

## MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of Peak City Full Gospel Baptist Church is to continue the work of Jesus Christ in the earth.

## PURPOSE STATEMENT

Apex North Carolina, affectionately known as “The Peak City,” is the home of the newly organized Peak City Full Gospel Baptist Church (FGBC). Peak City FGBC is a work forged by Christ in accordance with the Lord’s testimony found in St. Luke 4: 18. Peak City FGBC purpose is to continue the work of Christ in the earth: to preach the gospel to the poor, to heal the broken hearted, offer deliverance to the captives, the recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty them that are bruised and to preach the acceptable year of the Lord. This new work is a movement of grace and an offering to those who need healing and embrace peace.

## VISION STATEMENT

The vision of Peak City is to remain approachable, visible, and accessible to work the work of Christ. **WE ARE** the city that cannot be hid.

## CHURCH HISTORY

Peak City Full Gospel Baptist Church was forged by God and founded by Pastor JT and Evangelist Lakithia Chapman on May 1, 2016. The first worship service was held at the Apex Community Center 53 Hunter Street Apex, NC. Over 150 persons gathered to share in this new worship effort. Dr. John T Chapman preached the first sermon at Peak City FGBC entitled, “Let the Healing Begin.” A reflection of God’s favor, the first worship service was adorned with uplifting praise and worship, attentive ushers, melodies from the Peak City Choir concluding with worshipers partaking of the Lord’s Supper. After the first worship service ended, the gatherers visited a 10,000 plus square foot property located at 1701 Center Street in Apex NC. A week later, this location would become the first home of Peak City Full Gospel Baptist Church. While new members worked diligently on the renovations of the new property, worship was conducted at the Hilton Garden Inn on Columbus Drive in Cary NC. The first worship service in the new edifice was held on May 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2016. The attendance and excitement continues to grow with each passing week. The church considers this new ministry as the Lord’s doing. To God be the Glory for the things He has done. The best is yet to come!



Rev. Dr. John T. Chapman and Evangelist Lakithia Chapman  
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### *Vision Statement of Peak City Full Gospel Baptist Church:*

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Sunday Morning D.E.W. Service 7:45AM  
Sunday School – 9:15AM – 9:45AM  
Sunday Morning Worship Service - 10:00AM  
Pastoral Teaching - Thursday – 7:00PM – 8:00PM

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✠ **WORSHIP SERVICE** ✠

August 21, 2016 at 7:45 A.M.

✠ *Faith Confessions* ✠

♪ *Praise and Worship* ♪

**Ministry of Worship**

*Opening Prayer*

*Scripture Reading*

*Musical Selection*

**Ministry of Sharing**

*Meet and Greet*

*Welcome to Guests*

*Weekly Highlights*

**Ministry of Giving**

*Musical Selection*

✠ **Ministry of the Word** ✠

**Ministry of Prayer**

**Benediction**

**PEAK CITY ACADEMY**

The next course will be held on Thursday, September 01, 2016

**Course 1 – CHURCH ALIVE**

**BOOK: Autopsy of a Deceased Church**

**Rev. Marilyn Merriweather**

Class start at 6:45PM

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**Course 2 – TRAINING FOR SERVICE**

**BOOK: Training for Service**

**Rev. Janette Chestnut**

Class start at 7:25PM

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**Please visit the Resource Center to purchase your books**



# BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS



HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ALL PEAK CITY MEMBERS WHO ARE CELEBRATING A BIRTHDAY THE MONTH OF AUGUST

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*Thinking of You*

**SICK AND SHUT-IN**



PLEASE REMEMBER OUR SICK AND SHUT-IN WITH YOUR CALLS, CARDS VISITS AND PRAYERS.

IF YOU KNOW OF ANYONE WHO IS SICK OR SHUT-IN, PLEASE SEND THEIR NAME TO [info@peakcityfgbc.org](mailto:info@peakcityfgbc.org).

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PLEASE SUBMIT ALL ANNOUNCEMENT REQUESTS TO

[info@peakcityfgbc.org](mailto:info@peakcityfgbc.org) NO LATER THAN WEDNESDAY @ 4PM.

## ✠ SERMON NOTE – MORNING D.E.W. ✠

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SERMON TITLE: \_\_\_\_\_

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**PEAK CITY TRAVELING TO ATLANTA, GA.**

- Peak City is heading to Atlanta, GA to visit Dr. W. J. Lawson, Sr. and the Cornerstone Community Baptist Church family. The trip is scheduled to take place from Friday, November 11, 2016 and returning Sunday, November 13, 2016.
- Dr. Chapman will be the guest preacher at Cornerstone Community Baptist Church on Sunday, November 13, 2016.
- If you are interested in traveling to Atlanta, GA, please sign up on the sheet located at the Resource Center. Details will be forthcoming soon.

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**2018 ISRAEL TRIP to ISRAEL**

- 2018 12-Day Trip to Israel – Come and travel with Dr. Chapman and Peak City to wonderful experience in the land of Israel.
- This will truly be a trip of a lifetime and one you will never forget.
- Please stop by the Resource Center for an informational brochure that will provide a detailed outline of the trip.

**✠ SERMON NOTE – 10AM MORNING SERVICE ✠**

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## THIS WEEK AT PEAK CITY FGBC



### Sunday Aug 21, 2016:

- 7:45am - 9:15am AM Morning Worship Service
- 9:15AM Sunday School
- 10am - 12pm AM Morning Worship Service

### Thursday Aug 25, 2016:

- 7pm - 8pm Pastoral Teaching

### Saturday, August 27, 2016:

- The "Three Score and Ten Ministry" will be going to the Barn Theater to see the play "CROWNS" on Saturday, August 27th at 11:00 am. **Dress Code - NO JEANS & SNEAKERS.** The van will leave the church at 9:30 AM. **If you have not paid for you ticket, (\$46.00) please do so this today.**
- This stand-up-and-testify musical is a soul stirring tribute to the unique cultural phenomenon that fuses faith with fashion by celebrating African-American women and their church hats. This inspirational story will lift your spirits and enlighten the younger folk on the unique history and spiritual pride associated with the "crowns" of the strong women of the South. For questions please see Sister Brenda Cannady, Sister Carrie Lee and Brother Ronald Richardson.

\* For up-to-date information about Peak City Full Gospel Baptist Church and our activities, please visit our website – [www.peakcityfgbc.org](http://www.peakcityfgbc.org).  
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and hast not withheld thy son, thine only son:

17. That in blessing I will bless thee, and in multiplying I will multiply thy seed as the stars of the heaven, and as the sand which is upon the sea shore; and thy seed shall possess the gate of his enemies;

### Friday: I Cor. 15: 55-57:

55. O death, where is thy sting? O grave, where is thy victory?  
56. The sting of death is sin; and the strength of sin is the law.  
57. But thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ. 58. Therefore, my beloved brethren, be ye stedfast, unmoveable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as ye know that your labour is not in vain in the Lord.

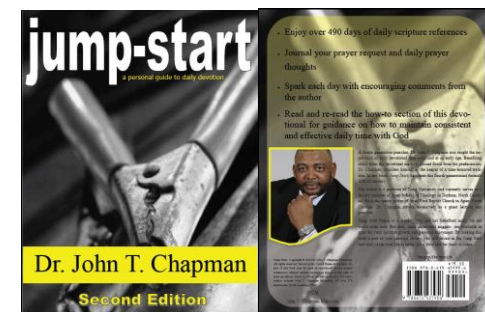
### Saturday: 2 Timothy 2: 1-3:

1. Thou therefore, my son, be strong in the grace that is in Christ Jesus.
2. And the things that thou hast heard of me among many witnesses, the same commit thou to faithful men, who shall be able to teach others also.
3. Thou therefore endure hardness, as a good soldier of Jesus Christ.

### Sunday: Romans 8: 35-39:

35. Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? shall tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword?
36. As it is written, For thy sake we are killed all the day long; we are accounted as sheep for the slaughter.
37. Nay, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him that loved us.
38. For I am persuaded, that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor powers, nor things present, nor things to come,
39. Nor height, nor depth, nor any other creature, shall be able to separate us from the love of God, which is in Christ Jesus our Lord.

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33. And Jacob said, Swear to me this day; and he sware unto him: and he sold his birthright unto Jacob.

34. Then Jacob gave Esau bread and pottage of lentiles; and he did eat and drink, and rose up, and went his way: thus Esau despised his birthright.

**Wednesday: Genesis 22: 1-10:**

1. And it came to pass after these things, that God did tempt Abraham, and said unto him, Abraham: and he said, Behold, here I am.

2. And he said, Take now thy son, thine only son Isaac, whom thou lovest, and get thee into the land of Moriah; and offer him there for a burnt offering upon one of the mountains which I will tell thee of.

3. And Abraham rose up early in the morning, and saddled his ass, and took two of his young men with him, and Isaac his son, and clave the wood for the burnt offering, and rose up, and went unto the place of which God had told him.

4. Then on the third day Abraham lifted up his eyes, and saw the place afar off.

5. And Abraham said unto his young men, Abide ye here with the ass; and I and the lad will go yonder and worship, and come again to you.

6. And Abraham took the wood of the burnt offering, and laid it upon Isaac his son; and he took the fire in his hand, and a knife; and they went both of them together.

7. And Isaac spake unto Abraham his father, and said, My father: and he said, Here am I, my son. And he said, Behold the fire and the wood: but where is the lamb for a burnt offering?

8. And Abraham said, My son, God will provide himself a lamb for a burnt offering: so they went both of them together.

9. And they came to the place which God had told him of; and Abraham built an altar there, and laid the wood in order, and bound Isaac his son, and laid him on the altar upon the wood.

10. And Abraham stretched forth his hand, and took the knife to slay his son.

**Thursday: Genesis 22: 17:**

11. And the angel of the Lord called unto him out of heaven, and said, Abraham, Abraham: and he said, Here am I.

12. And he said, Lay not thine hand upon the lad, neither do thou any thing unto him: for now I know that thou fearest God, seeing thou hast not withheld thy son, thine only son from me.

13. And Abraham lifted up his eyes, and looked, and behold behind him a ram caught in a thicket by his horns: and Abraham went and took the ram, and offered him up for a burnt offering in the stead of his son.

14. And Abraham called the name of that place Jehovahjireh: as it is said to this day, In the mount of the Lord it shall be seen.

15. And the angel of the Lord called unto Abraham out of heaven the second time,

16. And said, By myself have I sworn, saith the Lord, for because thou hast done this thing,



**UPCOMING AT PEAK CITY FGBC**



**Thursday August 25, 2016:**

- 7:00PM – 8:00PM Pastoral Teaching

**Sunday Aug 28, 2016:**

- 7:45AM - 9:15AM AM Morning Worship Service
- 9:15AM Sunday School
- 10AM – 12PM AM Morning Worship Service

**Thursday September 1, 2016:**

- 6:45PM - 7:20PM Peak City Academy - 1st Class
- 7:25PM – 8:00PM Peak City Academy - 2nd Class

**Monday September 5, 2016:**

- Labor Day

**Tuesday September 6, 2016:**

- 7:00PM – 8:00PM Missionary Ministry Meeting

**Thursday September 8, 2016:**

- 6:45PM - 7:20PM Peak City Academy - 1st Class
- 7:25PM – 8PM Peak City Academy - 2nd Class

**Saturday, September 17, 2016:**

- 9AM – 12PM **The Missionary Ministry and Resource Center** will have their 1<sup>st</sup> annual 3K Walk/Run. Location: Crowder Park, Apex, NC. T-Shirts on sell for \$20 at the Resource Center. Any questions or if you are interested in participating, please contact Sister Marcia McCovey, Sister Mary Farrington or any member of the Missionary Ministry or Resource Center. Information is also listed on the church web site – [www.peakcityfgbc.org](http://www.peakcityfgbc.org).



# WELCOME TO PEAK CITY FULL GOSPEL BAPTIST CHURCH



**Mr. Maurice C. Lauchner and  
Friends**

## **HOLD ON TO WHAT YOU BELIEVE!**

Do you have desires? Do have things that you want to come to pass? Sure you do. We all do. If it were as simple as having a desire and then receiving it without delay, there would be no need for this week's lesson.

The truth is there remains negative thoughts, negative people and adverse situations that cloud our beautiful sky of life. When this happens, you should simply hold on to what you believe. This week's lesson will help you do exactly that.

There will be responses and reactions of rejection that manifest the moment you decide to move forward. However, we do not give up the moment adversity shows up. But rather we overcome evil with good. The bible says, *God will give you the desires of your heart*. Hence, the desire you have-in align with God's desires-did not come to you in a vacuum. Your Creator planted these desires in your spirit. So, **HOLD ON TO WHAT YOU BELIEVE!** While you are reading this week, keep your focus on the subject: "Hold On To What You Believe." Keep a tight grip.

### **HOLD ON TO WHAT YOU BELIEVE! - (KJV)**

#### **Monday: Gen 25: 21-26:**

21. And Isaac intreated the Lord for his wife, because she was barren: and the Lord was intreated of him, and Rebekah his wife conceived.
22. And the children struggled together within her; and she said, If it be so, why am I thus? And she went to inquire of the Lord.
23. And the Lord said unto her, Two nations are in thy womb, and two manner of people shall be separated from thy bowels; and the one people shall be stronger than the other people; and the elder shall serve the younger.
24. And when her days to be delivered were fulfilled, behold, there were twins in her womb.
25. And the first came out red, all over like an hairy garment; and they called his name Esau.
26. And after that came his brother out, and his hand took hold on Esau's heel; and his name was called Jacob: and Isaac was threescore years old when she bare them.

#### **Tuesday: Genesis 25: 27-34:**

27. And the boys grew: and Esau was a cunning hunter, a man of the field; and Jacob was a plain man, dwelling in tents.
28. And Isaac loved Esau, because he did eat of his venison: but Rebekah loved Jacob.
29. And Jacob sod pottage: and Esau came from the field, and he was faint:
30. And Esau said to Jacob, Feed me, I pray thee, with that same red pottage; for I am faint: therefore was his name called Edom.
31. And Jacob said, Sell me this day thy birthright.
32. And Esau said, Behold, I am at the point to die: and what profit shall this birthright do to