

## TIMES AND PLACES FOR MINISTRY

**May 16 - May 23, 2010**

Sunday	8:45 a.m.	<b>Worship</b>
	9:40 a.m.	<b>Fellowship time – Fellowship Hall</b>
	9:55 a.m.	<b>Sunday School</b>
	10:40 a.m.	<b>Officers' Prayer – Chapel</b>
	11:00 a.m.	<b>Worship</b>
	5:15 p.m.	<b>Youth Ensemble</b>
6:00 - 7:30 p.m.		<b>Pulse - Middle School</b>
	7:00 - 8:30 p.m.	<b>Pulse - Sr. High</b>
Tuesday	10:00 a.m.	<b>Circle 3 - Parlor</b>
	Noon	<b>Men's Bible Study—Library</b>
Wednesday	12:15 p.m.	<b>Communion—Chapel</b>
	2:45 p.m.	<b>Choir Club</b>
	6:30 p.m.	<b>Chancel Ringers</b>
	7:30 p.m.	<b>Chancel Choir</b>
Thursday	7:00 a.m.	<b>Men's Bible Study – Library</b>
	6:30 p.m.	<b>Praise Band</b>
	7:45 p.m.	<b>8:45 Leadership Team—Fellowship Hal-</b>
Saturday	2:00 p.m.	<b>Sr. High Mission Trip meeting</b>
		<b>@ the Pendergrafts</b>
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	<b>Sunday School</b>
	10:00 a.m.	<b>Worship</b>
	11:00 a.m.	<b>Luncheon in Fellowship Hall</b>
	6:00 - 7:30 p.m.	<b>Pulse - Middle School</b>
	7:00 - 8:30 p.m.	<b>Pulse - Sr. High</b>

### YOUTH NEWS

**TONIGHT:** 5:15 - Youth Ensemble; Middle School (6-7:30); Sr. High (7-8:30).

**Next Week:** 5:15 - Youth Ensemble; Middle School (6-7:30); Sr. High (7-8:30).

**UPCOMING EVENT:** JUNE 6, SUMMER KICKOFF POOL PARTY @ THE EASTON'S. TIME TO BE ANNOUNCED.

**Think about it:** I will sing of your mercy that leads me through valleys of sorrow and rivers of joy!

## *The Steeple*

### First Presbyterian Church

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### MAY 23rd—CHANGE IN HOURS

### PENTECOST and YOUTH SUNDAY - MAY 23, 2010

**Special Guests: The Raleigh Boys Choir**

Sunday School at 9:00 a.m.

Worship Service with Communion at 10:00 a.m. (Sanctuary)

Celebration Luncheon follows worship (Fellowship Hall)

**Please bring a covered-dish and desserts to share!!**

### Sermon Notes

### WOMEN'S SUMMER BIBLE STUDY

Please join us in the Chapel for the Women's Summer Bible Study beginning Tuesday, June 1, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. This 9-week study is Beth Moore's, *"The Inheritance,"* based on Psalm 16:6. There is no homework with this study. Viewer guides and notepads will be ordered for the study at a cost of \$10. Childcare will be provided, so advance sign-up is requested. Sign-up now by calling Cissy Kepper at 757-0121 or e-mailing her at ckepper@charter.net. You can pre-view the study at lproof.org. The study will not be held the week of VBS.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**WELCOME TO WORSHIP!** God, through His Holy Spirit, is the power in and focus of our worship. We pray we will be Spirit-led and that you will follow Him this week at work, home or school. If we can help you serve more effectively, contact us at 754-5351 or at [www.fpclenoir.org](http://www.fpclenoir.org).

**TODAY'S ANTHEM** is dedicated to our youth, and especially our seniors, who will be participating in next Sunday at our Youth Sunday Service.

**OUR CHOIR CLUB** and Youth Ensembles will go on hiatus for the Summer. We thank them for their dedication in service to our Lord and Savior through the offering of their gifts of music in worship.

**THE CHOIR CLUB END-OF-YEAR PICNIC** is Wednesday, May 19, from 3:00 - 4:30 p.m., Oak Hill Park. The church bus leaves from Davenport at 2:40, to go to the park. (Children, wear or bring old clothes and shoes.) Parents are invited. Children may bring sports equipment, creek-walking clothes and water shoes. Children are to be picked up at the park promptly at 4:30 p.m.

**TUESDAY MEN'S BIBLE STUDY** continues its study of *The Christbook*, Matthew chapter 6.

**OFFICERS** – Please pick up your packets in the Narthex. Packets are also available for those officers who have chosen to receive them electronically. Monthly meetings are May 24.

**NEW SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS!** Join us for a summer long study in one of the Church's most beloved classics: St. Augustine's *Confessions*. In small group discussion, we'll follow the 'theologian of the heart' through his story of God's providence and grace." Led by Dave Strickler.

**LOOKING AHEAD** - 10th Annual "June Walking Jamboree" for Seniors ages 60+. This will be held at the T. H. Broyhill Walking Park, 945 Lakewood St., SW, Tuesday, June 15, 8:00 - 11:00 a.m. For more information or to register early, call The Satie and J. E. Broyhill Caldwell Senior Center at 757-8635.

**HELLO? IS GOD CALLING** you to volunteer more time at church? We all lead busy lives, and thankfully the life of our church is busy. We would appreciate your help if you are willing to volunteer a few hours to answer phones, take messages, and help in the church office. If you are interested, please contact Robin Lowe 754-6593 soon.

**ROOM AT THE TABLE** - The Mission Committee wishes to express their gratitude to the Sunday School classes, Circles, Youth, Deacons and Session who have prepared and served one of the Saturday meals for the needy and homeless in our community. The response of our congregation has been very heartening. We would like to invite any others who might feel led to join us in this endeavor. To participate with us or for more information, please talk with any member of the Mission Committee or call Faith Davison, 758-9010.

## PRAYER, JOYS AND CONCERNS

**THE STAFF LOVES TO PRAY** for you! This week, join us in praying for:

**Families:** Byrd Mount; Barbara Myers; Guy and Kathy Myers; Jan and Stephanie Nash; Joe, Gavin and Aaron Nash.

**Youth:** Katie Bast; **College:** Wallis Hutchens

**Military:** George Bernhardt (deploying to Iraq in late June), Josh Ingle, Jason Jenkins, Jason Raines, Forrest Sutton (deployed in Iraq).

**SPECIAL PRAYERS FOR** Forrest Sutton stationed in Balad, Iraq. Please remember both Jessica and him in prayer as he serves our country in Iraq. Cards and notes of encouragement may be sent to him at this address: Attn: SFC Forrest Sutton, 163rd ASMC, Joint Base Balad, APO AE 09391. Also, George Lynn Bernhardt will soon be re-deployed to Iraq.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR** Christ's comfort to hold Miriam and Wanja Dyer in the death of Miriam's husband, Joe; Max, Kori, Sam and Miles Dyer in the death of Max's father and Sam and Mile's grandfather.

**CONTINUING PRAYERS FOR:** Marie Hogan, Shaire Center; Frances Yarborough and Anita Austin, Gateway; Sarah Hedrick, Blowing Rock Hospital Extended Care. At home: Bernice Correll, Frank Davison, Bob and Jean Hunner, Mary Sue McCurry, Penny McMillan, Agnes Scroggs, John and Martha Shanks, Bill and Hazel Tamminga.

**PLEASE JOIN THE MISSION COMMITTEE** in praying for Riceville Presbyterian Church, Asheville, N. C. Please pray for God's direction for their ministry to the community, Operation Family to Family program, Acts 16:5 Initiative, PresbyKids Club, Seasoned Saints (older adult ministry), and the formation of a middle age fellowship group. Give thanks for the first full year of ministry with their new pastor, Chris Wingard.

### SUNDAY SERVANTS:

**USHERS/GREETERS:** 8:45 - Randy Bast; 11:00 - Bill Bair, Lewis Norman, Frances Delk, Jill Norment

**TODAY'S ACOLYTE:** Rachel Easton

**NURSERY:** 8:45 - Paxson family; 11:00 - No volunteer

**CHILDREN'S CHURCH:** 8:45 - Wright family; 11:00 - Goudas family

**CHOIR CLUB PARENT:** Lillian Goudas

**TODAY'S YOUTH PARENT:** Tericia Summers, Boyd and Sally Barnhardt

**CHURCH BELL RINGERS:** 11:00 - Jarrett Furnish