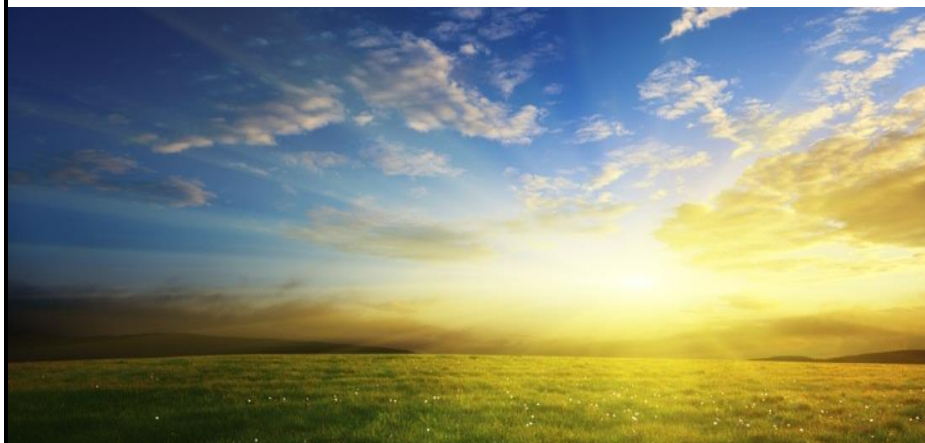




# Welcome to our Worship Service

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***Empowering Saints to Serve***

Acts 4:31-33

***James F. Hedgepeth, Pastor***

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July 13, 2014

# *NORTH GAYTON BAPTIST CHURCH*

*Sunday July 13, 2014*

*Sunday School – 9:30 am – Sunday School Ministry*

*Praise/Testimonial Service – 10:45 am – Praise Team*

*Morning Worship Service – 11:00 am*

**\*The Call to Worship:** *Stand fast therefore in the liberty herewith Christ hath made us free, and be not entangled again with the yoke of bondage. – Galatians 5:1*

*Speaking to yourselves in psalms, hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody in your heart to the Lord. – Ephesians 5:19*

*\*Congregational Hymn*

*\*Guest Recognition*

*Pastor James F. Hedgepeth*

*“You Pray for Me, I Pray for You”*

*Pastor James F. Hedgepeth*

*\*Reading of Offertory Scripture*

*2Corinthians 9:6-8 (pg. 3)*

*\*Offertory*

*Ushers*

*\*Offertory Selection*

*The Youth Choir*

*\*Prayer/Doxology*

*Ushers/Choir/Congregation*

*Essentials*

*Youth Ministry*

*Selections (2)*

*The Youth Choir*

*Reading of Scripture & Message*

*Pastor James F. Hedgepeth*

*\*Invitational Selection*

*The Youth Choir*

*\*Appeal to the Unsaved*

*Pastor James F. Hedgepeth*

*\*Closing Selection*

*The Youth Choir*

*\*The Benediction*

*Pastor James F. Hedgepeth*

*(\*Please Stand)*



**Thank you for visiting!** In the spirit of genuine Christian fellowship, the members of North Gayton Baptist Church have been truly blessed by your presence today. It is our prayer that you would have also received a blessing as a result of worshipping with us. Join us again soon.

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**OFFERTORY SCRIPTURE:**

**2Corinthians 9:6-8**

<sup>6</sup>But this I say, He which soweth sparingly shall reap also sparingly; and he which soweth bountifully shall reap also bountifully.

<sup>7</sup>Every man according as he purposeth in his heart, so let him give; not grudgingly, or of necessity: for God loveth a cheerful giver.

<sup>8</sup>And God is able to make all grace abound toward you; that ye, always having all sufficiency in all things, may abound to every good work.

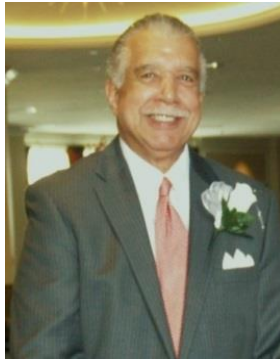
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*The Lessons of Tithing*

*Tithing teaches at least eight great spiritual lessons:*

1. *Dependence upon God in every phase of life.*
2. *Reverence for all that belongs to God.*
3. *The joy of helping in a worldwide mission program.*
4. *Concern for lost people everywhere.*
5. *Systematic handling of God's work.*
6. *Faith in god and His promises.*
7. *Liberality of heart and hand.*
8. *The proper place of money in one's life.*

## ***From the Pastor's Desk...***



### **Led by the Spirit of God**

What empowers believers to act boldly in the face of adversity? The answer resides in God's Spirit. Paul offers the life in the Spirit as an alternative way to look at the world and live in it. Jesus offered grace rather than the law to fulfill God's will. People learned to trust in something that was not as concrete as the law. Allow God to guide us by the Spirit, and then we can make our journey in faith. Living a life in the Spirit is having a life lived in trust. God promised through Isaiah, "I am about to do a new thing." Being led by God's Spirit allows you to be bold enough to face the adversity of a new culture. When you thrust God's Spirit, then you know that you are an heir of the promise of God.

*"All who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God." (Rom. 8:14)*

## **Sick & Recovery Members & Friends**

*Our prayers are with the sick and shut-in members and friends. Please remember to include them in your prayers, visits, cards, phone calls and other deeds of kindness.*

Deaconess Virgie Jackson

Harriet Sampson

Marian Robinson

April Garrison

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## **Deacons on Call for July, 2014**

*Deacon Allen Vernon 868-0016*

*Deacon James Trent 690-9265*

*The Diaconate Ministry is available for your special needs.*

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## **July Birthday Celebrants**



*Lavern Forsythe 2<sup>nd</sup>*

*Donnie Hicks 2<sup>nd</sup>*

*Tonya Johnson 4<sup>th</sup>*

*Khela Spain 10<sup>th</sup>*

*Damon Trent 10<sup>th</sup>*

*Tori Hughes 11<sup>th</sup>*

*Warren Jones Jr. 18<sup>th</sup>*

*Rowlin Robinson 21<sup>th</sup>*

*Cynthia Johnson 23<sup>rd</sup>*

*Marvin Owens 25<sup>th</sup>*

*Thelma Baker 28<sup>th</sup>*

*Julia Hall 29<sup>th</sup>*

***\*\*Have a Happy and Blessed Day\*\****

*“Whosoever will save his life shall lose it; but whosoever shall lose his life for my sake and the gospel’s shall save it.”*

*-Mark 8:35*

# CHURCH NEWS

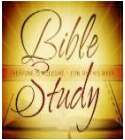
*Announcements should be delivered to the office by email or telephone no later than Tuesday at 1:00 p.m. Thank you for your cooperation.*



Lesson for Sunday July 20, 2014

*Overcoming Temptation*

1 Corinthians 10:9-22



*North Gayton Learning Academy members... Classes will be canceled July 16<sup>th</sup> & 23<sup>th</sup> due to the workshop and Pastor's vacation. Classes will resume on July 30<sup>th</sup>* Share in Prayer with Evangelist McCormick the Friday before 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday.

## *July Up Coming Meetings*

*July 19<sup>th</sup> Senior's Meeting @ 9:30 a.m.*

*July 19<sup>th</sup> Men's Choir @ 10:00 a.m.*

*July 19<sup>th</sup> Usher's Meeting @ 12:00 p.m.*

*July 28<sup>th</sup> Church Quarterly Meeting @ 7:00 p.m.*

***The regular scheduled Church Quarterly Meeting has been moved to July 28<sup>th</sup> @7:00 due to Christian Education's workshop "Finding Balance In Life" Dr. Thorpe is guest speaker. A light dinner will be served nightly.***

*Remember if you need a ride please report to the Church bus immediately following morning service to Pilgrim Journey. Lunch will be served @ 1:00, prayer/praise @ 2:15 and service @ 2:30.*

***Pastor Hedgepeth will be on vacation July 20<sup>th</sup> -26<sup>th</sup>***  
*Rev. George Jones Jr. our associate Pastor will bring the morning message on Sunday July 20<sup>th</sup>.*

***Bus Service is canceled on July 20<sup>th</sup> and resume July 27<sup>th</sup>***



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## Office Hours

Tuesday through Friday  
9:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.  
Counseling by appointment.

## Sunday

## Worship Schedule

*Sunday School* 9:30 a.m.    *Bible Study* 7:00 p.m.  
*Testimony/Praise* 10:45 a.m.    *Youth Bible Study* 7:00 p.m.  
*Morning Worship* 11:00 a.m.    *Prayer Time Friday before 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday*  
*Holy Communion* 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday



### REHEARSAL SCHEDULE:

Sanctuary Choir	Saturday before 1 <sup>st</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday	10:00 a.m. – Noon
Youth Choir	Saturday before 1 <sup>st</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday	Noon – 2:00 p.m.
Men's Chorus	Saturday before 2 <sup>nd</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday	9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.
Praise Team	2 Thursdays before 4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday	6:00 p.m... – 7:00 p.m.
Combined Voices	2 Thursdays before 4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday	7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

***O come, let us sing unto the LORD!***

Church Meeting	2 <sup>nd</sup> Monday every quarter - 7:00 p.m. (January, April, July, October)
Youth Ministry	4 <sup>th</sup> Wednesday - 7:00 p.m.
Pastor's Aid Ministry	2 <sup>nd</sup> Saturday - 1:00 p.m.
WIN Ministry	2 <sup>nd</sup> Saturday – 12:00 p.m.
Praise Dancers	1 <sup>st</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup> Saturday - 10:00 a.m.
Missionary Ministry	4 <sup>th</sup> Saturday - 11:00 a.m.
Seniors' Ministry	3 <sup>rd</sup> Saturday every other month - 9:30 a.m. (January, March, May, July, September, November)
Flower Guild	4 <sup>th</sup> Saturday every other month - 9:00 a.m. (January, March, May, July, September, November)
Ushers' Ministry	3 <sup>rd</sup> Saturday every other month - 12 noon (January, March, May, July, September, November)

