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KERR MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH
Concord, North Carolina

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Barbara F. Crisp, Organist ♦ June P. Osborne, Pianist
Michelle C. Bowerman, Secretary ♦ Kerri E. Fraley, Financial Clerk

FROM YOUR PASTOR

May is the month we give special honor to mothers. Sunday, May 14 is Mother's Day, and I pray that God blesses every mother in our church family. Christian mothers, who teach their children about Jesus Christ and desire to instill godly character traits in them, are becoming rare. Such mothers are front-line disciple-makers in their own home. They care about their children's souls as well as their bodies. If you are a mother with children still in your home, please be sure your children are the primary objects of your Christian mission.



The mission of Kerr Memorial Baptist Church is to share the love of God with our neighbors. Our family of faith unites together in fellowship and worship. We demonstrate our commitment through living the lifestyle of the teachings of Jesus Christ. We seek to address the unique needs of each generation through reaching, teaching and equipping for One Christ...One Church...One People.



This Month...

Monday, May 1

6:30pm BYW Meeting

Thursday, May 4

6:30pm Men's Meeting

Saturday, May 6

2-5pm Blood Drive

Sunday, May 7

10:30am Deacon Nominations

11:45am Deacon's Meeting

11:45am Senior Banquet

Tuesday, May 9

11:30am Dear Hearts Luncheon

7:00pm Church Council Meeting

Sunday, May 14 *Mother's Day*

8:30am Church Breakfast

BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN BEGINS

No PM ACTIVITIES

Thursday, May 18

8-11am Volunteering at the BSH

Friday, May 19– Saturday, May 20

Deacons Retreat

Sunday, May 21

5-8pm Youth Worship at Parkwood

7:00pm Church Conference

Sunday, May 28

No PM Activities

Monday, May 29 *Memorial Day*



Details

CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING

Program ministry representatives will meet on Tuesday, May 9th, at 7:00pm. Leaders, if you are unable to attend, please contact and provide your calendar events to another member on our Church Council.

MOTHER'S DAY

Mother's Day is Sunday, May 14th! Everyone is invited to begin their day with breakfast and a time of fellowship at 8:30am. There will also be no PM activities.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

If you are looking for a chance to volunteer, we will be at the Baptist Sharing House on Thursday, May 18th, from 8-11am. If this is something you would like to know more about, please see Jean Kennedy.

BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN

GATE Pregnancy Resource Center in Harrisburg is kicking off this year's Baby Bottle Campaign and Kerr has agreed to help! The campaign runs from Mother's Day through Father's Day. So make sure you grab a baby bottle to fill up beginning on Sunday, May 14th. It is an amazing program and we look forward to helping them again this year!



Nursery Schedule

Sunday Morning

Infant Nursery

- 1st: Barbara Dysart & Debra Moody
- 2nd: Jennifer Campbell & Lindsey Johns
- 3rd: Carolyn & Ivy Joyner
- 4th: Sue Ann Buckland & OPEN
- 5th: Pam West & Barbara Shaver

Toddler Nursery

- 1st: Lindsay Hartman & Linda Morrison
- 2nd: Kevin & Amber Mullis
- 3rd: Jean Kennedy & Debbie Gibson
- 4th: Karen Helms & Bethany Buckland
- 5th: Sue Ann & Bethany Buckland

Sunday Night

Combined Nursery

- 1st: OPEN
- 2nd: OPEN
- 3rd: Sara Grooms
- 4th: OPEN
- 5th: Greg & Lindsay Hartman

Wednesday Night

Combined Nursery

- 1st: Bethany Melton
- 2nd: Jean Kennedy
- 3rd: Jennie Mullis
- 4th: Karen Helms
- 5th: Linda Morrison

May's Ushers

- May 7** Bobby Benson, Bethany Buckland, Jimmy Morrison, Chip Mullis
- May 14** Josh Abee, Jamie Campbell, Larry Campbell, Mike Martin
- May 21** Calvin Bowerman, Phil Gibson, Bill Jones, Kevin Mullis
- May 28** Lonnie Hunsucker, David Melton, Jeremy Sloop, Lynn Small



- 05/02 Opal Price
- 05/05 Debra Moody
- 05/13 Thelma Kiser
- 05/22 James Whitley
- 05/26 Phil Helms
- 05/26 Ashleigh Helms
- 05/29 Sadie Hartman
- 05/31 Calvin Bowerman



- 05/05/1950 Sonny & Billie Smith
- 05/12/1951 James & Mary Whitley
- 05/11/1966 Bobby & Rosemarie Shoaf
- 05/18/1995 Dan & Annette Abee
- 05/06/2006 Kevin & Amber Mullis

BIBLE QUIZ

Acts 17 describes Paul speaking about God to the people of Athens in front of — incredibly — a site that still exists. What is that site?

- A. The Panathenaic Stadium
- B. The Areopagus
- C. The Acropolis and the Parthenon
- D. The Temple of Hephaestus

ANSWER: B (SEE ACTS 17:22.)

May 2017 Report

[GROUP MEETINGS]

BYW

This month, the BYW will be meeting at Jim & Nick's by Concord Mills Mall on Monday, May 1st, at 6:30pm. For more information, see Michelle Bowerman.

DEAR HEARTS

The Dear Hearts meet again on Tuesday, May 9th, at 11:30am in the Fellowship Hall.

MEN'S MEETING

This month, the men have rescheduled their meeting to Thursday, May 4th, at 6:30pm at the Brickhouse Grill. For more information, See Scott Dry.

WELCOME TO OUR CHURCH

We welcome Bobby & Cheryl Irvin! They came forward on Sunday, May 23rd, to join our church family. They join us by transfer letter and their Deacon is Mac Robinson.

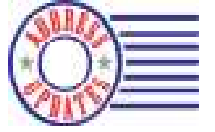
Please be sure to add the following to your church directory:

Irvin, Bobby & Cheryl
1001 Samuel Adams Cir SW
Concord, NC 28027-0140
(704)652-2893

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

Please record this new address in your church directory or address book.

Shepard, Paul & Mary
6812 Ledgestone Pl
Charlotte, NC 28227-0908



CHURCH PRAYER MEETINGS

Every Thursday night, at 9pm, we are coming together as a church to pray specifically for our church! If you are able to make it out, we would love for you to join us! For more information, see Pastor Darrell.

VBS YARD SALE

Vacation Bible School is sponsoring an annual yard sale to benefit this year's VBS missions on Saturday, June 24th, from 7-11am. Please start collecting your items you would like to donate! For more information, see Sue Ann Buckland.

FAMILY MINISTRY RETREAT

June 9th-11th we have arranged for our families with kids from rising 1st grade-12th grade to go to Caraway Conference Center for a weekend of connecting with each other through exciting activities, and spending time together in group sessions led by Dr. Mark Smith! This will be a weekend to get away from the everyday routines and stresses and spend some quality time with your family reconnecting with each other and with God. Contact Justin if your family is interested in going.

To the Unified Budget

In Memory of Milton Stairs
Given by Jimmy & Linda Morrison

In Memory of David McKee
Given by Jimmy & Linda Morrison

In Memory of David McKee
Given by Billie & Sonny Smith

In Memory of David McKee
Given by Danny Allman

In Memory of David McKee
Given by Sylvia Morgan

To the Building Fund

In Memory of David McKee,
Retha Brooks & Milton Stairs
Given by Greg, Lindsay,
Madison, Patrick & Sadie Hartman

To the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering

In Memory of Margaret McManus
Given by Janice Cook

In Memory of Milton Stairs
Given by Sylvia Morgan

Sunday
 Sunday School 9:15 AM
 Worship 10:30 AM
 Evening Bible Study 6:00 PM
 Youth & KOPS Practice 6:00 PM



Wednesday
 Evening Bible Study 6:30 PM
 KerrKidz Live 6:30 PM
 Youth 6:30 PM
 Choir Practice 7:30 PM

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
BAPTIST SHARING HOUSE NEEDS Jiffy Corn Muffin Mix, Canned Meats, Pork & Beans	1 6:30pm BYW Meeting	2	3	4 6:30pm Men's Meeting 9pm Prayer Meeting	5	6 2-5pm Blood Drive
7 11:30am Deacon Nominations 11:45am Deacon's Meeting 11:45am Senior Banquet	8	9 11:30am Dear Hearts 7pm Church Council Meeting	10	11 9pm Prayer Meeting	12	13
14 8:30am Church Breakfast Baby Bottle Campaign Kick-Off No PM Activities Mother's Day	15	16	17	18 8-11am Volunteering at the BSH 9pm Prayer Meeting	← Deacon's Retreat →	
21 5-8pm Youth Worship at Parkwood 7pm Church Conference	22	23	24	25 9pm Prayer Meeting	26	27
28 No PM Activities	29 Memorial Day	30	31	NEWSLETTER DEADLINES To get an article in the next newsletter, please submit your information to the church secretary's mailbox or email at kerroffice@windstream.net by 9am on Thursday, May 25th.		