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Like us on Facebook: Cross Road Baptist Church Asheboro

16th Annual Tour of Tables

March 23 & 24, 2019

Tickets are \$20 each

For information on Tara, visit her website www.tarafurman.com.

Tickets can be purchased from anyone doing a table or from the church office.

We need men to help serve the meal on both nights! See Mark Cox to help!



Get to know our New Youth Pastor Justin and his wife Candace!

Justin and Candace both grew up in Randolph County, alumnus of Southwestern Randolph High School. They have two daughters Alaythia (Aly) who is 7 and Amelia, 3 (Millie). God brought them to CRBC after faithfully serving in Concord, NC for 8 years. Before that they lived in Wake Forest, NC while Justin got his Masters of Divinity at Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary. Prior to that Candace went to NC State University where she got a degree in Middle Grades Education and Justin attend Liberty University for his degree in Religious Studies with a student ministry concentration. Justin's parents are Dwight and Sandra Curry who reside in Asheboro. Candace's parents are Eddy and Pat Cole, who also reside in Asheboro. They are currently renting the parsonage at Union Grove Baptist Church in Seagrove. God has blessed Candace with a job as a Reading Interventionist at Robbins Elementary School. They look forward to getting to know Asheboro again, trying new restaurants, watching movies at home, and playing on the playground at the park while Justin plays disc golf. The girls also love to sing, read and do gymnastics.

Alex Zsolt in Concert

Acclaimed Pianist for over 20 years

"Forever Faithful Concert"
March 10th 6:30-7:45pm

Alex will also give us a taste of his music during the **March 9 Saturday Worship** and both **Sunday morning services**.



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2019 Emphasis

PRAYER, CARE, SHARE

Senior Pastor: Rev. Johnny Henderson

Minister of Music and Discipleship: Rev. Mitch Duncan

Minister to Students, College & Young Professionals: Justin Curry

Children's Director: Laura Gillispie Ministry Assistant: Cheryl Surratt

AFTERSHOCK

STUDENT MINISTRY Acts 4:31-33

2019 is officially in full effect! As we look back on February a lot has been going on at Cross Road and with the Aftershock Student Ministry! We welcomed our new Minister to Students, Justin Curry and his family! We began our month Saturday Night worship. The students began a series on Wednesday nights about The Bible as God's Word, followed by small

group discussion. As we look to March we will be participating in Teen Extreme and going to see the Carolina Hurricanes. We will be announcing our summer mission camp plans and sign ups soon. Pastor Justin has been putting together a picture board of all the students to hang in his office so come get your picture taken. Parents and students please text Justin with your contact info at 336-301-0189. We are looking forward to what God is doing here! ***In Christ, Justin and youth leadership***

A Word of Thanks: Candace and I would like to give a big thank you to everyone for the warm welcome we have received in the last month! From folks showing up to help us unload the moving truck to inviting us to lunch to just a warm hug or handshake, we feel the love! We cannot thank you enough. You have already been ministering to our girls so well, making them feel so welcomed. They absolutely love it here. In so many ways we feel at home. It's been great to catch up with old friends and get to know new ones. We look forward to meeting and getting to know those of you with whom we have not yet had the pleasure. I cannot neglect to give God praise and glory in all of this. He's shown up in so many ways throughout this process and been faithful in blessing us, from Candace getting a job to the sale of our house - He is so good! Thank you, we look forward to ministering with you at Cross Road!

Aftershock Student Ministry (6th-12th Grade)

March 6, 20, 27: Aftershock Small Groups **March 13:** Aftershock Worship and Your Choices Randolph
March 15-16: Teen Extreme. Meet at church at 8pm. **March 30:** Carolina Hurricanes Hockey game

Young Adult Ministry

Sunday Morning Bible Study: 9:45am in the Avalanche room. We are doing an in-depth study on the Gospel of John.

Sunday nights at 6:15pm (March 3 & 31) in the youth room for the Making Space Bible Study

March 10th: Bryant West Concert at Oakhurst Baptist Church

March 17th: 6:00pm Dr. Gary Chapman (five love languages author) at Union Grove Christian Church, 3985 Old NC HWY 13, Asheboro

March 23 & 24 Tour of Tables: 6:30pm For women, men needed to help serve!

Stay up to date on the latest news and events by following Avalanche: @avalanches on Facebook, Instagram, Snapchat and Twitter.



Children's Ministry



Welcome to the month of Spring! It's a time of new beginnings. Here's hoping we will be soon leaving the days of cold rain behind! We are planning on doing a children's discipleship class soon. If you would like your child to take this class please let me know as soon as possible. Don't forget about M&M's on Sunday nights at 6:30pm! ***God Bless, Miss Laura***



Thank you Cross Road Baptist and all the volunteers who put together the hygiene kids for our home. We appreciate you and it was such a blessing. **Randolph Fellowship Home - Alpha House**

Church Family, Thank you so much for the visit by Pastor Johnny and Renea Henderson (during Pam's mother's death). Thanks also for the paper supplies for meals and the beautiful plant basket. More importantly thanks for all the kind words thoughts and prayers. God bless you all! **Pam, Brian, Lauren & Brandon Regan**

Dear Johnny and Church Family, Thank you for the poinsettia, visit, calls, cards and especially your prayers during my surgery and recovery. I am blessed to know such wonderful people. **Phyllis Caviness**

Dear Church Family, Thank you so much for the flower, cards, meals shared with us during my recent surgery and hospital stay. God has blessed us with wonderful Christian friends and a church that cares. May God continually bless you. **In Him, Sonja Maynor**

Church Family, Thanks to you as the Homebound Ministry represented you well with a visit & wonderful goodies and surprises during the holidays. It is such a blessing to see friends & feel God's love and caring at a difficult time in our lives. We love you all & pray for God's richest blessings as you faithfully work for Him. **Lauren and Carol McDowell**

Dear CRBC Family, Thank you for your prayers & financial support of the ministry of Child Evangelism Fellowship. I am also grateful for your AWANA ministry on Wednesdays & the opportunity to be a part of it by teaching the Sparks. I pray the Lord's continued blessings on your church family. **In His service, Summer Russell, CEF Central Piedmont**

Dear Aftershock Youth Group, Thank all of you that gave me the Thanksgiving dinner. It was really good. **Thanks again, Dianna Wigington (Asheboro Mill lofts Apartments #1201)**

Notes from Mitch

Greetings to my beloved Cross Road Baptist Church family. As we continue to serve together, I thank God for the opportunities He gives us to know Him and grow in Him. Here are some opportunities in March.

Worship

- I invite you to join me in **praying to God, thanking Him** for all those on our Music & Worship Team who play, sing and operate the technology that are such a vital part of our gatherings together.
- I also ask you to be in **prayer that God will bring more musicians and technicians** into our church family who will join us in our efforts.
- Don't forget to bring yourself, your family, and a friend or two to our **2nd Saturday Evening Worship at 6pm on March 9th.**

Work

- The **Choir** is beginning to rehearse specials songs to offer on **Palm Sunday and Resurrection Sunday.** If you would be interested in joining us for this joyous task, please see me and join us on **Sunday night at 4:45pm in the Choir Room** (downstairs below the Worship Center across from the Library).

Witness

- We will have **Teacher Training for all Morning Bible Study (Sunday School) teachers and workers on Sunday March 31st from 4:00-4:45pm, in the Choir Room** (downstairs below the Worship Center across from the Library).
- There will be no Discipleship Academy events in March due to Alex Zsolt performing on March 10th and the Tour of Tables on March 23-24.

WOW Women's Ministry

Tuesday Morning Bible Study Please meet at Peggy Massey's house at 9:30am. We are currently doing the Priscilla Shirer study "Gideon." **We always have room for new attendees and it is never too late to start!**

Soup Kitchen Clean up: January 5 and February 2 at 8:30am. 831 East Pritchard St., Asheboro.

Bingo at Cross Road Retirement Center: March 19 at 2pm. Meet at 1:30pm to help!

WOW Moms Meeting: March 19 at 6-8pm in the CLC. Food and childcare provided.

Tour of Tables: March 23 & 24 at 6:30pm in the CLC.



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Monthly Devotion

"No one's relationship with Christ will rise above the level of his or her praying. Put simply, if your prayer life is inconsistent and weak...your relationship with God will be as well." Dr. Gregory R. Frizzell.

What a delight it is each year to welcome the newness and freshness of spring-time.

Wherever you live, whatever the climate, spring is a reminder that resurrection is possible,

and renewal is wonderful. It's enough to make a person want to pray.

And what better prayers can we offer at this time of year than a springtime prayer such as the following:

***For flowers that bloom about our feet;
For tender grass, so fresh, so sweet;
For song of bird, and hum of bee;
For all things fair we hear or see,
Father in heaven, we thank Thee!***

***For blue of stream and blue of sky;
For pleasant shade of branches high;
For fragrant air and cooling breeze;
For beauty of the blowing trees,
Father in heaven, we thank Thee!***

(From We Thank Thee by Ralph Waldo Emerson from Guidepost)



**Don't Forget!
March 9th
at 6pm**

**Featuring Award
winning pianist
Alex Zsolt!**

**Childcare provided
up to 3 yrs old.**