

**Most Americans have a sense of “dis-ease”
at the end of the day.**

We don't feel right about what we've done or been during the past 24 hours. We fill our days with numbing 9-5 work and empty 5-11 pursuits—television, movies, shopping, magazines—but often lack a sense of rightness to our days. We're like the kamikaze pilot who flew seven-teen missions—we never quite achieve the expected result!

In the words of Max Lucado, “We hear the relentless tick, tick, tick telling us to hurry, hurry, hurry . . . resulting in this roaring blur called the human race.”¹

But rest flows from a sense that what needs to be done actually got done. God never gets to the weekend and says, “Thank Me it's Friday!” Jesus still implores us with the words, “Come to Me, all you who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest” (Matthew 11: 28).

Thirst—a unique call to revival with the Life Action Ministries Conference Team—challenges believers to make radical changes in how they view their lives.

Find rest for your soul.

Thirst is real. Substitution is empty.

Thirst—A Revival Conference:



Coming to our church:

September 19 - 22, 2010
(6:30pm each evening)

“Come, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters.” Isaiah 55:1

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¹Max Lucado, *Cure for the Common Life*, p. 96

A For Your Entire Church

SUBSTITUTION IS EMPTY

THIRST

A Life Action Revival Conference
For Your Entire Church

September 5, 2010

Life Polluters To Avoid– Judgmentalism

Dr. Bill Bowyer, *Senior Pastor*
(Luke 18:9-14)

Judgmentalism Emphasizes Imperfect Comparisons (18:9-12)

Focuses on self

Condemns others

Celebrates performance over integrity (12)

God Honors The Person Who Practices Authentic Confession (18:13-14)

His Humility

His Heart

God's Evaluation (14)

Applications:

1. If you tend toward Pharisaism, end it today.
2. If a "Pharisee" is trying to control you, close down that influence today.
3. If you have truly received the incredible grace of God, then you must extend grace to others.

What happens...when **nothing** brings you **Joy?**

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, September 5

8:00am Bible Study (*Adult*)
9:00am Bible Study / Worship
10:30am Bible Study / Worship
4:00pm Choir, Band, Orchestra Rehearsal
6:00pm IDG's (*Small Groups*)
6:00pm Kids Praise (*Preschool age 4: Rm. W137 preschool hall; Grades K-5: Music Suite*)

Monday, September 6

The church office and ROC will be closed in observance of Labor Day.

Tuesday, September 7

The Creator's Kids first day of school!

6:00pm Open GYM (ROC)

Wednesday, September 8

5:30pm Wednesday Night Meal (ROC)
6:30pm AWANA (ROC)
6:30pm Wednesday Night IDG Groups
6:45pm Student Ministries (*In Home Small Group Studies*)
6:45pm Adult Prayer/Bible Study (*Worship Center*)

Thursday, September 9

Men's Golf Retreat (Myrtle Beach, SC)
6:15am Prayer Meeting (*Worship Center*)
9am-3pm Walking Track (ROC)
6:30pm Coed Volleyball Practice

Friday, September 10

Men's Golf Retreat (Myrtle Beach, SC)
9:00am-MOPS Teacher Training (ROC)

Saturday, September 11

Men Golf Retreat (Myrtle Beach, SC)
Montana Missions Trip (Livingston, MT)
9am-Noon Women's Expo (ROC)

ROC Daytime Hours

Monday – Thursday • 9:00am – 3:00 pm
Open to WCRBC members & their guests unless there is a scheduled activity. Please see above schedule for evening ROC hours.

Deacon of the Week

Eric Parker, 761-9565

Homebound of the Week

Gracie Macon of *Wake Forest*

International Missions Opportunity

Mission: El Salvador 2011

- April 29 - May 5
- September 1-8

Informational meeting Sunday, September 12 @ 5:30pm in room E109.

Prayer Needs

Doc & Barbara Watkins (*Medical Need*)

Dwight & Doris Poole (*Medical Need*)

Carol McClellan (*Medical Need*)

Donnie Boykin (*Medical Need*)

Bobby & Shirley Maines (*Medical Need*)

Mildred Stephens (*Medical Need*)

Erin Buffkin (*Medical Need*)

Steve Allen (*Medical Need*)

Louise Jones (*Medical Need*)

Becky Pearce (*Medical Need*)

Amy Jo Tucker (*Medical Need*)

Lucas Joyner (*Medical Need*)

Billy Bray (*Medical Need*)

ZiZi Bray Pruitt (*Medical Need*)

Irene Wills Mother, Oaksia (*Medical Need*)

Ashleigh Heitzman (*Medical Need*)

Jack Adams (*Loss of father*)

Arlene Butler

Wednesday Night Meal

Ages 12 and up \$4.50, Ages 4-11: \$2.50;
Ages 0-3 Free (*out of pocket max is \$20*)
suggested donation

September 8

Beef Tips & Rice

Black-eyed Peas, Pickled Beats,
Turnip Salad, Rolls, Dessert

Reservation forms can be found on the information board or in the worship center seat backs.