



ABBOTTS CREEK CHURCH

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SPRING INTO SUNDAY SCHOOL!!



Children ages 3rd-8th grade are invited to attend *"Spring Into Sunday School"*, March 22nd @9:45am. After Sunday School, there will be a celebration featuring *"Magic Chris"*, a Christian Magician/Balloonist! Anyone who brings a guest will be entered into a prize drawing! Also, parents are welcome, especially if their child is under age 5. Please contact Sandi @ (336) 689-0694 with any questions. Looking forward to see you there!



YOUTH LOCK-IN

Creekside Student Church Lock-In
Friday, March 20th-21st
11pm to 7am
"The Game Gauntlet"
NO SLEEP!

www.abbottscreek.org or
<https://onrealm.org/abbottscreek/Give> for online giving
www.facebook.com/abbottscreekchurch

Mark's ReMarks.

I sure got excited when the phone rang in my office the other day. A lady from a church in Western North Carolina wanted to know if we were erecting THE TABERNACLE again this year for Easter? She said a group from her church had traveled to tour, in her words, "the Amazing, Life-Sized Tabernacle at Abbotts Creek". I thanked her for coming such a distance, and for her kind words. She wanted to know how the tours were received?

I proceeded to share with her that God, in His Sovereignty, knew how we as His Church, needed to be sharply focused on His Will and His Plan for our church. I bore witness how selflessly and faithfully our men and church Leadership worked together to accomplish that God-Sized task. How in those few weeks THE TABERNACLE was erected, literally over 1,200 people registered for tours while hundreds more simply came on their own.

We talked of how people attending the High Point Furniture Market from out of state came; church vans, youth groups, and school children toured. How several hundred attending our Antique Car Show Bazaar came, folks toured, literally, during a Tornado Warning, a steady rainfall, even showing up as late as 9:30 one night. The lady told me it spiritually spoke to her own church. I stated "Give God all glory for seeing people literally saved, for atheists and lost persons and believers alike being profoundly touched by Christ!"

I was humbled to tell her, and you church that God is leading us this year to depict 7 of the Miracles of Christ in **THE MIRACLE WALK!** We are asking our church and community to begin praying that many more will come to personally receive Christ through the outdoor "**MIRACLE WALK**" this Easter on our Abbotts Creek Church ballfield. I will share more specific details next week. Thank you for praying for and participating in The Miracle Walk this Easter.

—Pastor Mark



The Abbotts Creek Christian Education Scholarship Committee is now accepting applications for student aid for the 2020-21 school year. Applications are available outside the church office. Deadline for applications is March 29, 2020



Next Church-Wide Meal Wednesday, March 18th at 5:15pm, sponsored by Deacons. On the menu: chicken, mashed potatoes, green beans, rolls, and dessert!

For Information: Our Deacons, Trustees, and Church Council Leadership Team have discussed and adjusted cleaning and sanitation plans for our church. Steps we have been taking are: omitting fellowship by handshaking in Worship; wiping down all external & internal doorknobs, kitchen and fellowship hall areas using Microban Industrial Cleaner; cleaning all children's & nursery areas; and purchasing stand alone hand sanitizers for entry areas. Thank you!

Prayer Requests

PRAY FOR

- Lois Beeson
- Wayne Bodenheimer
- Don & Crystal Myers in the loss of their son Tyler
- Angela Dobbins in the loss of her mother
- Tom Baity
- Grace Green
- Doris Loggins
- Martha White
- Junior Sink
- Ruth Vaden

COMMUNITY & FRIENDS

- The Heitman Family Wreck (Libby Essick's Family)
- Frances, sister of Wayne Simpson
- Josh Jacobs mother, Diane
- Marty Payne
- Brian Sapp
- Susan (sister of Shirley Mendenhall)
- Becky Slate in the loss of her mother
- Brenda Hayworth's sister Wanda and her father Warren
- Erica
- Josh Ramsey
- Mary Ann Cotton & Lewis (friends of Barbara Simpson)
- Kay Wall

- Diane (sister of Judy Keesee)
- Paul (friend of Robert Clayton)
- Jason (nephew of Robert Clayton)
- Harris Family (friends of Dave Keesee)
- Dr. Fred Mock
- Linda (Edna Cox's mother)
- Diane Spurgeon (Evva Spurgeon)
- Linda Keiner (Hugh Motsinger's sister)
- Rhonda Farlow (friend of Marilyn Love)
- Hadley, Dave & Judy Keesee's granddaughter

OUR SHUT-INS/HOMEBOUND

- Carole Hedgecock
- Roxie Beeson
- Dorothea Bodenheimer
- Gene Craven
- Matthew Dunn
- Dot Hayes
- Marty Livengood
- Pansy Moore
- Helen Penninger

Pray for Our Military

- Troy Goforth-US Air Force**
- Jessie Hayworth-US Navy**
- Chase Choate-US Air Force, Idaho**
- Kevin Hill-US Army**
- Sofia Paguada-US Army**
- Carey Loggins-US Army, Ft. Hood**
- Austin Stilley-USMC, Camp Pendleton**
- Kasey Clinard-US Air Force, Arizona**
- Zach Serge-US Air Force, North Dakota**
- T.C. Baity-US National Guard, Virginia**
- Connor Tomblin-US Navy, Great Lakes**
- Mark Raisner-US Army**

The Spring-Children's Ministry

"Peanut Butter & Jesus" Pals—I love to mix food and fellowship with friends and school so I am looking for some "PB and J" pals to eat with! Register March 1-15. Forms available outside the office.

- March 17-Friendship Elementary
- March 24- Union Cross Elementary
- March 31- Wallburg Elementary



Thursday, March 5th—"Prayer at the Pole"

- Wallburg-7am
- Friendship-7:35am



When it comes to creating disciples *Facts and Trends* from Lifeway recently had an article titled "Generation Why? Churches Worry They Can't Reach Young Adults Full of Questions." In this piece the author gives four steps to making a young adult disciple that I think are worth your consideration. Comments in the () are my own interpretation of these tips.

1. Don't shy away from hard teaching. (Don't water down the truth)
2. Challenge them to read Scripture. (Bring their Bibles to church)
3. Encourage their evangelistic passion. (We need passion ourselves)
4. Give them someone to follow. (Be the one they can follow)

One tool to help us move in this direction is the *Parents Page* from **The Center for Parent and Youth Understanding**.

The Center for Parent and Youth Understanding *Parents Page for March 2020* is available below the student ministry bulletin board, in the vestibule, and outside of the office area. Please avail yourself of this resource. Whether you are a parent or not it is helpful to know what is going on in the world of our students as a church so that we might more effectively disciple our students for the glory of God.

—Pastor Josh

Dates to remember:

Overnighter- Mar. 20-21

Youth Sunday - Mar. 29th

Ministry at Open Door in High Point- Mar. 31st

Caswell- June 22-27



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The adult choir will be presenting the Cantata, "Thank you for the Cross" on Sunday, April 5th at 11am. A mixture of contemporary and traditional music that will be an exciting time of worship!



Cline Observatory

"Young at Heart" March 26th at 7pm— trip to GTCC Cline Observatory for all ages. No charge.

Our Sunday Volunteers for March 15th

- Deacon on Call—Lin Hayworth
- Nursery Workers—Courtney & Cody Essick
- Children's Church—Sandi Todd & Shirley McGukin
- Ushers for March—Captain, Don Myers; Darren Fowler, Tony Fowler, Harry Love, Lin Hayworth, Libby Essick, Gene Rhodes
- Shut-in of the week—Matthew Dunn
- 205 Barney Rd
- High Point, NC 27265-1111



Annual Spring Car Cruise-In
Saturday, April 4th, 9am to 2pm
 For more information contact
Lee Roy Kearns 336-812-6661 or:
Evva Spurgeon—336-687-0670

Church Receipts March 8th

General Fund	14392.00
In Memory of Lewis Peacock	
Young @ Heart	224.00
Missions	500.00
Annie Armstrong	965.00
Total Deposit	16081.00

Dear Church Family,

Thank you for your love and prayers during my recent surgery and recovery. I so appreciate each and every one! A special thanks to the Youth for sending me such sweet get well cards. I am so thankful for my church family!

Love, Shannon Carter



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OUR CHURCH MINISTRY TEAM

Rev. Mark Hollar.....Pastor
 Rev. Josh Jacobs.....Student Pastor
 Sandi Todd.....Children/Pre-School Director
 Amy Raisner.....Church Administrative Assistant
 Pat Taylor.....Interim Music Director
 Patsy Taylor.....Interim Organist
 David Luther.....Interim Pianist
 Brad Williams.....Deaf Ministry Interpreter

We had excellent attendance at last weeks Wednesday night WMU Study on the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering led by Jeanne Haney.

