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BUDGET REPORT FOR MAY 1-28 2017	
MAY 1-28 RECEIPTS	\$25,534.70
MONTHLY BUDGET NEEDED	\$35,209.43
RECEIPTS NEEDED FOR BUDGET	\$ 9,674.73

ACTUAL BUDGET RECEIPT/EXPENSE REPORT

MAY 1-28 Receipts	\$25,534.70
MAY 1-28 Expenses	\$17,570.09
MAY 1-28 Receipts over expenses	\$ 7,964.61

FINAL BUDGET REPORT FOR APRIL2017

RECEIPTS UNDER FOR BUDGET	.\$ 1,701.34
MONTHLY BUDGET NEEDED	\$35,209.43
RECEIPTS	.\$33,508.09

FINAL ACTUAL BUDGET RECEIPT/EXPENSE REPORT

April1-30 Receipts	\$33,508.09
April 1-30 Expenses	\$30,527.45
April 1-30 Receipts over Expenses	\$ 2,980.64

USHERS FOR JUNE

Curtis Dalton, David Anderson Aaron Daigle & Chuck Hughey

JUNE LIST FOR DEACON OF THE WEEK*

4 —Jon Huguley	11—Lee Miller
18—David Peck	25—David Ander

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AVERAGE ATTENDANCE FOR MAY 2017

SMALL GROUP BIBLE STUDY—— 72 MORNING WORSHIP—— 103

If you are not plugged in with a Small Group Bible Study, you are missing a blessing. Small Group Bible Study begins at 9:15 a.m. Join Us! We have groups for all ages!



Keenagers **No Monthly Dinner** In June or July

Upcoming Events: Thursday, June 1—

Nabila's in Fitzgerald for lunch. Visit Bell's Daylily Gardens in Sycamore. Depart 9:30am. Return around 4pm

Thursday, June 29—Garden Patch Restaurant, Barnesville for lunch. Dickey Farms for ice cream. Depart 10am. Return around 3pm.

Thursday, July 13—Yoder's for lunch and Brown's Farm for Ice Cream. Depart 11:30 am. Return around 3pm.

See Jon Huguley to sign-up



WMU—Current Missions

Our WMU Current Missions group meets the 3rd Thursday of each month at 10 a.m. (occasional exceptions) We encourage our ladies to join us as we study, share and plan for mission opportunities. Our next meeting will be Thursday, June 15, 2017.



Carpenters for Christ Men's Mission Trip "Building together for the glory of God" Valley Grove Missionary Baptist Church—Remlap, AL June 9 - 16 (Date is flexible)

Carpenters for Christ is a ministry that serves God by building the Body of Christ one church at a time, physically and spiritually. No special skills needed just a willingness to serve. Cost is \$75 Contact Jon Huguley for details.

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Our Ministerial Staff:

Pastor

Nick Prieto Worship & Youth Pastor Rusty Grace Discipleship & Systems Pastor



WAKE FOREST UNIVERSITY SUMMER **CAMP JUNE 12 - 16, 2017**

PRAY FOR OUR STUDENTS AND LEADERS

FBC & FPC Fireworks and **Fellowship** June 30 7pm In FBC parking lot



Come and join in on this time of fellowship and celebration.

June 201'

*Birthdays

Sundays 8:30 am Prayer Group 9:15 am Small Group Bible Study 10:30 am Morning Worship

Wednesdays

6:00 pm Mid-Week Activities 7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

Sun		Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Please remember to PRAY about how you can honor God in your support of the Nehemiah Project . The urgent needs of roof repair for our church is part of doing ministry. We need ALL of the faith family of FBC to be a part of this mission that is underway, that God has called us to at this time; through faith, prayer, thanksgiving, and sacrificial giving. (2 Cor. 9:7-8)						2	3 *Mike Podskoc
O				*Jennifer Daigle	*Marlene NeeSmith	*Pat Buchanan	
4 Youth Parent Lunch—Noon	5		6	7	8	9	10 Pastor Prayer Partners— 9am
				*Janie Loyd			
11 Communion	12		13	14	15 WMU—10am	16 FH in use by Home School Group	17
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*Lee Osborne			*Michael Griger		*Polly Hawkins	*Ramona Hawkins	
18 FATHER'S DAY *Lee Pope	*Bo	wen Potter	20	21	Outreach: WRHS Football Team Lunch & Devotion 11:15 & 12:00	*Bill Gray *Pat Bartlett	Men of Faith to Braves Game—leave church at 1:30pm
25 Youth Sunday (tentative)	26	nice Hughey	27 *Alene McGowan	*Leighanne Hise *Bess Prichard *Ernest Wood	29 Keenagers trip 10am	30 FBC & FPC Fireworks and Fellowship in FBC parking lot—7pm	
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Men of Faith To Atlanta Braves Game Saturday, June 24
Leave church—1:30pm Game at 4pm Tickets: \$5
Sign-up by June 11 Sign up sheet in East Foyer



From the Worship/Youth Pastor

Have you ever experienced a time in your life where your faith was small? Or maybe a time when you had no faith in God at all? As believers, we certainly experience times when we have little faith in God to work. The disciples were guilty of this in Matthew 17 when a man approached Jesus to heal his epileptic son who was suffering terribly. The man brought his son to Jesus' disciples, but they could not heal him. What was Jesus' response? Jesus stated in verses 17 and 20 that they were a faithless and twisted generation and that their faith was "little." He then stated that if their faith was that of a grain of mustard seed they would be able to move mountains. Recently, Hannah and I took a mini-vacation to the mountains. It was incredible. It always is when we go to the mountains. For me to move a mountain would be impossible in my own strength. However, we know from Scripture that with God all things are possible. By putting our little faith in the One who is the Almighty God, He can do mighty things we otherwise would not be able to do! So the question is, in what things in your life are you faithless and focused on your own strength? I want to challenge you to align your motives and desires with those of the Lord and seek that He would do tremendous things for His glory and honor in your life and those around you.

June 12-16 the students will be heading to Student Life Mission Camp. We are so excited about this week and ask YOU to pray in faith to God to do incredible things in the lives of all who attend. Pray specifically for students to grow and deepen in their walks with God, for conviction over sin, for salvation and new life, against the forces of darkness, for calling to ministry and missions and more! Thank you for your investment in and support of the students, and we look forward to sharing what God did during this week!

Nick

WRHS Football Team Lunch/Devotion June 22, 2017

Outreach event to feed the WRHS football team

We will feed 160 players and coaches hot dogs, chips, brownie/cookies, fruit and water. We will do this in 2 shifts (11:15 and 12:00). 1-2 persons to grill 320 hot dogs and 3-4 servers - contact Jeff Sweatt if you are willing to volunteer.

FAMILY PROMISE

Our Family Promise rotation last week was a great success. We enjoyed two precious families. For those of you who helped in any capacity, a GREAT BIG THANK YOU goes out to you!

FBC Family Promise Leadership will be moving to a team approach over the summer. Please pray about becoming a part of this Leadership team. You will receive a blessing, and it should not be burdensome since tasks will be shared. If you have questions or feel led to become involved please contact Linda Gibbs or Beth McConnell.

Rusty's Ramblings

Sometimes we look for God to act in dramatic fashion. Sometimes we think we're required to do "big" things for God in order to see God do something incredible. While I do think that God sometimes reveals His power and His grace in particularly attention grabbing ways and that sometimes the Lord leads us to something that, at least for us, is "big," I don't believe that's always the case. God is at work in the ordinary details of life and ministers to us and works in our lives in normal, ordinary ways. We're called to be people who love, know, reflect upon, and seek to obey the Scriptures. We're called to be people of prayer. We're called to serve each other. We're called to make disciples. We're called to worship together. Sometimes these things can have a seemingly dramatic flare to them. Oftentimes, however, our work for God and God's work in us is seemingly simple. We take a few minutes to read the Bible in the morning or evening. We pray for a friend who doesn't know Christ everyday and invite them to a church fellowship or into our homes so that they can see a picture of what God can do with our lives. We make it a point to hold the door open for an older brother or sister, offer a ride, or prepare a meal.

We shouldn't discount these things; God is at work. With this in mind, I would ask each member of this church to be in prayer for our church and to read and reflect upon the Scriptures.

Pray that God would direct us. Pray that God would protect us. Pray that God would use us. Pray that God would grow us in our dependence upon Him and in our desire to see His will accomplished. Read the Bible. Read a short passage when you can (just make sure you're reading it in its context!); read a long passage and savor God's truth. Make it a discipline to do it everyday. Find what works for you. Ask God to help you understand, apply, and cherish His Word.

In particular, I'd like to encourage everyone to read the Bible with an eye to what God has called His people to do and for His promises made to His people. Pray those promises over this congregation and pray that He'll uphold us and help us to be faithful. Daily prayer and bible study may not be dramatic. You may not see angels or hear heavenly music. But, if you daily seek God's will and God's provision and seek to be transformed by the renewing of your mind by His truth, God will work in you and God will work in our midst.

To help facilitate this, a Scripture Reading and Prayer Guide will be made available on Sunday, June 4. Please take one and refer to insofar as it is helpful for you. It's a tool to be used, not a law to be obeyed. The recommended passages and prayer suggestions are given to help us seek God's Will together as a church in the time of transition. We're in transition, but that doesn't mean that God isn't at work. Being in transition doesn't mean that our calling has been revoked. Hopefully, this guide will help us in this time. If there's another way God provides for you to search the Scriptures and pray, that's great! Whatever form it takes, let's seek to submit ourselves to the Lord. Let's offer Him every ordinary moment of our lives and see what He does through simple, ordinary things.

Rusty