

COUNTING OUR BLESSINGS

Receipts	General Fund	Facil. Impr. Fd.
Dec. 1	\$ 2,149.56	\$ 75.00
Dec. 7	\$15,835.00	\$ 175.00
Dec. 14	\$90,168.00	\$ 575.00
Dec. 21	\$23,983.00	\$ 60.00
Dec. 28	\$18,531.00	\$ 325.00



Lottie Moon Christmas Offering for State Missions
Total offerings received as of Dec. 31st: \$10,655.00



MEN'S MINISTRY

MEN'S MINISTRY BREAKFAST

Sat., Feb. 7th, 8:00 am



The Men's Ministry breakfasts are held the first Saturday of each month! Won't you please join us for food and fellowship? Bring a friend! No sign up is necessary

MEN'S PRAYER AND FELLOWSHIP

Monday mornings at 7:00 a.m. in Conference Room A

We discuss biblical devotions, scriptures the Lord has impressed on members, current issues, and pray. Any man wishing to attend, please contact Kent Jewell for more information: 803-320-3708

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Tuesday mornings at 7:00 a.m. in Conference Room A

We are studying from the "Man In The Mirror Ministry". Any man wishing to attend, please contact Dean Jordan.

SENIOR ADULT MINISTRY

(Sign up sheets are located on the counter at the Connection Center.)



SENIOR LUNCHEON

Tuesday, Jan. 13th, 11:30 a.m.

All Seniors 55 and over, are invited every second Tuesday of the month, to come have lunch, enjoy great conversation, and just fellowship with each other.



SENIOR DINNER OUTING
Waldhorn Restaurant, Pineville
(Authentic German/International cuisine.)
Thursday, Jan. 22nd (bus leaves at 4:45 pm)



SENIORS PICKLEBALL
*Third Friday of each month at 6:00 pm
*Just for January, we are switching to the fourth Friday of the month (Jan. 23rd.)

FAMILY NEWS

Health and Healing Prayer Concerns for....

Rebecca Williams, Cathy Turner, Sandy (Babbette Pulse's grandson's wife), Bob & Evelyn Leaphart, Sharon Dusenbury, Larry Harris, Benita Miller Moorefield, Jerry Williams, Baby Eli Anderson, Chris Johnson (Mike & Pat Johnson's son), Jim Furse, Jean Jewell, Tracy Hudson, Tim Nadeau, John Walrod, Sharon King (Pat McManus's daughter), Bekka (Maxine Jones' granddaughter), Cheryl Champion



Happy Birthday to....

JANUARY

- 13 - Helga Penegar
- 14 - Karen Daley, Alex Mcinvaille
Bobby Penegar
- 15 - Mark Eisenhauer, Dorothy Light
- 16 - Carolyn Steele
- 18 - Joy Cudd
- 19 - Barbara Davis, Jennifer Eisenhauer
- 20 - Matt Simpson, Simeon Strother
- 21 - Amber Marcello, Rev. Bliss Steele
- 22 - Dan Berry, Gwen Furse, Boyd Baker
Leah Sturgis
- 23 - Lexi Roberts, Phil Robertson
- 24 - Marguerite Adams, Nate Anderson
Ramona Hicks, Barb Hopper
Parker Melton, Katrina Penegar



In Memory Of
Doris Herzog

Aug. 20, 1931 - Dec. 24, 2025
Covenant Member since 1997

Our deepest sympathy
to her family.



'Covenant Family' Facebook page: Scan this QR code, and ask to become a member today! This is a great way to keep up with individual family news, church events and activities going on at CBC!



Also... in our 'Church Center' app, we now have an event calendar with a chronological list of everything happening here at Covenant! Open the app and click on the calendar icon that appears in the lower right hand corner.



MUSIC & WORSHIP: Daniel Caton

COVENANT CHOIR

Starts back up on Sunday, Jan. 11th, 5:00 pm

We hope you've enjoyed your break and are looking forward to what God has in store this year! Current and prospective members are invited to join us on Sunday, January 11th at 5:00 pm. No experience required! Joyful worshipers a must!

COVENANT RINGERS

Starts back up on Tuesday, Jan. 13th, at 5:00 pm

Wanting to ring in the new year with some tinkling tunes and dinging ditties? Please join us on Tuesdays at 5:00 pm, for some heartfelt handbell hymns! No prior handbell experience is necessary - just a willingness to learn, worship God, and have fun along the way!

COLLEGE/CAREER MINISTRY

THE ANCHOR The college/career ministry is available to anyone 18-23 years of age. We meet twice on Sunday at 9:45 am and 6:15 pm in room 211.



The Anchor is looking forward to a blessed and eventful 2026! Our focus this year is on building disciples for Christ. One aspect of this is our monthly challenges. The class is divided into 2 teams and each month has a different challenge. January is the 30/30 challenge: read (listen to or study) the Bible for 30 minutes for 30 days. The competition is fierce but fun. And God is getting the glory!

We're going to the Converge Conference February 6-8 at Myrtle Beach!! Sponsored by the SCBC, there will be great worship music and teachings with smaller break out sessions. There will also be time to enjoy the beach and fellowship over pizza. The time to sign up is NOW!! (Deadline is January 18.) The cost is \$80 and you can sign up online or on Church Center. Leaders of the Anchor are Barbara Davis, Reggie Campbell and Patti Vincent. Please contact any of us if you need more information.

YOUTH MINISTRY - Riley Kinard

YOUTH BAND AUDITIONS Sun. Jan. 11th



after the second service in the Youth room. Do you sing, play an instrument, or love making joyful noise? Our Youth Band Auditions are coming up, and we want **YOU** to be part of the fun! This is your chance to grow your talent, make great friends, and help lead worship with energy and heart. Step out in faith, bring your passion, and let's make music that lifts the roof and glorifies God!

SUMMER WEDNESDAY Feb. 4th 6:00 pm Dress like it's Summer and we will go over our Summer events schedule!



YOUTH LOCK-IN Fri./Sat. Feb. 27 - 28th The lock-in will start Friday evening and pickup will be Saturday morning with A LOT of fun in between! (You owe Don a \$1 every time you say you're TIRED!)



YOUTH and CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES

SuperStart!

CALLING ALL 3rd-7th GRADERS!!

Come attend this awesome event on Jan. 16-17th, that is focused on discipleship, age appropriate life discussions, worship, and fun! It will be a Friday night through Saturday morning event (lock-in style). The cost will be \$35.00 for each student. We cannot wait to spend this time with you and SuperStart your 2026 year! Please go online to sign up for this event. We will have a new Special Guest Speaker this year! Don't miss it!!

GLOCAL MISSIONS



Grieving the death of a loved one? Or do you know someone who is? Your life has changed forever. The daily emotions and challenges can seem too hard to bear. Find help at GriefShare. A warm and caring environment as you journey through grief. Contact Judy Davenport at 803-289-8127

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

WOMEN'S WORSHIP & PRAYER TIME

Sunday, Jan. 25th, 3:00 - 5:00 pm

Ladies, let's gather in conference room B to pray through the book of John, enjoying our kind shepherd, the resurrection and the life. As His daughters, we will bring our concerns to Him.

LADIES FITNESS CLASSES

Sat. Mornings, 9:00 - 10:00 am

Get ready to be "Radically Renovated" with our new 45 minute strength and conditioning fitness class! We'll be using bands, dumbbells, and a variety of movements designed to strengthen and tone your body. You'll be inspired and challenged as you work out alongside your sisters in Christ, all set to uplifting Christian music! Please bring a mat/towel, light dumbbells, and your water bottle. This class is a fantastic opportunity to work out for free with other women of faith! Questions? please contact Nicole at: 704-254-3604. *Please sign up on Church Center.*



SERVICES ONLINE

Our Sunday services can be streamed live by going directly to vimeo.com/cbclancaster

Our services can also be viewed on Facebook and on our church website at cbclancaster.org.



USED LITERATURE COLLECTION Please drop off your used Sunday school and small group literature materials, in the collection box in the adult Sunday school hallway. We will deliver them all to Moriah Baptist Association this coming Spring. When doing so, you help provide the printed seeds of the gospel to the ends of the earth!



SUNDAY SCHEDULE

8:30 am First Service
9:45 am Sunday School
11:00 am Second Service
5:00 pm Worship Choir Rehearsal
6:15 pm The Anchor Small Group
6:30 pm Youth Small Groups

MONDAY SCHEDULE

7:00 am Men's Prayer/Fellowship

TUESDAY SCHEDULE

7:00 am Men's Bible Study
5:00 pm Covenant Ringers

WEDNESDAY SCHEDULE

4:15 pm Youth Praise Band
5:00 pm Fellowship Dinner
6:00 pm Nursery (age 3 and under)
Children's Activities
Youth Activities
Adult Prayer & Bible Study
7:15 pm Worship Team Rehearsal

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WEDNESDAY FELLOWSHIP SUPPERS

Wednesday meals are served from 5:00 - 5:45 p.m. each week.

Reservations are required. Please sign up on Church Center if you are making a week to week reservation. Please call the office if you would like to be added to the permanent reservation list. **Each year we roll over the permanent list. If you would like removed, please also call the office.** Cut off for reservations AND cancellations, for each week, is at 9:00 a.m., Tues. before each dinner. Cost is: Adults/Youth \$5.00, Children \$2.00, Family cap of \$15.00.

Wednesday Jan. 14th

CHICKEN & RICE Volunteer Team 2

Pat McNaughton, Tammy Kis
Matt & Michelle Reece
Mark & Cheryl Sjolblom

Wednesday, Jan. 21st

BAKED SPAGHETTI Volunteer Team 3

Rhonda McMackin
Chuck & Lynn Funderburk
Paul & Pat Williams

The Connection

COVENANT

BAPTIST CHURCH

Committed to exalting the Lord, equipping the Body, and expanding His Kingdom.

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WORTHY & WORTH IT

HOSTED BY

Salty Sweet Sisterhood
JANUARY 30 & 31, 2026

Friday 6:00 - 8:30 pm

(Refreshments and Salty Sweet Snacks included)

Optional Get Together 8:30 - 10:00 pm

Saturday 9:00 am - 12:30 pm

(Brunch included)

Join us for a powerful and refreshing time together as we gather around this year's theme: "Worthy and Worth It." Come expecting encouragement, renewal and a deeper connection with God and one another!

After Friday's conference session, you are welcome to stay for an evening of fun and fellowship.! We'll enjoy board games, cards and a sweet time together as sisters in Christ.

We hope you'll join us for a weekend of worship, community and inspiration. Come be filled, encouraged and reminded of His great worth!

Reserve a spot for you and invite a friend!

Please register on Church Center or on our website.

Last day to register is Sunday, January 18th.