

Spring Hill Baptist Church Lancaster SC

Church Profile

Spring Hill Baptist Church, located in the Tradesville community of Lancaster, SC, is a family of faith, making connections together and meeting community needs to grow followers of Jesus Christ here and around the world. Founded in 1834, our current worship building was built in 1955 and recently went through a thorough building renovation completed in 2023. Through the years SHBC has enjoyed many seasons of growth, both spiritually and numerically, and mission opportunities. In the past 20 years our highest average worship attendance was 184 and Sunday School attendance averaged 148. Today we average 104 in worship and 70 in Sunday School. After the pandemic, we spent about 18 months in a transitional-discernment process of discovering our core values and setting goals in ministry areas. There is excitement in the congregation and positive anticipation as we move forward in the search for our next Senior Pastor for God's church. We are looking for a shepherd who will help us continue to be on mission with God and accomplish His goals in this place. The past forty-five years, four different men have served Spring Hill as our Senior Pastors.

In 2024 our annual budget was set at approximately \$300,000.We consistently spend less than we take in. The past three years we have taken in between \$39,000-\$50,000 each year more than we spend. We keep a modest surplus even with the expenditure of our recent renovations. We are currently on track to meet the budget set for this year.

Today, the age ranges of SHBC vary from toddlers to seniors. In any given worship service today, 35% of our worshippers will be 65 yrs. old and up. 25% of worshippers will be between 40-64 and 20% will be 20-39. 11% will be 13-19 and the remaining 9% below 13. Spring Hill Baptist Church is a generous church that values meeting the needs of the community and encouraging one another as a family of faith that values the Bible as God's Word. We are excited about what God will do through the leadership of our next senior Pastor.

Spring Hill Baptist is a member of the Moriah Baptist Association, which includes 52 sister churches. The Associational Missionary, Dr Joe Youngblood, strives to provide resources and training for local churches and staff to grow God's Kingdom.