

# THE ACCENT

## January 2020



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#### *To Our Church Family and Friends,*

I want to share with you a New Year's devotion from David Jeremiah.

***Give unto the Lord the glory due His name; worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness. Psalm 29:2***

***"As you meet with God in the light of morning, as your thoughts turn to Him in the adrenaline rush of the day, as you move into the silent sanctuary on the Lord's Day, know that He takes His place upon the throne whenever you give Him your praise. Your bowed head, your humbled heart, and your attentive spirit open the door to heaven. It's a door that swings both ways, for God comes to us no matter where we are.***

***The wonder of worship is the wonder of His very real presence. It's music from another world, wonder that floods out all the darkness and the dust of death this life contains. We rediscover the innocence of children again as we praise and exalt God's name, for He opens Himself to us. It's the most awesome moment of life—more awesome than holding your first child in the delivery room, more awesome than meeting the person you're destined to marry, more awesome than seeing the earth from the window of the space shuttle. You've seen something more beautiful: the face of God Himself." David Jeremiah***

I think it would be a wonderful new beginning of this, another New Year (2020) if we would resolve in our hearts and minds to be sure to praise and honor our Lord every day for the remainder of our lives. When we do, the wonderful presence of our Lord comes rushing into our souls bringing with it such a peace that can be found nowhere else than from the Lord.

*God Bless, Leon & Cindy*

#### **Children's Church Workers**

January 5<sup>th</sup>: Carter & Laura Dermid  
January 12<sup>th</sup>: Sarah W. & Josh F.  
January 19<sup>th</sup>: See Bulletin  
January 26<sup>th</sup>: See Bulletin  
February 2<sup>nd</sup>: See Bulletin

#### **Sunday Morning Nursery Workers**

January 5<sup>th</sup>: Josh F. & Sandy P.  
January 12<sup>th</sup>: Janel G. & Emma  
January 19<sup>th</sup>: See Bulletin  
January 26<sup>th</sup>: See Bulletin  
February 2<sup>nd</sup>: See Bulletin

#### **Sunday Evening Nursery Workers**

January 5<sup>th</sup>: Phyllis Simpson  
January 12<sup>th</sup>: Julia Haigler  
January 19<sup>th</sup>: Cindy Whitley  
January 26<sup>th</sup>: Sandra Helms  
February 2<sup>nd</sup>: Beverly Napier

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### **January Fellowship Hall Clean Up**

#### **Prophecy Class**

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#### **Young Adult's Meal**

PLACE: Fellowship Hall  
DATE: Sunday, February 2<sup>nd</sup>  
TIME: Right after church  
Please bring your children.

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## Church-Wide Breakfast

For Baptist Men's Day

**EVERYONE IS INVITED (Not just men and boys)**

**DATE:** Sunday, January 26<sup>th</sup>

**TIME:**

8:30 AM-9:00 AM Breakfast

9:00 AM-9:30 AM Guest Speaker

Please join us for breakfast cooked by the men for Baptist Men's Day. Willie Everham, brother of NASCAR Team Owner, Ray Everham will be our Guest Speaker.



Offering Envelopes are located on the front pews and in the vestibule. Please pick up yours today. Thank you.

### Gift of Education

**"Be the Village" Campaign** to help 8<sup>th</sup> grade students to visit the Capital in Washington D.C. in the spring of 2020. See the bulletin board for more details.

### Ida Mae James Meeting

**DATE, TIME & PLACE:** Watch Bulletin



### Region 6 Mission Rally for Men, Women and Youth

This is a great mission event for everyone and a night of mission inspiration with worship, testimonies, videos and information on mission opportunities. This includes a FREE SUPPER beginning at 5:50 and program from 6:50-8:30.

PLACE: FBC-Concord, 200 Branchview Dr. SE Concord, NC

DATE: Monday, February 17<sup>th</sup>

Please register one week prior to the rally at:

1-800-395-5102 ext. 5596



NC Baptist Men

## DISASTER RELIEF TRAINING

Baptist Men will be in Matthews on Friday, April 17, 2020 and Saturday, April 18, 2020. Please save the dates and plan to attend if you would like to aid in Disaster Relief. More details later. Thank you.

## Student and Youth

Happy New Year!!!! Can you believe it is 2020? I can't either. Just a few weeks away from Winter Conference for the Youth in Gatlinburg, Tennessee. As I am trying to prepare myself and the youth for this great time of praise, worship, the gospel, and funnel cakes; **I come back to Isaiah 43:19 over and over again.**

**"I will do a new thing; now it shall spring forth. I will even make a way in the wilderness, and rivers in the desert, to give drink to my people, my chosen."**

This is exactly my prayer for all the youth, and all of you. As we quickly move into the New Year, I pray that there is something new that springs forth. Maybe it is a New Year's resolution that brings you closer to our Lord and Savior. **I would recommend a daily bible reading plan. If you are comfortable with a smart phone or tablet, I highly recommend the You Version Bible app.**



It has reading plans that keep you on track on a daily basis. There are also many other reading plans based in and presenting scripture for the thing's life throws at us. So, in this New Year may there be something new that springs forth in you.

On the note of Winter Conference, please be in prayer for the group going. Pray specifically for travel mercies. Pray for peace and harmony amongst the group that we may be able to focus on what God is speaking into each one of our lives. Pray for the youth to be able to open their hearts and minds to listen to the speakers that boldly share the word of Christ. Pray that this be an eternally impactful trip. We give God all the glory for what his is going to do in 2020.

**Michael Jordan, Youth & Student Director**



**JANUARY - HAPPY ANNIVERSARY**

- 3-Mr. & Mrs. Morris Williams
- Mr. & Mrs. Roger Long
- 7-Mr. & Mrs. Baxter Jordan
- Mr. & Mrs. Calvin Hartis
- 14-Mr. & Mrs. Stephen Walker
- 22-Mr. & Mrs. Cary Preslar
- 26-Mr. & Mrs. Don Post
- Mr. & Mrs. Wade Haigler



**JANUARY - HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

- 2-Brittany Crowe, Laura Ann Strickland, Shane Jordan
- 5-Matthew Oster, Calvin Hartis
- 6-Nathan Baucom, Chris Guffey
- 8-Delane Bennett, Billy Bennett
- 9-Anna Christine Edwards, Jacklyn Taylor Edwards, Eddie Rivers
- 10-Khoury Nassef, Kathy Hazelwood
- 11-Toni Riggins, Hunter Smith
- 12-Tommy Traywick
- 14-Barbara Faulkenberry
- 15-Pat Autry, Lindsey Nassef, Sarah Williams
- 17- Teresa Hilton, Easton Strickland
- 18-Benjamin Collins, Kyle Gordon, Lainey Preslar
- 19-Laikyn Nicole Newsome, Cary Preslar, Morgan Zambarda
- 21-Kaylan Haigler, Alexandria Miller
- 23-Sandra Helms, Jay Tiffany, Kris Tiffany
- 24-Brittany Edwards, Beverly Napier
- 25-Lisa Tarleton
- 26-Aiden Figueroa, Emily Oster
- 28-Michael Jordan
- 29-Amber Griffin
- 30-Pearl Wood
- 31-Cameron Williams



**Sisters In Christ Mission Project collecting gently used purses😊**

Ladies, clean out those closets! Please leave in *Knights for Christ* Classroom. Thank you.

*Lottie Moon Christmas Offering*

**Our Updated Church Goal: \$4,880.00**

**Received To Date: \$7,970.00**

**Thank you so much for your continued faithfulness to the Lottie Moon Fund Raiser! May God Bless!**

**Sisters in Christ "HOLIDAY" Party**

We have rescheduled our "Christmas Party" to our Tuesday, January 21<sup>st</sup> Meeting at 6:00 PM. Bring a \$10 gift for exchange and a fun pair of socks. Meat and dessert will be provided. Please bring a side dish.



**Second Harvest Food Bank**

**DATE:** Wednesday, January 15<sup>th</sup>

**Please notice date change. Thank you.**

**TIME:** 8:00 AM **PLACE:** AGBC

**Anson/East Union UMC Missional Network**

**2020 Mobile Food Pantry Schedule**

**January 15- Austin Grove Baptist Church\*\***

February 5- Wingate United Methodist Church (UMC)

March 4- Marshville 1<sup>st</sup> Baptist Church

April 1- Peachland UMC

**May 13- Wingate UMC\*\***

June 3- Forestville UMC

July 1- Marshville UMC

August 5- Wingate Baptist Church

September 2- Wadesboro Baptist Church

October 1- Peachland UMC

November 4- Austin Grove Baptist Church

December 2- Pleasant Hill UMC

**\*\*Please note January 15th is the third Wednesday of the month. The move is necessary due to two factors, the New Year holiday and scheduling conflict with Second Harvest Food Bank.**

**\*\*Please note May 13<sup>th</sup> is the second Wednesday of the month. The move is necessary due to a scheduling conflict with Second Harvest Food Bank.**