

The Bay Leaf

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Dear Church Family,

I'm writing this article after leaving our first Stewardship meeting of the year, and there is a tremendous joy in my heart. I feel like singing the song "Thank You for Giving to the Lord" because it reflects my thoughts.

Despite a tough economy that has many churches scrambling to keep their doors open, we gave more in 2011 than we had in the past three years. I'm overwhelmed with gratitude to you for your sacrifice to the Lord's Kingdom. I continue to hear stories of how families are committed to helping pay off our debt and also continue to do more to reach people in our community and around the world.

Your excitement and passion for what God is doing in our church encourages me to pray more, study more, and evangelize more. To see your heart makes me want to do all I can do to serve God's Kingdom.

I Love You,
Pastor Marty

Encourage Him ~ Encourage Her Marriage Seminar



Saturday, February 18
8:00am-1:00pm

*Find out how to best encourage your spouse
(and everyone else too!)*

Presented by Walt & Patti Wiley
Winning with Encouragement Ministries

Cost: \$45 per couple
Register online at www.bayleaf.org/marriageseminar

Sunday Evening Activities on February 5

The entire Sunday evening schedule will begin 1 hour earlier on February 5. This allows for Sunday School classes and other groups to have Super Bowl parties inviting others to join their fellowship.



SUNDAY, JANUARY 29

- 8:30 AM Worship Service
- 9:30 AM Sunday Morning Connection –
MS/HS Students: 1st Floor, FLC
- 9:45 AM Worship Service & Sunday School
Discovery Class
I'm A Christian Now
- 11:00 AM Worship Service & Sunday School
- 12:15 PM Discovery Class Luncheon
- 1:00 PM Moldovan Church Service
- 5:00 PM Orchestra
Bay Leaf Kids Missions
- 5:15 PM Christian Life Institute
- 6:00 PM The Gathering (Students)
Children's Choir
- 6:25 PM Preschool Choir
- 6:30 PM Evening Service

MONDAY, JANUARY 30

- 7:00 PM J.O.Y. Bible Study

TUESDAY, JANUARY 31

- 8:00 AM Bay Leaf Baptist Builders
- 9:15 AM Precepts
- 5:45 PM Aerobics
- 6:30 PM Heart of Worship Rehearsal
- 7:00 PM Men's Basketball League

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 1

- 9:30 AM J.O.Y. Bible Study
- 11:30 AM Ladies Lunch Out
- 6:15 PM Awana
- 6:30 PM Prayer Meeting
Adult Choir Rehearsal
Adult Christian Life Institute
Students Christian Life Institute
- 7:30 PM Connect (Young Adults)

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 2

- 10:00 AM Helping Hands for Missions
- 5:45 PM Aerobics
- 7:00 PM Moldovan Church Service

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 3

- 7:00 AM Men's Breakfast

WEEK OF FEBRUARY 5

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5

First Sunday Coffee

8:30 AM Worship Service

9:30 AM Sunday Morning Connection –
MS/HS Students: 1st Floor, FLC

9:45 AM Worship Service & Sunday School
I'm a Christian Now (Children)

11:00 AM Worship Service & Sunday School

12:00 PM Canada Mission Trip Luncheon

1:00 PM Moldovan Church Service

4:00 PM Orchestra

Bay Leaf Kids Missions

Student Choir

4:15 PM Christian Life Institute

5:00 PM The Gathering (Students)

5:25 PM Preschool Choir

Children's Choir

5:30 PM Evening Service

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 6

7:00 PM J.O.Y. Bible Study

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 7

8:00 AM Bay Leaf Baptist Builders

9:15 AM Precepts

5:45 PM Aerobics

6:30 PM Heart of Worship Rehearsal

7:00 PM Men's Basketball League

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 8

9:30 AM J.O.Y. Bible Study

11:30 AM Ladies Lunch Out

6:15 PM Awana

6:30 PM Prayer Meeting

Adult Choir Rehearsal

Adult Christian Life Institute

Students Christian Life Institute

7:30 PM Connect (Young Adults)

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 9

10:00 AM Helping Hands for Missions

1:00 PM Esther WOM Circle Meeting

5:45 PM Aerobics

7:00 PM Moldovan Church Service

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11

7:00 AM Men's Breakfast



2012 promises to be enriching and fulfilling, especially for women who embrace the many growth opportunities being offered.

Do you feel led to participate at some level? Is your heart being nudged by the Holy Spirit to get more involved in 2012?

There is always a need for ladies who have a heart for other women and a desire to serve. If you feel the Lord calling you to get more involved this year, please call the church office, leave your contact information with Kelly Cash, and you will be contacted by phone about the opportunities available. Pick up a pink brochure to learn about all of the new and exciting Women's programs, events and Bible studies going on the first quarter of this new year - or visit us online at www.bayleaf.org/women.

Life's Handprint

God's Blueprints
Your Story



Bay Leaf Women's Retreat March 2-4

Join us for a Women's Retreat
At Fort Caswell on Oak Island, NC
Speaker: Bay Leaf's own, Debra Jenkins
Cost \$135

Register online at bayleaf.org/women
Registration ends January 27.



2012 Mission Opportunities

Kenya

February 12-24

July 25-August 7 (High School & College)

September 9-21

Czech Republic

March 3-10 (College & Singles)

Poland

March 3-10 (College & Singles)

East Asia

April 8-21

July (College and Singles)

October 24-November 7

Montana

April 19-22 (Ladies Retreat)

June 16-23 (Middle School)

Canada

June 30-July 7 (Soccer)

July 7-14 (Track and Field)

Ukraine

May 30-June 12

Moldova

June 23-30

Thailand

July 1-14

Zimbabwe

July 5-16

Other opportunities under consideration:

Nagaland Afghanistan

Brazil Mexico

Spain Michigan

Azerbaijan Japan

If you are interested in going on one of these trips or would like more information, contact Will Gatling at wgatling@bayleaf.org or

Canada Mission Trip

Information Pot-Luck Luncheon

If you have interest in going on the either one of the Canada Mission trips you are welcome to join us for a pot-luck lunch.

February 5th at 12:15pm

Fellowship Hall

Contact the Church office for more information.

Congratulations to...

Scott and Michelle Guthrie on the birth of their daughter, Sydney Renee, born January 4. The proud grandparents are Scott and Jean Cobb and John and Beth Robertson

Marc and Meredith Neie on the birth of their son, Joshua Michael, born January 11. Marc and Meredith are currently serving as missionaries overseas.



www.bayleaf.org/children

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New this year!
The Awana Grand Prix will be on Wednesday night.

February 29 Awana Grand Prix

Cars are on sale now for \$6 each.

Three categories:

- Open (cubbies, leaders, & parents)
- Sparks
- T&T

NO UESED CARS will be allowed to race.



2012-2013

Registration Information

January 31 - 8:00am

Registration for currently enrolled and siblings

February 1 - 8:00 am

Registration for Bay Leaf Members, Siblings of Formerly Enrolled, and Children involved in other Bay Leaf Activities

February 2 - 8:00am

Registration for the General Public

For more information and forms go to bayleaf.org/children/lllc or contact Eva Mathers at 847-4477 x252 or emathers@bayleaf.org

Amazing Grace Adoptions Benefit Concert

Saturday, February 11

at Fletcher Opera Theater
downtown Raleigh

Tickets are \$25 - \$55 and may be purchased on Ticketmaster or at the Progress Energy Center Box Office

Sara Groves Benefit Concert: Don't miss an evening of music and stories with Sara Groves and special guest Jane Kelly Williams in a special benefit for the local and international ministry of Amazing Grace Adoptions and Orphan Care (www.agadoptions.org). A giving opportunity will be provided. For further information, please contact Steve West at concertinfo@adagoptions.org.



20/20 Collegiate Conference

The Scriptures of Life

February 3-4

at Southeastern Baptist
Theological Seminary

Cost: \$35

Speakers include:

- Daniel Aiken
- D.A. Carson
- Tony Merida
- Tullian Tchividjian

For more information contact Billy Driver at bdriver@bayleaf.org.

Sign up now online at SEBTS.EDU/2020 or call 1-888-290-7787



www.bayleafstudents.org

Breakout

July 16-20, 2012

Cost: \$315.00

Register and pay \$50.00 deposit online at bayleafstudents.org

The Gathering

Sunday Nights

6:00pm

in the Family Life Center

Student Choir

Sundays, 5:00pm

in the Adult Choir Room/Choir Rm #1

Wednesday Night CLI

6:30PM

Middle School Girls, E308
Middle School Boys, E306A
High School, E309

Deacon Ordination Service

Sunday, February 12

6:30pm

Ordination of Edward Dew

Senior Adult News...

Senior Adults and their families now have a **Senior Resources webpage** on BLBC's website that provides information on short-term assistance to senior adults and their families, as well as information on external resources not provided by BLBC. Check out the new webpage at www.bayleaf.org under Ministries/Adults/ Senior Adults for information on fitness, support groups, elder law, senior housing, social security, Medicare, long-term care and insurance, and more. Contact Don Gilbert if your specific need is not addressed or if there is a topic you would like to suggest for inclusion.



Fellowship Dinner

BAY LEAF BAPTIST CHURCH
12200 BAYLEAF CHURCH RD.
RALEIGH, NC 27614

Non-Profit Org.
U.S. Postage
PAID
Raleigh, NC
Permit No. 1038

MENU FOR FEBRUARY 2

- Beef Stroganoff
- Buttered Egg Noodles and Corn
- Rolls and Desserts
- Kiddie Korner: Hamburgers

MENU FOR FEBRUARY 9

- Chicken Puff Pastry
- Steamed Broccoli
- Desserts
- Kiddie Korner: Same

Dinners are by reservation only. Two types of reservations are available:

- 1) **Weekly Reservation:** contact the church office on Monday by 12 noon to make a reservation for Wednesday of the same week, or
- 2) **Ongoing Reservation:** if you are going to attend dinner each week, sign up for this reservation. Contact the church office on Monday by 12 noon if you will not be able to attend the dinner for Wednesday of the same week.

Reservations can be made by **calling** the church office at 847-4477 or **online** at www.bayleaf.org

RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

Bay Leaf Church Staff

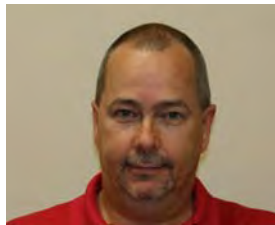
SENIOR PASTOR	Marty Jacumin
ASSOCIATE PASTOR	Chad Hood
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ASSOC. PASTOR/MUSIC	Andy Madsen
ASSOC. PASTOR/EDUCATION	Jeff Meyer
ASSOC. PASTOR/STUDENTS	Charlie McDonough
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<u>THE RECORD SPEAKS</u>	<u>JANUARY 8, 2012</u>
Regular Church Receipts	\$50,947.00
Mission Projects	126.00
World Missions	1,013.00
Greater Things Capital Campaign	6,666.00
TOTAL	\$58,752.00

<u>THE RECORD SPEAKS</u>	<u>JANUARY 15, 2012</u>
Regular Church Receipts	\$36,216.00
Mission Projects	125.00
World Missions	583.00
Greater Things Capital Campaign	40,813.00
Benevolence	25.00
TOTAL	\$77,762.00

Ministry Items



MEET ONE OF OUR DEACONS

SCOTT COBB (###-####)

For more information please call the church office.

HOMEBOUND OF THE WEEK

DEWEY ELLIS
(###-####)

For more information please call the church office.

MISSIONARIES OF THE WEEK

KATIE LEARNED
Serving in Central Asia
(###-####)

For more information please call the church office.

FIELD PARKING ROTATION SCHEDULE

Sunday, January 29	Sunday, February 5
Faith 7	Faith 1 (Tilley)
	Faith 3 (Puthenveetil)
	Joy 1 (Lassiter)
	Joy 3 (Graves)

All high school & young adults, please park on the ball field each Sunday morning.

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Nathan Smith, Chuck & Caroline Owens, Gracie Owens

THANK YOU NOTES TO BAY LEAF MEMBERS

Loulie Metzger wth Shepherd's Heart