

## Financial Summary

	August 6, 2006	
Undesignated Gifts		\$ 3,980.97
Designated Gifts		\$ 719.41
Total Offering		\$ 4,700.38
	August 13, 2006	
Undesignated Gifts		\$ 2,726.85
Designated Gifts		\$ 230.75
Total Offering		\$ 2,957.60
	August 20, 2006	
Undesignated Gifts		\$ 1,939.00
Designated Gifts		\$ 997.30
Total Offering		\$ 2,936.30
	August 27, 2006	
Undesignated Gifts		\$ 2,440.18
Designated Gifts		\$ 125.85
Total Offering		\$ 2,566.03

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## September Birthdays

9/2	Foster Harris
9/3	Christine Shoe
9/7	Luke Weavil
9/10	Rebekah Buckner, Bill Daniels Jason Fogleman
9/11	Ethel Stafford, Don Sutphin
9/12	Casey Hamm, Andrew Hedgecock
9/14	W.G. Honeycutt
9/15	Norman Parnell
9/16	Andrew Hoyle, W.E. Spach
9/17	Alan Venable
9/19	Steve Grose
9/20	Dale Lakey, Becky Lauten, Connor Smith
9/22	Jeff Honeycutt, Rodney Dillingham Billie Weavil Paul Idol
9/23	Paul Idol
9/24	Jessi Hoyle, John Lee
9/25	Cathy Honeycutt, Matthew Nibert
9/27	Cy Fogleman
9/28	Barry Burton, Frank Martinez
9/30	Tiffany Hilton

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Pianist  
Secretary

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**Saturday, September 30<sup>th</sup>**  
**7:30 am until 2:00 pm**

Breakfast served until  
10:30 am followed by Lunch

Handmade crafts, Homemade  
canned items, fresh & frozen foods  
and more.

All proceeds go to the  
Building Fund

## MARK'S MUSINGS

Although the church year officially begins September 1, last Sunday was the "unofficial" beginning. And it was a good start in many ways. In the morning we elected deacons. We elected a mix of experienced folks and folks who are new to deacon service. That's a good thing. As we move forward, we need to make sure that those who have been involved stay involved. We value their experienced guidance. At the same time, we need to encourage younger folks and new members as they come to move into active involvement and into leadership.

Sunday night we celebrated. Food is always a winner, and ice cream in the summer can't be beat. But most important is the fellowship and the laughter and the joy of sharing good times together. We don't ever want to lose that gift of celebration.

And of course, we also witnessed a sampling of the talent in our congregation—from the singing of Steve and Brenda Grose, Tammie and Katie Weavil, and Ashlyn Nelson to the juggling of Kendall and Connor Smith to Sarah Horton's display of sewing skills to Mike Simmons's talent for, well, uh, hmmm—oh, yeah, wearing really loud pants (and organizing the whole program). And yes, I apologize for not mentioning everyone, because everyone was wonderful (except that oddball who sang something about the Three Stooges—who let him in, anyway?) But as I say, we saw only a sampling. We have a great diversity of talents and gifts among us. And all of them are important. One of our pleasant challenges as church is to find ways to encourage and utilize all of our gifts in God's service.

To be the church God calls us to be will take the commitment and participation of all of us in our own uniquely important ways. But together, by God's grace and in the power of God's Spirit, let's go forward with joy and with hope.

Grace and peace,  
Mark



## Senior Moments Highlights

This is a special month as "Senior Adult Day" will be held on Sunday, September 10<sup>th</sup>. Our Senior Adults will be leading our 11:00 a.m. worship service. Our **monthly meeting** will be on Thursday, September 28<sup>th</sup> at 11:30 a.m. Bring a covered dish and join us for great food and fellowship.

**Fort Caswell Night** will be Sunday, September 10<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm in the Sanctuary. Our Youth will share with us some of their experiences from summer camp at Ft. Caswell. This is always a meaningful night, so please make plans to attend.

## Sunday School Clinic

**Saturday, September 16<sup>th</sup>**

**Fellowship Hall**

**9:00 to 11:30 a.m.**

Dorothy Harmon and her team from the PMBA will be here to provide ideas on teaching Sunday School. There will be something for all ages – preschool thru adults. Handouts will be given. Mrs. Harmon will also be speaking about "Outreach". A small breakfast of biscuits, sweet rolls, juice and coffee will be provided. This clinic is geared toward Sunday School but anyone interested is invited. Please let Marie Scott know if you will be coming. Sign up sheets will be in the classrooms and the sanctuary foyer. Reserve by September 10<sup>th</sup> so we can order breakfast and handouts. Nursery will be provided if needed.

## Family Night Supper Wednesday, September 6<sup>th</sup>

Join us on the 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday for our Family Night Supper at 6:30 pm. Cost is \$3.00 for adults, \$1.50 for children under 12, with a \$10.00 family maximum. This is a great time to invite your friends & neighbors. After supper all of our missions groups will meet at 7:00 pm. Mission Friends (preschoolers), CIA's – Children-in-Action (boys & girls grades K – 5), Youth Outer Limits worship service, Women-on-Mission, & Baptist Men. Be sure to make Family Night a part of your family's schedule.

## Nursery Schedule

September 3, 2006 (Sun)	Kathy Idol & Billie Weavil AM Nancy Clodfelter 7:00 – 8:00 PM
September 6, 2006 (Wed)	Supper/Mission Friends
September 10, 2006 (Sun)	Don & Jane Sutphin AM Beverly Weavil 7:00 – 8:00 PM
September 13, 2006 (Wed)	Barbara Snyder
September 17, 2006 (Sun)	Teresa & Breanne Riggs AM Beverly Weavil 7:00 – 8:00 PM
September 20, 2006 (Wed)	Jean Foster
September 24, 2006 (Sun)	Becky Lauten & Susan Hilton AM Kathryn Ashworth 7:00 – 8:00 PM
September 27, 2006 (Wed)	Cathy Honeycutt



The WOM were busy in August and the following ministry projects were carried out:

- 1) Delivered homemade cookies to the Hospice Home in Winston-Salem on Monday, August 7<sup>th</sup>.
- 2) Helped a local school student with back to school purchases.
- 3) Baked cookies on site at the Cancer Center in High Point Hospital for the patients, their families and the staff on Sunday, August 27<sup>th</sup>.

We have invited a guest speaker to join us at our September 6 meeting to share with us how just a simple phone call can provide a "lifeline" to some elderly people in our county. Plan now to join us."

Your prayers are requested as WOM search ways for **UNION CROSS TO REACH OUT TO SHOW HIS LOVE.**