DEAR LITTLE CHAPEL ON THE BOARDWALK FAMILY,

July marks the end of five wonderful years that Mar- cia and I have had here at Little Chapel. It has been some of the best five years of my ministry and I look forward to many more. You are an exciting congrega- tion and within you are many great and strong leaders and I do believe that is the reason Little Chapel is where it is today...because of you. As we come to the end of our first 5 years, I have been doing some re- reflecting on what has been accomplished because of your ability as a congregation to try new things, to take that "leap of faith" in order to be the people that God calls us to be.

In the past five years a number of new things have been started...some continue, some have slowed, and there have been some programs and functions that Little Chapel did years ago that sort of went by the wayside, that in the past few years have started back up again.

We have started to have annual Staff/Officers retreat where the leadership of the church gathers together in January to evaluate, talk and plan. We have opened our parking lot on the major holidays during the summer for people to park in, for a donation that goes to the various mis- sion projects of Little Chapel. We have opened the Matthew House, a place where groups can stay who come to our area to participate in Mis- sion projects. We have established a relationship with Crossnore Pres- byterian Church and Crossnore school, in Crossnore, NC. We have worked with the Crossnore church on Habitat projects and have sup- ported the school in various ways. We began Holy Week Services at noon each day during Holy Week. We began the Prayer Shawl ministry, and started annual Rally Day activities. We began a Stephen Ministries program at Little Chapel, and though it has been on the "back burner" for a while, look for things to pick back up in the fall. We became in- volved in the "Meals of Love for Hospice", and we started an annual "Talent Night". We have started a Preschool at Little Chapel, with children coming here five days a week from 9:00AM to noon during the school year. We began the JOY group. The Just Older Youth group has started strong and there are a number of activities and trips planned for

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them. We started a community Easter Egg Hunt on the Saturday before Easter and it has drawn wonderful crowds. We have repaired the tower in the narthex, including the large window and we have replaced the roof. We have received our final full payment from 25 West Oxford and had a "face lift" of our church nursery. We purchased new hymnals (and though I am still sad they left out "Onward Christian Soldiers") that add to our worship experience.

We have "brought back to life" the annual fish fry in October, and just this past year we started the Community Thanksgiving service again. We have reinvigorated Wednesday Night on the Boardwalk and we have taken the beach service from three months out of the year, to six, and in the past five years we have gone from an average beach attendance of 25 to 115. Our worship services overall on Sunday have gone from 163 in 2011, to 202 in 2015. We started the Deacons ministry back up again, and they have worked wonderfully in conjunction with the Session.

I could keep going for the list of your accomplishments is long, but you know something, the best is yet to come. With the great staff that is in place at Little Chapel and with the leadership and commitment that many of you provide, this church still has the potential to continue to move forward to do even greater things in its service to our Risen Lord.

I again, am humbled to be your pastor and I look forward to the coming years as we serve together.

Blessings,
Pastor Pat

END OF “THE SEASON”

With the summer months upon us, the Music Department ends the routine of weekly rehearsals and meetings. What a great season it has been! I offer my sincere thanks to all our faithful musicians and special thanks to our staff and congregation for their love, support and encouragement.

We are so blessed here at LCOB and it is a joy to be your Director of Music. The music Department continues to experience growth both in numbers and in fellowship. This past year, we have gained several new musicians: the number currently enrolled in the Chancel Choir is 31 and the Handbell Choir is up to 10 ringers. In addition, Praise Team for the Beach Service averages around 4-6 singers each week!

On a personal note, I will be having a total hip replacement this month on July 18. I have never had surgery before and have all my original parts, so this is a big deal for me. I am sure those of you who attend the beach service regularly have noticed my absence. My Doctor has advised me not to put my crumbling hip at risk by walking on the beach or by doing anything strenuous. Sadly, I have had to cut back and this is hard for me, as I am always on the move. However, I will continue to provide music at the 10:30AM Worship Service until my surgery.

My family and I appreciate the prayers, meals, help and cards we have received from you.

Thank you all so very much!
David Lee Heinzman
Director of Music Ministries

MAY MUSIC FELLOWSHIP
AND
DAVID’S BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION!
HINTON MISSION TRIP
We will be renting a van for our week long mission trip to Haysville, NC from July 24 – 29, 2016. We are looking for a few members who might like to help sponsor this expense. Please write “PYC Mission Trip” on any donations you feel called to give. Contact Emily Donovan for details.

SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL
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PYC END OF YEAR PARTY

YOUTH VOLUNTEERS!
Thank You Volunteers, Youth, Families and Children for a fun-filled week of Vacation Bible School!!!

This year's theme was “Bible Stories by the Sea.” The children traveled to the beach each day to voyage back in time with scripture stories from both the Old and New Testament. A great time was had by all! Thank you to the many hands and feet who decorated, worked the registration table, constructed a Jonah the Whale that the children could climb inside, taught bible passages, traveled with our groups, prepared yummy and creative snacks, produced an awesome music station, lead fun filled games and pasted, painted, played and prayed in the craft room!

Blessings,

Mary Brooks, Director of Children’s Ministries
2016 Vacation Bible School
“Bible Stories by the Sea”
CHAIR YOGA
As we enter into July our yoga group is going strong. We invite you to join us, in to the fellowship hall from 10:00AM - 11:00AM on Wednesday mornings and challenge your flexibility. (Cost $10 per session)

SOUNDS OF SUMMER
Don't forget the FREE CONCERT SERIES Thursday evenings through August 4, 2016. The concerts take place at Wrightsville Beach Park from 6:00PM - 8:00PM. Pack a picnic and grab a chair or blanket and enjoy!

MOVIE DAY
"AMAZING GRACE"
will be showing on
Wednesday, August 3
at
2:00PM
in the sanctuary of Little Chapel
Admission is $2.00 and that includes, not only the movie, but popcorn, drink and other snacks. Come enjoy a wonderful movie, removed from the heat of the afternoon and great relief for your wallet.

September Event…
WATCH for the sign up sheet to the
Billy Graham Library
This will be a DAY TRIP. Friday, September 30, is the date to remember. Your cost will be for bus ride and meals. Admission is free. There is limited space, so sign up early.

November Event…
We plan to take an overnight trip to the Candlelight Christmas hosted by The Biltmore House in Asheville, NC. Watch for details and the sign up sheet closer to the month of November.

MOTHER'S DAY SPECIAL OFFERING
Thank you for your generous contribution of $683 on Mother's Day which will be divided equally between Children's Home Alliance and Elderhaus. Your gift will insure that these important ministries continue to help our children and elderly.

Thank you once again for being such a caring congregation.

JUNE 12, 2016
1. We are happy to welcome six new members into the fellowship of LCOB - Mark Clawson, Christine and Tom Kennedy, Carole Mabe, Robert McCarl, Arlene Pulley.
2. The newly formed Endowment Committee, established by the session, has met and made decisions concerning investment of funds from the sale of the manse.
3. A mission trip to Avery County is planned by the Mission Committee for September 6 - 10, 2016. Details will follow.
4. Little Chapel on the Boardwalk will participate in a "Beach Build" with Habitat for Humanity, uniting efforts with the Wrightsville Beach area churches.
5. Many thanks to the Property Committee for their hard work in many areas of our physical plant, including renovations in choir room, updating of the parlor and adjacent restroom, power washing and painting the exterior of the building.
6. Attendance at the beach service thus far this year has been extraordinary! Thanks to all those involved in making this mission such a success.
**In the Mail**

**Dear Little Chapel Family,**

We appreciate Rev. Pat and Marcia visiting and praying with us after the death of our daughter, Zana. The many cards and letters by all our church friends comforted us. We especially want to thank the knitting group for the beautiful prayer shawls. We love you all and send heartfelt thanks.

_Love,_

Jamale and Rajah Arab

**Dear Jacalyn,**

Thank you and all the members of Little Chapel who bring items to the church, for taking the time to get them here to the Outreach. Your caring helps us help lots of people. Gratitude, peace and prayers.

_S.M. Isaac_

_Tileston Outreach_

**Thank you so much!**

Our week here has been so much fun! We leave this week with special memories and a little bit of sun burn. The food, money and incredible place to stay has been a tremendous blessing to us all! Thank you—thank you—thank you! We hope this tea kettle is a happy addition to Matthew House. We’ve had the best week!

_With Love,_

_Meredith Cottage - The Crossnore School_

**Dear Friends,**

Your kindness, love and generosity are great blessings to the children who call The Crossnore School home. The opportunity to experience a family vacation is rewarding and healing. Thank you for loving our children! Please accept this handwoven table runner made as a small token of our appreciation. We hope you can use it on a special table so all the congregation can enjoy it.

_Blessings,_

_The Crossnore Family_

**Dear Members,**

Elderhaus is in receipt of your contribution to our program. We have been able to continue offering our services because of the generosity of residents of our community. We are appreciative for your continued funding of our program that provides support of our elderly citizens and their caregivers.

_Sincerely,_

_Trudy Tann, Program Director_

_Elderhaus, Inc._

**Dear Little Chapel on the Boardwalk,**

I want to express my appreciation for your generous gift of $341.50 received on June 10, 2016. I am grateful that you share our concern for the children and families in our care.

The lives of the children are shaped in part by the values we hold dear as part of our past, present and future. The values of academic preparation, a strong work ethic and physical education are taught daily by a dedicated and caring staff. Your faithful support is responsible for the many successes that take place in their lives. One life at a time, we are making a difference.

_Peace,_

_John Koppelmeyer, President/CEO_

_Children’s Hope Alliance_

**Dear Friends in Christ,**

Thank you so much for your generous gift to the Church World Service kits. Last year, CWS sent thousands of kits around the world and here in the U.S.

May Little Chapel on the Boardwalk congregation be blessed for your compassion and ministry to those who are in desperate need and for your continuous support of our mission!

_Renee Overton_

_Church World Services_

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**WEDNESDAY NIGHT ON THE BOARDWALK**

**BEACH PARTY JULY 20**

**DuneRidge Resort**

2400 N Lumina Avenue
Wrightsville Beach
_(next to access #4)_

Parking permitted in the DuneRidge parking areas.

**Dinner is Pot Luck and BYOB from 6:30PM - Sunset**

Dress comfortably and bring your bathing suit and towel.

Sign up in the narthex!
**LCOB GOLF OUTING**

On Friday, June 17, nine golfers from Little Chapel participated in a Captain’s Choice Tournament at Echo Farms. The players were greeted with a fine golf course, good weather and best of all, hot Krispy Kreme doughnuts. First place winners on Team #3 with a fine round of four under par were Ken Long, Robert Andrew and Al Lassiter. Second Place went to Team #1 with players Jim Hoge, Pat Rabun and Jim Alexander coming in at two under par. Third place went to Team #2 players Gary Gischel, Dan Hammond and Al Wordsworth at even par. Closest to the pin awards were won by Al Lassiter - Hole #2, Ken Long - Hole #5, Jim Hoge - Hole #11 and Al Lassiter - Hole #13. Great golf and great fun was enjoyed by all. A big THANK YOU goes out to Marcia Rabun for arranging tee times for the event.

*Robert Andrew, Your on Golf Course Reporter*

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**STEWARDSHIP**

Happy July to the congregation of LCOB! If you regularly attend the 10:30AM Worship Service, you may not know who I am. I typically attend the early services at LCOB. I am the new Deacon assisting Brian Ennis with Stewardship this year and am eager (and a little anxious) about this role I have agreed to take on.

There is so much to learn and understand, and I am reaching out for some help as I embark upon this adventure. I would like to invite a few people to join Brian and me as we start to develop a plan for the fall campaign. As stated above, this is all very new to me, so it would be fun to have 1 or 2 volunteers, like myself, who are enthusiastic about learning what is behind the Stewardship campaign and how we can improve upon it with fresh ideas. I am also reaching out for 1 or 2 "seasoned" volunteers, who would like to mentor and guide us this coming fall. Brian and I work full-time, so we promise that there will not be an exhaustive list of meetings that you have to attend, and we are both good at communicating through email/texts/phone calls. If you are a new member to the church like me, or a long-serving member like Brian, we encourage you to join in this campaign as it is a good way to meet other members and learn about the fabulous programs at LCOB.

*Marie Godsell, Stewardship Committee*

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**MATTHEW HOUSE**

Your home away from home while doing mission work in the Wilmington and Wrightsville Beach area!! Tell your friends to visit www.littlechapel.org for information about Matthew House!
2016 SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

Each year scholarships are given to those who apply and qualify for higher education. These scholarships are funded by the interest received from endowments given by those in memory of their loved ones. The amount varies each year with the number of applicants who apply and the amount of memorials given. This is an important and gracious gift that is given to those members or family members of Little Chapel to say "we care about you and support you as you continue your education". This year the Scholarship Committee approved four applications to receive $1,164 each. They are:

Hunt Allen
Mary Gerow
Courtney Scheboth
McKenzie Vass

The Scholarship Committee congratulates these recipients.

Blessings,
Harriett Andrew, Cos Cosby
and Iris Davis

THURSDAY MORNING SUMMER BIBLE STUDY

Based on the movie WAR ROOM

We are planning a five-week Bible Study based on the movie WAR ROOM, which will feature inspiring movie clips and five challenging Scriptural lessons adapted from the movie. The study is written by Stephen Kendrick and Alex Kendrick, writers and producers of the movie, both ordained pastors. Topics covered in the study include dealing with spiritual lukewarmness, Christian accountability, grasping grace and the gospel, engaging in spiritual warfare, and trusting God in prayer. Each of the five sessions will include a short clip from the movie, followed by discussion questions, a lesson based on Scripture, which the group will study together, and prayer. Each person will have a study book/workbook and will be encouraged to take notes and answer questions in the book. There is a short amount (30-60 min) of homework each week, to help individuals dive deeper into the concepts introduced through the movie clips and group discussion.

The class will be held weekly on Thursday mornings, 10:00AM, July 14 - August 11 and will be led by Pat Rabun. Sessions will last approximately one hour. Please join us - this study will be very inspiring!! Please sign up in the narthex so that we can have books for everyone. Cost of book is $7.99.

FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF RABUN MINISTRY AT LITTLE CHAPEL

Five years ago, July 24, 2011, Pat and Marcia Rabun began their ministry with the Little Chapel. In these past five years we have witnessed growth in membership and church attendance, many new programs such as deacons, revitalized children’s and youth ministries, inspiring music ministry, and growth and development of a wonderful church staff. And we all know in our hearts that these things do not happen without strong and capable leadership. Both Pat and Marcia work tirelessly for our church and we are so grateful to them for their love and commitment to all of us. And as important as programs and numbers are to a church, far more important is the complete dedication to the church that Pat and Marcia demonstrate each day! God has indeed blessed us by bringing them to our congregation!

We have tried to plan a celebration in July, but due to travel plans and Rabun family concerns, scheduling has become difficult and we are now planning to celebrate this milestone with Pat and Marcia in September. As members of this congregation, please remember this important anniversary however and be sure to express your thanks to Pat and Marcia for their love and support for this congregation. And stay tuned for details about our upcoming celebration!

For questions, comments or suggestions, please see Jean Schild or Jim Martz.

MEALS OF LOVE

I would like to thank all who helped make the Meals of Love for Hospice on Monday, June 13 a success. Carol Coble, Fреддye Ledford, Ann Martz, Sharon Minor, Maggie North, Jean Northrop, Silvey Robinson and Anne Tucker fixed the food. Carol Coble, Sharon Minor and Mary Roche delivered and set-up the food. This is a wonderful project the Mission Committee has started and will continue once every yearly quarter. Thanks again for all your support.
## CARD MINISTRY
Ann Tucker

## OFFICERS OF THE MONTH
Iris Davis and Maggie North

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## FLOWER CALENDAR
Available dates for July: July 17, 12 & 31
Available dates for August: August 7 & 14

#Non-member friends of LCOB
*Baptized non confirmed member of LCOB
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**Salvation Army Food of the Month:** Jello & Pudding

**Officers of the Month:** Maggie North and Iris Davis

Crosslink Community Church @ Matthew House July 13-17

PYC Mission Trip July 24 - July 29
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