

Ebenezer Baptist Church Student Ministry

CRASH SUMMER

Come CRASH into
Summer at Ebenezer
Baptist Church!



SPACE INVADERS ON SUNDAY NIGHTS

Bring your friends and come hang with us on Sunday nights as we INVADE homes in our church family. We'll have dinner, hang out, swim at some locations and spend time in God's Word.

HOST HOMES:

Sunday, June 23 @ the Home of Jeffrey & Melissa Miller
1610 Jefferson Dr.

Sunday, June 30 @ the Home of Michael & Meredith Taylor
831 Barclay Dr.

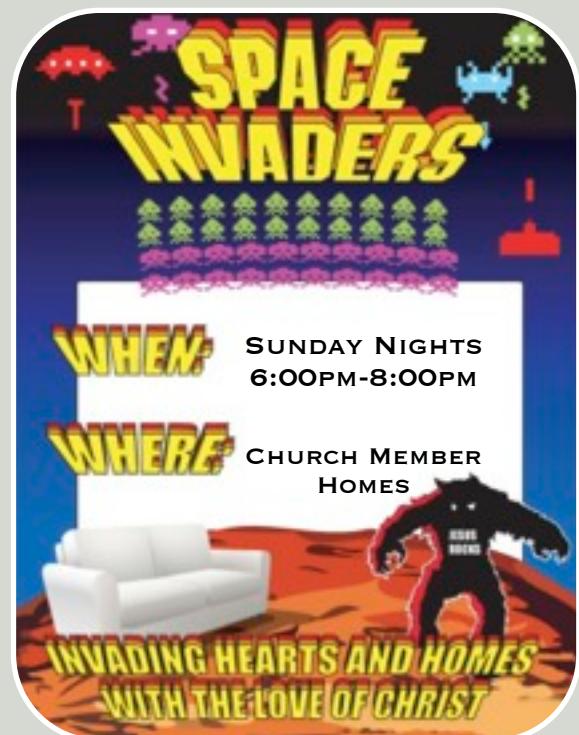
Sunday, July 7 @ the Home of Jimmy & Connie Norton
2720 Trotter Rd.

Sunday, July 14 @ the Home of Chuck & Kay Andrews
514 Prestwick Dr.

Sunday, July 21 Hosted by Bridgette & Marty Coates and Harry & Linda Freeman
Location TBA

Sunday, July 28 @ the Home of Nathan & Ashley Neighbors
462 Guildford Cir.

Sunday, August 4 @ The Church - Annual Student/Adult Softball Game



PRAY FOR SL.



Pray for these students and adults who will attend Student Life Camp June 17-21:

Matthew Andrews
Turner Arnold
Julianna Barfield
Mason Bunn
Vivian Bunn
Emilee Cox
Riley Dunnam
Jessica Epps
Kade Fambrough
Alexis Floyd
Ali Freeman
Rachel Freeman
Luke Freeman
Austin Gardner
Camryn Gardner
Mariah Godbold
Alex Greer
Mackenzie Grimsley
Cole Hannah
Jacob Hill
Caleb Hutchinson
Sumner James
Reed Johnston
Brad Kempson
Kaitlyn Kempson
Abbey Kennedy
Andrew Lee
Victoria Miller
Greer Norton
Alex Pettigrew
Ethan Pettigrew
Kassie Phillips
Shelley Rodriguez
Tyler Trujillo
Destiny Waldrop
Cody Watkins
Molly Watkins
Neal Kennedy
Renee Kennedy
Jimmy Norton
Anita Shively
Lee White
Allison Triplett
Misty Kempson
Nathan Neighbors

WEDNESDAYS AT THE YAB

7 to 7th

Rising 7th Graders: It's almost time for you to join us for good in the Student Ministry here at Ebenezer. Though you will continue to enjoy a few more months in the Children's Ministry, we want to take some time to help you get connected with CRASH. Here are all the great events you're invited to attend:

Youth VBX 2013 - June 9-13

Rising seventh graders are invited to these 7 special events to help you get prepared to be a 7th grader in the CRASH Student Ministry at Ebenezer Baptist Church:

1. Wednesday, June 12 - Girl's VBX Sleep Over
2. Wednesday, July 3 - Lunch with Nathan @ the YAB 12:00pm-1:00pm
3. Wednesday, July 10 - Wonderful Wednesday at the YAB (10am-12pm)
4. Wednesday, July 17 - Wonderful Wednesday at the YAB (10am-12pm)
5. Wednesday, July 24 - Wonderful Wednesday at the YAB (10am-12pm)
6. Wednesday, July 31 - Wonderful Wednesday at the YAB (10am-12pm)
7. Wednesday, August 14 - Cookout & Pool Party with your parents (6pm-8pm)
at the home of Nathan & Ashley Neighbors
462 Guildford Circle

Promotion Sunday: August 25th (join us in the YAB to meet your new Sunday School teachers). That evening at 6:00pm we will have a Parent/Youth Meeting for all youth and families that will cover all fall planning and programming. This will be an opportunity to volunteer in Crash Student Ministry.

SUMMER MIDDLE SERVICES @ 6:15PM

Join us on Wednesday nights this summer at the YAB for a time of worship and message each week. We won't meet every Wednesday night, so be sure to check out these dates for times and topics:

June 5 - Cole Strickland Speaking about Mission Trip to Ireland
June 12 - VBX Week in the YAB
June 19 - NO MIDDLE - Student Life Camp at Wake Forest
June 26 - Student Life Report
July 3 - Drew Wike Missions Testimony
July 10 - Greer Norton Missions Testimony
July 17 - Logan & Mackenzie Grimsley Missions Testimonies
July 24 - TBA
July 31 - TBA
August 7 - NO MIDDLE - Prep for Deliverance Weekend
August 14 - NO MIDDLE - Nathan & Ashley hosting a rising 7th grader event.
August 21 - PRAY BACK - Special Prayer Walk For Our Schools

“As you go, proclaim this message: The kingdom of heaven has come near.” - Matt. 10:7

Over 100
Students
Attended



Thank you to all of our volunteers for helping make VBX 2013 such a great week for our students. Here is a recap of the main points:

- #1 - The Kingdom Of Heaven Is More Than Meets The Eye (Matthew 13:31-33)
- #2 - The Kingdom Of Heaven Is Priceless (Matthew 13:44-46)
- #3 - The Kingdom Of Heaven Is Available to All (Matthew 20:1-16 & Matthew 13:47-50)
- #4 - The Kingdom Of Heaven Is A Place of Reconciliation (Matthew 18:21-35)
- #5 - The Kingdom Of Heaven Is Within You (Matthew 19:13-15 & Luke 17:21)

Deliverance 2013 @ Lake Murray

Are you ready for our annual Deliverance Weekend Retreat? Which team will go home victorious with the paddle? Sign up now to be part of this incredible retreat as we head to Dreher Island on Lake Murray for another game of Deliverance. We will leave very early on Thursday, August 8th and return Saturday night, August 10th. You won't want to miss this year's adventure. Sign up sheets are in the YAB. Trip Cost: \$50



**PRAY FOR
STUDENT
STAFFING**



Pray for these students and adults who will volunteering at Student Life Daytona Beach July 6-12

Rachel Coates
Dustin Lee
Drew Wike
Matthew Andrews
Abbey Kennedy
Taylor Chapman
Alex Pettigrew
Lee White
Logan Grimsley
Colin Raynor
Nathan Neighbors
Ashley Neighbors

IMPORTANT BACK TO SCHOOL DATES:

August 18 - Back to School Sunday
August 19 - 1st Day of School
August 23 - 1st Prayer Breakfast
August 25 - Promotion for Youth
August 25 - Parent/Youth Fall Meeting at 6:00pm in the YAB
August 28 - The Middle Resumes
September 8 - D-Groups Begin

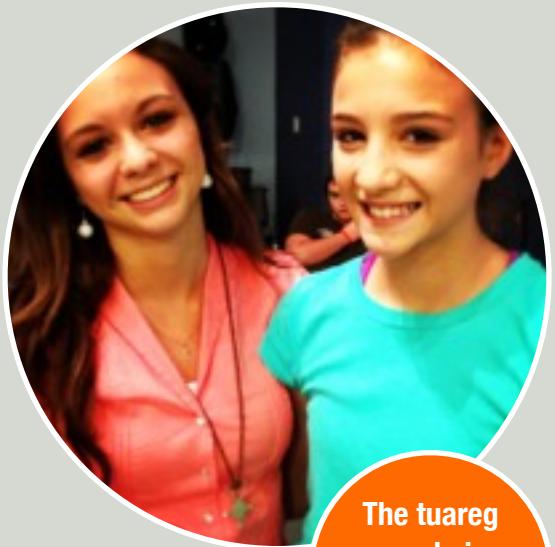
TUAREG CROSS

This summer we are passing a special cross among the students. Nathan first received this cross from his sister after her trip to Mali, West Africa in the early 90's. The Tuareg Cross is a special cross that is an ancient symbol dating back thousands of years. The Tuareg people would pass this symbol from the fathers to the sons as a way to pass down their heritage. When Christian missionaries began sharing the Gospel with this people group they used this symbol from the Tuareg's culture to teach them about the cross and Christ.

This cross has been a trademark of Nathan's student ministry over the years and

has been passed to hundreds of times over the years. When a student passes the cross to another student they get the opportunity to tell that person how they see Christ in their life. The goal of passing the cross is to help students become united around the cross of Christ and passionate about sharing the Gospel of Christ with their friends.

So, if you see a funny looking necklace hanging around one of the teenager's necks this summer - ask them about the Tuareg Cross.



The tuareg cross being passed during VBX

For Student Ministry updates be sure to check out:

Church Website: www.ebenezerbaptistchurch.com

CRASH Facebook Page: www.facebook.com/groups/CRASHMinistries

Nathan's Blog: www.nathanneighbors.com

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