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## REGULAR OPPORTUNITIES FOR WORSHIP

### SUNDAY

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
AWANA 4:00 p.m.

### WEDNESDAY

Supper 6:00 - 6:40 p.m.  
Mission Friends 7:00 p.m.  
R.A. and G.A. 7:00 p.m.  
Youth 7:00 p.m.  
Adult Bible Study 7:00 p.m.  
Choir Practice 8:00 p.m.

### CHURCH STAFF

Dave Atwater, Pastor  
Victor Quick, Minister of Music  
Mayling Blackwood, Ministry Assistant

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS OF OPERATION  
MONDAY – FRIDAY, 8:00 A.M. – 2:00 P.M.

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# June

### OUR MISSION STATEMENT:

**LOVE GOD. EXALT CHRIST. SEEK HIS WILL. SERVE HIS PURPOSE.**

# Business Meeting Minutes

May 16, 2010

Church business meeting was called to order by Moderator Tommy Cecil. 26 members were present. Pastor Atwater led in prayer. The April 11, 2010 business meeting minutes were read. Reports were given and are attached (if hard copy available).

**Treasurer-Pat Cecil-** Treasurer's report voted on and approved.

**Church Council-** Pastor Atwater- June 6<sup>th</sup> will be an Appreciation Day for the White Cross Fire Dept followed by a lunch.

**Missions-** Robin Farrell- We continue to prepare meals for the Ronald McDonald House . Anyone who is interested in helping out please let the Church office know. Branan Hackney has been faithful for 3 years serving as the lead teacher for Mission Friends and she needs another lead teacher to assist her due to her work schedule. The ages are 3 yrs to kindergarten and they meet Wednesday nights from 7:00- 8:00. Pajama Pals will continue until 5/30/10. June missions projects are RMH June 24<sup>th</sup> and Baptist Children's Home Undie Sunday on June 27<sup>th</sup>.

**Historian-** Duncan McCallum- We need to update the cemetery listing on the internet site for Orange County. There was discussion.

**Men's Club-** Kitchin Durham- At the Breakfast we fed 418 people and proceeds were: \$3,959.50 received in revenue, \$1249.41 in expenses, profit of \$2710.09. Tim Upchurch stated that in 1956 the Men's Club was established to support the RAs. The Men's Club wants to expand their programs to support the RAs. Motion made that the Men's Club be given \$2,000 each year from the missions fund to specifically be earmarked for the RAs to assist needy children for programs such as camp meetings, field trips, and other programs suggested by the Men's Club and the Youth Minister. Any funds not used will be given back. There was discussion. Robbie Smith recommended a line item be designated for the Men's Club/RAs. Motion made to amend the motion to change the Men's Club to the Discretionary Missions Committee to make the decision on the \$2,000 for the Men's Club, seconded voted on and approved. Amended motion voted on and approved.

**AWANA -** Pat Cecil – AWANA had a great year, had a great fishing tournament and the Awards night went well. Looking forward to the new year starting in September.

**Building and Grounds-** Gordon Neville – He thanked everyone for their help with the Church directory. Mr. Rives has been very helpful with the pictures. They worked on the steeple for two days and replaced the copper flashing. They are looking for a volunteer to hang a pot hanging rack this Saturday. Come out this Saturday morning at 8:00 a.m. not 8:30 a.m. Greg Williams re-established the answering machine for the office . Kitchin and Tom Pritchard have been working on the water and well situation.

**Kitchen-** Hilda Durham – They found good deals on pots and pans. Need to get the pot hanging rack up. Let Hilda know if we need anything and a workday will be coming up soon.

**No Reports -** Deacons, Sunday School, Benevolence, Budget and Finance, By-Laws, Cemetery, Discretionary Missions, Flower, Library, Music, Outreach, Nominating, Nursery, Personnel Advisory, Tape Ministry, Usher, Van, Youth

**Technology-** Greg Williams –The hardware is in for the screen and working on getting it up this week. Someone donated an overhead projector and spare lamp for the fellowship hall. A company also donated a server and driver.

# June 2010

Missions:  
Ronald McDonald House  
&  
Undie Sunday

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2 6:00 p.m. Supper 7:00 p.m. RA, GA, Mission Friends, Youth, Adult Bible Study 8:00 p.m. Choir	3	4	5
6 A.C.T.S.  W.C.V.F.D. Appreciation Day Potluck Lunch	7	8 11:00 a.m. Young at Hearts (Seymour Senior Center)	9 6:00 p.m. Supper 7:00 p.m. RA, GA, Mission Friends, Youth, Adult Bible Study 8:00 p.m. Choir	10	11	12
13 6:30 p.m. Business Meeting	14	15	16 6:00 p.m. Supper 7:00 p.m. RA, GA, Mission Friends, Youth, Adult Bible Study 8:00 p.m. Choir	17 Newsletter submissions due in the office	18	19
20 Father's Day	21 7:00 p.m. Deacons' Meeting	22	23 6:00 p.m. Supper 7:00 p.m. RA, GA, Mission Friends, Youth, Adult Bible Study 8:00 p.m. Choir	24 Ronald McDonald House	25	26
27 New Member Covered Dish Luncheon	28 7:00 p.m. Budget and Finance Meeting	29	30 6:00 p.m. Supper 7:00 p.m. RA, GA, Mission Friends, Youth, Adult Bible Study 8:00 p.m. Choir			

# News & Opportunities

## 2010 HOMECOMING SPEAKER

Rev. Stan Welch, the past president of the N.C. Baptist Convention (two-terms), will be our 2010 Homecoming Speaker on Sunday, August 8. Rev. Welch is currently the Senior Pastor at West Asheville Baptist Church.

He served as the Associate Pastor of the Beverly Hills Baptist Church in Rockingham, SC, for 5 years; and then was the Senior Pastor at the Blackwelder Park Baptist Church in Kannapolis, NC, for 23 years. He believes that evangelism and missions begin with the local church.

Stan is also the father of Jamey Welch,. Jamey and his family were active at Antioch while he was attending UNC-Chapel Hill.

## New Member Covered-Dish Luncheons

On **Sunday, June 27th** we will be honoring the following new members after our morning worship service:

- Irene Robeson
- Precious Robeson
- Charles Whinna
- Elizabeth Whinna

Precious Robeson will be baptized.

Lyn Lloyd will be baptized on **Sunday, July 11th**, while her mother is in town from Minnesota. A new member luncheon for Lyn will following that morning worship service as well.

Both new member covered dish luncheons will be in the Fellowship Hall.

Come join us as we welcome these new members to our church family, and extend our greetings and hospitality to their families.

## Living Proof: Live with Beth Moore

August 27 - 28, 2010  
Richmond, VA

To obtain tickets call Lifeway at 1-800-254-2022 or go to Lifeway's webpage at lifeway.com. Rooms are blocked for the Comfort Inn, downtown Richmond. Call Lynn Strickland for more details at 942-6107.

# News & Opportunities

## OUR MISSION PROJECTS THIS MONTH:

Our mission projects for June will be the Ronald McDonald House and Undie Sunday. If you would be willing to assist, please see Robin Farrell or call the church office at (919) 929-2230.

### Ronald McDonald House

Thursday, June 24th, Antioch will be preparing the evening meal for the residents of the House. This meal provides a little touch of home cooking with lots of TLC for parents and children during their stay. To assist in preparation of the meal, contact the church office or Robin Farrell.

### Undie Sunday

Final Collection: June 26th  
New underwear is being collected to be given to the children at the Baptist Children's Homes throughout our state. All types of new underwear are needed (i.e. boxer shorts, jockey shorts, undershirts, panties, bras, slips, camisoles, socks, etc.)

A donation box will be located in the hallway between the Educational Building and the Sanctuary.

### **VBS 2010: July 5th - 9th**

It's that time again and we need your help. If you are looking for a rewarding experience and the chance to tell children about how wonderful Christ is, then VBS is for you! Please call the church office or sign-up on the church's website. See you there!

**Next newsletter submission is June 17th.**

## June 2010 Nursery Schedule

- Wed. 2nd:** Sandy Jefferson
- Sun. 6th:** Peyton Justice, Becky Smith, Shannon Baker, Rosie Matsko
- Wed. 9th:** Libby Bennett
- Sun. 13th:** Jessica Lloyd, Lucy Upchurch, Allyson Cecil, Dawn Ward
- Wed. 16th:** Kay Hammond
- Sun. 20th:** Sherry Webster, Arielle Webster, Darla Stokely, Allison Stokely
- Wed. 23rd:** Ruth Williams
- Sun. 27th:** Keti Harr, Laura Lloyd, Kim Dunn, Karen Whitfield
- Wed. 30th:** Hilda Durham

**Good News!** We have received 29 photos for the church directory. However, we still have numerous blank spots, and the deadline is July 1 in order to be ready for homecoming. If you need to have a photo taken, see Jim Rives or Tommy Cecil.

**The Young at Hearts** will meet at the church at 10:30 a.m. on Tuesday, June 8th for a special trip and luncheon to the Seymour Senior Center off Homestead Road in Chapel Hill. You must sign-up by June 1st to be included in the no-charge luncheon. We will assemble in the "Town Treasures" or theatre room. Gordon Neville will be your co-host.

**Orange Methodist Church** has scheduled its 2010 **VBS** to meet in the evenings from Sunday, June 13 through Wednesday, June 16. Each night will begin with a dinner from 5:30 to 6:00, and will end at 8:00 p.m.

## A Message From The Pastor:

Communities, however you define them, seem to be growing more fragmented every day. Superstars sacrifice teamwork for personal statistics and better contracts. Corporations sacrifice service for short-term profits. Loyalties seem more tentative. People move more often. Sometimes we become so absorbed in our personal routines that we have little time for our families, much less for our neighbors or church. Yet a sense of community is important. It shapes the quality of our lives. It's a spiritual issue!

Luke 10:25-37 records Jesus' parable of the "Good Samaritan." Almost everyone knows that the Samaritan stopped to help. Many don't realize, however, that he did so at considerable risk, and went against public opinion as well. The Samaritan, you see, was a "foreigner" despised for both his race and religion. He and his people were so despised that most of Jesus' audience would literally cross the river and walk around the country when they had business up north in Galilee. Had the roles been reversed, chances are the Samaritan would have died in that ditch.

And what would change if he stopped to help? The locals would still think of him as less than a man. The people back home would call him a "chump." And for all he knew, the robbers might still be lying in wait for another victim. Still, he not only risked his life to save that of a stranger, but also spent his money in the process. He looked beyond outward appearance, and – in the process – became the very symbol of what it means to be a neighbor.

There are still a few "good Samaritans" around. Most of you don't know this, but I may owe my own life to a man who picked me up following a bloody accident and rushed me to a hospital. I'm told that he, too, was of another race.

This story has broad implications. It was offered in response to a man who tried to avoid community responsibilities by contesting legal definitions. "Who is my neighbor?" he asked. Jesus' response pointed not to rules, but relationships. Can you imagine how different our communities would be if everyone shared such a vision?

Blessings,  
Pastor Dave

## News

**Old business** - Greg Williams distributed the proposed salary package for the Associate Minister of Student Ministries. Recommendation made to adopt this package which has already been approved by the Budget and Finance Committee for Daniel Butson. Recommendation voted on and approved.

Gene Williams stated the Appreciation Day for the White Cross Fire Dept will be June 6<sup>th</sup> and it will be a covered dish.

**New business** - Judy Wiles stated she was contacted by the American Red Cross regarding having a Blood Drive on Oct 5<sup>th</sup>. Motion made for Oct 5<sup>th</sup> to be our Blood Drive, seconded, voted on and approved.

Motion made, seconded, voted on and passed to approve the minutes as corrected. There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

Dave Atwater- Pastor

Tommy Cecil- Moderator

Kim Dunn- Clerk

### Notes of Appreciation and Announcements

Congratulations to Connie Ray who is appearing on Broadway in "Next Fall," a new play that has been nominated for a Tony award.

### *Thank You!*

The family of Beryl W. Lloyd acknowledges with grateful appreciation the love and support shown our family by the Antioch Baptist Church family during Beryl's illness and death. Your many prayers of concern, phone calls, cards, visits, flowers and food prepared meant so much to our family.

May Antioch Baptist Church continue to reap the Lord's blessings through its continued ministries in the community. God bless you all.

Love — Roy, Dale, Strowd and families.

### Congratulations to our graduates:

#### High School:

Kevin Phillippie  
River Mill Academy  
Graham, NC  
Parents: Mark and Ann Phillippie

#### College:

Steven Lloyd  
NCSU  
Computer Science, B.S.  
Parents: Jerry and Angie Lloyd

Erin Williams  
UNC-Greensboro  
Recreation and Parks Management, B.S.  
Parent: Debbie Williams  
Grandparents: Jim and Kathryn Rives

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