



## **AUSTIN GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH**

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### To Our Church Family and Friends:

Can you believe that June is here? It seems as if the year has just started and here we are approaching the middle of the year. Do you ever think back to the things of summer that were special to you? Let me mention a few. The first tomato, cucumber or squash from the garden, watermelon, cantaloupe, picnics, trip to the beach, reunions, Fourth of July parades, fireworks, fishing in the river/pond, homemade ice cream (hand cranked). These are just a few that bring a smile to my face as I recall those from time to time. Good memories, worthy of our recall. Let me share with you Joel 2:28 NIV "I will pour out my Spirit on all people."

God's Spirit is in you and me. He is our Counselor, Advocate, and Guide sent to those who accept Jesus's sacrifice for our sin and choosing to follow Him. The Holy Spirit lives within you and I to help us follow Jesus. God comforts us. He even helps us to pray when you and I cannot find the words to say. God showed this beautiful picture to Joel (a picture of a day when His Spirit would be poured out and His people would be empowered to do great things for Him. With His Spirit in us, we are one in the Lord. Please never forget that God desires a close relationship with each of us. He is always with us! May this fact bring us great comfort and even greater joy, that nothing can and will separate us from His love.

Thank you for the privilege of serving you.

Leon and Cindy



## **Vacation Bible School**

Kickoff: Sunday, June 26th Lunch & Registration following worship then VBS 2:30 - 5:00 PM Monday, June 27th - Thursday, June 30th 6:00 PM Supper 6:30 - 9:00 PM VBS





Children's Church Date Nursery

Holly Morris, Katie & Mason C.	June 5	Beverly Napier
Aaron & Kimberly Griffin	June 12	Christa & Brandon Love
Carolyn Smith & Barbara Simpson	June 19	Hannah Napier & Hunter
Beverly Napier	June 26	Marty Little
Cindy Whitley	July 3	Debbie Jordan & Amanda Vann
Christa Love & Julia Godwin	July 10	Carter & Laura Dermid

## SUNDAY, JUNE 19th



# Agents of Babylon Book Study Wednesdays at 6:45 PM

Wednesday, June 1<sup>st</sup>: "The Insomniac" Wednesday, June 8<sup>th</sup>: "The Colossus" Wednesday, June 15<sup>th</sup>: "The Fire Men" Wednesday, June 22<sup>nd</sup>: "The Wolf-Man"

Wednesday, June 29<sup>th</sup>: "The Fingers of God" Wednesday, July 6<sup>th</sup>: "The Lion King" Wednesday, July 13<sup>th</sup>: "The Conqueror" Wednesday, July 20<sup>th</sup>: "The Madman"

Wednesday, July 27<sup>th</sup>: "The Herald" Wednesday, August 3<sup>rd</sup>: "The Archangel

Wednesday, August 3<sup>rd</sup>: "The Archangel Wednesday, August 10<sup>th</sup>: "The End"

New Directories are located on the Adult Hall Wing. If you need a new notebook, please let us know. We have several here at the church. Thank you.

## If anyone would like to send a card to Nikki Gordon, her address

: Nikki Gordon 5807 Concord Highway Monroe, NC 28110

#### **HAPPY ANNIVERSARY**



3 Rev. & Mrs. Leon Whitley

13 Mr. & Mrs. Roger Haigler

14 Mr. & Mrs. Donald Griffin

14 Mr. & Mrs. Jerry Knight

15 Mr. & Mrs. Clinton Oster

16 Mr. & Mrs. Earl James

25 Mr. & Mrs. Irvin Griffin

25 Mr. & Mrs. Dwight Starnes

26 Mr. & Mrs. Tom Preslar

No Anniversaries First Week in July

## Deacon Nomination Sunday, June 12<sup>th</sup>

We will nominate two names. Please do not nominate the following who are currently serving:

Ronald Edwards, Teddy Griffin, \*Roger Haigler, \*Roger James, Baxter Jordan, Gene Stewart, and Lewis Throckmorton.

\*Rotating off.



3 Hannah Napier

4 Josh Lemon, Xaiden Moore

5 Pam Rivers

6 Emily Graham

9 Maggie Collins

10 Brandon Knight

14 Suzanne Simpson

15 Rebecca Edwards, Kathryn Overcash

16 Elijah Haigler

17 Katie Rivers

18 Amanda Ikerd Lynn

20 Laurel Preslar

21 Donald Griffin

22 Melissa Estridge

24 Kenneth Anderson, Tommy Edwards, David Simpson

25 Josh Fowler

27 Kyle Howard

28 David Figueroa, Sheri Bradshaw

29 Vickie Griffin

30 Rheanna Hartis

## **Pineapple-Coconut Cream Pie**

Delane Bennett

#### Crust

20 crisp oatmeal cookies 1/2 stick of butter, melted

#### **Filling**

3/4 cup Sugar

1/3 cup cornstarch

1 can (20 oz.) crushed pineapples in own juice, well drained, reserve juice

1 can (14 oz.) coconut milk

Yolks from 5 large eggs

2 tablespoons butter

1 cup sweetened flaked coconut chopped

1 cup whipping cream

2 tablespoons sugar

**Garnish:** sweetened flaked coconut, small pineapple chunks

#### Instructions

- 1. Heat oven to 350°. Coat a 9" pie plate with nonstick spray.
- 2. Crust: Crush cookies and add butter. Press over bottom and sides of pie plate. Bake 12 minutes.
- 3. Filling: Mix sugar and cornstarch in 2-quart saucepan. Add enough pineapple juice to coconut milk to make 2 ½ cups. Stir into sugar mixture, then bring to boil over medium heat, stirring occasionally. Boil for 1 minute. Remove from heat. Whisk yolks to mix. Gradually whisk in about ½ the hot mixture, return yolk mixture to saucepan. Stir over low heat 2 minutes. Remove from heat, stir in butter till melted. Stir in pineapple and coconut. Pour over crust. Cover surface with plastic wrap. Refrigerate 3 hours. Beat cream and sugar and pour over pie.

#### **Second Harvest**

Thursday, June 2<sup>nd</sup> at 8:00 AM Forestville UMC, Lilesville, NC

June Fellowship Hall Clean Up:

**All Classes** 

The June issues of Mature Living and Home Life magazines are on the vestibule table for pick up.