



Are You a WITNESS for God?

Jesus told us to “go into all the world and preach the good news to all creation.” Here are three steps to help us focus on witnessing to others.

STEP 1: Tell your friends, colleagues and family members about Jesus.

STEP 2: Pray for missionaries as they work to spread the Gospel.

STEP 3: Support the Annie Armstrong Offering.

Please put your donation in an offering envelope (marked for Annie Armstrong). Thanks for your support!

BEAUTIFICATION OF OUR BUILDING

The hallways of the Preschool Department look much more beautiful than they did a few days ago. Take a look at the wonderful painting job done by Tom Fuqua, Ken Carter, Don Baulding, Allen Lillard, Louis Painter, Bill Turbyfill, and Milt Transou! Let these men know how much you appreciate their work.

SENIOR WHEELS MINISTRY

Our newest ministry, “Senior Wheels,” has gotten off to a great start! Our church works with Senior Resources of Greensboro to provide rides to non-emergency medical appointments for ambulatory, senior adults who live in Guilford County. FABC volunteers in this ministry include Bob and Gloria Weaver, *Team Coordinators*; Milt and Pat Transou; Dave Parks, Malcolm Pike; Tom Northington; Joan Mansfield; Gail Stillings; Liz Cook (*Gail’s neighbor*); Brenda Green; and Dot and Ron Stigall. If you would like to get involved in this ministry, contact Bob and Gloria Weaver at 689-7094.

The Record	3/7/2010	3/14/2010	3/21/2010	3/28/2010
Sunday School Enrollment	895	905	909	911
Sunday School Attendance	478	465	431	436
Attendance at FABC	457	444	391	415
Oakhurst	12	12	12	12
Jail Ministry	9	9	9	9
Golden Living Center			19	
Budget Goal	\$38,787.90	\$31,976.47	\$23,930.37	\$32,954.63
Budget Receipts	\$33,400.60	\$23,389.53	\$16,324.19	\$33,027.26
Budget Goal YTD	\$1,306,122.86	\$1,338,099.33	\$1,362,029.70	\$1,394,984.33
Actual Receipts YTD	\$1,278,337.26	\$1,301,726.79	\$1,318,050.98	\$1,351,078.24
over (under)	(\$27,785.60)	(\$36,372.54)	(\$43,978.72)	(\$43,906.09)
Building Fund Rec'd	\$ 10,444.00	\$ 8,724.34	\$ 7,728.20	\$ 11,500.66
Building Fund Rec'd in 2010	\$ 139,300.19	\$ 148,024.53	\$ 155,752.73	\$ 167,253.39
Building Fund / Phase 1 & 2 Loan Amount				\$ 2,475,547.46



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WELCOME TO WORSHIP At Friendly Avenue

"Pray in the Spirit
on all occasions
with all kinds of
prayers and
requests."
Ephesians 6:18

Today

There is a Youth Ministry Team meeting today at 4:30 pm in the Conference Room.

Upcoming Events

Monday, April 19 — 6 pm
Finance Committee Meeting

Tuesday, April 20 — FACS
Young at Art Gala - Fellowship Hall

Thursday, April 23
*2 - 4 pm — Stitch N Time

Sunday, April 25

IMPORTANT
SS Strategy Meeting for all Sunday School teacher and leaders in the Fellowship Hall at 4:30 pm.

*5:30 - 7:30 pm — Discovery Class
*6 - 7 pm — S.O.L.D. Classes

Sunday, May 2
*5:30 - 7:30 pm — Discovery Class
*6 - 7 pm — S.O.L.D. Classes

Cone
Ken Roberts, Rm. 4014
Jean Tidwell, Rm. 2915
Margaret Roberts, Rm. 3019

WMU Calendar

April/May 2010

Tuesday, April 27
Evelyn Frost Prayer Group—2 pm—In a Home

Monday, May 3
Evelyn Hill Circle—7 pm—In A Home

Tuesday, May 4
*Melinda Maness McMillan Circle—10 am—Rm. 101W—Church
*WMU Council Meeting—11 am—Fellowship Hall—Church

Thursday, May 6
Lori Duhan Circle—10:30 am—Rm. 109W—Church

FABC Weekly Schedule

SUNDAYS
8:15 am TRADITIONAL WORSHIP
(Childcare provided)

9 - 12 LIBRARY HOURS

9:15 CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP
Fellowship Hall

9:30 Sunday School—Children & Adults

10:45 TRADITIONAL WORSHIP
Sunday School—Youth & Adults
Extended Session for Children

4:00 pm YOUTH BELLS (6-12th grade)

5:00 YOUTH CHOIR (6-12th grade)

5 - 6 LIBRARY HOURS

6:00 KIDS' MUSIC & PRAISE
(ages 3 through 5th grade)

YOUTH —THE ATTIC
S.O.L.D. CLASSES

MONDAYS
2 -4 pm FRIENDLY QUILTERS
Room 105W

7:00 BOY SCOUTS - TROOP 104

TUESDAYS
9:30 am - 10:30 am ASIAN BIBLE STUDY
Room 108W

10:30 KEENAGE CHOIR - Choir Room
(does not meet on WMU days)

2:00 pm HEDRICK PRECEPT STUDY
(Room 105W)

WEDNESDAYS
10:00 am BIBLE STUDY, Room 101W

5:30 pm HOSANNA RINGERS

5:30 - 6:30 SUPPER AND FELLOWSHIP
(Reservations Required)

6 - 6:30 LIBRARY HOURS

6:30 THE KINGS AND I
BIBLE STUDY
Fellowship Hall (Childcare provided)

MISSION FRIENDS - Pre-School
Downstairs Children's Wing

BIBLE DRILL - K - 5th Grade
Room 107W, (Childcare provided)

WORSHIP CHOIR - Choir Loft

THURSDAYS
6:45 am Pastor Pat/MEN'S BIBLE STUDY -
Room 109W

6:00pm CUB SCOUTS - PACK 106
Room 240W/242W

Youth


Youth Events
Student Life Camp
Cleveland, TN
July 5-9, 2010

Registration for Student Life Camp this summer is due May 2nd. Join us for a great week of fun and growth as we travel to Lee University for camp. All youth and their friends are welcome. The total camp cost will be \$250. A \$50 deposit and the registration form are needed to get signed up for camp. For more information, contact Rob Cassell.

BOB COCKRELL RECEIVES HONOR

Bob Cockrell, FABC member, was one of seven people honored by the National Grange for outstanding service in our community. This honor will be presented at a Community Services Award Ceremony and Dinner tonight. He is being honored in particular for his work with immigrants.

Preschool & Children's Ministry

Parents! This is just a reminder of our weekly activities for children. Sunday evenings at 6:00 pm, children's choir is offered for children 3 years through 5th grade. Mission Friends Class is available on Wed. nights from 6:30 until 7:30 pm for preschoolers, while school-age children may attend Bible Drill with Hope Queen.

Preschool Play Date
"Bike Day"
Thursday, April 22
9:30 am — 11:30 am
Jefferson Road Parking Lot

Music & Worship



YOU ARE INVITED!

Greensboro Oratorio Singers
Concert
Tonight at 7:00 p.m.
Elijah (Part II)
By Mendelssohn

Hosanna Ringers attended the NC Baptist State Convention PraiseRing Bell Festival this weekend. Our clinician was David Harris of the Raleigh Ringers. Classes were taught and a concert was presented by the Raleigh Ringers. Thank you FABC ringers: Kimberly Hassler, Martha Sloan, Annette Tilley, Candy Apple, Vickie Brown, Kathy McFillin, Marthetta White, Sheila Whitmire and Jennifer Humbard for taking the time to be a part of this worthwhile event.

Cherub Choir and Music Makers Choir will be singing in worship on April 25th. Young Musicians will sing in worship on May 2nd!



You Are Invited!
What? Stitch 'N Time
When? Thursday,
April 22nd
2:00-4:00

No skills required! Just a willingness to help those in need, right here in our community!

Hope to see you there!!!

GREETERS SCHEDULE

FRIENDLY GREETERS' ASSIGNMENTS - MAY

8:00 - 8:15: Bob and Rosie Hand
9:15 - 9:30: David and Gwyn Moore
10:30-10:45: Rachel Bainbridge and Joan Mansfield

Also, two greeters from the contemporary service will greet from 9:00 to 9:30 a.m.

FABC NEWS UPDATE



It is wonderful to be a part of such a loving and caring church. We appreciate so much the many cards, calls, prayers, visits, food, and many other expressions of your love. Pastor Pat, Pastor Matt, deacons and others are always there during these times. Please continue to pray for us, and may God bless each of you.

We love you,
... Glenn and Glenda Stafford

The family of the late Carl Wallace Fields wishes to express their thanks and appreciation to FABC for all of the help and comfort you have provided the family during this difficult time. We particularly appreciate the many calls of concern, cards, and visits. We ask that you continue to keep Mae and all of the Fields' family in your prayers.



Bible Study and Suppers

Please make your supper reservation today for Wednesday night (5:30-6:30), and be in Bible Study at 6:30 each Wednesday evening.

Wednesday, April 21

Bar-B-Q Chicken
Sweet Mashed Potato
Sweet Peas and Corn
Corn Bread, Salad
Chocolate Pudding

Reservations for Wednesday night supper must be made or cancelled by 12 o'clock on Tuesday.

Adults and Teens: \$6.00 each
Family Rate: (Parents & Child/
Children 12 & Under): \$15.00
One Parent & Child/Children: \$9.00



Christian Sympathy to:
... Anne Tuttle and family
in the death of her sister-
in-law, Gladys Green of
Winston-Salem.

Get Well Soon



Workers In Service for April 18

Deacons of the Week
Bob Wofford — 852-1372
Bob Hege — 674-9491

Security Patrol For April

Nathan Null's Class

Offering Committee:

Group # 1: Gene Gentry, Captain

Children's Church

April 18 - Vickie Brown, Jarrett Liner
April 25 - David and Vivian Kinlaw

Extended Session Workers for April 25

Infants - Matt & Debra Ryan,
Marian Fultz

Toddlers - Ron & Katrina Cook

Two's - Caitlyn O'Donnell,
Matt Rutherford