

Catawba Baptist



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May 2018

Notes from Pastor Ron

Plenty is going on at Catawba Baptist Church. It was exciting to see a good number of people trust Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord during April, resulting in numerous baptisms. It is encouraging to see so many of you involved in ministry in some way, shape, or form. I look forward to seeing the parking lot completed during the month of May, Lord willing. I appreciate Jeromy and the youth ministry and Michelle and the children's ministry. I enjoy the ministry of Chuck, the Celebration Choir, and Unchained. God has blessed in so many ways. The following are some things that are going on.

Randy Whisonant is retiring after 32 years. He has served as the bookkeeper at Catawba Baptist for a long time and we will miss working with him. I appreciate his friendship, his faithfulness, and his Christlike attitude. Randy will be working through July 20.

We will be praying on Thursday at noon in the worship center on the National Day of Prayer. If you cannot make the prayer time, a prayer sheet will be available on the web site Wednesday morning.

We hope to finish the parking lot repaving in May. We are waiting on the paving company to tell us when they will be able to start. When repaving starts, please park on the concrete parking lot or follow the directions of the parking team if on a Sunday morning. Thank you for your faithfulness in giving.

We are voting about renting the Connection. The Church Council is recommending that we rent the Connection worship center and fellowship hall to Grace Collective Church part time for one year, beginning June 1, 2018, for \$750.00 per month. Grace Collective is a Southern Baptist Church started about four years ago that has been meeting at the Winthrop BCM building most recently. We plan to vote on this Sunday morning, May 6.

My daughter, Mary E., is leaving tomorrow for a mission trip to Ecuador. She will be there approximately a month. More information about her trip can be found on the missions table in the foyer. Thank you for praying for her. And thanks to those of you who have given toward the expenses of her trip. Gifts are tax deductible if given through the church; just put "Ecuador" on your check or envelope.

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Children's Ministry

Weekly Events

Sunday

- 8:00 Men's Prayer Time
- 9:15 Sunday School Life Groups
- 10:30 Morning Worship
- 6:00 Pastor's Bible Study & Bible Study Electives;
RAs, GAs, & Mission Friends (Birth-Grade 5); Youth; & College Age

Monday

- 9:00 Staff Devotions
- 7:00 C.A.R.E.

Tuesday

- 9:00 Staff Devotions
- 9:30 Staff Meeting

Wednesday

- 9:00 Staff Devotions
- 12:30 Praying for Our Nation
- 6:15 Catawba Kids JAM & Youth
- 6:30 Bible Study and Prayer
Ladies' & Men's Bible Studies on First & Third Wednesday
- 7:30 Celebration Choir

Thursday

- 9:00 Staff Devotions
- 6:30 Unchained Rehearsal

Friday

- 9:00 Staff Devotions

May Special Events

- 3 12:00 National Day of Prayer (worship center)
- 6 10:30 Morning Worship/Parent/Child Dedication 12
- 12 11:00 Couples Wedding Shower/AJ Kramer & Kristen Hurley
- 13 Happy Mother's Day No Evening Services
- 20 4:30 Church Council
- 27 10:30 Graduate Recognition
12:00 Graduate Luncheon/FH
5:00 Churchwide Picnic
- 28 Church Office Closed

CARE for May

- 7:00 C Team May 7
- 7:00 A Team May 14
- 7:00 R & E Team May 21
- 1:00 Senior Adult May 21

Summer Camp Dates:

- Sports Camp
June 25-28
- Camp Hodgepodge
July 16-19
- Music Camp
July 30-August 3

Grow From The Inside-Out Summer Camps 2018

Registration forms are available in the foyer and church office. Parents we need you to register your children by June 3 to order supplies. So register today!

Youth Group

Youth Open Gym
May 18, 7-9 pm

All students 6-12th grade are encouraged to come and enjoy a night of fun! Bring a friend!

Youth Intern

I want to say, "Hooray!" for Caleb Menges! Caleb will be serving as an intern with me May -June. The purpose of this internship is give Caleb experience in ministry and help him on his discipleship journey. I know that the ministry will benefit from his work and commitment. Please pray for Caleb and the ministry as we gear up for the summer. Thank you.

Graduate Recognition

May 27 @ 10:30 am

Let's celebrate the accomplishments of our high school and college graduates! If you are interested in participating, please submit the Graduate Information form (available in church office) and 3 photos (child, graduate, & other) to include in a slideshow to the Church office by May 13. Photos can be emailed to youth@catawbabaptist.com There will be a lunch for graduates and immediate family following the service.

Music & Senior Adult

Senior Adult Fellowship

Saturday, May 5, 5:00pm

Special guests will be Annette Dixon Marlow and Pam Chapman



His & Her Wedding Shower

A.J. Kramer & Kristen Hurley

Saturday, May 12

From 11-12:00

Fellowship Hall

The couple is registered at Target & Amazon

Gift Cards would be greatly appreciated

Homebound Member for May

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