

# Foursquare Focus

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### *Greetings,*

*I want to share with you what I believe that God is calling our body to step into for these next few weeks as we approach the Easter season and that is our Spiritual Gifts.*

*Are you aware that you have each been given distinct gifts in your life that makes you who God created you to be? He has ordained before the foundations of the earth that you would be equipped with the proper gifts which would bring Him glory.*

*Now you might be wondering if you have any of the gifts that I am referencing, but I can assure you that we are made in such a way that God wired into our spirits a special gift which could be used to affect other people. 1 Peter 4:10 reads "As each one has received a gift, minister it to one another, as good stewards of the manifold grace of God." The gift or gifts are there – we just need to manage them the way God would like for us to.*

*Would you ask God to show you what gifts He blessed you with and would you bless others with them? We are assured of having gifts; it is up to us to use them.*

*Have a great March and please invite someone to visit with you, it could change their lives as hopefully it has yours.*

*Blessings,*

*Pastor Kevin*



**Belmont Foursquare Church's** website has been redesigned for ease of use. Please take a moment and 'drop by' the site and share what YOU would like to see on the pages – then email Kathy at [kepps@belmontfoursquare.org](mailto:kepps@belmontfoursquare.org) (a.k.a., "The Webmaster" ) with your comments/suggestions.

## General Announcements



Our **Wednesday Night Meal** this month is on *March 4<sup>th</sup>* and features *grilled hotdogs, baked beans, chips and dessert*. Please remember to sign up on the Life Board if you will be joining us for dinner and invite a friend to attend. The cost is \$10 per family, \$4 per adult and \$2 for children under 12. This is a great time to fellowship and for us to be able to break bread together.



We will be starting a class called **“Parenting: The Early Years”** on *Wednesday, March 4<sup>th</sup>*, at 7 pm in the Balcony Room. If you are interested in this class or know parents outside the church who would be interested, please sign them up. See Kevin or Delaine if you have any questions.



Everyone is invited to attend an evening of **Worship, Prayer and Ministry** as we join with other churches at the Gastonia Foursquare Church on *Saturday, March 14<sup>th</sup>*, at 7 pm. We are expecting some amazing things to take place as we join with fellow believers to experience what God has for us all. More details will be available over the next few weeks.



We are excited to announce that our bi-annual **Blood Drive** will be held on *Tuesday, March 31<sup>st</sup>*, from 2:30-7 pm in the CLC. Please look for the sign up sheet which will be posted on the Life Board.

## Nursery Ministry

**Sunday Plus**  
**8:45-10 am**

**AM Service 10-11:30 am**

**PM Service 6 pm**

<b>1<sup>st</sup></b> Young Married	Judy Cook / Nicole Payseur	Angie Walters
<b>8<sup>th</sup></b> Middle Adults	Angie & Courtney Tignor	Michelle Muse
<b>15<sup>th</sup></b> Senior Adults	Teresa Edwards / Teresa Crews	Angie Tignor
<b>22<sup>nd</sup></b> Young Married	Sissy Norwood / Trilby Coleman	Angie Walters
<b>29<sup>th</sup></b> Middle Adults	Kerri Rudisill / Erik Hester	Michelle Muse

**Wednesday 7 pm** Teresa Crews



## Preschool Ministry

**Children's Church 10-11:30 am**

Kim Esselstyn & Sherry Hampton

**Wednesday 7 pm**

Tom Cagle



## Children's Ministry



The **Children's Department** is still in need of individually wrapped candy or small prizes as rewards for scripture memorization and bringing a Bible to church. Thanks to everyone who has already brought these items. Your support is appreciated!



Children's Week at **Camp Courtney** will be *June 12<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup>* – begin prepaying for camp NOW by sending payments to the Church Office. There will also be fundraisers to help offset the cost of camp. More information will be available soon.

## Youth Ministry



**Girls Ministry** will meet on the following *Sundays: March 1<sup>st</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, and 29<sup>th</sup>*, and will continue their study on **“Lies Young Women Believe.”** All youth girls are invited to this time of fellowship and Bible study. See Leslie or Delaine if you have any questions.



**Guys Ministry** will meet on *Sunday, March 8<sup>th</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup>*, and will continue their study on **“Becoming a Man of God.”** All youth guys are encouraged to join us for devotions and to just ‘hang out.’



**GAMENIGHT**

A **Game Night** has been scheduled for *Friday, March 20<sup>th</sup>*, in the CLC from 6-10 pm. The cost is \$5 per person and covers pizza and drinks. Make plans to join the fun and invite a few friends!

*To My Church Family,*

*On behalf of my entire family, I would like to offer my thanks for all the prayers and cards during my father's illness and subsequent passing. The love and support shown was a tremendous help!*

*Clark*

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### Keenagers



Tuesday, March 10<sup>th</sup> - Hillbilly's  
 Tuesday, March 24<sup>th</sup> - Covered Dish Dinner

### Men's Ministry



Please be in prayer for our men who will be attending **Men's Advance** in Myrtle Beach from *Thursday, March 5<sup>th</sup>, through Saturday, March 7<sup>th</sup>.*

### Something to Think About ...

*A Christian is like a good watch: he has an open face, busy hands, is made of pure gold, is well-regulated, and is full of good works.*

*A Christian is a mind through which Christ thinks, a heart through which Christ loves, a voice through which Christ speaks, and a hand through which Christ helps.*

### Hope Ministry



Hope Ministry's needs for March are *instant potatoes, cans of green beans, and cans of milk*. Thank for your supporting those in need within our community.

### Women's Ministry



Please join us for our next morning **Bible Study** entitled "**Esther**" by Beth Moore. This study will begin on *Tuesday, March 3<sup>rd</sup>*, at 10 am in the FLC. Childcare is provided. Please see Delaine if you have any questions.



Mark your calendars – We will have a **Women's Gathering** on *Tuesday, March 3<sup>rd</sup>*, at 7 pm in the FLC. Please bring your favorite dessert to share as we fellowship together and take care of some "women's business." Please sign up on the Life Board if you plan to attend. See Delaine if you have any questions.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>1</b> Girls Ministry 11:30am Women's Bible Study 4pm (FLC) Choir 4:30pm Prayer 4:30pm	<b>2</b> Prayer 6-7pm	<b>3</b> Women's Bible Study 10am (FLC) Women's Gathering 7pm (FLC)	<b>4</b> Dinner 5:30pm Christian Classes 7pm	<b>5</b> Men's Advance →	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>8</b> Guys Ministry 11:30am Women's Bible Study 4pm (FLC) Choir 4:30pm Prayer 4:30pm	<b>9</b> Prayer 6-7pm	<b>10</b> Women's Bible Study 10am (FLC) Keenagers - Hillbilly's 5pm	<b>11</b> Christian Classes 7pm	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> Worship, Prayer & Ministry at Gastonia Foursquare Church 7pm
<b>15</b> Girls Ministry 11:30am Women's Bible Study 4pm (FLC) Choir 4:30pm Prayer 4:30pm	<b>16</b> Prayer 6-7pm	<b>17</b> Women's Bible Study 10am (FLC)	<b>18</b> Christian Classes 7 pm	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b> Youth Game Night 6-10pm (CLC)	<b>21</b>
<b>22</b> Guys Ministry 11:30am Women's Bible Study 4pm (FLC) Choir 4:30pm Prayer 4:30pm	<b>23</b> Prayer 6-7pm	<b>24</b> Women's Bible Study 10am (FLC) Keenagers - Covered Dish Dinner 5:30pm (FLC)	<b>25</b> Christian Classes 7 pm	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>
<b>29</b> Girls Ministry 11:30am Women's Bible Study 4pm (FLC) Choir 4:30pm Prayer 4:30pm	<b>30</b> Prayer 6-7pm	<b>31</b> Women's Bible Study 10am (FLC) Blood Drive - 2:30-7pm (CLC)				

## Service Schedule

### Sunday

#### Worship Schedule

9 am	Sunday Plus (Birth-Adults)
9:30-9:55 am	Coffee 'n Fellowship (FLC)
10 am	Morning Worship Children's Church
6 pm	Evening Worship Children's Classes (K-5 <sup>th</sup> Grade) Consuming Fire Youth (6 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup> Grade)

Staffed Nursery available  
at every service!

### Wednesday

5:30-6:30 pm Dinner – 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of each month (FLC)

7-8 pm

- \* Children's Classes (Preschool; K-5<sup>th</sup> Grade)
- \* Consuming Fire Youth (CLC – 6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Grade)
- \* Adult Class (Balcony Room)  
*Parenting: The Early Years* (begins March 4<sup>th</sup>)
- \* First Place (FLC)
- \* Adult Class (Sanctuary)



“Jesus Christ, the same yesterday,  
today, and forever.” Hebrews 13:8

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