

**“Wrecking The Family Car”
Matthew 6:5-13**

A crack...

THEOLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS ABOUT PRAYER

God enjoys communication with His people.

God is approachable.

Christ is our bridge.

God is personal.

Prayer is a channel for building faith and character.

COMPONENTS OF GOOD PRAYERS

Praise (9)

Priorities (10)

Provision (11)

Forgiveness (12)

Protection (13)

JESUS' PRIMARY LESSON

We are helpless without God.

Prayer is not a museum for saints.

Prayer is God's cafeteria.

Prayer is God's way for transformation

Cal Ripken...

September 13, 2009

10:55 AM

WELCOME

Tom Cabaniss

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Nate Leonard

†††

†MISSIONS MEDLEY

557

People Need the Lord

PEOPLE NEED THE LORD

561

One by One

ONE BY ONE

LIVING OUT ACTS 1:8

FBC Youth

THE GOSPEL LESSON – Matthew 6:25-27, 31, 33

Nate Leonard

One: Do not worry about you life, what you will eat or drink;

Choir: or about your body, what you will wear.

Women: *Look at the birds of the air; they do not sow or reap or store away in barns,*

One: and yet your heavenly Father feeds them.

Men: Are you not much more valuable than they?

One: Who of you by worrying can add a single hour to his life?

Choir: So do not worry...

All: **But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness,**

One: and all these things will be given to you as well.

MESSAGE IN MUSIC

His Eye Is on the Sparrow

Gabriel/Schram

PRAYER 101

Polly Montgomery, Susan Combs

PRAYER

Tom Cabaniss

†HYMN 445

Sweet Hour of Prayer

SWEET HOUR

(Stz. 1 & 2. Children will come forward as we sing stanza 2.)

†OFFERTORY PRAYER

Nate Leonard

WORDS FOR OUR CHILDREN

Leah Sweatt

†CHORUS

Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying

Medema

Lord, listen to your children praying,

Lord, send your spirit in this place;

Lord, listen to your children praying,

**Send us love, send us pow'r, send us grace. * (repeat)*

MESSAGE

*“Wrecking The Family Car”
Matthew 6:5-13*

Tom Cabaniss

Scripture passage may be found on page 986 in the Bible located in the pew.

†HYMN OF DECISION 446

Take Time to Be Holy

HOLINESS

*We invite your decisions today in one of the following ways...by coming forward to pray alone,
to speak and pray with our pastor, completing one of the decision cards found in the pews
or speaking with one of our ministers following our worship time.*

†PASTORAL BENEDICTION

Tom Cabaniss

†CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE 230

How I Love You

TOMES

Jesus, how I love You! Jesus, how I love You!

For Your goodness and Your grace, For Your presence in this place;

Jesus, how I love You! How I love You!

POSTLUDE

Carol Cone

†Those who are able please stand.



September 13, 2009

Welcome to Kannapolis First Baptist Church!

*We are so grateful to God for leading you to this place of worship today.
If you are a visitor, be sure to sign our fellowship pads
as they are shared during the worship time or our guest book in the foyer
of the church as you leave so that we might have the
opportunity to thank you personally for worshipping with us today.*

***“When you pray, go into your room,
close the door and pray
to your Father who is unseen.”
Matthew 6:6a***

***“The Father calls His children to a deep and meaningful love
relationship with Him— a relationship expressed through prayer.
As we grow in spiritual maturity, our hearts are drawn to
His desires for us. Prayer becomes a pleasure and we
become vessels He uses in our families, churches, communities
and world. When we believe in Jesus for our salvation and
ask Him to be Lord of our lives, He gives us back the full
authority and right relationship with Him that He originally
intended for us to have. Spending time with the Lover of your
soul, the Lord Himself, is not so much a discipline as it is the
building of a love relationship”***

***Adapted from...Prayer 101
By Elaine Helms***

Ladies, mark your calendars now so you won't miss

"Conversations"

A women's event cosponsored by the Women's Ministry and Prayer & Renewal Ministry Teams
Friday, October 30th, 7:00pm—9:30pm
Saturday, October 31st, 8:30 am—12:30 pm
Cabarrus Bank Building

Remember the **importance of tithing each week**. Our church's ministry and work are supported EXCLUSIVELY by the tithes and offerings of our church family. One way we express our gratitude to God for His blessings is by tithing. Also, a failure to tithe is an act of disobedience. Our church has wonderful opportunities to proclaim Christ in our community and beyond. Our giving should match these opportunities. Give your tithes faithfully and obediently. Let's catch up our giving and demonstrate our ability and willingness to fund a ministry position with our preschoolers and children!!

The **Intercessory Prayer Group** will meet every Tuesday in the church parlor from 9:15am-9:45am. Everyone is welcome to come pray with us. For information, please call Polly Montgomery at 704-938-8331.

Preparations and plans are underway for a **mission trip NEXT summer to a third-world destination such as Kenya or Guatemala**. You may believe God can use you in such a place. We'll soon know more details about this trip and what the work may be. Begin praying about whether God could use you in missions in a life-changing way!! For more information or to express your interest, speak with Tom.

Chuck Irvin will be cooking up supper for Wednesday for any and all who'll come between 5:00pm and 5:45pm (kitchen closes promptly at 5:45pm). The cost - payable in CASH ONLY at the door (No reservations are needed)- \$5 for adults, \$3 for kids 4-12, and \$1 for kids 3 and under.

September 16 - Hamburgers, Baked Beans, Chips, Tea/Lemonade and Dessert

September 23 - Spaghetti, Oil-tossed Salad, Garlic Bread, Tea/Lemonade and Dessert

September 30 - Hot Dogs, Mac 'n' Cheese, Chips, Tea/Lemonade and Dessert

We will be receiving gifts to benefit the **North Carolina Missions Offering during September**. Our goal is \$2,000 for missions in our state. Envelopes are in your regular giving packets. You can also designate for this offering by using envelopes in the sanctuary.

The Kannapolis City Police Department

has designated that parking spaces along First Street on Sunday mornings are **RESERVED for HANDICAPPED and SENIOR ADULT parking ONLY!**

Let's remember to reserve that space for our seniors and people who need close access to our building. Also, please do not park in front of the sidewalk cut-outs because it is the **ONLY** way wheelchairs can get up, and into the church for services.

The **NC Baptist Singers will present a concert** of sacred music at our church on Monday, October 12th at 6:45pm. The singers will be coming to Kannapolis from all across the state and a few may need over night accommodations in homes. If you would be willing to house one or two members of the group on that Monday night please call Mark.

We still **NEED volunteers in the following ministries**....Mission Friend Leaders on Wednesday nights....Men's Ministry Team Leaders....A Prayer and Renewal Ministry Coordinator. If you would like to serve in one of these roles, speak with a staff member or call the church office as soon as you can!!!

Children's Discipleship (Grades 1 – 6)

STARTS TONIGHT

5:00pm–7:00pm

THE TRUTH CHRONICLES

There's absolute adventure ahead with life-changing stories on seeing the world from a Christian perspective. Inspired by Focus on the Family's The Truth Project curriculum, these stories include themes such as a Christian Worldview, False gods, Government and the Bible, Absolute Truth, Intelligent Design, Compassion, The Founding of America, The Trinity and Natural Order. **AND . . .**



MANNERS MATTER

(led by Sue Dodd & friends)

Manners are simply a matter of how we treat one another. ("Do unto others as you would have them do unto you." Luke 6:31) Manners Matter will teach children appropriate behavior in social situations and how to be considerate and respectful of others.

These children's discipleship opportunities will be held at the same time as The Truth Project and Prayer 101 for adults.

If you would be willing to **clean the church bus and van** from time to time with other volunteers please see Tom Keffer at 704-855-3294.

During the month of September we are **honoring Robin Hart** for her seventh anniversary serving on our church staff. Express your appreciation to Robin for all she does.

THIS WEEK AT KANNAPOLIS FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Committee Sunday, September 13

Family Promise

8:30am-Joint Meeting Preschool and Children's Ministry, Media Center
 9:15am-Financial Peace
 9:45am-Sunday School
 10:55am-Worship Service
 2:00pm-Deacon Council, Adult 3
 3:15pm-Missions Committee, Conf. Rm.
 4:00pm-Master Ringers (Grades 7—12)
 5:00pm-Truth Project
 5:00pm-Prayer 101-Frank & Cathy Hyatt
 5:00pm-Manners Matter & Truth Chronicle

Monday, September 14

Family Promise

6:30pm-Thin Within (Parlor)

Tuesday, September 15

Family Promise

9:15am-Intercessory Prayer Group
 10:00am-Sr. Adult Choir
 11:00am-Prayer 101-Polly Montgomery & Bettie Godwin

Wednesday, September 16

Family Promise

9:15am-Women Of Himfluence
 5:00pm-Supper
 5:45pm-Children's Music
 5:45pm-Youth Hang Time/Discipleship
 6:00pm-Isaiah Bible Study
 6:00pm-Women of Himfluence
 6:30pm-Children's Missions
 6:30pm-Adult Handbells
 7:15pm-Sanctuary Choir

Thursday, September 17

Family Promise

6:45am-Men's Bible study, prayer, and fellowship breakfast
 8:30am-Prayer 101-Susan Combs
 11:00am-Prayer 101-Ed Hall

Friday, September 18

Family Promise

Saturday, September 19

Family Promise



September 14

Larry Austin
 Helen Brisson
 Jane Harris
 Gray McCarn
 Barbara Robinette
 David Thompson
 Lucille Walters

September 15

Rodney Armstrong

September 16

Bobby Parker

September 17

Charlie Haynes
 Joyce Holman

September 18

Tamara Dennis
 Miles Huneycutt

September 19

Jordan Forrest
 Carolyn Goldston

September 20

Beth Nelson
 Judy Smith

September 21

Holly Huffstetler
 Alex McAfee

September 23

Carol Cone

September 25

Pam Bailey
 Camyn Huneycutt
 Alyce Quinn

September 26

Effie Hollar



NEEDED: Large shoeboxes for Samaritan's Purse...
 Please place your boxes on the workroom table.

**BUDGET REPORT THRU
 September 6, 2009**

Receipts \$423,384.66
 Budget \$483,438.60
 Over/(Under) \$(60,053.94)
 Building Fund \$123,054.88

Missions Committee News

We need your help in **collecting school supplies** for our local schools and the Baptist Sharing House. Needs include: loose leaf paper, spiral notebooks, pencils, pens, glue sticks, backpacks, crayons, markers and notebooks. Boxes are available outside the workroom on the first floor for your donations.

Save the date...we are challenging our church to participate in **Kannapolis Kares NEXT Saturday, September 26th**. We'll do some simple projects in our community and for members in need in our church family.

We invite you to **help support our local hospice**. They need the following items... unscented aloe baby wipes, individually packaged snack foods and wrapped candy, new white washcloths, music CDs, unscented laundry detergent, disposable cameras, acrylic yarn for lap quilts, Kleenex, medium size baskets, fillers for baskets (no green Easter grass). A box is available outside the workroom for your donations.

"Celebrating Life Together"

Associational Sr. Adult Rally

Tuesday, October 6, 2009 - 11:00am to 1:30pm

Pitts Baptist Church, Concord

Cost: \$6.00 per person lunch includes:

(ham, grilled chicken, green beans, creamed potatoes, rolls, dessert and drink), door prizes, and a concert of music by pianist John Troutman

To make your reservation please pay \$6.00

to Mark by THIS Tuesday, September 15th.

Transportation will be provided on the church bus/van leaving at 10:30am.

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Parking