



*Mt. Pisgah Baptist Church
Cumming, Georgia
Established 1881*

May, 2011 Pastor Randy Richards
Sunday School 9:45 ~ Worship Service 11:00

A Note From Our Pastor:

It's very hard to believe how quick the clock is ticking these days. May is here, school is almost out, summer is just around the corner, and still so much to do and to get accomplished. First, let me wish all of the mothers, both new and "experienced" (sounds better than the alternative), a very happy Mother's Day. I am so thankful for my own mother, my wife, the mother of my children, and all the mothers we have around Mt. Pisgah Church. What would this world be like without mothers? I can't even imagine and don't want to, either. From an excerpt of a Dennis Johnsey's Mother's Day prayer: "I give God the thanks and praise for all our mothers, those present and those present with the Lord, who have unselfishly nurtured us through the years; for the mothers who kissed our hurts and dried our tears; for the mothers who rejoiced in our victories and shared the sorrow of our defeats; for the mothers who spent sleepless nights tending to our coughs and fevers; for the mothers whose special touch created a safe, comfortable place of refuge we call home; for the mothers who held our hands through the transitions of life; for the mothers who loved us even when we were bad, and so showed us the meaning of faithfulness; for the mothers who drew from an endless supply of optimism as they encouraged us to discover our strengths and test our wings; for the mothers who, in the evening, knelt by our beds and showed us how to pray!" So, I wish each of you a great Mother's day and may God's love and guiding hand always be there for you.

By the time the bulletin comes out next month, our Vacation Bible School will be starting that night. I hope we can have a great outreach into the community and be able to share Jesus and God's Love with every child that we are blessed with attending our VBS. It is my prayer and I believe the Church's desire for the gospel to touch these children's lives and hopefully there will be those who accept Jesus as their Saviour! Thanks in advance to each person who volunteers or is volunteered to help in some way with VBS. I have always been impressed with Mt. Pisgah when it comes to working together to make things like VBS a success. Also, we will be gearing up for another exciting weekend of Church Camp at the end of next Month. Please, let me encourage every individual and family who may not have ever attended church camp to plan to try to attend! It has always been a great time of Christian fellowship and fun, making memories which will forever be cherished! May we all be diligent in our prayers, mindful of the times, and follow God's will in our lives in order to be an example of a believer in a world full of evil and despair. Keep the sick, both physically and spiritually, in our prayers. May God bless you all!

PRAY FOR REVIVAL!

In Christ's Love,

Randy