The Mission Focus for the month of **July** is **"Back to School."** We'll be collecting supplies for Tryon Elementary School. Supplies needed throughout the school year are: wide-ruled **notebook paper**, **#2 pencils**, two-pocket **folders** with no rings but with punch holes, non-spiraled **composition books**, **glue sticks**, **highlighters**, **tissues**, and disinfectant **wipes**. The number one need throughout the year is **notebook paper**. Boxes for collection of the supplies will be in the Lair Sunday School room and the church parlor.

**Brotherhood** meets **July 20** at 6:30pm in the Activity Building. All men of the church are welcome and encouraged to bring a friend. John Spinks is in charge of the meal and the program. If you plan to eat (cost is \$5), please be sure to add your name to the sign-up sheet in the education hallway.

### Hooked - The David Stillerman Fishing Project of FBC Tryon

We'll go fishing at these times and places, and hope that you can join us:

July 19, White Oak Mountain, 4-7pm Aug 23, Derbyshire/Lake Sandy Plains, 4-7pm Sept 20, Tryon Estates, 4-7pm

Please RSVP to 828.859.5375 or tryonfirstbaptist@gmail.com. Today's trip is to White Oak Mountain, and we'll meet again at the Feagan Law Firm in Columbus at 3:45pm.

#### Looking Ahead ....

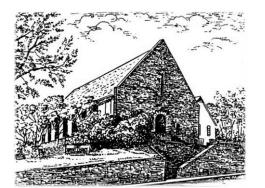
**Vacation Bible School 2015** is scheduled for August 2-6 (Sunday - Thursday). The theme is *G*-*Force: God's Love in Action*. It is a mission-focused VBS in which children will explore putting their faith into action. If you are interested in helping in any way with VBS planning or helping during the week of VBS, please contact Candy Wilson. We are encouraging pre-registration. Forms are available at the church office, you may call the church office to register, or complete the online registration at Cokesburyvbs.com/TRYONFBC.

### <u>July12, 2015</u>

Weekly Budget Giving\$ 6,441Baptist Retirement Homes\$16.53Weekly Budget Goal\$ 6,640YTD Budget Giving\$ 163,722YTD Budget Goal\$ 185,920

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# First Baptist Church

July 19, 2015 Nine O'Clock in the Morning Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

The Worship of God

Music for Gathering		Kay Greene
Words of Preparation		Jeff Harris
Prelude	Adoration	-Felix Borowski
Call to Worship Lord, your church is composed I help make it what it is. It will be friendly, if I am. Its pews will be filled, if I help fill them. It will do great work, if I work. It will make generous gifts to m if I am a generous giver. It will bring other people into it if I invite and bring them. It will be a church where people if I am open to such growth Therefore, with your help I being your church.	any causes, s worship and fellowship, grow in faith and serve you, <b>and service.</b>	Candace Wilson

Invocation

Beth McCallister

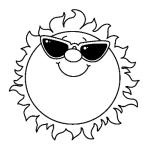
<sup>†</sup>Hymn of Praise 354

I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord

ST. THOMAS

<sup>†</sup> Passing of the Peace The peace of Christ be with		Jeff Harris	†Benediction			Jeff Harris
And also with you.	r you.		<sup>†</sup> Congregational Response <i>May the Spir</i>	U 1	irit Bind Us Togeth r as we build this hou	
Children's Time "Mr. Skip" Williams (Kindergartners and preschoolers leave for Children's Church after the Children's Time)		One in heart and one in spirit may we grow; May we raise our voices in witness; May our lives reflect Thy grace; One in heart and one in spirit as we go, as we go.				
Old Testament Reading	Jeremiah 23:1-6 (p. 685)	Candace Wilson	†Postlude	Recessional in B Flat -Roger C. Wilson		
Responsive Reading	Psalm 23	Phil Scoggins		CALENDAR OF EVENTS		
<ul> <li>The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want.</li> <li>He makes me lie down in green pastures; he leads me beside still waters; he restores my soul. He leads me in right paths for his name's sake.</li> <li>Even though I walk through the darkest valley, I fear no evil; for you are with me; your rod and your staff— they comfort me.</li> <li>You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies; you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows.</li> <li>Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I</li> </ul>		Sunday, July 19 Monday, July 20 Tuesday, July 21 Sunday, July 26	9:00 am 10:15 am 11:15 am 4:00 pm 6:30 pm 10:30 am 6:00 pm 9:00 am	10:15amSunday School in the Activity Building11:15amVBS Teachers/Helpers meeting – Lair Sunday School Room4:00pmFishing at White Oak Mountain6:30pmBrotherhood10:30amStaff Meeting6:00pmDeacons meeting – Rock House		
Missions Moment	of the Lord my whole life long.	Di Greene	Sunday, Sury 20	10:00 am 10:15 am 2:30 pm	Quarterly Church ( Sunday School in t	Conference ne Activity Building athering – Mars Hill
New Testament Reading	Ephesians 2:11-22 (p. 182)	Jeff Harris	If you are a guest, we are grat	eful that you are	here. Please complete	e a welcome card (found in
Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer Jeff Harris		the pew pocket) and place it in the offering plate, so we can send you a written word of greeting. As you exit, we have a small gift to offer in appreciation of your presence with us				
†Hymn of Dedication 295	Near to the Heart of God	MCAFEE	today.			
Offertory Prayer		Acolytes for today's service are Verae Upton and Wilson Edwards				
Offertory and Meditation	Walking With Jesus (Medley) -	arr. Albin Whitworth	Thanks to Donis Schweizer for <b>Remember the July Expe</b>		-	Il worship at 0.00am and
†Doxology 253 Pro	uise God, from Whom All Blessings F	low OLD 100 <sup>th</sup>	have a combined Adult Sunda will be available). We hope th	ay School at 10:15	; in the Activity Buildi	ng (coffee and light snacks
Gospel Reading	Mark 6:30-44, 53-56 (p. 43)	Jeff Harris	For example, if worship is at the parkway, or a day at the la	9am, you can atte	end, and still have ple	enty of time for a picnic on
Music for Meditation	The Lord's My Shepherd	-Irvine/Wilson	of our normal schedule, and t is a different way to mark the			
Sermon	"Work and Rest"	Jeff Harris	July Sunday School Sche		the Activity Building	at 10:15 during the month
†Hymn of Response 267	Dear Lord and Father of Mankind	REST	of July, as we dialogue aroun July 19 Spiritual But I July 26 What Should a	Religious	e of its Members?	

## UPCOMING SUMMER EVENTS FOR YOUTH AND CHILDREN



WNCBF Student Gathering at Mars Hill University, Sunday, July 26. All middle and high school students and adult leaders are invited to the Mars Hill University outdoor pavilion at Broyhill Chapel. This event starts at 2:30 with arrival, meet and greet, and water games. At 5:15 there's a time to grill out and hang out. A service project surprise will take place at 6:30, with worship and a bonfire at 8:30pm. Note: Everyone needs to bring a pair of work jeans. These jeans will not come home with you, so make sure it's a pair you can part with. Don't miss this fun opportunity to have fellowship, recreation, and food with other youth. Please contact Candy Wilson if you're interested in attending.

**Whitewater rafting trip!** The date is **Monday, August 10.** We will leave from the Food Lion parking lot at 7:30am and return no later than 4pm. We'll paddle whitewater on the French Broad River, stopping along the way to share hamburgers and hotdogs. It will be a blast! It's also a bargain at \$20, as the church is going to pick up a significant part of the cost. If you're interested, please contact Rev. Harris as soon as possible.

**Back-to-School Pool Party and Pizza Bash!** Dear Parents, Grandparents, and Friends of Children, We are having a fun, back-to-school party for children who have completed grades K-5 on **Tuesday, August 11** at the Tryon Country Club Pool. We will meet at the church at 11:00am and carpool to the Country Club for swimming and pizza. We will arrive back at the church around 3:00pm. There is no cost for this event. Parents are invited, but children may come without parents. The Country Club does not have a lifeguard on duty but there will be several adults (who can swim) accompanying the children. **Please RSVP by August 9**, so we can plan for drivers and the amount of pizza needed. – Candy Wilson