"But none of these things move me, neither count I my life dear unto myself, so that I might finish my course with joy, and the ministry, which I have received of the Lord Jesus, to testify the gospel of the grace of God." Acts 20:24

November 22, 2026

Preparing Our Hearts for Worship		Sandy Michaux/Pam Leslie
Lighting of the Advent Candle		Kenny & Carla Hollifield
Operation Christmas Child Dedication		
Call to Worship	"Count Your Blessings"	No. 786
Welcoming Our Guests and Announcements		
Offertory Hymn	"We Are So Blessed"	No. 795
Offertory Prayer		Deacon of the Week
Worship with Tithes and Offerings		Sandy Michaux/Pam Leslie
Choir in Worship	"All the Praise"	
Altar Prayer		
Hymn of Praise	"Doxology"	No. 815
Special Music		Clara Singleton
Message	"A Life of Gratitude" Acts 20:17-27	Pastor Mike Leslie
*Hymn of Invitation	"Have Thine Own Way, Lord"	No. 591
Benediction		Michael Stamey
Going Out with Joy		

**The members of this fellowship invite you to commit your life to Jesus Christ as your Savior and Lord. If you have received Christ as your Savior, we encourage you to publicly acknowledge Him. We invite you to join our church by statement of faith and obedience through believers baptism or promise of a letter from another church. Our pastor will greet you and receive your request during the hymn of invitation. You are welcome here.*

Baptist Children's Home Thanksgiving Offering during the month of November.

Church office has cookbooks for sale $15.00, also church shirts $15.00 - $18.00 and hats $15.00 are available.

Today	**9:45 AM**	Sunday School
	10:00 AM	Sanctuary Class
	11:00 AM	Morning Worship
	5:00 PM	Adult Choir Practice
Wednesday		No Meetings or Service

New Sunday School Opportunities:

Men & Ladies Class with Jeff Warren and Ladies Class with Pam Leslie
Both classes meet on the 3rd floor.

Nov. 20 – 22	Youth at Hearts on Fire in Tennessee with Pastor Mike
Mon., Nov. 23	Last Chance to drop off OCC Boxes 9:00 AM - Noon
Tues., Nov. 24	Family Care Ministry at 1:30 PM
Wed., Nov. 25	No Services. Happy Thanksgiving!
Sun., Nov. 29	Baptism Class at 9:45 AM Mission Study at 5:00 PM
Thurs., Dec. 3	Deacon Christmas Dinner in Fellowship Hall
Sat., Dec. 5	G35 Christmas Party in Fellowship Hall at 5:00 PM
Sun., Dec. 6	GA Cookie Sale for Lottie Moon Church Council meeting following morning service Church Wide Christmas Caroling at 3:00 PM
Tues., Dec. 8	Choir Practice at 6:30 PM

BIRTHDAYS: 22 Harry Mullins, 23 David Flynn, 25 Andrew Jackson, 26 Charles Ford, 27 Macrae Violet Rice, 28 Locklyn James
ANNIVERSARIES: 22 Buddy & Barbara Flynn

SHUT IN OF THE WEEK: *Louise Birchfield*
54 Cloverleaf Lane
Canton, NC 28716

Nursing Home: Gail Shope, Franklin Redmond, Gloria Gibson
Home Bound: Gary Welch, Bessie Shepherd, Barbara Dalton, Doris Shope
Special Concerns: Tracy Penland, Judy Lowe, Waylan B. Hensley, Carolyn Surrett, Joey Parker, Skipper Russell, Norma Sellers, Margaret Chapman, Mae Jones, Frank Clark, Arlene Breland, Brody Richards, Hensley Family, Glen Massie

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Operation Christmas Child

December 14th – Operation Christmas Child Processing Center in Charlotte 1:00 PM – 5:00 PM Sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board. If you have any questions, please contact Lori at 828-777-3469.

Read the Bible Through in 2026

Sun.	Ezekiel 38-39; James 4	**Wed.**	Ezekiel 44-46; 1 Peter 2
Mon.	Ezekiel 40-41; James 5	**Thurs.**	Ezekiel 47-48; 1 Peter 3
Tues.	Ezekiel 42-43; 1 Peter 1	**Fri.**	Daniel 1; 1 Peter 4
		Sat.	Daniel 2; 1Peter 5

DEACON OF THE WEEK:
November 22 Doyce Burnette **November 29** Ken Blaylock

DEACON SUPPORT TEAM: Jim Hall, David Harris, Mike Singleton, Brian Rhinehart

NURSERY WORKERS:

November 22 **9:45 AM Sunday School** Kellyn Hedden, Lexie Taylor
11:00 AM Worship Service Emma Fox, Sierra Buchanan, Jordan Hollifield
Wednesday Night, November 25 No Service

November 29 **9:45 AM Sunday School** Shelly Flynn, Makayla Sellars
11:00 AM Worship Service Lisa Sellers, Bailey McCurry, Caleb McCurry
Wednesday Night, December 2 No Service

CHILDREN'S CHURCH WORKERS: 4 Year-1st Grade

November 22 Madison Wilson, Meredith Wilson, Cindy Brown
November 29 Annaka Michael, Carolyn Wilson, Makayla Sellars

JUNIOR CHURCH WORKERS:
November 22 Carolyn Wilson, Aubrey McCurry
November 29 Jennifer Crowe, Kymber Rainwater

VIDEO: **November 22** Alex Rhinehart **November 29** Alex Rhinehart
SOUND: **November 22** Dianne Miller **November 29** Jeff Warren

GREETERS: November 22 **Side Door:** Eddie Warren
Front Door: Glenn Wilson, Kathie Davis, Lee Gibson
GREETERS: November 29 **Side Door:** Brian Clark
Front Door: Steve Fowler, Joyce Warren, Jim Barker

USHERS: November 22 Eddie Taylor, Eddie Warren, Lee Gibson, Mike Singleton, Jeff Warren, Casey McCurry
USHERS: November 29 Dillon Michael, Brian Clark, Jason Harris, Carlton Sellers, David Flynn, Matt Hedden

FLOWER COMMITTEE:
November – Jennifer Garner & Pat Crisp
December – Flower Committee (All Members)

Sunday School 138 **Worship Service 183** **Contacts 61**

Offering: Unified $10,443.00 WMU $100.00 WMU Cookbooks $60.00
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Director of Music Ministries, Clara Singleton 828-400-9417 Pianist, Sandy Michaux