

Catawba Baptist



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March 2019

Gratitude for Your Service

In Phil. 1:3-4, Paul said "I thank my God upon every remembrance of you, always in every prayer of mine making request for you all with joy, for your fellowship in the gospel from the first day until now." Thanks to all of you who serve in various ways here at Catawba Baptist Church. Many of you serve behind the scenes and get very little recognition. Many of you put in a lot of time and effort to accomplish your ministry. Your faithfulness and your partnership in furthering the gospel are appreciated.

Paul also said the following in Gal. 6:9-10. "And let us not grow weary while doing good, for in due season we shall reap if we do not lose heart. Therefore, as we have opportunity, let us do good to all, especially to those who are of the household of faith." Becoming weary while we serve can be easy, but according to Isa. 40:31, "Those who wait on the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings like eagles, they shall run and not be weary, they shall walk and not faint." God gives us the wisdom, courage, and strength to accomplish what He calls us to do. According to Phil. 4:13, "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me."

Finally, Paul in 1 Cor. 15:58 says, "Therefore, my beloved brethren, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that your labor is not in vain in the Lord." As Christians, we should be involved faithfully in serving God, knowing that our service is meaningful and profitable. Jesus said in Mt. 10:42, "And whoever gives one of these little ones only a cup of cold water in the name of a disciple, assuredly, I say to you, he shall by no means lose his reward." The question is whether we are more interested in laying up treasure in heaven or on earth, in the eternal or the temporal.

Again, thank you so much for your service, whether at Catawba Baptist Church or outside the four walls of the church. Your service makes a difference. — Pastor Ron

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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

March Special Events

3	6:00	Thailand Mission Report
10		Daylight Savings Begins
	4:30	Property & Space
15	7:00	Youth Open Gym
17	12:00	Youth BBQ Lunch
	4:30	Church Council
22-23		Catawba Reservation Work Project
24	4:30	Deacon Meeting



The family of Robert F. Carter wishes to express their appreciation for the many expressions of sympathy and kindness shown to us, following the illness and death of our beloved father and brother. It is impossible to express how much all of you have meant to Bob, throughout his life. Your love has made our loss more bearable. We are truly grateful.

Penny Carter and Family

Children's Ministry

Kids Jam and Preschool Jam

We would love to have your children join us on Wednesday evenings from 6:15 until 7:30 for Kids Jam (5K -5th grade) and Preschool Jam (Babies - 4 year olds). We have lots of active games, music, and Bible Study.

Summer Dates have been set for VBS and Children's Camps! Registration forms will be available soon.

VBS and Camp dates:

June 9-13 VBS

June 17-20 Sports Camp

July 22-25 Camp Hodge Podge

August 5-9 Music Camp

August 11 Music Program

Operation Christmas Child

We are collecting items each month for Operation Christmas Child. We encourage you to look for these items when they are on sale or find items at the Dollar Tree.

Our item for March is Accessories (hair bows, ponytail ties, ribbon, socks, etc). You may drop them off at the collection box at the communication center.

This is one way that we can help share God's love with others around the world through Operation Christmas Child Shoe Boxes.

We also have boxes available if you want to start packing as a family during the year! Just see Donna Strickland or Michelle.

Youth Group

Catawba Student Ministry is sponsoring a BBQ Dinner

to raise funds for Summer Trips.

Everyone is invited!

March 17 @ 12 in the Gym

\$8 per ticket.

Spring Discipleship Retreat

A weekend for all students to study the Bible and worship together away from the normal routines.

May 3-5

Location: Look Up Lodge, Travelers Rest, SC

Cost: \$85 per student (siblings \$40)

Register and pay by April 14

Music & Senior Adult

My Easter Story

Sunday, April 21

The story of Easter is the believer's story! You miss this story and you miss everything!

Homebound Member for

March

Becky Thompson

751 Springdale Rd.

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CARE for March

7:00	C Team	March 5
7:00	A Team	March 12
7:00	R Team	March 19
7:00	E Team	March 26
1:00	Senior Adult	March 19

Prayer Requests from Pastor Mark Palmer of Inverness Community Church, Nova Scotia

Prayer items:



Housing for our daughter Bethany and family as they move here in the spring (May 1st). The same for the Willards from Yadkinville, NC, but we are not sure of their timing as they have a baby due in March. For soft hearts and open doors.

Pray about the building God has provided for Inverness Community Church to rent and meet in (church services, Bible study, etc.). The church is planning to build an addition onto the facility. This would give the church room to expand as they grow a strong community connection.