

### A MESSAGE FROM PASTOR BOB

*Welcome to Abundant Life! We are really glad you are with us today. Our desire is that you will feel right at home as we sing and worship, pray and grow together. If you have any questions feel free to ask. We are ready to serve you and your family in any way we can.*

Wow! June is here with all the signs of summertime in the south: oppressive heat, high humidity—and vacation trips to the mountains, the beaches and “everywhere in between”. Summers are great! No school for the kids and , long days filled with recreation and fun with family and friends. I love summer! But while we enjoy our travel, recreation, and activities, please remember your walk with the Lord. I don’t know about you, but for me the summer schedule seems to be more “laid back” and relaxed, yet busy with all the seasonal activity. Be careful not to grow complacent in your spiritual disciplines and in your walk with the Lord.

We have talked about reflecting Jesus’ image to the world around us this year as His disciples. Disciples continue to grow even during the summer months. Remember to read your Bible, pray, worship in private and by gathering together as a church family. Enjoy your vacation and time with your family, but let this summer be a time when you grow closer to the Lord. Don’t allow your heart to grow cool toward God and His work in your life.

I pray this summer will be a great season for you and your family as well as Abundant Life. We are on a mission to touch the world with the love of Jesus. Take that love along everywhere you go, and in all you do, this summer!

Blessings!  
**Pastor Bob**

**This week’s softball game: The Ladies** play Prospect Presbyterian on Monday night at 8:30 PM at Prospect field.

**Wednesday Nights—Worship and the Word**, Scott Washam will be teaching during the month of June.

### Saturday Evening Prayer

6:30-7:30 PM in the sanctuary. Come for the whole hour or come for a few minutes! Prayer makes all the difference!

### Graduation Sunday

**Today we honor our high school and college graduates!**

**Ashley Bagwell** received her Bachelor’s degree in Psychology from Queens University on May 7th. Ashley hopes to enter graduate school and become a professional in Christian counseling. **Taylor Bouck**, son of Malou Nicklow, is graduating from Lake Norman High School. Taylor will study Engineering at NC State. **Today’s guest speaker is Wayne Stowe.**

### PRAYER REQUESTS / NEEDS

**Craig and Teresa Moore**—“unspoken”  
**Justin Offenberger**—(Lisa and Kent’s son)—“unspoken”  
**Jimmie Cagle** —for healing  
**Nancy Newcomb** —healing of ALS  
**Paul & Ruth Bass** — strength & healing  
**Patsy Wilson**—Emphysema  
**Serenity House**—for God’s blessings & provision  
**Please remember to pray for all our church ministry teams as they seek the release of God’s gifts in and through their ministry teams.**

### COMING UP AT ABUNDANT LIFE

**Sunday, June 12**—Church Council Meeting – time TBA  
**Sunday, June 19**—Father’s Day  
**June 20-27**—Pastors’ Vacation  
**Sunday, June 26**—Guest Speaker, Rev. Danny Stevenson  
**Wednesday, June 29**—Wednesday Nite *LIVE!*  
**June 29-July 3**—Youth to Camp Courtney  
**Wednesday, July 6**—Day of Prayer and Fasting  
**July 15-17**—Family Camping and Canoeing  
**Sunday, July 17**—Church Council Meeting – time TBA  
**Saturday, July 23**— VBS/FAMILY FUN DAY  
**Saturday, July 30**—Men’s Breakfast – 8AM

**Youth Summer Camp Scholarship** donations in any amount may be made by marking an envelope or check “Summer Camp”.

**Water Baptism Sunday July 31 at Jerry and Sara Cline’s pool.** If you or a member of your family wish to be baptized, please see Pastor Bob.