

QLCC CAMPUS RESERVATIONS // We have lots of recreational areas and all kinds of activities on our church campus and you are invited to make a reservation and bring family and/or friends to come and spend some time enjoying this wonderful place. Please note: Quail Lake Community Church is an alcohol and tobacco free site; that means don't bring it! To reserve a spot, please complete a reservation request form on our website, or email qlcchurch@gmail.com for more information.

November 3rd...4:00 pm-9:00 pm

VBS 2026 // We are looking to start preparing crafts for VBS 2026. You can find our donation requests on Amazon by following the QR code provided. Once donations start coming in we will get to work! We are happy to invite volunteers to join in craft work days. More information to follow.



Child Evangelism Fellowship Vision Dinner// Come and find out more about Good News Clubs CEF shares Jesus with kids after school. Friday, November 7, 2025 at 6:30 PM at Pardinis. See Brian or Gaylene 559-493-8078 for details.

Pregnancy Care Center Ladies High Tea// Vision sharing, Shopping, and Lunch. Saturday, November 8, 2025 10:30—1:30 PM. Join Gaylene's table: 559-493-8078 PCC offer's God's Love and Support to Pregnant Women.

TRUNK OR TREAT // Yeah...the year is rushing to a close! Before you know it Halloween will be here. And it is our tradition to have a safe and positive place and experience for kids to do their Trick or Treating. We are looking for volunteers to run booths and give out candy. We are also asking for candy donations. We will start at 6:00 pm and close at 7:30 pm. For more information on what kind of "booths" are possible, give Pastor Joe a text at 559-260-7363 and we can talk. Sign-ups and candy donations are at the chapel entrance.

WHAT DO YOU KNOW ABOUT CREATION? // The debate over creation versus all other options has gone on for decades. Do you know what you believe...and why you believe it? We are going to do a three-week series on THE CASE FOR CREATION starting on Sunday night, October 12 and continuing October 19 and ending on October 26. These will be one-hour presentations from 6:30 pm to 7:30 pm in our Chapel. Our guide in this exploration will be our own Brian DeMars. No matter where you are in this debate, come and listen to what the Bible claims about the beginnings of our universe and you and me.

**THIS WEEK AT
QUAIL LAKE CHURCH**

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| OCT. | 22 | AWANA // 6:00 PM // Chapel |
| OCT. | 26 | Adult Sunday // 9:00 AM // North House |
| OCT. | 26 | Worship & Sermon // 10:00 AM // Chapel |
| OCT. | 26 | The Case for Creation // 6:30PM // Chapel |

**UPCOMING EVENTS AT
QUAIL LAKE CHURCH**

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| OCT | 29 | Trunk or Treat |
| NOV. | 2 | Fall Feast |
| NOV. | 15 | Journey To Bethlehem |
| DEC. | 7 | Fellowship |
| DEC. | 14 | Children's Christmas Program |
| DEC. | 24 | Christmas Eve Candlelight Service |
| JAN. | 4 | Fellowship |
| JAN. | 16 | BINGO |

**QUESTIONS or CONCERNS?
CONTACT US**

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QUAIL LAKE COMMUNITY CHURCH
PEOPLE ARE OUR BUSINESS

3350 North McCall Avenue
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Sundays at 10:00 AM



October 19, 2025

Welcome to Quail Lake Community Church! We're glad you're here to worship with us today. Reach out to us if you have questions. We encourage you to visit our website at www.quaillakechurch.com, and find us on Facebook, Instagram, and YouTube, and download our app from the App Store to keep track of what's happening at QLCC.

THE GOOD, THE BAD AND THE UGLY

Matthew 2:1-23 NLT

THE GOOD

Jesus was born in Bethlehem in Judea, during the reign of King Herod. About that time some wise men from eastern lands arrived in Jerusalem, asking, (2) “Where is the newborn king of the Jews? We saw his star as it rose, and we have come to worship him.” (3) King Herod was deeply disturbed when he heard this, as was everyone in Jerusalem.

THE BAD

(4) He called a meeting of the leading priests and teachers of religious law and asked, “Where is the Messiah supposed to be born?” (5) “In Bethlehem in Judea,” they said, “for this is what the prophet wrote: (6) ‘And you, O Bethlehem in the land of Judah, are not least among the ruling cities of Judah, for a ruler will come from you who will be the shepherd for my people Israel.’” (7) Then Herod called for a private meeting with the wise men, and he learned from them the time when the star first appeared. (8) Then he told them, “Go to Bethlehem and search carefully for the child. And when you find him, come back and tell me so that I can go and worship him, too!” (9) After this interview the wise men went their way. And the star they had seen in the east guided them to Bethlehem. It went ahead of them and stopped over the place where the child was. (10) When they saw the star, they were filled with joy! (11) They entered the house and saw the child with his mother, Mary, and they bowed down and worshiped him. Then they opened their treasure chests and gave him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh.

Micah 5:2 NLT But you, O Bethlehem Ephrathah, are only a small village among all the people of Judah. Yet a ruler of Israel, whose origins are in the distant past, will come from you on my behalf.

AND THE UGLY

(12) When it was time to leave, they returned to their own country by another route, for God had warned them in a dream not to return to Herod. (13) After the wise men were gone, an angel of the Lord appeared to Joseph in a dream. “Get up! Flee to Egypt with the child and his mother,” the angel said. “Stay there until I tell you to return, because

Herod is going to search for the child to kill him.” (14) That night Joseph left for Egypt with the child and Mary, his mother, (15) and they stayed there until Herod’s death. This fulfilled what the Lord had spoken through the prophet: “I called my Son out of Egypt.” (16) Herod was furious when he realized that the wise men had outwitted him. He sent soldiers to kill all the boys in and around Bethlehem who were two years old and under, based on the wise men’s report of the star’s first appearance. (17) Herod’s brutal action fulfilled what God had spoken through the prophet Jeremiah: (18) “A cry was heard in Ramah—weeping and great mourning. Rachel weeps for her children, refusing to be comforted, for they are dead.” (19) When Herod died, an angel of the Lord appeared in a dream to Joseph in Egypt. (20) “Get up!” the angel said. “Take the child and his mother back to the land of Israel, because those who were trying to kill the child are dead.” (21) So Joseph got up and returned to the land of Israel with Jesus and his mother. (22) But when he learned that the new ruler of Judea was Herod’s son Archelaus, he was afraid to go there. Then, after being warned in a dream, he left for the region of Galilee. (23) So the family went and lived in a town called Nazareth. This fulfilled what the prophets had said: “He will be called a Nazarene.”

Jeremiah 31:15 NLT This is what the LORD says: “A cry is heard in Ramah—deep anguish and bitter weeping. Rachel weeps for her children, refusing to be comforted—for her children are gone.”

WHAT NOW?

CHRISTMAS IS THE TICKET TO THE FUTURE...

NOT EVERYBODY BELIEVES CHRISTMAS...

NOTES:

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD // Pam Watson reminds us...It's time to start packing up those Shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child, a ministry of Franklin Graham's Samaritan's Purse in Boone, NC. The shoeboxes will be filled by lots of folks and delivered to children all over the world who may never have received a gift of any sort. They are taken to remote regions of the world as well as areas devastated by natural disasters and war zones. On October 5th we will have our table out on the lawn for you to pick up your shoebox(es) and all sorts of information on how to pack them. We will have suggestions for you as well as let you know what NOT to pack. Briana Montie and Pam Watson will be there to answer any questions and help you. Over the next few weeks, we will show information videos during Worship. Final date to turn your boxes in is November 9th. We have 5 weeks to get this done, so let's get started! Pack one, Pack Several!! Let's see if we can beat the 100 mark! THANK YOU and GOD BLESS YOU!

FALL FEAST // Each year we celebrate the holiday season with a Fall Feast in our Chapel. We will have a great dinner and then auction off all kinds of wonderful desserts. The profits from our dinner will go for kid's summer camp. Our dinner this year will be on the evening of November 2nd from 5PM to 7:30PM. The cost will be \$10 per person and kids 5 and under are free. The money raised this year will go for scholarships to get as many Quail Lake kids as possible to camp this summer! We will begin ticket sales on October 12th.

Journey To Bethlehem Craft Fair // Exciting news! The JTB Craft Fair will be back for its 4th year! JTB will take place November 15th from 11AM to 4PM.