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GREETINGS to you in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ! Thanks be to Him for all the countless gifts He has given us, especially for our salvation and our new lives in Him!

WORSHIP AT CORNERSTONE continues each Lord's Day at 11:00 a.m. in the sanctuary. We will celebrate Holy Communion during the service on Sunday, May 4th.

SUNDAY SCHOOL for adults led by Rev. Tom Osterhaus meets at 9:45 a.m. each Sunday in the Fellowship Hall. Sunday School for children meets at 9:45 a.m. each Sunday in the room across from the nursery in the main building.

BIBLE STUDIES: The Ladies' Study Group continues its sessions at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, May 6th, in the Fellowship Hall. This will conclude the first series on the Book of Acts; the second series will resume in mid-summer after a break. The Men's Study Group is also taking a break in its studies during May. Watch this space in the Newsletter for the start-up dates of the next series of studies.

MISSIONS: Continuing our efforts to maintain contact with each of our missionaries, this month we encourage you to send a note to: Phil & Amina Fiol in India philandamina@swissmail.org; Andrew & Trish Shank with R.U.F. at App State Un. andrew.shank@ruf.org; Jonah with Frontier Ministries jonah@swissmail.org; and The Center For Women here in Brevard cpcare@comporium.net They all need our prayers and encouragement as well as our financial support.

THE MEN'S FELLOWSHIP LUNCH will be held at 12:00 noon on Wednesday, May 14th, in the Fellowship Hall. Bring your own bag lunch and something to drink, as we solve the problems of the day!

THE LADIES' MONTHLY BIRTHDAY LUNCH for May will be held at Sora's on Wednesday, May 14th at 11:30 a.m. Please RSVP to Lou Vissers (828-553-6786) by May 12th so that adequate space at the restaurant can be reserved.

LADIES' DAY TRIP: Six Cornerstone ladies recently enjoyed a day trip to Winston- Salem to visit the Reynolda House Museum of American Art. They toured the gardens of the R.J. Reynolds estate, saw the museum, and had a nice lunch in the village nearby. It was a great way to spend a spring afternoon! Watch this space in the Newsletter for announcements of future trips!

THE MONTHLY CONGREGATIONAL POTLUCK LUNCH will be held following the worship service on Sunday, May 25th. Please sign up on the sheet in the narthex to indicate what you will bring: an entree or a side dish or dessert for eight people.

MOTHER'S DAY is Sunday, May 11th. Don't forget to honor our mothers every day of the year, but especially on this special day set aside for that purpose!

MAY AND JUNE ARE "GRADUATION MONTHS," and a number in our congregation will be attending high school and college graduation ceremonies for grandchildren and other family members. Pray for safe travel and joyful celebrations for all.

THE SCHEDULE FOR NURSERY SERVICE lists Becky Chapel and Lou Vissers on May 4th; Joanna Martin and Karen McKee on May 11th; Nancy Davis and Joan Pretorius on May 18th; and Suzy Greene and Gail Grissom on May 25th.

HIGHLANDS PRESBYTERY will meet at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, May 6th, at Ridge Haven.

THE SESSION will meet at 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, May 29th, in the pastor's office.

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FINANCIAL REPORT Year to date through March 31:

Operating revenues.....	\$64,447
Operating expenses.....	\$59,266
Mission revenues.....	\$ 8,900
Mission expenses.....	\$ 9,724
Deacon fund revenues.....	\$ 1,162
Deacon fund expenses.....	\$ 1,634

MAY BIRTHDAYS: Holly Watkins (2nd); Glenda Malenke (5th); Cameron Anderson (13th); Edith Westbrook (14th); and Sandy Sawyer (18th). Take a moment to let each one of these special people that you are thinking about them on their special day!

WHAT WE BELIEVE: “Therefore we also, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which so easily ensnares us, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, looking unto Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith, who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and has sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.”(Hebrews 12:1-2)