

# Keynote Speaker in August: Kyle Matthews

Kyle Matthews is the Minister of Pastoral Care at First Baptist Church in Greenville, South Carolina, and a songwriter whose award-winning songs have been recorded by more than 70 well-known artists. In April of 2006, his Alma Mater, Furman University, awarded him the Richard Furman Baptist Heritage Award recognizing "a graduate who reflects Baptist ideals by thinking critically, living compassionately, and making life-changing commitments." He and his wife Susan have two children, Emily and Christopher.



Kyle will share a concert at 7 o'clock on the night of Saturday, August 6, to which we'll be inviting members of our community. He'll also be our guest worship leader on Sunday, August 7, as he helps us consider what it means to experience renewal in Christ. Kyle is a gifted musician, speaker, and worship leader; so we hope you can join us!

Child care will be provided for the concert.

## Update on Calvary's Missionaries Andy and Cari Robertson

Cari and Andy Robertson have made some major changes concerning their ministry in Africa. Tony will be starting high school at Rift Valley Academy in Kenya. The family decided that it would best meet his needs to be a station student and live with his parents. The goal would be to help Tony adjust to the academic expectations and integrate socially. If the goal is met, Cari and Andy would be in Kenya for a year and return to Chad for the remainder of their term.

As Rift Academy is an AIM supported school, this will just be a change of assignment. Both will use their talents at Rift Academy with Cari being a high school English teacher and Andy a physician for the student health team. Their mission of Christ centered churches among all African people will not change. The Robertsons ask for prayers that Tony will adjust and thrive, and that they can be back in Chad in July, 2023.

#### Back-to-School Bowling Bash

Join us for a "Back-to-School Bowling Bash" on Sunday, August 21, from 4:30 to 6:30 in the evening at the Mount Airy Bowling Center on West Lebanon Street. You and your family will enjoy two hours of free bowling and excellent fellowship with your church family. Even if you're not a bowler, we encourage you to drop in and enjoy our time together. We'll spring for some pizza; and if you'll bring some drinks, cookies, chips, or other snacks to share, we'll make a real party of it!



#### Wednesday Night Activities

Hey Calvary church family! Just a reminder that our Fall Session of Wednesday night activities will begin at 6:00 PM on Wednesday, September 14th and continue through November 9th. The evening will end at 7:15... snacks will be provided. There is something for kids of all ages up through youth. Becky Critz will be leading an adult Bible study as well! There is also nursery coverage for anyone who needs it. Please contact Alex Bracey if you have any questions.

Sabbatical Focus for August:

Renew

"Those who wait on the Lord will renew their strength."

Isaiah 40:31

### A Note of Thanks

Thank you so much for your prayers, visits, cards and the kind things you did for us during Marvin's sickness and the love you shared with the delicious meal after his service. You are a blessing in my life.

Glenda Beasley

#### Memorials

#### In Memory of Marvin Beasley

Claudia Bryant
Jimmy and Sandra Byrd
Lillian Holder
Chuck and Jo Lyn Johnson
Roger and Donna Keck
Jerry and Sandi Nowlin
Bill Smith
Russell York

In Memory of Larry Cannoy
Men's SS Class

In Memory of Ann Powers
Brenda Barfield