

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

John Caviness, Ruling Elder

PRELUDE

A time of quiet preparation for worship

*GOD CALLS HIS PEOPLE TO WORSHIP

Psalm 96:1-4

*GOD'S PEOPLE RESPOND WITH PRAISE

**Wondrous King All Glorious*

*GOD CALLS US TO REPENTANCE

Hebrews 4:14-16

*GOD'S PEOPLE RESPOND BY CONFESSION OF SIN

**From the Depths of Woe*

*GOD ASSURES US OF OUR FORGIVENESS

Hebrews 6:19-20

We have this hope as an anchor for the soul, firm and secure. It enters the inner sanctuary behind the curtain, where Jesus, who went before us, has entered on our behalf. He has become a high priest forever, in the order of Melchizedek.

*GOD'S PEOPLE RESPOND WITH PRAISES FOR THE FORGIVENESS OF OUR SINS

**Amazing Grace, My Chains are Gone*

BAPTISM

Charlotte Grace "Charli" Martin

GOD'S PEOPLE RESPOND BY THE GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Children ages 4-6 Are Dismissed for Children's Church

GOD CALLS US TO CAST OUR CARES ON HIM

Psalm 115:1

GOD'S PEOPLE RESPOND BY BRINGING OUR PRAYERS AND PETITIONS

Drew Martin, Assistant Pastor

GOD SPEAKS TO HIS PEOPLE THROUGH HIS WORD

Exodus 13:1-22

"Considering Weakness"

Kevin Skogen, Senior Pastor

*GOD'S PEOPLE RESPOND WITH PRAISE

**The Sands of Time are Sinking*

*GOD BLESSES HIS PEOPLE

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**Those who are able, please stand.*

SUNDAY EVENING SERVICES

Please join us for our 6pm Sunday evening worship service. We are studying The Revelation. Pastor Skogen is in the Sanctuary at 5:30pm each week for an open forum for questions/discussion prior to the service.

FINANCIAL WORKSHOP

DAVE RAMSEY'S FINANCIAL PEACE UNIVERSITY, led by Gene & Betsy Fuzy, meets from 3:30 -5:30pm on Sundays.

RECEPTION FOR THE MCAULAYS

In appreciation of their ministry here, we are having a Reception for Chip and Carol McAulay **TONIGHT**, following our 6pm Evening Worship Service. Please bring a finger food or dessert to share! Also, please continue to pray for Chip and his family as they have begun morning worship services at Lake Tillery Church. There is a red box in the Narthex for anyone who would like to bring a card for the McAulays.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

DRAFT OF DIRECTORY AVAILABLE: A much needed draft version of our updated church directory is on the reception desk in the Narthex for the next two weeks. **Please take a look at it, make any changes directly on it, and add your name/contact information if you are not in the directory and would like to be.** We'dl be printing the directory in the next few weeks after all corrections/additions are made.

BABY NEWS

Troy and Barbee Decker have a new baby daughter. Big brother Ethan would also like to announce that Aubree Marie arrived Saturday, April 17th, at 6:48am. She weighs 9lbs 14ozs, and is 22 inches long. Jessica Fausz will be coordinating meals. If you would like to minister to the Deckers in this way, please contact Jessica at jessicafausz@gmail.com or 910-688-0011.



Please set all pagers, phones and alarms to silent settings

YOUTH (6th – 12th Grades)

SUNDAY SCHOOL is strongly encouraged for all HS & MS youth!

YOUTH GROUP HS & MS meet Wednesday evenings from 7-8:30 pm.

HS SENIOR RECEPTION On June 6 we will honor our graduating seniors with a reception following the evening worship service at 6 pm.

HAVE QUESTIONS about our ministry to youth & families? Please contact Asst Pastor Drew Martin (drewmartin@nc.rr.com or 692-5834).

YOUTH WEBSITE: www.sandhillspca.org/youth

MUSIC MINISTRY

Adult choir practice is on break. No practice until further notice.

If you play an instrument and are interested in sharing your gift, please contact Amy Ivey at mivey@nc.rr.com.

Additional help is needed to operate the sound for Sunday worship services, both morning and evening. No prior experience is necessary other than an ear for music balance. Training will be provided. Contact Chuck Robbins (949-2001) or Amy Ivey (mivey@nc.rr.com) for more information.

Covenant Kids Choir (ages 3-8th grade) rehearsal are from 3-5pm on Sunday afternoons. New members are always welcome! Contact Sheila Theune at 692-8458 or sheilatheune@usa.net for more information.

Mark your calendars! Covenant Kids Choir will present ðUnder Godð Sea in 3Dð on Saturday, May 8th. Join us for a potluck dinner at 5:30, show at 6:30, and dessert to follow. Donð miss this family fun event!

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

The countdown to Genesis 1: Space Probe, this year's Vacation Bible School has begun! VBS will blast off July 12-16 from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. Registration will be open for ages 4 through rising 6th graders (Nursery and a 3 year old class available for SPCA church members and VBS volunteers). Adult and teen volunteers needed in all areas. Volunteer forms available in the church entry. If you have any questions please contact Sheila Theune at sheilatheune@usa.net or 692-8458.

CHURCH SOFTBALL LEAGUE

Softball games have started! Games for this week are Tuesday, April 27th at 8:30pm at the Armory Field and Thursday, April 29th at 7:30pm at the Optimist Field. All players must be added to the roster by April 27th so if you want to join the Sandhills PCA Softball team, contact Mark Ivey (mivey@nc.rr.com) or Joel Boyles (joelboyles@mac.com) this week

PRESBYTERY MEETING

TUESDAY, APRIL 27th, we are hosting the Central Carolina Presbytery for its quarterly meeting. All are invited to come and participate in the Worship Portion of the meeting from 9-10am that morning. Our Womenð Ministry is helping to provide breakfast and lunch for the men from the Presbytery. Those interested in helping should contact Susan Boulton at 692-0636.

WELCOME VISITORS!

We welcome all who are visiting with us today. Please complete a visitor's card (found under the seats in the sanctuary) if you have not already done so. Place it in the offering plate or on the reception desk in the Narthex. Please pick up a coffee mug in the reception area. We pray you feel welcome and will worship with us again.

If you need a new **nametag**, or were not given a new one, please fill out an ð Need A Nametag form (in the Narthex on the reception desk).

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

WEDNESDAY MORNING WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY meets at 9:30 am each week. We are now doing "Can We Talk?" by Priscilla Shirer. This week's topic: *Who is Lord?*. Contact Sheila Theune at 692-8458 or sheilatheune@usa.net for more info.

THURSDAY MORNING LADIES BIBLE STUDY meets at 9:30am each week. There is no homework as each lesson stands alone. Child care will be provided on a reservation basis. Notify Lorraine Buracker by Tuesday if childcare is needed on Thursday 245-3200 or lorraineburacker@yahoo.com.

Please see insert regarding the Thursday Morning Ladies Bible Study.

BOOK CLUB: The Ladies Book Club meets the 4th Monday of each month at the church at 6:30pm. All are invited to be a part of this club! In April, we will read ð Wrapped in Rain ð and will discuss on **Wednesday**, April 28th.

WOMEN'S LUNCHEON: Please see the bulletin for more information on our 2nd Annual Women's Luncheon on Saturday, May 15th.

MEN'S MINISTRY INFORMATION

D.A.W.N. MEN'S GROUP (Discipleship And Weekly Nurture) is now meeting every Wednesday morning at 6:30am at the church. Please contact Wayne Gomillion with questions or comments at (910) 585-2400 or gomillion@charter.net.

FELLOWSHIP COMMITTEE EVENTS

PROGRESSIVE DINNER: Due to low interest, the Fellowship Committee has decided to postpone the Progressive Dinner until the colder months when perhaps schedules are not so busy and the nicer weather is gone. Thank you to all who volunteered their homes and signed up. We will keep you posted on a new date.

FAMILY FUN WITH THE DURHAM BULLS: Our next event is the Durham Bulls vs. Gwinnett Braves (Atlanta) Baseball Game, on Saturday, June 12th at 7:05pm. Please RSVP by May 2nd with check made out to Sandhills PCA. The cost is \$9 per ticket and put ð Baseball Game ð in the memo line of your check. Drop your check in the offering plate. Tickets will be distributed on Sunday, June 6th. Our seats will be together, but we will meet at the stadium. Hope you can make it!

OUR MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS:

Greeters:

Today: Ron & Linda Wilson, Gene & Betsy Fuzy
Next Week, May 2nd: Bob & Mitzi Rhoades, Roland & Esther Allen

Nursery:

Today

10:40 Baby Nursery: Nathan & Jax Spearing, Annie & Bonnie Skogen
Two and Three Yr Old Nursery: Glen & Vicki Fisher Family

Snack: Chandler Adams

Next Sunday, May 2nd:

10:40 Baby Nursery:

Two and Three Yr Old Nursery

Snack:

Children's Church:

Today: Heather & Hogan Windish

Next Week, May 2nd: Phyllis Haywood and Lynda Gomillion

Deacon on Duty: Bill Crisp

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SUNDAY, April 25

11:00am Worship Service
3:30pm CKC Choir
3:30pm Financial Peace
5:30pm Revelation Discussion
6:00pm Evening Service

WEDNESDAY, April 28

6:30am DAWN Men's Group
9:30am Women's Bible Study
6:30pm Ladies Book Club
7:00pm Youth Group

THURSDAY, April 29

9:30am Ladies Bible Study
7:30pm Softball Game (Optimist Field)

MONDAY, April 26

FRIDAY, April 30

TUESDAY, April 27

9:00am Central Carolina Presbytery Mtg
8:30pm Softball Game (Armory Field)

SATURDAY, May 1

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday, May 2nd: The Lord's Supper During Worship
5:30pm, Saturday, May 8th: Covenant Kids Choir Musical/ Potluck
7pm, Tuesday, May 11th: Women's Ministry Council Meeting
Saturday, May 15th: Women's Ministry Spring Luncheon
7pm, Sunday, June 6th: High School Senior Reception after Evening Worship Service
Saturday, June 12th: Fellowship Committee Durham Bulls Baseball Game
9am-12 noon, Monday- Friday, July 12-16th: Vacation Bible School

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MEDITATION

Since, then, you have been raised with Christ, set your hearts on things above, where Christ is seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things above, not on earthly things. For you died, and your life is now hidden with Christ in God. When Christ, who is your life, appears, then you also will appear with him in glory.

Put to death, therefore, whatever belongs to your earthly nature: sexual immorality, impurity, lust, evil desires and greed, which is idolatry. Because of these, the wrath of God is coming. You used to walk in these ways, in the life you once lived. But now you must rid yourselves of all such things as these: anger, rage, malice, slander, and filthy language from your lips. Do not lie to each other, since you have taken off your old self with its practices and have put on the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge in the image of its Creator. Here there is no Greek or Jew, circumcised or uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave or free, but Christ is all, and is in all.

Therefore, as God's chosen people, holy and dearly loved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience. Bear with each other and forgive whatever grievances you may have against one another. Forgive as the Lord forgave you. And over all these virtues put on love, which binds them all together in perfect unity.