

# SERMON NOTES

## United We Stand

*Joy Unchained: A Study in Philippians*

*Philippians 1:27-30*

The clearest statement we make to the world is a life balanced by the Gospel – united, fearless, and willing to suffer for Christ.

Live \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 27).

Face opposition \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 28).

Endure hardship \_\_\_\_\_ (vv. 29-30).

*"The church is the single, simplest, and most convincing evidence for the power of the Gospel."*

*~John Stott*

### Sunday Morning Bible Studies

#### Nursery

Birth through K5 – Downstairs

#### Children

1st-5th Grades - Upstairs Children's Area

#### Youth - Jane Simpson

6th-12th Grades - Upstairs Youth Area

#### The Bridge - Brian Harris

Singles & Married Couples – Upstairs Classroom

#### Word of Grace Class - Dave Brien

Adults – Downstairs in Fellowship Hall

#### Connections Class - Jeff Mace

Adults – Downstairs Classroom



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B.J. Simpson, Pastor/Youth Minister

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Sunday Bible Study 9:30 AM

Worship Service 10:30 AM

Wednesday Bible Study & Prayer Service 6:30 PM

Wednesday Night Dinner 5:30 PM

(1st Wednesday of each month except January, June, & July)



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**September 21, 2025**

# WELCOME

Welcome to Pebble Creek Baptist Church. We are thankful that you have chosen to worship the Lord with us today. May we glorify Him together!

If you are a first-time guest, please complete the guest card found in the pew rack.

# TODAY AT PEBBLE CREEK

*Christ Arose*

Welcome

*You Are My All In All  
Great Are You Lord*

**United We Stand**

Joy Unchained: A Study in Philippians  
Philippians 1: 27-30  
B.J. Simpson, Pastor

*Christ Be Magnified*

Offertory Scripture & Prayer  
Offertory

Closing Challenge & Prayer  
Acts 1:8

*The Blessing*

# PEBBLE CREEK NEWS

**Church Yard Sale Fundraiser**

**Saturday, October 4 • 7:30 AM - 1:00 PM**

Pebble Creek is excited to host a Church Yard Sale Fundraiser! A portion of the proceeds will support Hebron Colony Ministries in Boone, North Carolina. The remainder of the money will be added to our budget needs.

You can participate in several ways:

- Host your own yard sale by reserving a spot:
  - Parking spot with table provided – \$35
  - Parking spot, bring your own table – \$25
- Donate items for the church's sale table (all profits from those items go toward the fundraiser).

Come help us make this a wonderful event — whether by hosting a table, donating items, or helping us run the event.

To reserve a spot or arrange for donations, please contact the Ministry Assistant at (864) 244-4979.

**Fall Festival- Trunk or Treat**

**Saturday, October 25 • 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM**

Mark your calendars, gather your costumes, and start planning your most creative trunk designs. Invite your friends and neighbors.

The evening will be filled with carnival games, fairground snacks, inflatables, and plenty of decorated trunks. To make this event a success, we need our church family's help! Volunteers are needed to run carnival games, help with food preparation and serving, as well as decorated trunks to host our Trunk-or-Treat. Please stop by the table in the front foyer to sign up. We also need lots of candy donations to make the night extra sweet. Please place candy donations in the OCC buckets located in the entryways.

Let's come together to bless our children and the community with a joyful evening for all ages!

**Operation Christmas Child: Start Packing Today**

There are only two months left until our packing party in November! For the month of September, we're collecting small activities such as puzzles, card games, board games, or other fun crafts that will fit inside a shoebox. We're also still in need of school supplies such as crayons and colored pencils. Don't wait to participate until our party. Start packing your own box now! Empty boxes are available on the front pews. Each one includes a packing list and rubber bands. Our church-wide goal is 400 boxes, and we need everyone's participation to reach it. The final day to return your packed shoebox is Sunday, November 23.

# THIS WEEK AT PEBBLE CREEK

September 21 - September 27

**Sunday, September 21**

9:30 AM Bible Study for All Ages  
10:30 AM Worship Service

**Tuesday, September 23**

10:00 AM Women's Fall Bible Study

**Wednesday, September 24**

6:30 PM Bible Study & Prayer Time  
6:30 PM Children's Ministry  
6:30 PM Youth Group



# GIVING

September-to-Date Actual \$16,803

September-to-Date Budget \$24,806

Year To Date Actual \$411,741

Year To Date Budget \$458,911