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THE LIGHT

FORK BAPTIST CHURCH



Fork Family
Thanksgiving Meal
This Wednesday
6:30 P.M. ~ Fellowship Hall



Covered Dish
Bring Enough for Your Family +1



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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 !

FORK'S FALL FESTIVAL.....was truly an "awesome" experience for everyone who witnessed what "God" did. With over 900 in attendance we were able to reach many for the glory of the Lord that we might not have been able to do otherwise. Of course we would not have been able to pull off such an amazing event without the hard work and dedication of so many "Fork folks." Thanks especially to our leadership team, as well as, to everyone who brought "extra" candy for our 7th annual "wilderness tunnel." It was truly the best yet!! Also a special thanks goes to **Mrs. Holly Miller, Mrs. Cindy Freeman**, and all their "kitchen" helpers. We could not have done it without these and SO many others!! Fork Leadership you have indeed lived out I Timothy 3:13 *"Those who have served well gain an excellent standing and great assurance in their faith in Christ Jesus."* GREAT JOB!!

OUR VETERANS' DAY SERVICE..... of recognition and appreciation was nothing short of remarkable. Thank you Fork family for your response and especially your participation in the services this past Sunday. Truly "Heaven came down and GLORY filled our souls." Also thank you for the many responses I have received since these special services. Special thanks goes to **Donald Jones** for all he did in helping make this service special for each of us. Fork family thank you for living out 2 Timothy 2:3 *"Endur(ing) hardship with us like a good soldier of Christ Jesus."*

WE ARE ENTERING INTO indeed my favorite time of the year, THE HOLIDAYS. For the next month we as a church family will have many opportunities to truly experience the true meaning of the upcoming Thanksgiving and Christmas seasons. As we celebrate Thanksgiving and our Savior's birthday, may we as individual families, and as a church family truly experience all that God has for us. I hope you will take advantage of all the opportunities the Lord will give you during these special times with your church family to express your love to the Lord and His people.

NEXT WEDNESDAY.....our church family has yet another opportunity to experience "koinonia" with means "true fellowship" at our annual Thanksgiving meal and celebration. Each year this is one of the highlights of our church family celebrations. I hope and pray you will make this special celebration a priority for you and your family. Don't forget to bring enough food for your family PLUS 1. Then get ready to join God's people in "giving thanks to the Lord for HE is good" Psalms 106:1

HOPE TO SEE YOU THIS SUNDAY AS WE "BE THE VESSEL"
Your Grateful Pastor



YOUTH MINISTRY & OTHER NEWS

AWANAS
Sunday Nights
5:30 P.M.



Menu

November 16– Corn Dog Nuggets,
Corn & Applesauce
November 23– Spaghetti, Garlic Bread, Cookies



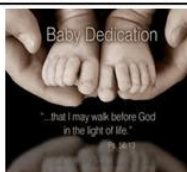
Youth Bonfire
This Saturday Night
6:00-10:00 p.m.

Tkach's Home 398 Joe Road, Mocksville
Hot dog Supper & Snacks Provided
Bring a blanket or chair
Invite your friends!!



No Evening Services or Activities
November 26
Office Closed
November 26 & 27

Parent/Child Dedication
November 23
11:00 A.M. Worship Service
Finn Harrison Hall
Parents: **Daniel & Tabitha Hall**



Business Meeting
Next Sunday
Immediately Following Life Groups



Agenda

- October Financial Report
- 2015 Proposed Church Budget Presentation, Discussion, & Vote



Budget Presentation Schedule

This Sunday– Budgets Handed Out in Both
AM Worship Services
Next Sunday– Budget Presentation at
Business meeting, discussion, & Vote



Fall Festival Update
A God-Sized Event
Over 900 Present

Over 30 Cars in Trunk-or-Treat
Thanks to everyone who made this a "God-Sized" Event
Special Thanks to Our Wonderful

Team Leaders:

Holly Miller, Brandi Miller, Cindy Freeman, Ron Parish, Laura Dunaway, Emily Quance, James Hendrix, Sherry Jaycocks, Heidi Jones, Stephanie Ashby, Sherri Queen, Grady Barney, Co-Ed 5 Sunday School Class, Nathan Hepler & Youth



Seniors Christmas Gathering
at the Garrett's
December 9

Meet at church at 11:00
Lunch at Pastor & Vickie's Home

Life Groups
Sunday Nights
6:00 P.M.
If you need help finding a
class see the Pastor.



UPCOMING EVENTS!

NURSERY SCHEDULE

This Sunday, November 16

8:30 A.M. SERVICE-Paula Fortner

11:00 A.M. SERVICE

Nursery 1- Kristen Bodford

Nursery 2 - Cliff & Renae Tkach

S.S. Nursery - Sherri Queen &
Melody Morton



Next Sunday, November 23

8:30 A.M. SERVICE -Nick & Bryn Taylor

11:00 A.M. SERVICE

Nursery 1 - Paul & Liz Davis

Nursery 2 - Brian & Brandi Miller

S.S. Nursery - Michael & Heidi Jones

~Nursery Coordinator ~

Paula Tkach 940-5547



CHILDREN'S CHURCH SCHEDULE

This Sunday, Nov. 16— Brian & Emily Moore

Next Sunday, Nov. 23— Rachel & Adam Gardner

Fork Veterans want to say a heartfelt thank you to Pastor Robert Garrett, Suzie, Angela, the choir, and members of Fork Baptist Church for making us feel so special on Sunday, November 9. It was great!

We offer our Christian love and sympathy to Holly Miller in the loss of her grandfather, William Bowen.



I want to thank all the people who participated in anyway in the setup, operation of (giving out candy, etc.), or dismantling of the Wildemess Tunnel at the Fall Festival.

~Thanks, Ron Parrish



Shoeboxes Due

November 23

By 1:00 p.m.

Shoe boxes are still available outside the church office.



Angel Tree Sunday

This Sunday

There will be an Angel Tree set up in the hallway to choose an angel to sponsor. **Gifts are due November 30.**

Questions, or to volunteer see **Debra Kilmer.**

Seniors' Gathering

This Monday

11:00 A.M.

Fellowship Hall
Meal & Fellowship



Christmas Decorating of the Church

Monday, November 24

4:00 p.m. – until

Anyone that can come out & help decorate our church for Christmas is encouraged to come. **Supper Provided**

Fork Baptist Men,

We at Storehouse for Jesus would like to thank you for moving the furniture for carpet installation— not an easy job! The carpet is in & we are on the way to reorganizing our stuff in a beautiful, painted & carpeted room

~ Debbie Crutchfield/ Board Member

Hanging of the Greens

November 30

6:00 P.M.

Make plans now to be here to start our Advent Season.



COME WORSHIP WITH US

Come Worship With Us

This Sunday, November 16

Angel Tree Sunday

8:30 & 11:00 A.M.

"II Kings 4:1-7"

Mark 15:42-47

By Our Pastor

5:30 P.M.

Awanas & Youth

6:00 P.M.

Life Groups

Next Sunday, November 23

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

"What Thanksgiving Overcomes"

Philippians 4:4-7

By Our Pastor

5:30 P.M.

Awanas & Youth

6:00 P.M.

Life Groups

Business Meeting Immediately Following

Preschool & Children's Choirs

Christmas Practice

Sunday Nights - 5:00 p.m.

Adult Choir Christmas Cantata Practice

Sunday Nights-7:00 p.m.

It's Not Too Late to Join!!!!



Usher Schedule - November
8:30 a.m. Mike Livengood, Capt.
Josh Johnson, Stan Turner
11:00 a.m. Brian Murphy, Capt.
Bradley Coe, Larry Jones, Brian Miller

VISITORS

Tony & Phobe Boyd
550 Hoover Rd.
Troutman, NC 28166

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409 Hicks Rd.
Lexington, NC 27295

Josh & Mary Cobbles
Lexington, NC

Cheryl Zayac
197 Laquinta Drive
Advance, NC 27006

David Long
Advance, NC

David & Annette Dezarn
108 Oakshire Ct.
Mocksville, NC 27028



2014 Special Holiday Gatherings

November 19- Fork Family Meal
6:30 p.m. (FH)

November 30- Hanging of the Greens
6:00 p.m.

December 2- Ladies 3 SS Class Party
11:00 a.m. (FH)

December 5- Co-Ed 6 SS Class Party

December 11- Deacons' Dinner
6:30 p.m. (Pastor's Home)

December 12- Youth Progressive Dinner
6:00 p.m. (traveling)

December 13- Angel Tree Banquet (FH)

December 14- Christmas Cantata
6:00 p.m.

December 17- Christmas Caroling &
Meal 6:00 p.m.

December 21- Children's Program &
Special Guest & Fellowship 5:30 p.m.

December 24- Christmas Eve Candlelight
Service 5:00 p.m.

Spiritual Statistics

Sunday, November 2

S. S. Attendance	195
8:30 a.m. Worship Attendance	101
11:00 a.m. Worship Attendance	114
TOTAL IN MORNING WORSHIP	215
Life Groups Total	31

Financial Statistics

Week of November 2

Weekly Budget Receipts	\$11,110.51
Weekly Budget Needs	\$7,929.00
Surplus	+\$3,181.51

Weekly Designated Funds

Seniors	\$100.00
Youth Designated	\$25.00
Bereavement	\$100.00
Total Tithes & Offerings	\$11,335.51

Sunday, November 9

S. S. Attendance	186
8:30 a.m. Worship Attendance	100
11:00 a.m. Worship Attendance	124
TOTAL IN MORNING WORSHIP	224

Financial Statistics

Week of November 9

Weekly Budget Receipts	\$6,890.00
Weekly Budget Needs	\$7,929.00
Deficit	-\$1,039.00

Weekly Designated Funds

Seniors	\$100.00
Bereavement	\$60.00
Total Tithes & Offerings	\$7,050.00



Novant- Clemmons

Nancy Ward
November 14- surgery
Deacon: Mike Morton

Baptist

Lib Weaver
November 18 - surgery
Deacon: Jeff Seagle

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