

The Current

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Keith's Korner...

In last month's Keith's Korner, I used the metaphor of a plane preparing for take-off in relationship to our church and our journey to "Destination Renewal, God's Kingdom." Well, we are on the ascent and moving in this direction. The movement of the spirit, during our Sunday services and throughout our special renewal services, has been refreshing and revitalizing. I am grateful for the prayer times we have had and the way these have fueled and will continue to fuel our journey toward renewal. John Broom's messages were challenging and inspirational and I am thankful for his and Elaine's time with us.

As we move into May and continue this journey to renewal, I pray we can all experience a little "heartburn" along the way. Don't reach for the Prevacid or Nexium just yet, let me explain. Do you remember the post resurrection story of Jesus and the two disciples who didn't recognize him until he was gone? They later said, "Didn't our hearts burn within us as he talked with us on the road and explained the scriptures to us?" (Luke 24:32) As we continue our renewal journey, maybe it's time to open our hearts wider, to care deeply about the things and the people that God cares about and to get a good case of spiritual "heartburn."

As college students finish up their school year and responsibilities, I am thankful for Cedric Starr and his time with us as our ministry intern. We wish Cedric well as he embarks on the next stage of his journey. We will have a time for you to express your thankfulness to Cedric sometime during the month of May. Cedric's last Sunday as our ministry intern will be May 14.

You are loved,
Keith

As we move into May, and soon into our summer plans, may we continue this work of spiritual renewal, both in our personal lives and in the corporate life of Boiling Springs Baptist.

Also...As we move into the month of May, and soon into our summer months of vacation, please be faithful in your tithes and offerings. Your dedication and generosity allows the church to meet the plans and ministries that we already have in place.

RENEWAL SERVICES IN APRIL WERE A BLESSING TO ALL!



**THANK
YOU
JOHN
& ELAINE
BROOM**



May Sunday Services

May 7 –Keith preaching

May 14 –Mother's Day

9:30AM Celebrate Moms & Families in Fell.Hall

10:55 Keith preaching

Heather Voyles, testimony
Preschool Choir singing

May 21-Graduate Sunday

Alan Newcomb preaching
"It Is Finished."

Matt 28:28:16-20

Recognition of Graduates

12:00 Graduate Luncheon

5:30PM Food, Music & Fellowship with Pastors
Keith & Wade Wallace and
Green Bethel Baptist Church

May 28–Keith preaching

2:00PM GA Tea



**THANK YOU FOR
JOINING US!**



April is
National
Donate Life
Month



APRIL was Organ Donor Month - Our Parish Nurse Committee is hosting a program about Organ Donation on Wed., May 3 at 6:00pm in lieu of Prayer Meeting.



We all tend to think that "a few minutes in the sun won't cause skin cancer," but in fact it can contribute to it if we are not using proper skin protection. According to the American Academy of Dermatology, one in five Americans will develop skin cancer. Nearly all skin cancers can be connected to excessive sun exposure.

The Parish Nurse Committee has provided you with "Sun Protection" Tips. The info is on the table outside church office.

Mark Your Calendar!!

Vacation Bible School

Kick-off June 11

Dates: June 11—15

M A D Camp

**Music Art Drama
Camp**

August 7-10, 2017

Children Grades 1-6

From our Associate Pastor for Music & Adults... Candy Wilson

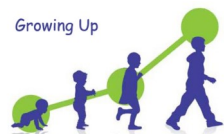
Thank you! Thank you! Thank you!

Thank you to everyone who participated in any way in the presentation of "Celebrate Life!" on Palm Sunday. What an experience! What a message! It is almost impossible to list everyone involved; but, I want to give a "shout out" to the singers; the soloists; the actors; the instrumentalists; the technical crew; the Drama Committee; those who helped with costumes, sets, and props; members of the church staff who gave encouragement and help every step of the way; Cheyrl Daves and Roger Lowe for many extra hours of practice and collaboration; the Deacons for their willingness to serve the Lord's Supper during the presentation; Nancy Hamrick for photography; Paul and Terri Huggins for videography; all of you who prayed for us and encouraged us; those of you who attended worship--thereby giving us encouragement, love, and support by your presence. Every individual contributed to bringing the message to life in a special way. The result was a message that was far greater than the sum of its parts. It was a joy working with all of you. May we all continue to *Celebrate Life!*

Love,
Candy

Preschool and Children...

Give unto the Lord the glory due to His name; worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness. Psalm 29:2



"Worship Me, and I will fill your life with glorious riches. My riches are the far better treasures of Joy, Love, and Peace. I want you to share them. When you share My riches, they multiply---so that you and those around you are richer than ever before." Jesus Calling For Kids

This month as we have gone from 28 Days of Love into a renewal of our faith we have seen how our riches have made a difference in not only our lives but the lives that we touch. Our children know through sharing that other children are enjoying gifts of love and care, families are having snacks and time to spend with their loved ones at Wendover and some young mothers now have had some of their needs met through our love for them. Our children need to understand how their lives are overflowing with glorious riches and how even a hug and a smile can win over a bad day. Our 28 Days of Love needs to continue to grow with us. We are blessed in our congregation with children and families that are able and willing to share their love with others. These children are filled with love and a growing faith and we need to continue to show them how the riches that come with our loving God can be shared with others. I challenge all of us to continue loving and sharing, to open your hearts and faith to renewal and to allow God to work in your lives as He so desires. As I tell the children each of us must learn to talk to God, to trust and listen, and He will lead us where He wants us to go and will answer when the time is right. Join in the renewal of our faith here at BSBC and also in our lives and in the lives of our children.

"How can you get My riches? Open your heart to Me, and let Me flood your soul with My riches." Jesus Calling for Kids

Miss Ellen

Celebrate Mom! Celebrate Families!

Children Pre-K through
6th Grade

**Sunday, May 14, 2017
9:30am**

**Come and Enjoy
Breakfast & Fellowship**



Miss Ellen helping little ones with Easter egg hunt... So much fun!

A Message from Our Youth Minister...

April sure was a busy month and May will be as well! Happy almost summer everybody! Mary and I would greatly appreciate your prayers as the month of May begins and school comes to an end for the semester. We are very excited for a busy month of May with a lot of fun activities for the youth and the church. Happy Mother's Day to all of the mothers, grandmothers, aunts, and all women who act as tremendous leaders and examples of compassion, patience, and love in my life and all of our lives.

Here are important things happening in the month of May for the youth that are also important to the church:

Feed the Flock: We will be having a youth sponsored Feed the Flock on **Sunday May 7** right after morning worship. Youth will serve *grilled hamburgers and hot dogs* and all are welcome! Donations are accepted and all money goes towards trips for the youth this summer.

Mother's Day Roses: We are currently selling Mother's Day Roses. You can purchase a rose in memory or in honor of a mother or mother-like figure in your life. Each Rose costs \$5 and will be placed in the sanctuary on **Mother's Day, May 14**. The last day to purchase a rose is Wednesday, May 10. You can purchase a rose from Mary or myself, a youth, or by calling the church office.

Graduate Sunday: Our annual Graduate Sunday for college and High School graduates will take place on **Sunday May 21**. We want to do something extra special this year for our seniors who are graduating High School. We are encouraging all members of the youth group and all members of the church to write a nice note on a post card to one, several, or all of our High School graduates. You may also submit to me any pictures of the graduate that you have from over the years. We are planning to make a nice memory book for each graduate to have on Graduate Sunday. If you would like to submit a card or picture, please give them to me or the church office by Friday, May 12. Our graduating High School seniors are: Bailey Davis, Bradley Ellis, Henry Hamrick, Morgan Hamrick, Jeremy Henkel, Jonathan Henkel, and Sarah Powell. If you know of any other seniors, High School or college who would like to participate in Sunday activities (worship and lunch after service), please let me or the church office know. Thanks for your participation in making this day special for our graduates!

Youth Softball: Youth Softball has begun! We love having members from the church come to games and support our team. We have 22 youth playing on our team this year! We have already played two games and the rest of our schedule is following: Friday, **May 5** @ 7 PM @ Zion Baptist Church, Saturday, **May 6** @ 11 AM @ Eastside Baptist Church, Friday, **May 12** @ 6 & 7 PM @ Eastside Baptist Church, Friday, **May 19** @ 8 PM @ Eastside Baptist Church, Saturday, **May 20** @ 12 PM @ Eastside Baptist Church, Friday, **May 26** @ 7 PM @ Eastside Baptist Church.

We hope to see you there!

With love,

Mary and Alan Newcomb

Hello Everybody!

I hope you all are doing well and God is blessing you everyday. I want to personally say that it has been a great honor serving with you all as your CBF Ministry Intern this school year and I want to say that I am blessed to have served with such a wonderful community of faith. I have been a member of this church for almost nine years and it has been such a wonderful experience. As the semester ends I wanted to personally thank you all for both your love and support. I am also thankful to BSBC for supporting me in the reconciliation ministry God has placed in my heart. Even though my internship with you all will be ending soon; I want to encourage you to continue to build relations with the community of faith at Green Bethel Baptist. It has been such a pleasure working with both congregations and I pray that God continues what has been started. I want to thank the Church Staff, Deacons, and lay leaders for all their support and advice. I want to thank the congregation for your prayers, love, encouragement, and wisdom. None of this would have been possible without you. So, I thank you from the bottom of heart. Whatever God has planned for me going forward I want to say that BSBS will always have a place in my heart. May God love you all and keep you all.

Your CBF Ministry Intern and fellow brother in Christ,

Cedric D. Starr

Greetings from the



I can't believe that it is almost summer already!

And with summer comes the close of yet another school year. At this time of year as we prepare to graduate our preschool class I am always sad to see our precious babies leave to go off to kindergarten. Many of our graduates have been with us since birth. Those five years sure do pass quickly!

We will have our spring program and daycare graduation on **Friday June 9th at 6:00** in the church sanctuary. Afterwards we will have an end of school celebration for the daycare children and their families. We would love to have some of our church members come and be a part of this special time of fellowship between the daycare and the church. Please call the daycare office and let us know if you would like to come and join us in welcoming these 70 precious children and their families. If you have never seen one of our programs you are surely missing a huge blessing! The daycare office number is 704-434-9273.

The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases; His mercies never come to an end; they are new every morning. Great is your faithfulness. Lamentations 3:22-23

Many blessings! Dawn

Notes...

Over 37 years ago we became a part of Boiling Springs Baptist Church and community. Seven years ago Roger was diagnosed with Primary Progressive Aphasia. In recent months he has declined so we are moving to Georgia so Deborah and Stephen can help me with his care.

In my heart I know it is the right decision, but it is hard to leave. We will be moving mid-May. We love our church and have so many dear friends. Please pray for us during this time of adjustment. We will miss you. Roger & Susan Gaddis

We would like to convey our deepest gratitude for the expressions of kindness and sympathy following the passing of our grandmother, Isabelle Stroud. A special thanks to Rev. McKinney, those who contributed to the service, and those who prepared the family meal, and for your sincere thoughtfulness during this time of sorrow. In addition, we are forever grateful for the visits and prayers extended by those of the church family during her time at White Oak Manor.

The Stroud Family

BSBC Library

The Library Committee is sponsoring a book club, for women of all ages, including those in high school and college, during the summer months. The club will meet the second and fourth Thursdays at 10:00 am in the library, from May through August. The first meeting will be May 11. Participants will be asked to read books by specific authors, titles, subjects and books of one's own choosing. All materials will come from the church library. The first selection for May will be a Beverly Lewis book. We have a large selection, but should we run low, readers may pick one up at another library or use their personal copy. The novels focus on Amish culture. We plan to have a special guest who will give an in-depth look into Amish community life which, hopefully, will add greater insights into and appreciation for Lewis' novels. Come prepared to show your book and tell something of particular interest in your story. Of course, we will always have tea and cake. Please sign up in the library if you plan to join the club. One may join anytime throughout the summer. Hope to see great enthusiasm for summer reading!

Check it out in the library under Fic Lew
Nancy

MAY 7 - 7PM **BS LUMINARY SERVICE at BSBC** **for** **American Cancer Society** **Relay for Life**

If you would like to speak as a Cancer Survivor or Caregiver at our Luminary service, and/or if you would like to decorate your luminary bag, contact Diane Rabon. Forms are located outside church office.

Luminaries will also be used at the Fairgrounds Relay for Life service on May 19.

PLAY-GROUND SHAPE-UP! **WEDNESDAY, MAY 3 5:30PM**

Bring your rake and shovel and help shape up the play ground. Snacks and drinks provided.

WELCOME **NEW MEMBERS**

Roger & Marie Webb
Macie Greene
Jeremiah Hamby
Wesley Russ



ORDER YOUR **MOTHER'S DAY** **ROSES NOW!!**

\$5 Each

Deadline to Order: May 10

In Honor or In Memory of
A Special Woman in Your Life

Call Church Office to Order

Financial Information for April

April 2	\$12,010.26
April 9	\$11,234.06
April 16	\$ 6,478.23
April 23	\$ 7,051.00

Basic Weekly Budget Needs
\$11,823.32

Heartfelt Christian **Sympathy to** **...the families of**

Howard Smith

Cousin of Carolyn Hamrick

Margaret Sexton
Quattlebaum

Step-Mother of
Tim Quattlebaum

Audrey Stirewalt

Grandfather of Alyssa Hamrick

MAY NURSERY

May 7

Cliff & Gail Hamrick
Ben & Anna McDaniel

May 14

Donny & Catherine Hastings

May 21

Anna Whitaker,
Diane Rabon, June Evans

May 28

Sam & Darlene Hamrick

WELCOME **COMMITTEE** **MAY**

Nancy Blalock & Diane Rabon
(North side of building)
Betty Bridges & Tajsha Eaves
(South side of building)

Sanctuary Flowers **MAY**

May 7 & 28 OPEN
May 14 Mother's Day
Roses on Sale NOW
May 21 Reserved

Happy Birthday

TO OUR MAY **80's AND OVER**

Carolyn Hunt.....May 03
Bob Hunt.....May 23
Apologies for wrong
date last month!
Virginia Harris.....Apr 12

SUNDAY SCHOOL: **Attendance for April**

April 2..... 185
April 9..... 175
April 16..... 166
April 23..... 169

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To receive information and/or
reminders through text,
text BSBC to 95577

Forms are available in
sanctuary vestibule and outside
church office to register to
receive emails and texts from
the church.

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
4:00 PM Youth Softball Practice

Wednesday

10:00AM Staff Meeting
5:00 PM Fellowship Meal
5:15 PM C.A.R.E. Teams
5:30 PM Children's Choirs
5:30 PM Youth Bible Study
5:45 PM Women's Bible Study
6:00 PM Prayer Meeting
6:15 PM Children's Missions
7:00 PM Sanctuary Choir

Remember

*Your May Monthly
Food Closet Donations!!*

THE CURRENT Newsletter Information

All information for this monthly
publication needs to be submitted 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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MAY 2017

REGULAR SUNDAY & WEDNESDAY

ACTIVITIES Listed in Sidebar to LEFT

REGULAR SUNDAY

(SPECIAL Activities listed on Calendar)

8:00 Men's Bible Study
9:00 Prayer in Prayer Room
9:15 Coffee & Fellowship
9:30 Men's Bible Study
9:45 Sunday School
10:55 Morning Worship
6:00 Youth Softball Practice

REGULAR WEDNESDAY ACTIVITIES

(SPECIAL Activities listed on Calendar)

10:00 Staff Meeting
5:00 Fellowship Meal
5:15 CARE Ministry
5:30 Children's Choirs
5:30-7:00 Youth Bible Study
5:45-7:00 Women's Bible Study in Kerygma
6:00-7:00 Prayer Meeting in Lighthouse
6:15 Children's Missions
7:00 Sanctuary Choir

Wed.Night Fellowship Meal Leaders:

May 3: JCannon, LJones
MGuffey, GWasserman

May 10: M&JLutz
T&SQuattlebaum, BGreene

May 17: R&EHumphries, BGreene, T&CGreene, LSarratt

May 24: BWalton & GMcKee
RPace, DRabon

May 31: JLutz, BGreene, WHamrick&Co

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 3:45-7 Ballfield Rsvd 5:20 Handbells 7:00 Cub Scouts	2 3:45-7 Ballfield Rsvd 7:00 Boy Scouts	3 Regular Wed. Activities 6:00 Prayer Meeting Program: Organ Donation Program sponsored by Parish Nurse Cmt.	4 6:45 Youth Prayer Breakfast 12 Noon – National Day of Prayer at Town Hall 5:15 C Team (CARE) 6:30 DayCare Training in FH	5 10AM-7PM Ballfield Rsvd 7PM Youth Softball vs. Dbl.Shoals at Zion	6 9AM-3PM Picnic Shelter Rsvd 11AM Yth SB vs. Zion at Eastside 12Noon-4PM Town of BS Crossroads Festival on Main St.
7 After AM Worship – Youth Feed the Flock Luncheon 7PM Luminary Service in Lighthouse	8 10:00 Dorothy Edwards Bible Study 5:20 Handbells 6:00 Prayer Shawl 7:00 Deacons' Mtg 7:00 Cub Scouts	9 10AM Adults to Equestrian Center 7:00 Boy Scouts 7:00 DAR in FH	10 5:15 A Team (CARE) 6:00 Prayer Meeting 6:15 Children's Missions Night w/ Miss Ellen 7:00 Sanctuary Choir	11 6:45 Youth Prayer Breakfast 6:30 WMU Spring Meeting at Crestview	12 6PM Yth SB vs. Eastside at Eastside 7PM Yth SB vs. Putnam at Eastside	13
14 MOTHER'S DAY	15 9:30 Celebration of Moms & Family in FH AM Worship – Preschool Choir singing Heather Voyles, testimony NO Evening Service	16 7:00 Boy Scouts 2:00 WMU Prayer Group	17 Regular Wed. Activities 5:15 R Team (CARE) 6:00 Prayer Meeting 7:00 Sanctuary Choir	18 6:45 Youth Prayer Breakfast 6:30PM Crest Middle School Concert	19 8PM Yth SB vs. FBCShelby at Eastside	20 12Noon – Yth BS vs. Polkville at Eastside
21 GRADUATE DAY 9AM Missions Cmt AM Worship – Alan Newcomb preaching -Church Conference 12:00 Graduate Lunch - FH 1-5 Picnic Sh. Rsvd 5:30 Food, Music & Fellowship with Pastors Keith & Wade Wallace, and Green Bethel Baptist Church	22 5:20 Handbells 7:00 Cub Scouts	23 *NOTE time change *12:30 Adult Lunch Ann Espinoza (DC) cooking 6:00 Prayer Shawl 7:00 Boy Scouts	24 Regular Wed. Activities 5:15 E Team (CARE) 6:00 Prayer Meeting 7:00 Sanctuary Choir	25 6:45 Youth Prayer Breakfast	26 7PM Yth SB vs. Mt.Sinai at Eastside	27 1-5PM Picnic Shelter Rsvd.
28 2:00 GA's 'Cup of Tea' in FH	29 MEMORIAL DAY Offices Closed	30 GCCBA Staff Retreat in LH,here at BSBC	31 LAST WEDNESDAY NIGHT ACTIVITIES – FAMILY NIGHT Supper, Children's Choirs & Missions 7:00 Sanctuary Choir			

REMEMBER YOUTH SOFTBALL GAMES (listed on calendar) COME OUT & SUPPORT THEM!!