PRAYER & PRAISE

The prayer of the righteous is powerful and effective -James 5:16-

Current

Bill Boisvert Neil Jones Family of Irene Cotten Rachel Mason Doris Childs
Eddy Covil Kayla McCorrison Family of Shirley Lamm
Cindy Fain Hayley Gaines Walker

Ongoing

Jimmy Allen Lou Anne Griffin Pat McGalliard Phil Allen Heather Hickman Molly Margaret O'Quinn **Donnie Baxter** Arthur Henry John Porter Cathy Bridges Barbara Johnson Fran Thomas John Flovd Bridges Brenda Johnson Janice Thomas **Brian Briggs** Casev Johnson Jean Tillotson Lawrence Childs Nell Knapp Henry Walker Janet Chisler Joe Luck Larry Wicker Bill Cotten Lisa Luxton Martin Roger Worrell Homebound/ Neil Medlin Ernestine Bridges **Nursing Home** Gary Doby Ruby Medlin Military/ Keith Garner Luke Shaver **Civil Service Trevor Owens** Kvle Sine



In Memory of Atlas Phillips

Gerri Hearn

In Memory of Raymond Johnson

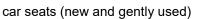
Carlton & Susan Connor Lee County Wildlife Club
Phil & Brenda Cotten Jessie Walker



Reach Out Crisis Pregnancy Center

Collection bins in the Atrium







Family Night Supper April 12th

Menu: Beef Stew w/carrots and potatoes Green Beans – Rolls – Dessert Signup in Atrium TODAY!!

Birthday Blessing:

As you celebrate your special day, may God always guide you and show you the way to righteousness and happiness.

College Students of the Month

Caila Phillips 4651 Deep River Rd Sanford, NC 27330

University of NC



Eliza Jane Boisvert Suite # 8063 245 Memorial Drive Sanford, NC 27330

Western Carolina University

Our Deacon Ministry:

Deacon of the Month: Tom Luck

John Quiggle - Davis Harris - Stephanie Bridges - Secretary (2024)

Steve Cotten (2023) Tom Luck (2024) Fedd Walker (2025)

Brad Boisvert (2024) Reid Cagle (2025) Roger Worrell (2025)

Church Email <u>fsbc4148@windstream.net</u>

Leonard Harris, Minister of Music Emeritus

Barbara Miles, Church Secretary

Regina Mangum, Organist

Gail Luck, Pianist

Last Week at a Glance

Weekly Budget Requirements\$ 6,625.00Budget Received on3/26/2023\$ 6,206.85Designated:\$ 300.00

Baptist Men - \$200.00

Annie Armstrong - \$100.00

Total Income: \$ 6,506.85

Sunday School: 172 Worship Service: 266

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to **Glorify** God,
to **Guide** others to Christ,
to **Grow** in our faith, and
to **Give** of ourselves

Morning Worship Service April 2, 2023

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHIMING THE HOUR & LIGHTING THE CANDLES

INVOCATION Diaconate Member

CALL TO WORSHIP Chancel Choir

HYMN No. 576 "I Stand Amazed in the Presence"

*OFFERTORY HYMN No. 200 "In the Garden"

OFFERTORY PRAYER

WE WORSHIP GOD WITH HIS TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

*DOXOLOGY

HYMN No. 223 "Crown Him with Many Crowns"

CHILDREN'S SERMON Stacy Rooker

PASTORAL PRAYER

CHOIR SPECIAL "If Not for the Old Rugged Cross" Chancel Choir

SCRIPTURE Matthew 21:1-11

MESSAGE Barry Lawrence

"Things Aren't Always What They Appear To Be"

*INVITATIONAL HYMN No. 595 "At The Cross"

BENEDICTON

BENEDICTION RESPONSE Chancel Choir

*CONGREGATON STANDING

Reminders	April 9 th	April 16 th
Children's Church	Amanda & Camden Covert	Joey & Shana Thomas
Children's Sermon	Justin Covert	Chelsey Cagle
Nursery	Diane & Martha	Grace & Terri

Welcome Visitors! We are pleased to have you visiting with us today. If you are visiting for the first time, please take a moment to fill out a visitor's card located in the pew in front of you so that we may have a record of your visit. We provide nursery for ages 0-2 and Children's Church, after the children's sermon, for ages 3-4.

Opportunities for the Week:

Sunday (2 nd)	9:00	Sunday School
Dalm Cunday	10:00	Morning Worship
Palm Sunday	6:00	Youth
Monday (3 rd)	7:00	Personnel Committee Meeting
Tuesday (4 th)	6:30	Dave Ramsey Financial Peace Study
	7:00	Building & Grounds Meeting
Wednesday (29 th)	6:30	Mission Friends & Son Shine Singers
		Older RA's & Acteens
		Children in Action
	7:15	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
Thursday (6 th)	7:00	Maundy Thursday
Sunday (9 th)	9:00	Sunday School
EASTER	10:00	Morning Worship - Choir Cantata
Monday (10th)		Church Office Closed

Fall Ladies Retreat at Caswell - September 22-24

Seven (7) bed spaces remain available for the ladies retreat with keynote speaker and friend Phyllis Elvington. The cost per lady is \$185 for this conference (not \$195).

NC Missions Conference - April 14th

Ladies wanting to attend the conference at Hickory Grove Baptist Church in Charlotte, let Stephanie know by *Wednesday*, *April 5th* so that space can be reserved. The main speakers include Lee Strobel, the former award winning journalist and Atheist known for conversion experience and his nonfiction book "The Case for Christ" and ladies'-favorite, Sheila Walsh! This conference is sponsored by *Baptists on Mission*. Cost is \$20.00 - \$28.00 plus hotel rooms if we stay overnight.

WMU-NC Missions Conference - April 29th

Ladies wanting to attend this conference, see Stephanie as soon as possible to secure registration at Lawndale Baptist Church in Greensboro. The 2023 theme *IGNITE!* is inspired by John 1:5 "*The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it.*" Registration cost: \$40.



We would like to welcome Reverend
Barry Lawrence to the pulpit. Reverend
Lawrence is the Associational

Missionary for our Sandy Creek Baptist Association.



THEN CAME THE MORNING

Easter Cantata

April 9th

Food Round-Up for Baptist Children's Homes of NC

The annual Food Round-up has begun. Historically, during the month of April, Flat Springs responds by collecting gift cards from Food Lion, Lowe's Food, and Walmart to enable the cottage leaders to shop for specific needs. The statewide goal is to collect for 700,000 meals and snacks, providing for a year. You can drop gift card donations in the offering plate, the church office, or by handing them to Stephanie.

Maundy Thursday



This year we will share our Maundy Thursday at 7 pm with a time of handwashing and communion on the night in Holy Week our Lord washed the disciple's feet and instituted the Lord's Supper.

We will use our self-contained wafers and

disposable cups for the communion portion of the service this year. Please plan to join us for this meaningful worship on the night before our Lord was crucified.

Youth Caswell Retreat - July 2-8

Parent Meeting April 23rd at 6 pm in Basement. Also, final payments for Caswell will be due April 23rd. Questions, please contact Laura Marks at 919-770-1477.

Thanks so much for the many acts of kindness shown our family during the recent loss of our daddy. Please continue to pray for us as we navigate life without him. It is times like this we truly appreciate a loving church family.

Only by grace,

The Covil / McFarland family