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WEEKLY NEWSLETTER OF ABBOTTS CREEK MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH



# APPALACHIAN CHRISTMAS OUTREACH

The Appalachian Coalfields Ministry, sponsored by Baptists on Mission (BOM), seeks to meet physical and spiritual needs of people living in the Appalachian Area. One of the greatest ministry needs in this area occurs around Christmastime. BOM is calling on churches statewide to respond to this need through Appalachian Christmas Outreach 2025.

The final count for the 2024 Appalachian Christmas Outreach was 23,307 backpacks! That is a phenomenal number! Each backpack represents a child, and family, who has seen the love of Christ shared in a tangible way. Please pray that each child who receives a backpack will - at some point in their lives - pray to receive Christ as their Savior! The statewide goal for 2025 is 24,000 backpacks of items to be distributed to Appalachian children in areas of need in late November and December.

Backpacks will be available for pick-up in the foyer at ACMBC starting this coming Sunday. Inside each bag is a Bible and a flyer with information on what to pack in your backpack. It's not too early to start thinking about this ministry! Collection of filled backpacks will take place at the end of October. If you have any questions, call the church office or reach out to Kim Frank.

### INTERCESSORY PRAYER MINISTRY **PRAY FOR**

Joan Huggins Pfaff Glinna Bryant Sue Foust **Becky Kearns** Shelby Hedgecock Barbara Overman LaDonna Hauser Geraldine Fowler Sheila Craven Mary Essick Stephen White LeeRoy Kearns Frank Hedgecock

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**Chuck Garner** Laura Clinard

#### **COMMUNITY & FRIENDS**

Ed Benz, Shannon Carter's step father Troy McCraw, father of Sherra Stone David Howard, friend of Tony Craven Brad Kearns, son of Lee Roy and Becky Shelby Walker, Debra Bryant's mother Humphrey Parks, friend of Brad Williams Tim Snyder, Shannon Carter's father Greta Cox, niece of John Cox Lori Lambert, friends wife with cancer Dale Church, friend of Carl Johnson & Mike Williams Joey Armeniox, family member of John Cox

Benji Cranford

Johnny Manring

Shelley Ingraham

**Thomas Festerman** 

**Hailey Jones** 

Glenn Morgan

Brianna McCoy, granddaughter of Becky Sink

Joe Keesee

Terry Hill, friend of John Cox

Eddie Gilbert

Lori Lambert

Raysa Williman, wife of John Cox

Mark & Donna Cox, parents of John Cox

#### **SHUT-INS & HOMEBOUND**

Kathryn Moore

James Griffin

Norma Dunn

Gene Craven

Jay Craven

Grace Green

#### **MILITARY**

Air Force: Zach Serge, Kasey Clinard, Chase

Choate

Navy: Jessie Hayworth, Connor Tomblin Army: Harrison Idol, Kevin Hill, Mark Raisner

Marines: Austin Stilley

Church Receipts/July 20th, 2025	
General Fund	\$10374.00
in memory of Marcus Tucker	
Building Fund	\$500.00
March to Missions	\$55.00
Young at Heart	\$100.00
Benevolence	\$595.00
Total Deposit	\$11624.00
Online	\$13488.82
Attendance 111	



## SERVENC WEEK • AUGUST 2-9, 2025 Any project. Any day.

ServeNC is an opportunity for every NC Baptist church to love its community in Jesus' name through service projects. Every church. Every community. Details coming soon!

# **YOUNG AT HEART 2025 UPCOMING EVENTS**





Tuesday, 08/26 @ 10 am (sign-up sheet in the foyer)

Greensboro Science Center/Butterfly House Exhibit



Tuesday, 09/16 @ 9:30 am

Antique Shops and lunch in Walnut Cove



Tuesday, 10/14 @ 8:30 am

Sightseeing and lunch in West Jefferson



Friday, 11/07 @ 8:00 am

**HPU Annual Veterans Day Celebration** 



Friday, 12/05 @ 8:00 am

**HPU Annual Christmas Prayer Breakfast** 



Monday, 12/15 @ 11:30 am

Christmas Luncheon

Mark these dates on your calendar! Further details will be provided for each event as time approaches! Contact Sandy Jordan with any questions.

## Student Ministry Schedule & Opportunities



SUN

- Sunday School 9:45 am
- Youth Group at 5:00 pm (4<sup>th</sup> Sun. of the month we will have "Sunday Supper")



 Each Monday be sure to check out the Monday Meditation
 Scripture reading on our Instagram page



 Churchwide Bible Study in the Fellowship Hall at 6:30 pm (2nd Wed. of the month we serve at Westchester Harbour Assisted Living @ 6 pm)



 Each Friday be sure to read the Friday Words devotional on our Instagram page

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Upcoming Student Events
Sunday Supper: 4th Sunday of Every Month
July 29th-Carowinds
August 30th-Back 2 School Cook-Out

# Goin Us for FAMILY FUN BINGO NIGHT! AUGUST 4TH

7:00 pm - 8:30 pm in the fellowship hall

- 1. Bring a couple of "White Elephant" items (something you have & no longer want) or an inexpensive item (candy bar, lotion etc.) wrapped for a prize.
- 2. As a mission project, please bring individually wrapped snack items to be shared with Hospice patients.
- 3. A dessert to share if you'd like. Drinks will be provided.

Next Deacons Meeting is August 10th at 3pm in the Fellowship Hall

Twenty-Somethings!!
Join us the FIRST Sunday of every month for...

## "SUNDAY LUNCH"



We meet every Sunday evening at 6:30 pm for fellowship, study, and encouragement. Currently we are reading and studying The Great Divorce by C.S. Lewis. Contact Pastor Josh with any questions.

QUOTE OF THE WEEK: THINKING ABOUT PERSONAL HOLINESS

"It is not great talents or great learning or great preachers that God needs, but men great in holiness."

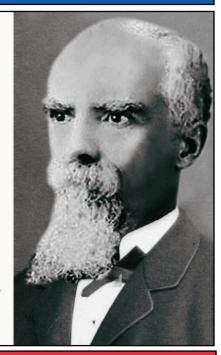
E. M. BOUNDS (1835-1913)

AMERICAN AUTHOR, ATTORNEY,

& MEMBER OF THE METHODIST

EPISCOPAL CHURCH SOUTH

CLERGY.



You're invited to participate in the

# 2ND ANNUAL JONATHAN FRANK BLOOD DRIVE

Remembering Jonathan Frank and giving the gift of life in his honor



SATURDAY, JULY 26TH / 9:30 AM UNTIL 2 PM
ABBOTTS CREEK MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH, HIGH POINT



To schedule your donation time, us the QR code or visit https://www.redcrossblood.org/give.html/find-drive and enter 27265 for the zip code

# Baptism Sunday August 10th

If you'd like more information call the church office.



website: www.abbottscreek.org

www.facebook.com/abbottscreekchurch

www.instagram.com/abbottscreekmissionarybaptist/

#### **Service Times**

Sunday - 9:45 am Sunday School/11:00 am Service Nursery & Children's Programming Provided 5:00 pm Student Ministry 6:30 pm Young Adults

Wednesday - 5:30 pm Kids Choir/6:00 pm Children's Ministry 6:30 pm Adult Bible Study & Children's Ministry 7:30pm Adult Choir

OUR CHURCH MINISTRY TEAM		
Dr. Steve Livengood	Senior Pastor	
Rev. Josh JacobsPastor of Biblical Education & Students		
Andrea Jackson	Worship Arts & Media Director	
Amy Raisner	Church Administrative Assistant	
Marianne Thomas	Children's Ministry Director	

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