



The Beacon



Jesus said; "I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life." John 8:12

March 2022

TABLES OF LOVE

Saturday, March 26th ~ 6:00pm

This will be a fun filled evening as our youth will serve dinner and provide entertainment. If you plan to attend, please sign up in the Welcome Center, one of two ways. Sponsor a table and invite friends and family to sit at your table. Or, sign up individually and we'll place you at a table. Hurry, space is limited. While the dinner and the show are no cost to you, we will take up donations to fund upcoming youth mission trips. Please pray what the Lord would have you give.



COMMUNITY REVIVAL

MARCH
27 - 30, 2022

6:00PM COVERED DISH MEAL
7:00PM WORSHIP SERVICE

Sunday Night at Antioch w/
Dave Pryor

Monday Night at Timberlake
Baptist w/ Jeremy Quist



Tuesday Night at Red
Mountain w/ Shaun Phillips

Wednesday Night at Bethany
w/ David Chambers

Join us each night as we gather together with our sister churches for an encouraging time of special music, worship and fellowship. Child Care will be provided each night.



ANNIE ARMSTRONG The scripture verse for this year's theme **EASTER OFFERING** 'UNITED', is Romans anniearmstrong.com 15:5-6, "Now may the God who gives endurance and encouragement grant you to live in harmony with one another, according to Christ Jesus, so that you may glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ with one mind and one voice."

The national goal is \$70 million. Our church goal is \$2,700. 100% of your gift supports North American Missions.

Week of Prayer for North American Missions is Sunday, March 6th through Sunday, March 13th.



**Pastor Dave's
Message
for the
Month**

Growing up we probably all had a role model we looked up to. Maybe it was a parent, a teacher, a coach, a neighbor, or someone else. We looked up to them because they had certain qualities in their life, and we wanted those same qualities in our life. They could have been honest, strong, loving, kind, friendly, compassionate, or had another quality. Often times though our role models were people of integrity. Integrity is defined as the quality of being honest and having strong moral principles. It is also defined as moral uprightness. It can be hard to find people of integrity today.

As Christians, we are to live as people of integrity. Proverbs 10:9 says, "He who walks with integrity walks securely, but he who perverts his ways will become known." If we are people of integrity, then we don't have to worry about hiding any corrupt things in our lives. However, if we pervert our ways, then those corrupt things will be found out. We are to be people of integrity in our homes, at work, at school, in how we deal with people, in how we serve God and his church, in our public life and in our private life. When we live this way God is glorified and our testimony is secure because there is no corrupt thing we are hiding. Also, when we live with integrity others are blessed. Proverbs 20:7 says, "The righteous man walks in his integrity; his children are blessed after him." Not only will our children be blessed, but others around us will be blessed. So, let's strive to be people of integrity in all we do.

For His glory,

Pastor Dave



**We Received a
Thank You Note From:**

- ✍ Karma Karangelen
- ✍ Cathy, Hank & Dwayne Taylor

Women's
Bible Study

Tuesday, March 1st ~ 6:45p
(1st Tuesday of each month)

Ladies, join us for a time of study and fellowship as we continue with "**Better: A Study of Hebrews**" by Jen Wilkin. Through stories of Old Testament heroes and practices, the author of Hebrews demonstrates how the new covenant is superior to the old and how Jesus Christ is the fulfillment of every promise.

You can purchase **RADA Cutlery** and other kitchen products by clicking this link: radafundraising.com/?rfsn=4130704.b62946 or use the catalog and order form in the Welcome Center. Each purchase helps support Baptist Women mission projects.

Ladies, you are invited to a luncheon with the **Roxboro Christian Women's Club**, on Thursday, March 17th, at 12pm at the Homestead Steakhouse in Timberlake. The cost is \$12 for your meal. Please RSVP to Foy, at 336-364-2283 by March 13th.

Foundation Club outing to the Andy Griffith Museum in Mount Airy, NC has been rescheduled for Tuesday, March 15th, leaving the church at 7:15am. Cost is \$10 for the tour, cash or check (payable to RMBC) and given to Cameron Lewis. Sign up sheet is in the Welcome Center.



**Building
Loan Balance**

(as of 02/12/2022)

\$ 352,813

**MEN
OF
IRON
BIBLE STUDY**

Monday, March 21st ~ 7:00p
(3rd Monday of each month)

"The Bondage Breaker"

Overcoming: Negative Thoughts, Irrational Feelings, Habitual Sins
"As iron sharpens iron, So a man sharpens the countenance of his friend." Proverbs 27:17

East Coast Men's Bible Conference, March 11th & 12th in Rocky Mount, NC. Sign Up Sheet is in the Welcome Center.

Get ready for our annual RMBC Baptist Men's Golf Tournament on Saturday, May 21, 2022 at Lake Winds Golf Course. Prizes will be awarded at a luncheon following the tournament. More info and a sign up sheet coming soon or see Wally Watson if you have any questions. The tournament is open to everyone, ages 12 and up.



*We extend our sympathy
and prayers to:*

- ✍ Beth Chambers and her family in the death of her uncle, Dickie Smith
- ✍ Justin Crabtree and his family in the death of his stepfather, Wayne Stone
- ✍ Garnet Ellis and her family in the death of her uncle, Billy Satterfield.
- ✍ The family of Phil Holmes in his death
- ✍ Crystal Propst and her family in the death of her uncle, Jimmy Smith

Spring Forward



**Day Light Saving Time Begins
Sunday, March 13th at 2:00am.**



Don't be late to church. Set your clocks forward one hour before going to bed Saturday night.

MARCH 2022

BIRTHDAYS & EVENTS

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
27 Feb. <i>Janice Watson</i>	28 <i>Gianni DiMeo Megan McBroom</i>	1 Women's Bible Study 6:45p	2 Wed. Night Service Mtg 7p	3	4 <i>Grace Pryor Ruby Parrish</i>	5
6 Lord's Supper/ Worship Service 8:45a & 11a Sunday Sch. 10am Deacon's Mtg 4p	7 <i>Grace Karangelan</i>	8 <i>Blake Gillie</i>	9 Missions Night	10 <i>Phyllis Carpenter Jeanette Roberts Lia Roberts</i>	11 East Coast Men's Conference	12
Week of Prayer for North American Missions March 6th—13th						
 13 Worship Service 8:45a & 11a Sunday Sch. 10am <i>Ashley Crabtree Jenn Shull</i>	14	15 Foundation Club Trip 7:15a	16 Monthly Business Mtg & Wed. Night Service 7p	17	18 Youth FNF 6p	19
20 Worship Service 8:45a & 11a Sunday Sch. 10am Youth S.A.M.M. 12p  <i>Phil Seifert</i>	21 Men of Iron 7p	22	23 Wed. Night Service Mtg 7p <i>Angel Jordan Jordan McBroom</i>	24	25	26 Tables of Love 6p <i>Larry Owens Joan Siefert Wally Watson</i>
27 Worship Service 8:45a & 11a Sunday Sch. 10am	28	29	30	31	Memory Verse "He who walks with integrity walks securely, but he who perverts his ways will become known." Proverbs 10:9	
Community Revival ~ 7pm Antioch Timberlake Red Mountain Bethany						
	<i>Patsy Ellis</i>	<i>Eric Propst McKenzie Jackson</i>	<i>Rodney Laughinghouse Jace Mullins</i>			



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Rev. Dave Pryor - Pastor
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Address Correction Requested



The Legacy of St. Patrick

Cathy Irvin

If you read the story of St. Patrick, you will find that at age 16 he was kidnapped and taken to a land he did not know - Ireland. Now he could have been angry, despondent and eventually given in to defeat; but Patrick did not do this. He became an overcomer as he persevered in his trials and tribulations.

He was taken and told to tend the sheep. It was there that he prayed, grew in his faith, and walked in love. What do we do when we find ourselves in captivity? We can stay in it or choose the latter.

The history of St. Patrick goes on to tell us that he did get away on a ship to return once again to his homeland, but he was different then. He had found Christ in Ireland through his prayers. Later, he heard the voice of God to return to the very place of evil where he was held captive. Patrick went on to become a Bishop. While he was living in Ireland he taught about the Trinity by using the three-leaf clover.

There is a lost and dying world wherever we are planted. Do we hear the call of their captivity? Can we enter that place of darkness from which we too were once enslaved? Can we hear the lost crying out for help?

We are not all called to be in the five-fold ministry or to be a missionary to a foreign land, but we are all called to be witnesses and to evangelize. The Lord puts people in our paths every day if we are looking, or we can pray and ask Him to place someone in our sphere of influence.

I may like to wear green on St. Patrick's Day, but more than that I want to know the history of why we celebrate this holiday. This man was a hero; he changed a nation. He lived out his faith. He had a message; and like Patrick, maybe we can tell his testimony to our family and friends and spark a new meaning in that holiday for them.

If we think about it, most of us would either be angry or depressed if we found ourselves having been kidnapped and never knowing if we would see our loved ones again. Patrick, even though he was a teenager when he was captured, had allowed Christ

to change his heart so completely, that he felt compassion for the people who made him a slave. Once he had gotten away from them, he could have stayed away, but God had a different plan for him.

Obedience is better than sacrifice, the Bible says in 1 Samuel 15:22 (NLT):

"But Samuel replied, 'What is more pleasing to the LORD: your burnt offerings and sacrifices or your obedience to his voice? Listen! Obedience is better than sacrifice, and submission is better than offering the fat of rams.'"

Patrick heard the call and he knew these people were without hope. Freedom in Christ means we find our place of ministry and pass on the good news to someone whether young or old.

St. Patrick ministered in Ireland for 29 years, baptized over 100,000 people and built 300 churches. If we can get it in our minds that we can be world-changers too, by ministering to others, either bringing them to the Lord or helping others grow in their faith, then we will also have a legacy to pass on.

"So Christ himself gave the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the pastors and teachers, to equip his people for works of service, so that the body of Christ may be built up until we all reach unity in the faith and in the knowledge of the Son of God and become mature, attaining to the whole measure of the fullness of Christ." Ephesians 4:11-13 (NIV)

<https://www1.cbn.com/devotions/celebrate-like-patrick>

*"Holy Father, Holy Son, Holy Spirit,
Three we named Thee;
While in essence only One,
Undivided God we claim Thee,
And adoring bend the knee,
While we sing our praise to Thee."*

—4th-century hymn, translated into English by Clarence Walworth, 1820-1900

