

# The Bulletin Board

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## “TEN PRAYERS GOD ALWAYS SAYS YES TO”

### AN OCTOBER THURSDAY NIGHT STUDY WITH CLAY

Prayer is vital to our life, growth, and health as individuals and as a congregation. Yet prayer also is one of the most misunderstood and least consistently practiced of all the Christian spiritual disciplines.

Because of prayer's importance, our senior pastor, Dr. Clay Brown, will teach a six-week course on prayer on Thursday evenings in October and early November. The course is “Ten Prayers God Always Says Yes To”.

“Why should I sign up for this course?” Because prayer, properly perceived and practiced, is life-changing. Because through prayer, the transformational power of the gospel comes alive in you and through you. Because your prayer life is not anywhere near where it needs to be, and you know it but you're not sure what to do about it.

The dates are Thursdays, October 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, and November 6. The times are 7:00-8:15 p.m. The location is the Parlor.

Advance registration is necessary. You can register by contacting the church office by phone (704-664-5275) or email ([nellie@moorvillefirstpres.org](mailto:nellie@moorvillefirstpres.org)). Every participant (or at least every couple) will need a copy of the book. You can purchase one for \$14 at the first class meeting, with checks made out to First Presbyterian Church.

Don't hesitate to talk with Clay if you have any questions about the course—its scope, schedule, etc.—so please contact him at the church office or by email ([clay@moorvillefirstpres.org](mailto:clay@moorvillefirstpres.org)).



## PYF HAPPENINGS

We're finally jumping into the Fall schedule for PYF! Sunday night PYF will start September 7<sup>th</sup>. Alphas (grades 7-8) come from 4:15-6:30, and Omegas (grades 9-12) from 5:15-7:30. There will be games, devotion, meal, music, and most of all, FUN! We are still looking for volunteers to provide the meal each week (for about 35 people), so if you are able help out, please contact Tyler or the office ASAP!

We are also starting up Supper Club on Wednesday, September 10<sup>th</sup>. Supper Club is for grades 9-12. Each Wednesday, we will meet at the church at 6:15, and head out to grab some dinner at a local eatery (dutch treat). After supper, we will come back to the church and break into groups for Bible study until 8:30. More food, and more FUN! (See back page for calendar)

## CHURCH SCHOOL

### BEGINS 2008-09 YEAR

Sunday, August 24, was Promotion Sunday at church school, and officially began our 2008-2009 church school year. Classes are offered for all ages, every Sunday of the year, from 10:00-10:45 a.m. Classes, teachers, and room numbers are listed below:

**Infants Nursery (Room 215):** Karen Brawley, Gretchen McLean-Bridges, Holly Brumley, Susan Meade, Anne Telford

**Toddler Nursery (Room 211):** Jean Coates, Lisa Davidson, Sheryl Davis, Stephanie Davis

**2's & 3's Class (Room 213):** Maria and Phil Heilman, Beth Rafi

**4's Class (Room 210):** Abi Abercrombie, Susan and Jason Kendall, Sonya and Jen Moskel **Kindergarten Class (Room 207):** Andrea Abele, Kristen McMillan, Jen McNeely, and Stacy Windsor

**1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> grades (Room 324):** Becky Rader, Beth Sink

**3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> grades (Room 322):** Brian and Hillary Cole, Lucy Hastings

**5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> grades (Room 326):** Janie Carpenter, Curtis Crews, Charlie Heilman, Valerie Mauney

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## *From the Pastor*

### YOUR PASTORAL STAFF: WHAT WE DO

On Sunday, August 17, we had a “first” happen during worship. All three of your pastors were present in the service. Ever since Tyler’s arrival in mid-June, we’ve had either one or two of the pastors gone every weekend. But on August 17, we had all three here.

It’s good to have a full complement of pastoral staff. We’ve been preparing for this for a while, and now it has come to fruition. Because of this, I thought now would be a good time to share with everyone what your pastors—Tyler, Fred, and me—are called to do here at First Pres.

First, please know that all three of us are members of Salem Presbytery, and thus we are accountable both to the presbytery and to the First Pres session. We are not free agents, nor should we be. Everyone needs to be accountable to someone. Yes, I know we’re all accountable to God, but I’ve discovered that God most often exercises his immediate accountability over me through others.

Second, please know that there are pastoral duties shared by all three of us, even as the amount of time and opportunity for them may vary greatly. We all preach. We all teach. We all conduct pastoral care through visits and counsel. We all involve ourselves in Salem Presbytery and other venues outside the local congregation (for example, I’m on the presbytery committee on ministry). You get the idea. Part of being a Minister of Word and Sacrament is taking part in the basic roles of pastoral ministry.

Third, please know that while we all share in pastoral ministry, we each have specialized duties that form the emphases of our particular callings with God and you. I want to share summaries of these with you:

- ♦ **TYLER:** His primary emphasis is with our youth program, ministering to/with and developing relationships with our students. He provides leadership for such things as SupperClub, PYF, and mission opportunities for youth. As part of this, he will also minister to/with the families of youth—parents, siblings, etc.—for effective youth ministry doesn’t happen in isolation from the family. He also will work with our college students and other young adults and will develop relationships and ministries with them. All this is not to say that he won’t interact with the rest of us. For example, he will teach in the Pastors Class during Sunday School, preach 6-8 times a year, and make his share of visits to hospitals, care facilities, and homes. This is also not to say that Fred and I will not give our support to and presence with youth ministry. But focusing on youth and their families and young adults is Tyler’s calling with us. Why? Because he’s so good at it! He is gifted by God, and I believe his work with us will take an already effective ministry to the next level.
- ♦ **FRED:** His primary emphasis used to be on youth ministry. But Fred has transitioned into a role that suits his gifts and desires. His primary emphasis with us now is two-fold. First, he focuses on congregational care. A major part of his work here is to visit hospitals, care facilities, and shut-ins, to provide pastoral counseling, and to serve as a resource for those in our community in need. He will work with the Diaconate as it continues its transition from property and finances to congregational care and community ministry. Again, this is not to say that Tyler and I will not visit and counsel. But it is to say that Fred will visit and counsel more often and more intentionally. Second, he focuses on missions: our community, regional, national, and international ministries of compassion and evangelism. He will work with the Diaconate and the Missions Committee as we seek to meet needs in the name of Christ near and far. This is not to say that Tyler and I will not support and participate in these ministries. But Fred will give them hands-on leadership. Yes, Fred will continue to preach 6-8 times a year, to teach in the Pastors Class and in other Bible studies, and to support our youth. He will continue to be our top computer guru. But he will concentrate his marvelous gifts on the ministries of care and missions so First Pres will grow even healthier in these areas.
- ♦ **CLAY:** As senior pastor, perhaps my first duty is preaching and worship. My primary responsibility is to preach God’s Word and to give pastoral direction to our worship services. On average, I will preach 3 Sundays a month, usually with expository sermons in series through books of the Bible. As senior pastor, I’m called to lead, casting a vision for the direction of our comprehensive ministry with the leadership of this congregation, working with others to refine it and to build consensus for it. As senior pastor, I also administer, working with the session as moderator and with its committees, supervising staff, and overseeing the ongoing program and work of First Pres. Finally, spiritual growth and evangelism is part of the mix, from one-on-one conversations to Bible studies to small groups like “Lent in the Living Room” to other opportunities for adults to come to faith and mature in faith. Will I do all the preaching and teaching? Of course not. Will I lead all the meetings and make all the decisions? Preposterous. We work as a team and move forward together.

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## “Life Management 101”

### Sermon Series Continues in September

The sermon series started on Sunday, August 24, titled “Life Management 101,” continues through the Sundays of September. The basic concept is that we all are stewards, or managers, of the gifts God gives to us. So it behooves us to learn all we can about the best ways to manage God’s blessings in our lives. Here are the September sermon dates, titles, and scriptures:

- ❑ **September 7, “Managing Your Growth,” Psalm 119:11,105.**
- ❑ **September 14, “Managing Your Vocation,” Colossians 3:17.**
- ❑ **September 21, “Managing Your Witness,” John 13:34-35.**
- ❑ **September 28, “Managing Your Generosity,” Acts 20:35.**

Please read and pray over the passages before the Sunday they are preached to prepare your heart and mind for what God may tell you through this series.

## Session Highlights

### July Meeting

During the Session’s July 27, 2008, stated meeting, it addressed the following:

- ✓ Studied Rule #4, “Pray,” in its ongoing study on Hebrews 14, *The Red Sea Rules*.
- ✓ Prayed for the needs of the congregation, denomination, community, and world.
- ✓ Received committee reports and updates.
- ✓ Heard reports on the July meeting of Salem Presbytery.
- ✓ Discussed the actions of the 2008 General Assembly and possible responses.
- ✓ Elected C. P. Chappell and Trent Newell from the Class of 2008 to serve as the session’s representatives on the Church Officer Nominating Committee, with C. P. to serve as chair.
- ✓ Voted that members of the Church Officer Nominating Committee may serve once every six years for greater congregational participation on the committee.
- ✓ Discussed the nominating process for church officers.
- ✓ Approved teachers and leaders for the upcoming Christian Education year.

## Churchmouse News

Just a note to remind you that college students are back in school. We do need their address so we can send the information on churchmice and their questionnaire. We are ready to get the program started and we look forward to placing each student with a churchmouse. Again this year, to receive a churchmouse, the student questionnaire *will have to be returned first* in the stamped, addressed envelope that we provide. They will then receive a churchmouse. The questionnaire provides us with helpful information about the student.



If you are new to FPC, the churchmouse program is designed to keep in touch with college students living away from home. Each student is placed with a *SECRET* friend, “the Churchmouse,” and will not know their identity until May when school is out. Each month the mouse will send either a card, letter, gift, or a goodie treat to their student signing it, “YOUR CHURCHMOUSE.”

Instructions on how to keep in touch with them and ideas for things to do will be included in your letter on Churchmice. If you would like to be a churchmouse this year please call Eleanor Templeton 704-987-1309 or Carolyn Poteat 704-663-2992. We all enjoy the program and great friendships have been made through the years. Please consider being a mouse this year as a gift to your church. Thanks...*Carolyn and Eleanor*

## Church School (Continued)

### Middle School - Grades 7-8 (Room 313):

Leeann DeCastro, Tyler Domske

### High School - Grades 9-12 (Youth Room):

Jackie Justice, Mary Kidwell, Angie and Mike Toma

### Celebrate Class (Room 317):

Allen Brawley and Lorra Lee Holshouser

### Covenant Class (Room 308):

Pat Culberson

### Discovery Class (Room 307):

Jim McDonnell

### Faith Journey Class (Room 222):

Mark Auten

### Friends and Family Class (Room 301):

Marshall Horsman and Rick Omohundro

### Men’s Bible Class (under sanctuary):

Ernie Crymes, Smith Kirk, John Neely, Thermond Thompson,

Gene Vaughan

### Pastor’s Class (Fellowship Hall):

Clay Brown, Fred Coates, Tyler Domske

### Rejoice Class (Room 300):

Joyce Sloop

### Whosoever Will Class (Room 315):

Fronnie Gardner

### Women’s Bible Class (Room 309):

Bob Amon, Marilyn Beaver

### Young Adult Class (Room 319):

David Brooks, Cathy Brown, Trent Newell

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>1</b></p> <p><b>Church Office and Preschool Closed</b></p>  <p>7:00pm Boy Scouts</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>2</b></p> <p>2:00pm Library Committee</p>
<p>9:00am Early Worship <b>7</b></p> <p>10:00am Church School</p> <p>11:00am Worship</p> <p>3:00pm Prayer Shawl Ministry in the library</p> <p>4:15pm Alpha PYF</p> <p>5:15pm Omega PYF</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>8</b></p> <p>2:00pm Circle No. 1 in the parlor</p> <p>6:15pm Circle No. 3 at the home of Kim Streb</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>9</b></p> <p>10:00am Circle No. 4 in the parlor</p> <p>12:00pm Circle No. 5</p> <p>6:00pm Circle No. 2 in the parlor</p>
<p style="text-align: right;"><b>14</b></p> <p>8:00am Presbyterian Men's Breakfast</p> <p>9:00am Early Worship</p> <p>10:00am Church School</p> <p>11:00am Worship</p> <p>4:15pm Alpha PYF</p> <p>5:15pm Omega PYF</p> <p>5:30pm Catechism Club</p> <p>6:00pm Diaconate</p> <p>7:00pm Committee Meetings</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>15</b></p> <p>7:00pm Boy Scouts</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>16</b></p>  <p><b>Saints Alive</b></p> <p>12:30pm Saints Alive luncheon</p> <p>7:00pm Cub Scout Pack 166</p>
<p style="text-align: right;"><b>21</b></p> <p>9:00am Early Worship</p> <p>10:00am Church School</p> <p>11:00am Worship</p> <p>4:15pm Alpha PYF</p> <p>5:15pm Omega PYF</p> <p>5:30pm Catechism Club</p> <p>7:00pm Handicap Planning Task Force in library</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>22</b></p> <p>7:00pm Boy Scouts</p> <p>7:30pm Executive Committee</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>23</b></p>
<p style="text-align: right;"><b>28</b></p> <p>9:00am Early Worship</p> <p>9:50am Church School Social</p> <p>10:00am Church School</p> <p>11:00am Worship with the Logos Choir</p> <p>4:15pm Alpha PYF</p> <p>5:15pm Omega PYF</p> <p>5:30pm Catechism Club</p> <p>7:00pm Session</p> 	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>29</b></p> <p>7:00pm Boy Scouts</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>30</b></p>

Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>Logos Registration Deadline</b> <b>3</b> 10:30am Prayer Group in the library 11:00am Bible Study -home of Fronnie Gardner 6:00pm Logos Staff Orientation in FH 7:00pm Logos Parent meeting in the parlor 7:30pm Chancel Choir	<b>4</b> 9:30am Bible Study at the Rogers' home  7:30pm Mooresville User's Group - room 310	<b>5</b>  10:00pm PYF 5th Quarter	<b>6</b>
<b>10</b> 11:00am Bible Study - home of Fronnie Gardner  4:00pm Logos/MSM <i>Beach Party Night</i> 6:15pm HS SupperClub at Bojangles 7:30pm Chancel Choir	<b>11</b> 9:30am Bible Study at the Rogers' home   Fun & Fellowship 6:00pm Fun & Fellowship at Golden Corral	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>
<b>17</b> 11:00am Bible Study - home of Fronnie Gardner  4:00pm Logos/MSM <i>Super Hero Night</i> 6:15pm HS SupperClub at Arby's 7:30pm Chancel Choir	<b>18</b> 9:30am Bible Study at the Rogers' home	<b>19</b>    10:00pm PYF 5th Quarter	<b>20</b>
<b>24</b> 11:00am Bible Study - home of Fronnie Gardner  4:00pm Logos/MSM <i>South of the Border Night</i> 6:15pm HS SupperClub at CiCi's Pizza 7:30pm Chancel Choir	<b>25</b> 9:30am Bible Study at the Rogers' home	<b>26</b> 9:30am Saints Alive to Barium Springs  	<b>27</b>

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## SAINTS ALIVE

### Fall luncheon meetings begin

The Saints Alive group will resume their regular monthly luncheon meeting schedule on Tuesday, September 16, at 12:30 p.m. in the fellowship hall (\$4). Saints Alive is a monthly (September through May) luncheon fellowship group for “older” adults and friends of our congregation, where participants enjoy lunch, devotions and prayer concerns, and a program, along with wonderful fellowship with one another.

The September luncheon will feature a program by Abby Vinez, Coordinator of Campus Ministry at Barium Springs Home for Children. Abby will share about the exciting mission and opportunity at Barium Springs.

Come and bring a friend, and enjoy a wonderful afternoon!

Please contact Jerilyn Fair if you are available to help with serving lunch and/or with clean-up.

### Beach Trip

Twenty participants are registered for the annual Saints Alive trip to Island Vista in Myrtle Beach, SC, scheduled for Tuesday, October 21 through Friday, October 24. Participants will receive information later this month regarding transportation details, show information, along with hotel accommodation information. Please contact Ellen Auten if you have questions about the trip.

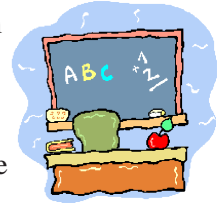
### Trip to Barium Springs

The Saints Alive group is planning a trip to Barium Springs Home for Children on Friday, September 26. The group will tour the Chapel of the Springs, museum, day care facility, school, and possibly a residential home. The tour will not involve a lot of walking, as we will drive from building to building. The group plans to leave at 9:30 a.m., tour the facility, and have lunch in the Troutman area. Please contact Ellen Auten to make a reservation.

## Weekday Preschool

We're back and what a terrific opening Preschool is having this year, and the happy sounds of laughing and learning can be heard all up and down the hall!

The children are busy identifying with their class mascot, learning classroom rules and their new friends' and teachers' names. Our mornings just fly by and there is barely enough time to squeeze in all the activities we have planned for them to do.



It's a Herculean effort to get a school up and running and our dedicated teachers (and in some cases their husbands!!) were putting in long hours decorating walls, bulletin boards, bookcases and cubbyholes. What an amazing, creative group they are! Thanks also to Billy Black for all his assistance and always being so cheerful!

September will be here before we know it and we look forward to our **School Pictures on Sept. 11 & 12**, and receiving our **Firemen Friends on Sept. 18 & 19**. Our setting for pictures will be inside with a fall background. If you would like to mark your calendars now, the pictures will be available for viewing on **Sept. 25 & 26** in our Fellowship Hall.

Thanks to our wonderful parents for your attendance and attentiveness during our Orientation meetings. Please carefully adhere to our unloading and loading process and continue to **read all communication from your teacher that comes home with your child**. Most importantly, prepare yourself for their awesome artwork! We are grateful for your support and, of course for the gift of your little one. They are all so precious and we truly are blessed.



With love,  
**Mrs. Nancy**

## Catechism Club to begin

Catechism Club is scheduled to begin a new year on Sunday, September 14. Children in third through sixth grades are encouraged to participate.

The catechism is a book which gives a brief summary of the basic principles of Christianity in question and answer form. Children will learn basic theological vocabulary and gain an understanding of the Christian faith that will lay a foundation for their belief and trust in God through Jesus Christ. Children in Catechism Club will be encouraged to memorize the 150 questions of the *First Catechism*, and will have weekly instruction in basic Bible truths. Parental participation and attendance at Sunday meetings is essential; if parents are unable to attend, an adult sponsor will be matched with the child wanting to attend. The class will be held on Sunday evenings from 5:30-6:15 pm. in Room 322.

Adult mentors are an integral part of the Catechism Club, and will “sponsor” a child through the process of catechism memorization and instruction, meeting frequently with the child. Following successful completion of catechism questions, the children will be recognized in a worship service. Please contact Ellen Auten (704-664-5275) if you would like to register your child.



# You can help!

## Here's a chance to put your 2¢ in!



It has been our tradition at FPC to collect the Two-Cents-a-Meal/Pennies for Hunger offering whenever we observe Holy Communion. The idea is to connect our celebration of sharing the "spiritual bread" of the Lord's Table with a real-world sharing of bread with the poor and the hungry.

Individuals and families are encouraged to set aside *at least* 2 cents a meal for the offering (more is just fine!). To make is easy, you can simply write a check for the whole year... 365 days x 3 meals/day @ 2 cents = \$21.90 per person a year. If each of our approximately 870 members was to contribute at that minimum level, we would raise \$19,503 for direct hunger relief! Who said pennies are "worthless?"

Since 1989, the pennies, nickels, dimes and quarters collected in Salem Presbytery's Pennies for Hunger/Two-Cents-A-Meal have made it possible to distribute over \$2,000,000 to domestic and international hunger alleviating programs and agencies. Some of the domestic recipients have even included the Mooresville Soup Kitchen and the Christian Mission!



Won't you help? It's easy to do ...and when our small gifts are combined, they are able to make a big difference! Write a check ...or drop a \$20 bill in the special boxes at our next observance of Holy Communion.

## Welcome to new church school officers

The church school year began the 2008-2009 year on Sunday, August 24, headed by new superintendent Stacy Windsor and assistant superintendent Kristen McMillan. We welcome Stacy and Kristen to their new positions, and pray for guidance for them as they assume these new roles. Stacy and Kristen will be available on Sunday mornings during the church school hour, and may also be reached at home with questions concerning church school. You may reach Stacy at 704-663-6292 and Kristen at 704-500-0033.

Members of the Church School Council include:

- Superintendent:** Stacy Windsor
- Assistant Superintendent:** Kristen McMillan
- Treasurer:** Bedo Culberson
- Home Department (2x2s):** Elaine Drye
- Preschool Division:** Jean Coates
- Elementary Division:** Becky Rader
- Youth Division:** Leeann DeCastro
- Adult Division:** Allen Brawley

## Logos/MSM Calendar

<b>Wed., 9/3</b>	Logos/MSM Registration Deadline 6:00-7:00 p.m. Staff Orientation 7:00 p.m. Parents' Meeting in parlor
<b>Wed., 9/10</b>	First Day of Logos/MSM 4:00-7:15 p.m. - <i>Beach Party</i>
<b>Wed., 9/17</b>	<i>Super Hero Night</i>
<b>Wed., 9/24</b>	<i>South of the Border Night</i>
<b>Sun., 9/28</b>	Logos Choir Sings at 11:00 a.m.

## Logos/MSM Leadership

**Director:** Gretchen Little

**Assistant Director:** Lisa Davidson

**Record Keeper:** Beverly Chappell

**Bible Coordinator:** Ellen Auten

**Bible Teachers:**

**1<sup>st</sup> grade:** Jackie Justice and Susan Meade

**2<sup>nd</sup> grade:** Lucy Hastings and Maria Heilman

**3<sup>rd</sup> grade:** Sharon Culp and Shirley Crowley

**4<sup>th</sup> grade:** Angie Copeland and Allison Deaton  
Liz Rader and Lisa Davidson

**5<sup>th</sup> grade:** Fronnie Gardner and Margaret Curtis

**6<sup>th</sup> grade:** Ellen Auten and Stacy Windsor

**7<sup>th</sup> grade:** Leeann DeCastro and Curtis Crews

**8<sup>th</sup> grade:** Tyler Domske, Fred Coates, and Martha McDonnell

**Worship Skills Coordinator:** Alan Sledge

**Worship Skills Assistants:** Allison Deaton, Lisa Davidson

**Recreation Coordinator:** Valerie Mauney

**Logos Recreation:** Jill Herring, Tracey Prochaska,  
Vivian Rogers-Cannon

**MSM Recreation:** Leeann DeCastro, Charlie Heilman, Maria Heilman, Curtis Crews, Tyler Domske

**Arrival/Playground Supervisor:** Jen McNeely

**Dinner Hour Coordinator:** Lynne Swing

**Kitchen Coordinator:** Nancy Omohundro

**Church Hostess:** Jerilyn Fair

**Dinner Dean:** Sparky and Cindy Hitchcock

**Nursery:** Sheryl Davis, Anna and Bryan Porter

## Thank you!

Many, many heartfelt thanks go to Gretchen Little, our outgoing Church School Superintendent, for her dedicated leadership in the church school over the past two years. On behalf of the entire church school, we express appreciation to Gretchen for her diligence and leadership. Thanks also to Gretchen's family for their help and encouragement, and for sharing Gretchen with us for two years!

## From the Pastor (continued)

Will I visit and counsel? Be supportive of and participate in youth ministry, congregational care, and missions? Without a doubt. Yet my primary role as senior pastor is in preaching-worship, leadership-administration, and spiritual growth-evangelism.

We have a wonderful pastoral team. We also have a marvelous team of non-ordained staff, like Ellen, Alan, Nellie, Nancy, Jerilyn, Billy, LuAnne, and Beth. It's a privilege for me to serve with such folks.

I hope this helps you see how the pieces of pastoral ministry fit together. God bless. As always, it is an honor to serve as your pastor.

Grace and peace,

*The Rev. Dr. Clay J. Brown*

### FYI....

\* Lelia Brooks

Goodman Speight, a former DCE at First Pres, passed away on July 8 in Cary, NC. Lelia served the church in the 1940 -50's.

\* Patrick Brawley graduated from UNC at Wilmington in May with a double major in Creative Writing and Book Publishing.

He will be attending graduate school in the fall at Sarah

Lawrence in  
Bronxville, NY.

## FPC Clean Up Day

### at the Mooresville Soup Kitchen

The Missions Committee needs volunteers to help at the Mooresville Soup Kitchen on Saturday, September 13. The Soup Kitchen relocated about 6 months ago from First Baptist to the current location on Broad Street. The new building is already showing wear from the daily use of the facility and it is due for a deep clean. We will start at 9:00 and should be finished before 12:00. If you can help, please contact Trent Newell at [trent.newell@yahoo.com](mailto:trent.newell@yahoo.com).



### PYF

Sept. Schedule

Friday, Sept. 5

5<sup>th</sup> Quarter

Sunday, Sept. 7

PYF

Wednesday, Sept. 10

SupperClub @ Bojangles

Sunday, Sept. 14

PYF

Wednesday, Sept. 17

SupperClub @ Arby's

Friday, Sept. 19

5<sup>th</sup> Quarter

Sunday, Sept. 21

PYF

Wednesday, Sept. 24

SupperClub @ CiCi's

Sunday, Sept. 28

PYF

## A page from the library

Come and see what's new in the church library for your children!

*Hermie and Friends*, by best-selling author and pastor Max Lucado, is a popular Christian video series starring Hermie and his best friend, Wormie.

The animation engages young minds with a message you'll want them to hear.

They'll learn the truth of God's purpose and plan for His people. The series has a message of hope and a fun-filled adventure that will keep them coming back for more. The library now has a large selection of Hermie DVDs and songs on CDs.

*Ellie Den Bleyker*



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[secretary@mooresvillefirstpres.org](mailto:secretary@mooresvillefirstpres.org) or phone: 704-664-5275.

### Sunday Services

9:00 a.m. Early Worship

10:00 a.m. Church School

11:00 a.m. Morning Worship

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