"For ye were as sheep going astray; but are now returned unto the Shepherd and Bishop of your souls." 1 Peter 2:25

November 8, 2026

Preparing Our Hearts for Worship		Pam Leslie
Honor Our Veterans		
Call to Worship	"America, the Beautiful"	No. 799
Welcoming Our Guests and Announcements		
Offertory Hymn	"When We All Get to Heaven"	No. 772
Offertory Prayer		Deacon of the Week
Worship with Tithes and Offerings		Pam Leslie
Choir in Worship	"Come Jesus Come"	
Altar Prayer		
Hymn of Praise	"I Will Serve Thee"	No. 660
Special Music		
Message	"The Shepherd and the Stray" 1 Peter 2:25	Pastor Mike Leslie
*Hymn of Invitation	"Where He Leads Me"	No. 593
Benediction		Alvin Bumgarner
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.

Baby Shower rescheduled for Dillon & Annaka Michael on December 12th at 2:00 PM.

Today	**9:45 AM**	Sunday School
	10:00 AM	Sanctuary Class
	11:00 AM	Morning Worship

Parents meeting with those that have children age 3 to 5th grade in sanctuary following the morning service.

Wednesday	**6:00 PM**	Men's Bible Study - Authentic
	6:00 PM	Youth Meeting – Doughnuts-Discipleship
	7:00 PM	Bible Study
		Children's Choir Practice
	7:45 PM	Adult Choir Practice

New Sunday School Opportunities
Ladies Class – Am I Stuck? Series
Men & Ladies Class – Overflow
Both classes meet on the 3rd floor.

Wed., Nov. 11	Church Conference
Thurs., Nov. 12	Choir Practice at 6:30 PM
Nov. 20 – 22	Youth at Hearts on Fire in Tennessee
Sun., Nov. 29	Mission Study at 5:00 PM

BIRTHDAYS: 08 Vickie Passmore, Wanda Taylor, Phil Hawkins, 09 Mark Hawkins, Katelyn Myers, 10 Alex Rhinehart, 11 Rhett Breland, 13 Amy Rhinehart

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SHUT IN OF THE WEEK: *Ann Watson*
49 Welch Rd.
Candler, NC 28715

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, Wiley Michael, Margaret Chapman, Mae Jones, Frank Clark, Rhett & Arlene Breland, Myra James Family, Brody Richards

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Read the Bible Through in 2026

Sun.	Ezekiel 8-10; Hebrews 3	**Wed.**	Ezekiel 15-16; Hebrews 6
Mon.	Ezekiel 11-12; Hebrews 4	**Thurs.**	Ezekiel 17-18; Hebrews 7
Tues.	Ezekiel 13-14; Hebrews 5	**Fri.**	Ezekiel 19-20; Hebrews 8
		Sat.	Ezekiel 21-22; Hebrews 9

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.

Drop-Off Week is November 16 – 23, 2026

You can pick up your shoeboxes from one of our OCC team members at the back door or side door. Shoeboxes will be available in the office during the week. Each shoebox represents a gospel presentation to a child. Let's see God work through us to reach our goal of 425 shoeboxes from Ridgeway.

DEACON OF THE WEEK:
November 8 Alvin Bumgarner **November 15** Mike Stamey

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

NURSERY WORKERS:

November 8 **9:45 AM Sunday School** Misty Warren, Jordan Hollifield
11:00 AM Worship Service Kaleb Rice, Brittney Rice, Anita Brock
Wednesday Night, November 11 Pam Leslie

November 15 **9:45 AM Sunday School** Lori Howard, Sierra Buchanan
11:00 AM Worship Service Sean Minuto, Sarah Minuto, Carolyn Wilson
Wednesday Night, November 18 Pam Leslie

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

November 8 Carolyn Wilson, Charlie Garner
November 15 Dianne Miller, Misty Warren, Emma Fox

JUNIOR CHURCH WORKERS:
November 8 Kymber Rainwater & Jennifer Crowe
November 15 Madison Wilson & Meredith Wilson

VIDEO: **November 8** Alex Rhinehart **November 15** Alex Rhinehart
SOUND: **November 8** Bridgett Stamey **November 15** Beverly Goodson

GREETERS: November 8 **Side Door:** Cindy Wilson
Front Door: Karen Hawkins, Phil Hawkins, Jim Barker
GREETERS: November 15 **Side Door:** Joyce Warren
Front Door: Angie Jenkins, Eddie Taylor, Wanda Taylor

USHERS: November 8 Kenny Blaylock, Brian Clark, Jason Harris, Carlton Sellers, David Flynn, Matt Hedden
USHERS: November 15 Dennis Hall, Zach Rainwater, Jerome Gaddy, Robert Wilson, Steve Fowler, Geoff Fowler

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

Sunday School 139 **Worship Service 180** **Contacts 50**

Offering: Unified $7,358.00 Local $80.00 WMU $200.00 Youth $30.00
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Tuesday – Thursday 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM

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