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KEITH'S KORNER

This last month of May has been an exciting time! We welcomed Dick and JoAnne Crowder, Matt and Dakota Hendrick, Dustin and Heather Bridges and Jim and Kacie Martin to the family of Boiling Springs Baptist Church. Please continue to join others in speaking a word of welcome to these families.

Also, during the business conference on May 22, the church approved upgrades to our sound system and the addition of a new video projection system for the sanctuary. The personnel recommendations of calling Roger Lowe for a new position of Minister of Media and Technology (in addition to his role as Organist) and the recommendation to approve a full-time position of Associate Pastor of Music and Adults, were all unanimously approved. The installation of new sound and video equipment could take place as early as mid-July, but could be during the month of August. I look forward to working with Roger Lowe in this new role.

Over the last few weeks I have been reminding myself that during this time last year our family and the church family were both involved in some significant transition. Having formed relationships and now having been involved in numerous areas of ministry, I could not be more excited about our future and potential for even stronger ministry here at Boiling Springs Baptist. It is an honor to serve as your Pastor and I look forward to our continued growth in Christ and our expanded ministry in our community and beyond.

As our school year Wednesday night programs for children have come to a close I would like to say a BIG THANKS to all our music and mission leaders. You are appreciated and a blessing to so many.

Summer Challenge for the family – Now that school is almost out, pools have been opened, final travel plans are being made by many, let me challenge you to join me and others in something we can all be doing together (no matter where we are) this summer and that is reading through the Psalms. A reading from Psalms will be included every Sunday this summer in worship and we will later have other opportunities to learn and share together regarding the Psalms. This could be done individually or couples / families may decide to read through these together and discuss. A careful reading of the Psalms will serve to vitalize a believer's prayers and devotions.

Also, as some race off to various destinations this summer let us all be mindful that ministries at the church continue and our financial needs actually pick up with youth and children activities increasing. Please remember your tithe in the midst of these summer trips and travel opportunities.

May we be vessels that spring forth the Living Water of Christ,
Keith

"Whoever believes in me, as scripture has said, rivers of living water will flow from within them". **John 7:38**

Please be in prayer for our upcoming VBS, June 5-9 and our Music and Arts Camp, June 27-30. Pray for our workers and all children attending that spiritual growth will take place and that relationships with others will be strengthened.



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JUNE EVENTS

- June 5-9 VBS
- June 14 Pre-K Water Time
- June 15 Family Fun Night - Kickball
- June 19 Father's Day Donuts for Dad
- June 19-23 Youth Mission Trip to Thomasville, NC BCH
- June 27-30 BSBC Art & Music Camp
- June 29 Family Fun Game Night



*A Bright & Sunny Day
with Pastor Keith*



Search me, O God, and know my heart! Try me and know my thoughts! And see if there be any wicked way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting!

Psalm 139: 23-24



On our way to Caswell!

FUN!

FUN!!!

FUN! *Attending a Play at Flat Rock*



Lunch at Stroud Braided Rug



Be **"SUBMERGED"** with **VBS!** **June 5-9, 2016**

Kick-off will include WATER Activities at the end of the evening!

Sunday 4-7:30pm

FUN! FUN! FUN! *Get WET! WET! WET!*

Mon-Thurs 6-8:45pm

Dates are a little earlier this year, and we are aware that children will still be in school... but... only Monday and hopefully 1/2 day on Tuesday! Don't know yet!

Wash away those last days of school's blues with Vacation Bible School!!



Items Needed for VBS:

Goldfish, Raisins, Mini-marshmallows, M&M's (plain), Pretzel sticks (little ones for trail mix), Cheese-its, Rolo Candies, Round or window pane pretzels, blue jello (for our submerged theme), Lemonade mix, Sugar, Kool Aid, Potato Chips, Cheetos

Week of Bible School: Apples, Crescent rolls, Sandwich ham

Any homemade treats are welcome anytime!

Any fresh fruit welcome during the week.

THANKS!

SUNDAY MORNINGS IN JUNE

JUNE 5 "Setting Sail with Abraham"

JUNE 12 "Setting Sail with Jacob"

JUNE 19 **FATHER'S DAY** "Setting Sail with David"

JUNE 26 "Setting Sail with Joseph"

NEW SERMON SERIES

Charting the Course:

"Help for Navigating Life's Journey"



Over the summer BSBC will set sail with some Biblical characters that can help us in navigating life's journey. Questions I hope to answer each week as we begin our voyage are... What does the story of these OT heroes and their journey offer to us today? What relevance does their story have with our own? Also, how does their story speak to us as a church? What might they teach us as we chart our course?

Looking Ahead

A four week summer Spiritual Growth Session on Psalms will take place on July 10,17,31 & August 7. Bonnie Doughtie will leading the last two weeks!

PRESCHOOL AND CHILDREN NOTES...

The Crossroads Festival on Saturday was a huge success. A big thank you to those who volunteered their time to assist visiting with the people who stopped by. A special thank YOU to Aiden, Avery, Becca, Maggie and Reagan for their unending snowcone production and give-away job!

Thank YOU!

When we sing songs to God, we show that we love Him. We show that we are thankful for all he does for us. Sunday night our children showed their love for God, their thankfulness for what He does for each of them each day, and their love for their church and family. The program was perfect! The soloists were awesome! Everyone did a great Job! A big Thank YOU goes out to their leaders and assistants for a job well done!

Summer is quickly approaching and our children's program dates are filling up. I hope that your family will put these dates on your calendar so your children can be an active part in these activities. Vacation Bible School starts Sunday, June 5th with a Kick-off at 4:00-7:30. Your children can come with bathing suits under their clothes or just get wet as we will end the evening around the picnic shelter with water activities and supper.

Our art and music camp is scheduled for June 27-30 with many activities planned each day from 9-1:00. (Grades 1-6) Registration forms are outside Miss Ellen's office and the cost is \$50.00 which pays for lunch, t-shirt and supplies.

There are activities planned this summer for families as well as our children. Check your June calendar for dates and activities. The bulletin board outside Miss Ellen's door has more information about each activity.

Let's all have a great summer at Boiling Springs Baptist Church!

Miss Ellen



Children's Church
CAUGHT ON CAMERA



BSBC Daycare

Greetings from the daycare,

Hello friends! It's almost the end of the school year and the children are excited to see that summer is just around the corner.

Currently we have 72 children enrolled and approximately 24 staff members. Things are going well here at the daycare. We are beginning to prepare for our spring program and daycare graduation. We have 12 precious kids that will be graduating this year. Our program will be on Sunday, June 12 at 6:00 in the sanctuary. If you have never attended one of our programs you just don't know what you are missing! Please plan to join us in an evening of songs, smiles and laughter!

We are still waiting on our rated license visit. Right now that is set to happen between mid-June and mid-July. We are praying that they will come a lot sooner as this is a stressful time for our staff.

Please also continue to lift up one of our sweet kids, Landon. Landon is undergoing chemo treatments.

Every day is a good day to teach children about Jesus!

Isaiah 54:13 *All your children shall be taught by the LORD, and great shall be the peace of your children.*

Many blessings, Dawn

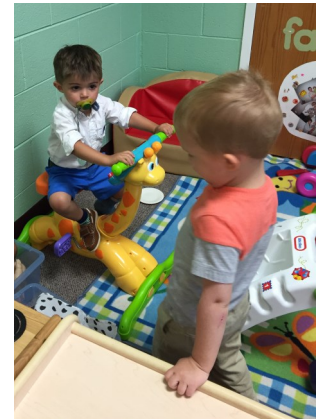
Growing Up



CAUGHT ON CAMERA



Worship Nursery



Remember

FOOD CLOSET

BACK-PACK
MINISTRY

**Thank You for
Your Support!**

**SUNDAY SCHOOL
CLASSES**

*Reminder: PLEASE-
Bring your assigned
food items*



WEEKLY SCHEDULE

SUNDAY

9:45 am Sunday School

WEDNESDAY

5:30-7:00pm HangTime/Bible Study

THURSDAY

6:45am Prayer Breakfast at Snack Shop

SUNDAYS AT 9:45 AM

For class info...CALL

CHURCH...

Check out info
on web site



CONGRATULATIONS GRADUATES

CREST HIGH SCHOOL

Katy Bowman

Taylor Guffey

Matthew Heffelfinger

Mikaila Linnens

Morgan Parris

Seth Strickland

UNIVERSITIES

Melia Nolen George UNCW

BS Mathematics, *Magna Cum Laude*

Minor: Statistics, *Cum Laude*

Kristin Simpson Hamrick GWU

MS Nursing, FNP

Dakota Crowder Hendrick GWU

AA Nursing

Kitty Hamrick Hoyle GWU

BS Business Administration

Jennifer Beason Kerley ETSU

BS Nursing

Alan Newcomb GWU

BA Youth Discipleship Studies

Esther Cline Niemasik Cornell U

Doc Neurobiology & Behavior

Lizzie Torres GWU

BS Nursing

Abby Whitaker NCSU

BS Agricultural Science, *Cum Laude*

Minors: Animal Science,

Agricultural Business Management,
Extension Education

A MESSAGE FROM YOUTH MINISTER

As summer is officially coming upon us, there is a lot of excitement and anticipation for what this season brings. Summer is a time for hot weather, going to the beach, vacations, pool parties, and spending time with family and friends. For our youth and college students, it also means being out of school!

Sometimes overlooked however, is the celebration of Father's Day. As the excitement of summer kicks in and the anticipation for a relaxing time of year comes, I hope we won't forget to celebrate our fathers this June. Father's Day is on the calendar for June 19th. Just as we recognize and appreciate our mothers in May, my hope for all of us is that we would let our fathers, grandfathers, and father figures know how much they mean to us. As I did last month with the many mother figures in my life, I want to take this opportunity to thank my dad for the life he has given me and for the love, compassion, and integrity that he has instilled in me, my grandfather who has always modeled a loving spirit, and my father-in-law who provides great wisdom and guidance for my life. These men have shown me how to become a better man and I appreciate and love each of them for their roles in my life.

Just as we did in our church last month, I would encourage you to show your thanks and love to your father or father figure by purchasing a carnation in honor or in memory of that special man. You can purchase a carnation from a youth or by calling the church office (704-434-6244). Each carnation is \$5 and benefits our youth ministry. The carnations will be in the sanctuary on Father's Day and will be available to pick-up on that day. The last day to purchase Father's Day carnations is June 12. We hope you will show your love and gratitude to fathers during the month of June.

Summer does mean one more thing, a



WE MISSED THESE TWO SPECIAL GRADUATES IN OUR GRADUATE BULLETIN

Kelsey Stroud - University of
North Carolina at Chapel Hill
Bachelor of Science in Psychology

Kristen Stroud - Appalachian University
Bachelor of Science in Communication Studies
Minor: Psychology

busy and exciting time for youth! Here are some dates and events to be aware of:

June 4-Cowboy Camp will take place on Saturday June 4. Some of our youth will be helping with face painting, parking cars, spending time with kids, and teaching kids about Christ. This will be an exciting day where we hope to really make a difference in the lives of the kids we meet.

June 5-9-VBS will take place at our church during this week. Our youth are very excited about helping in classes this summer. If a youth hasn't signed up to help with VBS and would like to, please let me know ASAP!

June 10-Friday June 10 we are having our second "Hoops and Doodles" where we will play basketball and have Bible journaling at the same time. Anyone is welcome to do either activity and promises to be a lot of fun.

June 16-Thursday June 16 we will start our weekly "Terrific Thursday" activities. These will happen most Thursdays throughout the summer. This one will be from 2:30-5:30 and some more information will be given about that when it gets closer to time.

-This week we will be going on our mission trip to Thomasville, NC to work with the NC Baptist Children's Home and the NC Baptist Aging Ministry. This will be an excellent mission opportunity to meet and interact with both children and aging adults. We hope a lot of youth will be interested in going. If you are interested in going and haven't signed up, the last day to sign-up will be Wednesday June 8 with the payment for the trip due Wednesday June 15.

June 27-30-This week our children will be having a Music & Arts Camp. Our youth will be helping in different places and we are excited about working with the children's ministry for another week this summer!

As you can tell our youth are very busy this month and will be busy throughout the summer. Pray for our youth and the youth leaders as we travel to multiple places and spend a lot of time in ministry and fellowship with each other. If you have any questions or concerns please contact me or Mary by phone or e-mail.

With love,
Alan and Mary Newcomb

MUSIC NOTES FROM ROGER LOWE:

² Grace be unto you, and peace, from God our Father, and from the Lord Jesus Christ. ³ I thank my God upon every remembrance of you. (Philippians 1:2-3)

The school year is almost over and summer is upon us. Our end-of-year children's music and missions program was a treat for all who were there. The choirs, soloists, and instrumentalists shared their talents and reflected the excellent leadership they've had this year.

A big "Thank you!" goes out to all of those who sang or played in the church music programs this past year, with special thanks to our directors: Preschool Choir—Madeline Dobbins and Lizzie Guffey; Music Makers—Allana Bryson, with Samantha Collins and Linda Bryson; Young Musicians—Teresa Huggins, with Sandy Beason and June Hobbs; Adult Handbell Choir—Lana Henkel.

I think I can speak for everyone at BSBC when I say a special "Thank You!" to Cheyrl Daves. Her diligent and faithful work as she accompanies the choir, plays hymns, and shares beautiful piano solos enhances everyone's experience of worship each week. You have all blessed our church with your presence and dedication to the ministry of music in Boiling Springs Baptist Church. Your contribution to the worship services is valuable and appreciated.



The Summer Art and Music Camp is scheduled for June 27-30. One of the opportunities we have in store for the children who attend is a guitar class taught by Kate Oliphant. Kate earned a Bachelor of Music in Guitar Performance from Gardner-Webb and a Master of Music in Guitar Performance from East Carolina University. In addition to her musical talent and expertise, Kate has an engaging personality and will have her students well on their way to playing guitar by the end of the week.



*Children's Choirs performing
their End-of-Year
Music Programs*



The BSBC Orchestra is on summer vacation. If you play an instrument, consider joining this group in the fall.



The Adult Handbell Choir is also on summer vacation. Some musical training is required for this choir which will also reconvene in the fall.



ENJOY SINGING?

*You are invited to
join the choir.
We meet each Wednesday
evening at 7PM.*

MUFFINS FOR MOM



Crossroads Festival in BS



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Parent / Child Dedication Service on Mother's Day



CAUGHT ON CAMERA



Pretty as a Rose! Or Pretty as Two Roses!



A Wonderful Evening for a Luminary Service ~ American Cancer Society



Avery & Lindy Sang Beautifully!

PERSONAL NOTES

You are cordially invited

to join us for a reception honoring
50 years of love and marriage for
Ted and Rose Ann Daves.

The reception will take place on
Sunday, May 29th in
the Fellowship Hall from 2 to 4.

In lieu of gifts, a basket will be
placed by the door to collect
canned goods for the
church's food pantry.

We hope everyone will make plans to
help us celebrate this special day.

*Thank you so much for the card and
prayers. We have all missed Boiling
Springs Baptist and our girls still
think of you all as their "home"
church. Your outreach to our
grieving family is greatly
appreciated.*

Sincerely,

The Family of Ellen S. Hinson

WELCOME TO NEW MEMBERS

Jim & Kacie Martin

Dustin & Heather Bridges

Matt & Dakota Hendrick

Dick & JoAnne Crowder

Happy Birthday

TO OUR JUNE 80's AND OVER:

Becky Wallace June 2
Tom Hamrick June 5
Sara Anthony June 12
Sue Rash June 19
Charles Bridges June 22
Bob Adams June 27



The GA Leaders & girls would like to thank our church for their support with all the mission projects this year. We have had a wonderful year in GA's and we will miss the 6th girls as they move up to youth. (pictured L to R) Trista Williams, Lindy Bryson, Becca Champion, Avery Smith, Payton Burdick, Emma Holiday (not in picture—Abby McMahan)

GWU has published an article in it's online news about the support of a student in the Divinity School, Sherlene Alford. Sherlene thanks Pastor Keith McKinney and Cindy Campos for the welcome and support she has felt during her commuter stay at Cindy's home. The program was brought to our attention by Admissions Director of Divinity School, Kheresa Harmon, a few months ago. **THANK YOU** to members, Cindy and Diane Rabon, for accepting Divinity commuting students into their homes for 1-3 nights/week. They are so appreciative for your gift of hospitality. Read more about it at www.gardner-webb.edu/newscenter. And, let the church or GWU know if you are willing to house a student in this way.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Contributions **(as of May 22)**

Basic Weekly Budget Needs	\$ 11,620.93
Budget Receipts <u>to Date</u>	213,211.03
Basic Budget Needs <u>to Date</u>	244,039.53
Over (+) / Under (-) Budget	(-) 30,828.50

SUNDAY SCHOOL:

Attendance for May

May 1	192
May 8	180
May 15	167
May 22	183

CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY

Families of ...

**Ellen Hinson
(died May 5)**

*Former member of
BSBC*

Address of Bobby:
222 Tennessee Circle,
 Mooresville, NC 28117

Audie Gene Bridges

*Grandfather of
Brandy Truelove*

JUNE NURSERY SCHEDULE

June 5

Sam & Darlene Hamrick

June 12

Jay & Jamie Washburn
Sherwin Washburn

June 19

Allana Bryson
June Evans

June 26

Austin & Catie Stitzel
Dixon & Elizabeth Crowder

WELCOME COMMITTEE FOR MONTH OF JUNE

Jane Sarratt
Barbara Walton
(North side of building)
Bob & Carolyn Hunt
(South side of building)

SANCTUARY FLOWERS FOR JUNE

June 5 & 26	Open
June 12	Diane Rabon
June 19	Father's Day

**REMINDER: CALL
FOR YOUR
FATHER'S DAY
CARNATIONS!**

\$5 Each

Deadline: June 12

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reminders through text,
text BSBC to 95577

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Sunday

8:00 AM - Men's Bible Study
9:15 AM - Coffee & Fellowship
9:30 AM - Men's Bible Study
9:45 AM - Sunday School
10:55 AM - Morning Worship
NO Spiritual Growth in June

Wednesday

5 - 6:00 PM - Fellowship Meals
end June 1
5:15 PM - C.A.R.E. Teams
NO Children's Music in June
5:30 PM - Youth HangTime &
Bible Study
6 - 7:00 PM - Adult Prayer
Meeting
NO Children's Missions in
June
7:00 PM - Sanctuary Choir

CURRENT NEWSLETTER INFORMATION

All information for this monthly publication will need to be in by the 20th of each month. This will give the church office time to both publish and mail the newsletter, with the goal of it arriving in mail boxes before the 1st of each month.

THANK YOU
to all who help get
the Current
Publication ready
for mailing each
month. Your
service is greatly
appreciated!

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