



from the Heart

## It's A Party!

On the afternoon of May 1, Pam and I are inviting all of our members 55 and over to our home for a cookout. It will be a great time of fellowship and great eating! Please sign up in the Breezeway and plan to come! You may want to meet at church and ride with a friend. Directions will be available in the Breezeway. And, thanks in advance to our special events team and deacons for providing lots of support!

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## LIFE After Death

Join us this Sunday in worship as we explore the IMPACT of the Future Resurrection on our lives in the Present. We will continue to explore 1 Corinthians 15 as I continue the message series, "Life After Death."

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And, join us Sunday as we recognize:

- The Phelps family as they pursue their next ministry opportunity.
- Our own Brittany Garnett as she pursues a great summer mission opportunity
- Our financial secretary Glenda Ward as she prepares for retirement

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Thank You to Shay Reyner and everyone who made our Growth Intensives a great success this past Sunday by teaching classes, welcoming others, providing childcare, and serving a great meal. This format is proving to meet needs and work for the schedules of many.

On the horizon, we have Laughter & Latte this Sunday, Senior Adult recognition, Mother's Day, Parent-Child dedication, church night at the Durham Bulls, Memorial Day weekend fellowship and so much more.

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Pictured: Pastor Marvin, Sally, Pastor Marc Louis, Katie

Thank you also for your warm welcome to the Hispanic church, La Cosecha, who are meeting in our facilities for at least a few weeks. Our deacons, ushers, greeters, and members made them feel welcome last Sunday. Keep

up the good work in the future. We are praying that God is going to meet the need for a Hispanic outreach to our soccer friends on Sunday, as well as for the Hispanic community living in northern Durham.

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Adult Bible Study ♦ Prayer ♦ Fellowship

# ENGAGE

**Join Us**

Wednesdays @7 PM in Room 509

### Wednesday!!

During his time overseas, Craig Phelps developed a discipleship series to lay a biblical foundation for believers, new and old alike. In it he brings together key ideas in the Old and New Testament which provide a unique insight and understanding of God's plan for our lives and how that plan unfolds in the Bible. Craig will be leading this series and will provide you with a framework for greater understanding of the rest of the Bible, enhancing your personal study, and hopefully impact how you view your daily walk with the Lord and your interaction with other people. Everyone is invited to attend.

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There is something at Ridgecrest for each member of your family – as well as your friends and family who are searching for a church home, and / or who may not know Jesus.

I'm amazed at the change God has brought to my life and how He allows me to be a part of what He is doing IN and THROUGH Ridgecrest.

Pastor Marc

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