

# WELCOME

## VISITORS

The presence of Jesus in the gathering of His people is the sweetest blessing we enjoy when we meet. We pray that you will find peace, comfort, and power for living today. A visitor's card is provided in the book rack, to give us a record of your visit.

## MESSENGER FOR CHRIST



## BRUNSWICK CHURCH OF CHRIST

March 18, 2012

SUNDAY		ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY	
Bible Study	10:00 AM	Morning Worship	32
Worship	11:00 AM	Evening Worship	10
Evening	6:00 PM	Wednesday	12
WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY	6:30 PM	Contribution	\$1079.00
Fellowship Meal	12:30 PM		
(Every 1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday)			
Men's Meeting	5:00 PM		
Last Sunday of every month)			

### JOKING ABOUT GOD

*Charlie Gamble*

An airliner was having engine trouble, and the pilot instructed the cabin crew to have the passengers take their seats and get prepared for an emergency landing. A few minutes later, the pilot asked the flight attendants if everyone was buckled in and ready. "All set back here, Captain," came the reply, "except the lawyers are still going around passing out business cards."

It is common for people to make jokes about lawyers until they need one. I see the same thing happen when some consider God. They make light of things holy and then cry out to God when life goes sour. It would be good for them to consider Psalm 2:

*Why do the nations rage, And the people plot a vain thing? The kings of the earth set themselves, And the rulers take counsel together, Against the LORD and against His Anointed, saying, "Let us break Their bonds in pieces And cast away Their cords from us." He who sits in the heavens shall laugh; The LORD shall hold them in derision. Then He shall speak to them in His wrath, And distress them in His deep displeasure: "Yet I have set My King On My holy hill of Zion." "I will declare the decree: The LORD has said to Me, 'You are My Son, Today I have begotten You. Ask of Me, and I will give You The nations for Your inheritance, And the ends of the earth for Your possession. You shall break them with a rod of iron; You shall dash them to pieces like a potter's vessel.' "Now therefore, be wise, O kings; Be instructed, you judges of the earth. Serve the LORD with fear, And rejoice with trembling. Kiss the Son, lest He be angry, And you perish in the way, When His wrath is kindled but a little. Blessed are all those who put their trust in Him. Psalms 2:1-12 (NKJV)*

It won't be so funny when God is doing the laughing.

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TO OUR FRIENDS:

**"...The Churches of Christ salute you." Romans 16:16**

Mark your calendars for the men's business meeting next Sunday at 5:00 pm. You are encouraged to attend.



**Labor of Love**

We will meet this Saturday, March 24th, in the fellowship room at noon. We will have a devotion presented by Marselle Eversole and discuss our future plans.



**Just some Humor**

One particular four-year-old prayed,  
'And forgive us our trash baskets  
as we forgive those who put trash in  
our baskets.'

Proverbs 17:22  
" A cheerful heart is good medicine..."

**God's Plan for Man**  
**Hear God's Word**  
Heb. 11:6; Rom. 10:17  
**Believe in Jesus**  
Jn. 8:24  
**Repent of Sins**  
Lk. 13:3; 2 Cor. 7:10  
**Confess Jesus' Name**  
Mt. 10:32-33; Rom. 10:9-10; Mt. 16:15-16  
**Be Baptized**  
Mk. 16:15-16; Mt. 28:18-19; Acts 2:38, 41; Acts 22:16; Rom. 6:3-4  
**Live Faithful until Death**  
Mt. 10:22; Rev. 2:10

**The Bible study topic for  
Wednesday night: A Chronological  
Study of the Life of Jesus**  
Bible study starts at 6:30 PM.



**68th Annual Carolina Lectures**  
**Cary Church of Christ**  
Cary, NC  
March 29th - April 1st, 2012  
Keynote Speaker: Phil Sanders  
Edmond, OK

Details are on the bulletin board.

**Opportunities to Serve**

	<b>Today</b>	<b>03/25/12</b>
Welcome	Albert Sturdivant	Leslie Bell
Song Leader	Willie Gore	John Bowling
Opening Prayer	Albert Sturdivant	Ed Williams
Communion	*Charlie Gamble	*Albert Sturdivant
	Bill Bartlow	Leslie Bell
	Leslie Bell	Dwight Hewett
Scripture Reading	Leslie Bell	Leslie Bell
Speaker	Charlie Gamble	Rick Massey
Closing Prayer	Ed Williams	Willie Gore
Nursery	Betty Bell	Barbara Bartlow
Evening	Leslie Bell	Albert Sturdivant

Please remember to pray for the sick, lonely, and especially anyone outside Christ.

Health  
Mickey Royster  
John Bowling  
Donald Gladden  
Carolyn Gunter  
Charles White, Sr

Traveling  
Ladies Day

Deaths  
Ellen Brown & Susan Connolly's father

The complete prayer list is on the bulletin board.



The ladies bible study will be held Tuesday, at 10:00 am in the fellowship room. Our topic will be "A Study of Religion".



**"Remembering the Music of Our Lives"**  
The Sea Notes Choral Society  
March 30 at 8:00 pm  
March 31 and April 1 at 3:00 pm  
Director: Susan Linton  
Accompanist: Jane Boberg  
Hatch Auditorium at Caswell Beach  
FREE ADMISSION - Donations Welcome