# **3RD GRADE READING: WE CAN DO MORE**

Reading proficiently by the end of third grade can be a make-or-break benchmark in a child's educational development. Join us as we discuss what our community can do to make sure all children learn to read by third grade.

## Tuesday, April 1, 6:00 – 8:00 PM

### Friendship Missionary Baptist Church

3400 Beatties Ford Road

#### Keynote Speaker:

**Ralph Smith**, SVP of Annie E. Casey Foundation, Managing Director of Campaign for Grade-Level Reading

#### Panelists:

• Dr. Mark Edwards, Superintendent of Mooresville Graded Schools

• Tisha Greene, Principal of Hidden Valley Elementary

• **Cindy Motta**, 3rd Grade Teacher at Devonshire Elementary

- NC Senator Joel Ford (D)
- NC Senator Jeff Tarte (R)

Light refreshments provided







Ralph Smith, Keynote Speaker



