



The Link

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FAREWELL AND GOD BLESS

The list of Lakeside charter members includes the names of people who were the first to suggest the founding of a new ministry in Rocky Mount. One name is missing, however, that of a young lawyer who offered ideas, support, and prayer and helped create the Constitution and By-Laws. Because of commitments made at First Baptist Church, he did not join immediately. Since becoming a member in 1959, however, Brian Scott has served our congregation faithfully in many ways.

This past week, Brian and Vena moved to Wilmington to be near children and the support they need at this time of life. We will miss our friends. Their new address is: 2324 41st Street, Apartment 355, Wilmington, NC 28403.

We are grateful for their faithfulness and love for this church and each of us. We wish them well and offer our blessing for their health and well-being.

WHERE HAVE YOU BEEN?

If you could keep only one memory from a trip you have taken or a place you have been, what would it be? On Sunday evening, September 24, we will hold our first fall fellowship supper and share with one another these favorite travel memories. If you have a picture of this special place or memory, please email it to the church (lakesiderm@embarqmail.com) or drop it by the office no later than Wednesday, September 20. During our time of fellowship, you will have a chance to share where this place is and why it is a memory keeper (in a minute or less).

Supper will begin at 6:00 p.m. in Robbins Hall. The church will provide chicken and drinks and you are asked to bring a side dish or dessert. You might even want to bring a dish that reminds you of your special place. Please be sure to call the church office to make reservations!

PARENT FELLOWSHIP CLASS

The Parent Fellowship Sunday School Class will resume meeting on September 17 at 9:45 a.m. in the Parlor of the Education Building. They will begin the fall with a study of Jonah, whose journey was filled with fear, rebellion, storms, and rescue. Sounds a lot like being a parent! Parents of children who are infants through college students are encouraged to join in this time of Bible study, fellowship, and a chance for adult conversation.

BECAUSE WE CARE

If you would like to assist the victims of recent hurricanes, you may do so through the church. All funds will be sent to CBF Global which is working with churches and agencies to help people in need and coordinate recovery and rebuilding efforts. Gifts may be designated as "Hurricane Relief."

We are also collecting supplies that you may have purchased in preparation for the hurricane coming here. Bring water, cleaning supplies, batteries, and other items to the church and we will deliver them to agencies providing relief.

OUR PRAYER CONCERNS

Please remember the following persons who need our prayers and support:

At Home:

Ed Astin, 121 Candlewood Road (04)

Denise Bennett, 300 Sunflower Drive #273, Bel Air, MD 21014

Alex Biggs, 1601 Pinecrest Road (03)

Leo Bishop, 3801 Woodlawn Road (04)

Robert Blanton (Margaret Harper's grandson), 301 Lauren Glen Road, Charlotte, NC 28226

Janice Taylor Bobbitt (Chuck Taylor's sister) 4204 Whitehurst Drive, Wilmington, NC 28409

Conner Boykin (Lakeside Preschool student), 212 Laurel Springs Drive, Nashville, NC 27856

Ernest Bridgers, 4758 Gardenia Circle (04)

Lee Broughton, 516 Pelican Drive East, Pine Knoll Shores, NC 28512

Natalie Stewart Cortez, 6410 Lakewood Boulevard., Dallas, TX 75214

Anne Crane, 1501 Corner Rock Drive, Rolesville, NC 27571

Royal and Peyton David, 3172 Oak Leaf Drive (04)

Gary Ferguson (friend of Amy Shortt), 115 College Ave., Danville, VA

Erin McAuliffe, 191 Wilsor Oaks Drive, Littleton, NC 27850

Harlon Mosley, 421 Charlotte Avenue (04)

Jane Barnes Poston, Spring Arbor, 2045 Ward Boulevard, Wilson, NC 27893

Cody Richardson, 1518 Fountain Branch Road (03)

Michael Riley (Brenda Culpepper's son)

Tim Sawyer, 2805 Wellington Drive (03)

Roland Schmidt (Lindy Brice Schmidt's husband), 9275 Oldfield Road, Calabash, NC 28467

Ellen Wallace, 3416 Brookview Road (04)

Aleine Wright (Jim Wright's mother), 1513 Jeremy Lane (03)

Our Members-at-Home

Dozia Collins, 2552 N. Old Carriage Road (04)

Nancy Henry, The Fountains at the Albemarle, 200 Trade St., Tarboro, NC 27886

Sherry Johnson, c/o Brighton Gardens, 3101 Duraleigh Rd, Rm 165, Raleigh, NC

Audrey Scarboro, 724 York Street (03)

John and Denise Cappiello, Brookridge Retirement Community, 1199 Hayes Forest Dr., Winston-Salem, NC 27106, Room 718 (John) and Room 534 (Denise)

What a wonderful feeling to be wrapped in the arms of the loving and supportive Lakeside family. Your cards, visits, food and kind words have meant so much since the loss of my mother.
Nancy Berry and Family

We offer our sympathy to Leslie and Blount Craft and their family in the death of his mother, Barbara Craft, on September 6.

We offer our sympathy to the family and friends of Frances Wilson who died on September 11. Mrs. Wilson was Lakeside's church secretary from 1962-1963.

TOPNOTCHERS NEWS

Please join us for our annual Fall Luncheon on Thursday, September 21 at 12:30 p.m. in Robbins Hall. We will enjoy a delicious catered lunch while catching up with old friends. Special entertainment will be provided by the Nash Senior Center's line-dance group, "Spirits in Motion," featuring our very own Teresa Herring and Susan Skinner. Please call the church office to sign up. You will not want to miss out on all the fun! (\$5.00 per person)

YOUTH NEWS

Many thanks to Carol and Andy Barker for hosting us at their home on Sunday evening. Despite the chilly weather, we enjoyed a beautiful boat ride and a fun evening. This-coming Sunday, we will have our first regular schedule of choirs, dinner, and SNL. Please note the slight time change: Choir will begin at 5:00 p.m. Dinner will be served at 5:45 p.m., and SNL will meet at 6:15, with youth and elementary children dismissing at 7:15. I hope all of you will make our time together on Sunday evenings a priority in your schedule. Each of you is important to the group, and together we will explore ways that God calls us to live out our faith in bold, even outrageous ways. Come and bring a friend! I look forward to seeing everyone on Sunday

Elizabeth

FALL STUDY GROUP

The books have arrived for our fall study of Brian McLaren's *Everything Must Change: Jesus, Global Crises, and a Revolution of Hope*. An evening group will meet for seven weeks on Tuesdays beginning September 26 at 7:00 p.m., and a morning group will meet each Wednesday beginning September 27 at 10:00 a.m. Books are \$13 each and are available in the church office.

HeARTw♥rks

Our after school tutoring and enrichment program for neighborhood children will resume on Monday, October 16, and we will continue to meet on Monday and Thursday afternoons from 3:30-5:30 p.m. We need volunteers to transport children from Englewood Elementary to Lakeside, tutor and mentor third through fifth graders, provide healthy snacks, and offer enrichment opportunities throughout the year. Please contact Janet Sykes (jdsykes3012@yahoo.com) or Deborah Wright (deborahwright@embarqmail.com) if you are willing to help in any way or have ideas to share. Volunteers are asked to attend a training session on Sunday, September 17, at 5:00 p.m. or Thursday, September 21, at 7:00 p.m.

LAKESIDE'S MISSIONS AND MINISTRY PLAN

2017 Missions and Ministry Budget: \$646,064

	Week	YTD
Anticipated Giving	\$12,190	\$451,030
Receipts September 10	\$9,044	\$379,943
Variance	-\$3,146	-\$71,087

SUNDAY AT LAKESIDE

Deacon Greeters - Jennifer Cobb and Dan Herring

Ushers - Group III, Bill Hoyle, Captain

Crucifer - Charlie Lane; Acolyte - Bo Browder

Nursery - Jan Robillard; Extended Session - Teresa and Dan Herring

Audio Booth Volunteer - Barry Goldstein

LAKESIDE AT WORSHIP

September 17, 2017 ❖ *The Fifteenth Sunday After Pentecost*

Scripture Lessons: Exodus 14:19-31; Romans 14:1-12

Sermon: "Potluck Faith?"

Adult Choir Anthems:

"Prayer of Consecration" - Dresie

"Gather Your Children" - Mahnke

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CHURCH STAFF

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Milton Marrow

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Jody Wright

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Linda Davis

Administrative Assistant

Susan Skinner

Senior Adult Director

Amy Shortt

Minister of Music

Mark Pichowicz

Organist

Rachel Holloman

Preschool Director

The Park
1501 Sunset Ave. N.W.
Rocky Mount, NC
27804-5014
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LAKESIDE CALENDAR

Thursday, September 14

12:00 p.m. Meditation Group, Parlor

Saturday, September 16

1:00 p.m. Chancel Choir Festival

Sunday, September 17

9:45 a.m. Sunday School

10:00 a.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal

10:30 a.m. Coffee and Fellowship, Education Building Foyer

11:00 a.m. Worship

12:15 p.m. Diaconate, Conference Room

5:00 p.m. HeARTw♥rks Volunteer Training, Conference Room

5:00 p.m. Preschool Games and Activities

5:00 p.m. Youth and Children's Choir Rehearsal, Choir Suite

5:45 p.m. Supper for Preschoolers, Children, and Youth

6:15 p.m. Preschool Storytime, Children's Missions Activity, SNL for Youth

7:00 p.m. Preschoolers Dismiss

7:15 p.m. Children and Youth Dismiss

Wednesday, September 20

6:30 p.m. Lakeside Ringers Rehearsal

7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, September 21

12:00 p.m. Meditation Group, Parlor

12:30 p.m. Topnotcher's Luncheon, Robbins Hall

LAKESIDE LADIES' BOOK CLUB

Our next book club will meet on Tuesday, October 3, at 7:00 p.m. Mary McAdams will host (204 Candlewood Road) and Debra Kincheloe will facilitate our discussion of *A Gentleman in Moscow* by Amor Towles.