What's been going on with



We had a great time at our Super Cool Pool Party this past February. The kids got to compete in all kids of fun games. From racing penguins to diving for rings in a pool of balls. It was a lot of fun!























Upcoming Events



Saturday, May 4 8:30am-3:30pm

We're partnering with Deep Impact Kids to host a Kids Missions Day. Join us for hands-on mission projects for our church and community. The whole family and anyone who wants to join is invited. The cost is \$5 which covers your lunch for the day. You can find out more and register online at alexisbaptist.com or by





Vacation Bible School June 10-14 6:00-8:30pm

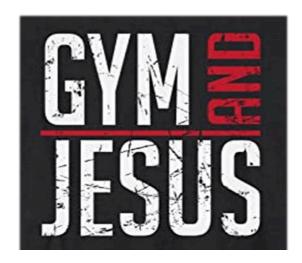
VBS planning is underway. Each day promises exciting adventures but to ensure smooth sailing we need volunteers. Opportunities include: teachers, assistants, crafts, recreation, decoration, check-in, clean up, family day. Thank you for generously volunteering to serve! Sign-up online or see Nathan.



MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT MINISTRY

WEDNESDAY NIGHTS

6:30 - 8:00 PM @ FAMILY LIFE CENTER



Middle and High School students are invited and encouraged to join us each week for recreation in the gym followed by a discussion-oriented study of God's Word led by Scott. Bring a friend!

YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL

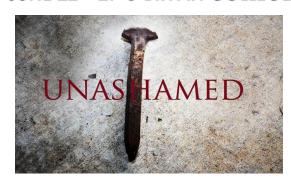
SUNDAYS @ 9:00 AM / ROOM 300-B



Our combined 6th – 12th grade class is currently continuing our verse-by-verse study of the New Testament book of Acts. Hope to see you this Sunday!

NEW CAMP 2024 UPDATE

JUNE 22 - 27 @ BRYAN COLLEGE



Currently, there are 23 participants on board for our upcoming summer camp in Dayton, Tennessee. We are excited to have the opportunity to once again join our many friends from North Carolina, Alabama, Louisiana and Illiniois for an inspiring time together! This year's camp will focus on Il Timothy and center on the theme of "Unashamed".

Additional Middle and High School students who desire to join us may do so! Simply contact Scott for details and answers to any questions you may have.

An Information Packet will be distributed to all participants in the coming weeks. This packet will include necessary forms to be completed prior to camp, as well as other important details.

In the meantime, please mark two important dates on your calendar ---

Sunday, April 28th – Deadline to make your final payment

Sunday, May 5th (5:00 PM @ FLC) -Mandatory Pre-Camp Parent/Participant Meeting

Upcoming Events & Information

Dear Church Family,

I want to thank you for your prayers, visits, food, calls & cards during my recovery from pacemaker replacement. Things went very well because of your prayers and the Great God we serve. Thank you.

Love, Dot Hager



Dear Church Family,

I would like to thank you all for your prayers, food, and kindness during my recovery from knee surgery.

Love, Mandy Stroupe

"Let my teaching fall like rain and my words descend like dew, like showers on new grass, like abundant rain on tender plants." Deuteronomy 32:2



GOOD NEIGHBORS will meet Tuesday, April 9th at 10:30 in the Hut. Please bring your favorite covered dish and enjoy a time of fellowship with each other along with fun and games. We look forward to seeing you there.



AUNT PAT PAYNE CIRCLE: Will meet on Tuesday, April 9th at 7pm at Kay Sisk's house. All ladies are welcome.

ISABEL HOVIS CIRCLE: Will meet Monday, April 8th at 10am in the hut.

JOY CIRCLE - We will meet April 11th at 7pm in the hut. All ladies are invited to join us for fellowship, prayer and support for missions.

GGBA

Community Food Pantry List

They are in need of the following:

Boxes of Cereal

Canned Chicken

Boxes of Pop Tarts

Hunt's Canned Spaghetti Sauce

Peanut Butter

Boxes of Spaghetti



OUR GOAL: \$10,000 Received to Date: \$4,015



BIRTHDAYS

- 1 Denise Boggs
- 2 Barry Hurdt, Jean Hurley
- 3 Jerry Helderman
- 4 Wayne Gales
- 6 Betty Gales, Steven Lanham, Stone Sisk
- 8 Micah Jenkins, Chad Parrott
- 9 Teresa Wiles
- 10 Marica Lyons, Jaxon Vernitsky
- 11 Mary Ruttenbur
- 14 Stephanie Hildebran
- 15 Amanda Beaty, Addison Oxedine
- 16 Dennis Dellinger, Brian Nichols, Steven Rhyne
- 19 Gail Hornack
- 20 Linda Clark
- 21 Bill McPherson
- 22 Sherry Kocsis
- 24 Nathan Stroupe
- 26 Frankie Braswell, Bill Stroupe
- 27 Michael Sisk
- 28 Judy Waldrop
- 29 Ruth Hipp, Hope Ritter



- 2 Don & Louise Rimmer
- 6 Chi & Hue Loi Luu
- 15 Tracy & Sonya Saunders
- 20 Brian & Brenda York
- 22 Bobby & Ann Moore
- 30 Dalton & Carrie Rhoney

WMU Mission Action Project

Our Mission Action Project for **April** will be helping to stock the pantry for the Baptist Children's Homes. Items needed are many, so here is our list: Spaghetti, Spaghetti sauce, Pancake Mix, Syrup, Hamburger Helper, Laundry detergent, Dryer Sheets, Lysol, Hair brushes, Toothbrushes, Toothpaste, and Band Aids. Money (mark your envelope for Baptist Childrens Home)or Walmart gift cards can also be donated. Please leave these items in the blue tote outside of Mandy's office.

Directory Corrections

Angel Haymore - 704-648-5146

New Address

Rev. & Mrs. Sandy Marks 7745 Bankers Dr. Fayetteville, NC 28311

STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

Sadie Saunders - 7961 Prestwick Ln., Stanley, NC 28164 Scout Saunders -7961 Prestwick Ln., Stanley, NC 28164

SHUT-INS OF THE MONTH

Carolyn Sellers - 230 Lamplighter Ln., Mt. Holly, NC 28120 Barbara Smith -6447 E. Hwy. 27, Iron Station, NC 28080

CARE GIVERS THIS MONTH EXTENDED NURSERY:

CARE GIVERS WEEK of Mar 31

BB/Toddlers: Freda Prince, Amber Tuttle 2/3 Yr olds: Jennifer Stroupe, Angel Haymore Preschool Worship: Lisa McAlister, Karen Presswood Children's Worship: Hayley Dellinger, Hannah Richardson

CARE GIVERS WEEK of Apr 7

BB/Toddlers: Angie Harmon, Kim Rhyne 2/3 Yr olds: Julie Clippard, Stacey Oxendine Preschool Worship: Gail Hornack, Mandy Stroupe

Children's Worship:

CARE GIVERS WEEK of Apr 14

BB/Toddlers: Sceria Jenkins, Âmy Jones 2/3 Yr olds: Sonya Sisk, Donna Stepp Preschool Worship: Janice Widner, Linda Thomas Children's Worship: Hayley Dellinger, Kristy Overkamp

CARE GIVERS WEEK of Apr 21

BB/Toddlers: Denise Boggs, Heather Addington 2/3 Yr olds: Sharon Davis, Rebecca Revels Preschool Worship: Alison Cobb, Sara Clippard Children's Worship: Hayley Dellinger, Heather Johnson

CARE GIVERS WEEK of Apr 28

BB/Toddlers: Katie Parrott, Dennis Rhyne 2/3 Yr olds: Jennifer Stroupe, Angel Haymore Preschool Worship: Lisa McAlister, Karen Presswood Children's Worship: Hayley Dellinger, Hannah Richardson

April Ushers:

Rick Skibo, Bud Pate, Terry Presswood, Mike Kocsis, Jimmy Deese

April Greeters:

Sunday School Welcome Center: Josh & Jennifer Stroupe Foyer Greeter: Leeza Rhyne

DEACON MINISTERS

DATE	Benediction Prayer	Prayer & Walk
Apr 7	Jason Stroupe	Dennis Rhyne
Apr 14	Steve Clippard	Josh Stroupe
Apr 21	Jack Parrott	Tim Jones
Apr 28	Allen Widner	Jeremy Addington

THE RECORD SPEAKS

THE RECORD OF EARLS					
	2/25	3/3	3/10	3/17	
Sunday School	151	125	127	141	
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Budget Receipts: Regular Offering	8,081.99	20,003.40	8,611.69	8,485.78	

Weekly Receipt Needed	12,265.74
Receipts Needed to Date	147,188.88
Receipts Received to Date	157,247.97
Over to Date:	+10,059.09
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Other Receipts: CCC

GBA Food 100.00

Special Love Offering NC State Offering

Total Receipts:

Gideons 50.00

Lottie Moon Annie Armstrong 425.00 1,195.00 1,045.00 850.00 Sales Tax Refund 2,772.37 Use of Facilities 100.00 50.00 Memorials/Honorarium 20.00 85.00 310.99 Reim/Donations 169.00 2,630.00

\$11,518.36 \$24,113.40 \$9,656.69

\$9,696.77

Alexis Baptist Church

P.O. Box 39 Alexis, North Carolina 28006 Return Service Requested

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CHURCH OFFICE

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Fax Number: (704) 263-5530

Robbie Burgin - Preschool Director: (704) 263-2345

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In Loving Memory of

Robert Payne - Joyce Camp, Steve & Sheila Clippard, Mike & Ruth Hipp

Dorthy Hudson - Bob & JoAnn Payne



Sunday, March 31st - Easter Sunday Sunrise Service @ 7AM Sunday School @ 9AM Worship Service @ 10:15AM Church office will be closed Good Friday, March 29th & Easter Monday April 1st

> Memorial Service for Doris Hudson (Ruth Hipp's mother) Saturday, April 20, 2024 at 1 pm First Presbyterian Church 3810 Robert M. Grissom Pkwy Myrtle Beach, SC 29577



NOTICE

Monthly newsletter is published the THIRD WEEK of the month.

PASTOR SEARCH COMMITTEE NOMINATION PROCEDURE

Nomination forms will be available **Sunday March 24 and Sunday March 31, 2024.** They will be located in the vestibule, on the front pew and in the church office.

- * Prior to being nominated, nominees should clearly express willingness to serve on the Pastor Search Committee if elected. It is the responsibility of those who offer the nominations to personally confirm that their nominee is indeed willing to serve if elected.
- * Members may nominate more than one person.
- * Nominees must be members of Alexis Baptist Church.
- * Members may not nominate themselves.
- * Full-time staff members are not eligible for nomination.
- * Nominees must be at least 18 years of age.
- * It is permissible to nominate members of the same family but it must be understood that the Pastor Search Committee cannot have:
 - Husband Wife members
 - Parent Child members
 - Sibling Members

If two such family members are eventually elected to serve, the one receiving the most votes will remain on the committee whereas the other will be disqualified.

* Forms may be placed in the white boxes in the vestibule, on the front pew, or returned to the church office.

NOMINATION FORMS ARE DUE BY: **MONDAY APRIL 8, 2024 BY 12 PM** Any forms received after this due date and time, WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

- * The names of all nominees will be compiled on a list in alphabetical order, announced and published to the church membership on **APRIL 14, 2024.** Once the nominee list is announced and published, the church membership will have at least one week to prayerfully consider who should serve. This list is **NOT** a ballot.
- * The vote will then take place during a business meeting after the **SUNDAY MORNING SERVICE ON APRIL 21, 2024** to determine the 5 members of the Pastor Search Committee.
 - Each church member may vote for as many as
 5 candidates. If you vote for MORE than 5, your vote will be disqualified.
 NO WRITE-INS.
 - Only **ONE** ballot per church member.

- The nominee with the 6th highest number of votes will be the "alternate" on the Pastor Search Committee.
- In the event of a tie between #5 and #6, the surname, the first letter in the last name, in alphabetical order would be elected as alternate; in the event of matching surnames, the first names would be used in the same manner to determine the alternate.
- * The Nominating Committee will tally the votes and the results will be announced **SUNDAY APRIL 28, 2024,** and published in the next newsletter.

There will be a special prayer of commission for the newly elected Pastor Search Committee that Sunday prior to their first meeting.

Neighborhood Missions Team Report....

"Whatever you have done unto the least of these you have done unto me" Thank you Father!

Our mission work is made possible by your donations, your prayers, and the love of JESUS!

A request from the NC Baptist Aging Ministry in Thomasville, NC was received by the Alexis Baptist Neighborhood Missions Committee. There was a request to build a handicap ramp for one of our neighbors down Mayberry Road. In making contact with the residents, Tony and Denise, they explained that they had taken Denise's brother in law Norman into their home to live with them. He has no family except Denise, is wheelchair bound and their home is four feet off the ground.

With requests made and forms signed, the materials were paid for by the NC Baptist Aging Ministry. Plans were made for the ramp design, materials were purchased and our mission crew built Mr. Norman a ramp that will make it easy for Tony and Denise to transfer him into their home. Our thanks to the faithful men of our Neighborhood Missions group for building another handicap ramp for our neighbors. They are Mike Hipp, Dennis Rhyne, Dave Lanham, Tom Moon, Randy Presswood, Jimmy Deese, and Danny Jones. The couple in front are Tony and Denise. Norman is recovering in rehab.



