Call To Worship

Leader: Good news! The Holy One, God Almighty, claims us as His very own.

People: Rejoice in the LORD!

Leader: Good news! The times of trouble are nearly over.

People: Rejoice in the Lord always!

Leader: Good news! God is in our midst, ready to renew us with holy love.

People: Rejoice in the Lord always! Again we say; rejoice!

Leader: Good news! The peace of the LORD will dwell in our hearts.

People: We lift up our hearts in thanksgiving. Thanks be to God!

College Student of the Week

Riley Horn NC State University 2110 Thesis Circle, Unit 313 Raleigh, NC 27603

Rooted is returning!

This Spring Rooted will be available to all adults. This 10-week group experience will help you connect to God, each other, and your purpose. Kick off is Sunday, January 11th at 5:00pm. Cost is \$20. You can register by calling the church office. Registration will also be online beginning November 30.

CHURCH FAMILY

<u>December 28</u> Melanie Keziah Jack Manning

CeCe Miller

<u>December 29</u> Anna Gurley Jackson Phillips

December 31 Amy Evans

January 2
Sara Culp
Chloe Newsome

January 3
Martha Sloop

Martha Sloop Maggie Smith

January 4
David Anderson
Phil Bullard
John Daniel Minze

January 7 Christina Rowe January 8

Alex Manning Jennifer Melvin Katie Wagner

<u>January 9</u> Lennon Hagler

January 13 Sherri Brosnahan



We're planning to take a mission trip to Hampstead, New Hampshire in July 2026. We'll be working with Island Pond Baptist Church to sponsor a soccer camp and also assist with flooring work in their fellowship hall and working on a parking lot project. We'll be staying at the church and cooking meals there too. We are awaiting the specific dates but we expect the week of July 3-11 or July 10-18, 2026. This trip is open to our adults, college students and youth! Contact Tom or Daniel to sign-up.

As you approach Christmas and begin to think about 2026, remember we are going to Europe in October 2026 to experience some of the highlights and special places of the Protestant Reformation. Our trip is called "Father of the Reformation." Sign-ups are still underway! As of now, we have about twenty-three people going to Europe. You can go too! I'd love to travel with you and learn more about our faith!

We are taking reservations for the 2026 Women's Retreat.

The dates will be November 6th-8th. We have room for 40 women.

Please call the church for sign up as this is a first come first serve for rooms.

Deadline to sign up is February 15th with a deposit of \$50.



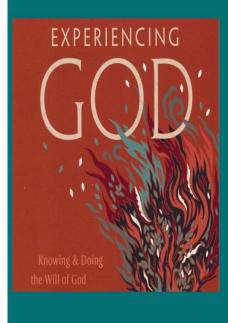
We welcome Millie Parker as our newest member of our church family. Millie comes to us with her profession of faith and we look forward to her baptism soon. She is the daughter of Daniel and Ashleigh Parker. Please welcome Millie to our church family!

The senior adults are sponsoring a trip to Philadelphia April 22-25. This trip is open to the whole church. 2026 is the 250 anniversary of America. The trip includes Independence Hall and also time at the art museum-think "Rocky". We are traveling by motor coach. Cost is \$882 and includes lodging and dinners. We need 40 people to sign up to get this great price. Please see the brochures around the church or contact the church office for more details and to sign up. Go Eagles!



January 7-Taco Bar with Trimmings, Black Beans, Rice, Salad & Dessert January 14-Oven Fried Chicken, Mashed Potatoes, Lima Beans, Salad & Dessert January 21-Pork Tenderloin, Macaroni Salad, Green Beans, Salad & Dessert January 28-Meat Loaf, Roasted Potatoes, Navy Beans, Salad & Dessert

Register on the church app or the church website



On January 13th 2025,
the Women's Bible Study
group will begin "Experiencing God".
This is a great study to follow Rooted.
Yes, you may recognize this study as we
did it years ago, but there is still so much
to learn from it. Please contact the
church office to sign up by January 5th
for books. Cost for the study will be
\$25.00 per person.



MAIN STREET KIDS



Wednesday Nights Return

January 7th!!!

YOUTH ACTIVITIES



Wednesday Nights Resume

January 7th

TVR
January 16th-19th

Sunday Nights Resume

January 25th

SENIOR ADULT HAPPENINGS



<u>January 8</u>
Brunch in the Fellowship Hall at 10:30am

February 18 Lunch & Learn Home Safety with Lee Goodman

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Kay Hayworth - Financial Secretary finance@firstbaptistkannapolis.com

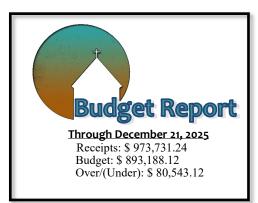
MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES



During the month of December, we are praying for Hindi, Urdu and Punjabi people in South Asia and who are also living in North Carolina-particularly the Triangle, Metro Charlotte, the Triad and Fayetteville. Pray for these people to come to know Christ and pray for churches and missionaries who are sharing the gospel with them.

The 2026 Baptist Missions
Conference will be in Charlotte
April 10-11, 2026. We are taking
reservations now for these two
great days of worship, exhibits,
testimonies and celebrating all the
ways we do missions in North
Carolina and beyond. Call the
church office to sign up now!

During the month of December we support our missions and missionaries around the world with special offerings. Envelopes for these special offerings are available at the black boxes in the sanctuary.



Daily Scripture for Personal Devotion

MondayPsalm 20TuesdayIsaiah 26:1-9Wednesday1 Kings 3:5-14ThursdayPsalm 8FridayGenesis 12:1-7SaturdayGenesis 28:10-

Sunday

Genesis 28:10-22 Jeremiah 31:7-14 Psalm 147:12-20 Ephesians 1:3-14 John 1:10-18

December 28, 2025



For it pleased the father that in Him all the fullness should dwell...Colossians 1:19

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Prelude

Call to Worship

Hymn # 208

Love Divine, All Loves, Excelling

Rooted Testimony

Mark Gurley

Pastor's Prayer

Hymn # 118

What Child Is This?

Words for Our Children

Amy Archer

Solo: Gene Rector

Gesu Bambino

Message: Rev. Wayne Trexler

Staying Focused

Colossians 1:15-20

Hymn # 275

I Surrender All

Benediction

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow,
Praise Him, all creatures, here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son, Holy Ghost. Amen.

Postlude

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