

## 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.

<u>SUNDAY</u>		<u>ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY</u>	
Bible Study	10:00 AM	Morning Worship	24
Worship	11:00 AM	Evening Worship	15
Evening	6:00 PM	<u>WEDNESDAY</u>	13
<u>WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY</u>	6:30 PM	Contribution	\$1116.00
Fellowship Meal	12:30 PM		
(Every 1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday)			
MEN'S MEETING	5:00 PM		
(Last Sunday of every month)			

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TO OUR FRIENDS:

## MESSENGER FOR CHRIST



## BRUNSWICK CHURCH OF CHRIST

February 3, 2019

Soul Protection  
By Donna Wittlif

"If we confess our sins, he is faithful and righteous to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness" (1 John 1:9, ASV).

The email from my credit card company was frightening. "We noticed unusual activity on your account. Please review the transactions below and confirm that these purchases were made by you or an authorized user." I recognized one transaction, but not the other three.

I quickly called the telephone number and spoke with a representative. "You have our wallet protection service," she said. "You will not be charged for these purchases you did not make." I breathed a huge sigh of relief as she told me a replacement card and account number would be overnighted to my address.

How quickly we panic when we perceive a threat to our worldly goods. However, we have a possession much more valuable than our money, our house, or our car. It is our soul, and it is so precious that Jesus gave His life to save it.

Through Christ we have what I like to think of as soul protection. It is a way to retrieve our souls from hell fire when we sin. God's forgiveness, so free and abundant, is waiting for us when we confess our sins to God and repent. Unlike wallet protection, it is free to all who follow Christ.

Like getting a new credit card and account number, it is a new start, an opportunity to not have to pay for our sins!

What gratitude we should feel as we consider what could have happened. We could have been lost for eternity. Who delivered us out of the body of this death?

Thank God through Jesus Christ our Lord and His sacrifice for us and His protection for our soul.

Bulletin Gold

**“...The Churches of Christ salute you.” Romans 16:16**



**Birthdays in February**

Dwight Hewett	3 <sup>rd</sup>
Jim Hobbs	13 <sup>th</sup>
Abi Garner	17 <sup>th</sup>
Dennis Kelly	20 <sup>th</sup>
Iris Garner	27 <sup>th</sup>



Thanks to everyone that contributed to the Change for Life campaign. \$400.00 in change was collected and sent to Agape of North Carolina. I don't know who donated directly to the organization, but I do know they received over \$600.00 including the \$400.00 from individuals in this congregation.

**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

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 The Bible study topic for Wednesday night:  
 Bible Reading Marathon  
Images of the Master  
 Bible study starts at 6:30 PM.  


**Don't Wait Too Late**  
 A service station attendant was swarmed with last minute customers on a holiday weekend. He shook his head in disgust and said to a preacher who was in the line, "It is funny to me that people always wait until the last minute to prepare for a trip they know they are going to take." "I know," said the preacher, "I have the same problem in my business." Read Matthew 25:1-13.  
 "A merry heart does good" PROVERBS 17:22

<b>Opportunities to Serve</b>		
Welcome	Today	02/10/19
Song Leader	Willie Gore	Lee Shepherd
Opening Prayer	John Bowling	Dick Phillips
Communion	Tom Walsh	Willie Gore
	*Albert Sturdivant	*Albert Sturdivant
	Lee Shepherd	John Bowling
	Jim Hobbs	Lee Shepherd
Scripture Reading	Tom Walsh	Tom Walsh
Speaker	Rick Massey	Rick Massey
Closing Prayer	Willie Gore	Lee Shepherd
Evening	Devotion/Singing	Jim Hobbs
Nursery	Hannah Garner	Carolyn Bowling

The nursery will be open following the communion for children 3 years and under .

Please remember to pray for the sick, lonely, and especially anyone outside Christ.  
**Traveling**  
 Means Family  
 Lockey Family

The complete prayer list is on the bulletin board.

**James 5:16**  
 Therefore confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous person is powerful and effective.



The Ladies bible study has been cancelled this week and next week. Our study will resume on February 19<sup>th</sup>, at 10:30 in the fellowship room.

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 We will have our fellowship meal today following the worship service. During this time we will recognize the ones with birthdays and anniversaries in February. Everyone is invited to stay and enjoy a delicious meal with us.

