

**This Sunday**

Have you ever gotten that cold splash of truth in your face? It's like a snap back to the way things really are, and you're like whoa, how did I get over here?

Going face to face with reality is a good thing.

Trouble is, most voices in our world don't tell us the truth. We've got to turn off the television and open our Bibles to 1 Peter to get trustworthy instruction on what life is really all about. It's not surprising that the apostle Peter, such a faithful follower of Christ would have written a book that we could call a Reality Check. Get ready, the truth will wake you up and set you free.

### NEW MEMBERS

Joined Sunday, July 31, 2016

8:30 a.m. Worship Service

**Frank & Edna Livengood**

SS Class: Frank- Men's 3

SS Class: Edna- Ladies 3

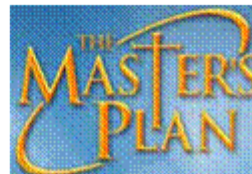
Both By Profession of Faith & Baptism

219 Phil Lane

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Family Deacon: Dallas Jones



Wednesday Night

Bible Study

Master's Plan

7:00 P.M.

Fellowship Hall

**Spiritual Statistics****Sunday, July 24**

S. S. Attendance	170
8:30 a.m. Worship Attendance	105
11:00 a.m. Worship Attendance	94
<b><u>TOTAL IN MORNING WORSHIP</u></b>	<b>199</b>

**Financial Statistics****Week of July 24**

Weekly Budget Receipts	\$5,604.00
Weekly Budget Needs	\$7,971.00
Deficit	-\$2,367.00

**Weekly Designated Funds**

Youth Designated	\$30.00
<b><i>Total Tithes &amp; Offerings</i></b>	<b><i>\$5,634.00</i></b>

**Sunday, July 31**

S. S. Attendance	163
8:30 a.m. Worship Attendance	108
11:00 a.m. Worship Attendance	95
<b><u>TOTAL IN MORNING WORSHIP</u></b>	<b>263</b>

**Financial Statistics****Week of July 31**

Weekly Budget Receipts	\$5,796.00
Weekly Budget Needs	\$7,971.00
Deficit	-\$2,175.00

**Weekly Designated Funds**

Bereavement	\$100.00
Cemetery Fund	\$100.00
<b><i>Total Tithes &amp; Offerings</i></b>	<b><i>\$5,996.00</i></b>



**Medical Park**  
**Perry Coggins**  
 August 15  
 Deacon: Brian Becker

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