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EACH SUNDAY

8:15 AM Morning Worship
9:30 AM Sunday School
10:45 AM Morning Worship
4:30 PM Worship Choir
5:00 PM AWANA
6:00 PM Evening Worship

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FROM THE PASTOR

Dear South River Family,

This month presents an opportunity to express our gratitude for God's abundant blessings – both materially and spiritually. I hope you will join with your church family by expressing gratitude with our local community and church family.

We are taking a bold step of faith this month when on November 23rd we will invite 1,000 families to discover that our God can do the impossible when we Feed 5,000. At multiple locations listed below, we will hold an 11:00 am worship service where those attending will receive a Thanksgiving food box and frozen turkey (1 per family). We need you help packing boxes, registering guests, and distributing the food. We will begin registration at 10:00 am and will conclude by around 12:30 pm. Signup sheets in the hallway allow you to identify how you will serve. Please prayerfully consider about a special offering for this effort which is above your tithe. We will feed the 5,000 at these sites:

South River Baptist Church South River at Bristol Drive Calvary Baptist War, WV
SYBA Association Food Pantry at Troutman Baptist
Wilkes Ministry of Hope at First Light Church

On November 24th, join your church family in the evening service for our annual Thanksgiving dinner. This is a sweet time as we gather to share our gratefulness for our Savior and our blessed church. We will worship around His throne and fellowship together around the table that evening.

Join with me this month in manifesting a grateful spirit for all of God's blessings. I look forward to celebrating with you. I am thankful for the privilege to serve as your shepherd.

Blessings,
Pastor Chris
Colossians 1:3-6

PRESCHOOL

1ST SUNDAY

8:15 AM Worship
Michael & Stephanie Wilhelm
Tiffany Layne
Donna Loudermilt
10:45 AM Worship
April Thompson
Melanie Townsell
Amanda Johnson
6:00 PM Worship
Crickett Barnette
Patsy Burnette

2ND SUNDAY

8:15 AM Worship
Christie Kestler
Erica Barnette
Patsy Weston
Crystal Barnes
10:45 AM Worship
Lori Weston
Tammie Bowie
Gerri Hamby
Mary Morrison
6:00 PM Worship
Judy Callaway
Celena Wilhelm

3RD SUNDAY

8:15 Worship
Jason & Jenna Sherrill
Adrienne Blackwelder
Linda Bowes
10:45 Worship
Bonnie Hamilton
Nicole Johnson
Darlene Goforth
Erica Miller
6:00 PM Worship
Greg & Debra Templeton

4TH SUNDAY

8:15 Worship
Amber Allen
Tamatha Stewart
Clara Paige Beatty
10:45 Worship
Tracey Gibson
Leslie Helms
Brian & Robin Stewart
6:00 PM Worship
Donna Williams
Brenda Runkle

1ST WEDNESDAY

April Thompson
Carol Stewart

2ND WEDNESDAY

Heather Baldwin
Donna Gallina

3RD WEDNESDAY

Lesley Colvert
Tara Beatty

4TH WEDNESDAY

No service

SECURITY

NOVEMBER 3RD

Team #4

NOVEMBER 10TH

Team #1

NOVEMBER 17TH

Team #2

NOVEMBER 24TH

Team #3



UPCOMING

GRIEF SHARE CLASSES

**Classes meet November 6th & 13th only
6:00 - 8:00 pm in Room 109
New classes will start in the spring.**

Contact Steve Jenkins (980) 263-4134 for more information



**Surviving the Holidays
Wednesday, November 20th only
6:00 - 8:00 pm in Room 109**

A ministry of GriefShare to help you deal specifically with the challenges of your loss during the holidays. Holiday refreshments will be provided, so come hungry.
Contact Steve Jenkins (980) 263-4134 for more information



SURVIVING THE HOLIDAYS

When you are grieving a loved one's death, the holiday season can be especially painful. Our *Surviving the Holidays* seminar helps participants prepare for the holidays and even discover hope for the future.

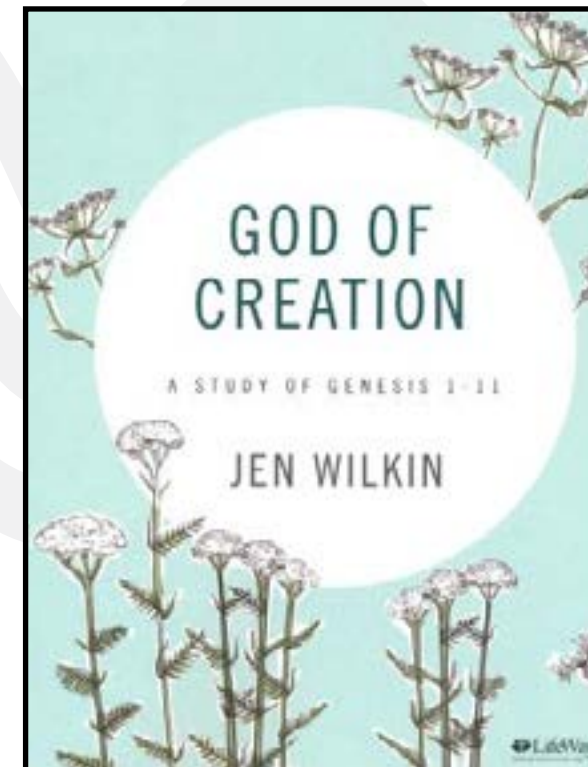


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WOMEN'S MINISTRY

**LADIES BIBLE STUDY
WEDNESDAYS @ 7:00 PM IN FLC #2
STUDY GOES THROUGH DECEMBER 4TH
FACILATOR: JEANNIE WEBBER**

COST OF BOOK: \$5



2019/2020 MINISTRY BUDGET

YTD BUDGET GOALS	\$143,024.67
YTD BUDGET RECEIPTS	\$137,297.03
TOTAL GIVING TO DATE	\$137,297.03

DEEP AND WIDE STUDENT MINISTRY



Philippians 2:12-18 Wherefore, my beloved, as ye have always obeyed, not as in my presence only, but now much more in my absence, work out your own salvation with fear and trembling. For it is God which worketh in you both to will and to do of his good pleasure. Do all things without murmurings and disputings: that ye may be blameless and harmless, the sons of God, without

rebuke, in the midst of a crooked and perverse nation, among whom ye shine as lights in the world; holding forth the word of life; that I may rejoice in the day of Christ, that I have not run in vain, neither laboured in vain. Yea, and if I be offered upon the sacrifice and service of your faith, I joy, and rejoice with you all. For the same cause also do ye joy, and rejoice with me.

Great scripture that reminds us that we need to **work daily** on our walk with Christ. May we never be pleased with our current position but everyday struggle to serve Him greater than the day before...



WELCOME

NEW MEMBERS - BY LETTER

Kirby & Kayla Jones

114 Largo Ln Unit C

Statesville, NC 28625

413-564-9108

BIRTHDAYS

NOVEMBER

- | | |
|--|---|
| 1 Ken Helms | 16 Emily Lowman |
| 2 Sandra Goodin
Kaitlyn Lyon
Terrie Powell | 17 Sarah Martin
Steve Warricks |
| 3 Harold Smith
Deborah Templeton | 18 Noah Kennedy
Donna Loudermilt |
| 4 Joyce Redmond | 19 Hayden Roll |
| 5 Jeanette Conley
Christy Estes
Brittany Gibson | 20 Travis Campbell
Erica Miller |
| 6 Pam Cloar
April Johnson | 22 Trish Campbell
Timothy Heffner |
| 7 Robert Snider | 23 Jeff Bowie
Buck Burns
Ron Lindsey |
| 8 Kevin Campbell
Leona Dixon
Martha Lundy | Sarah Thompson |
| 9 Katie Gibson | 24 Adrienne Blackwelder
Olivia Cloar
Dwight Wallace |
| 10 Mamie Bunton
Dewayne Lippard | 26 Kirby Jones |
| 11 Martha Honeycutt
Kristie Simmons | 27 Nathan Brown
Kelsey Church
Linda Nieman |
| 12 M.G. Bowes | 28 Lisa Compton |
| 13 Maggie Baumberger
Hudson Hare
Aaron Harrell | 29 Heather Baldwin
Kylie Barnette |
| Kristen Martin
Jenny Mullis
Kevin Southern
Christina Thomas | 30 Jayden Bowie
Connie Campbell
Caroline Cook
Adalynn Stewart
Robin Stewart |
| 14 Bobby Campbell
Bonnie Hamilton
Christina Reed | |
| 15 Beth Fox
Khloe Sadowski | |

ANNIVERSARIES

NOVEMBER

- | |
|--|
| 2 Larry & Joyce Redmond |
| 9 Patrick & Stacie Patterson |
| 11 James & Poppy Willis |
| 12 Buddy & Sheila Hemric |
| 14 Roy & Norma Love
Bob & Nan Woollardt |
| 18 Randy & Diana McQueen |

STARTING THIS MONTH

Pastor Chris Thompson



Come learn more about South River
New classes held
November 10th, 17th, 24th &
December 1st
Sundays 9:30 am in Room 109

WORSHIP MINISTRY

RIVER WORSHIP CHOIR

3rd AM	Let the Rocks Keep Silent	PM	No choir
10th AM	Behold Our God	PM	Oh Taste and See
17th AM	Our God Saves	PM	In Jesus' Name
24th AM	So You Would Know	PM	No choir

SPECIAL MUSIC

ChIPLEY Ford	3rd AM	Wynston Lyles	PM	Jimmy Williams
	10th AM	Praise Team	PM	South River Boys
	17th AM	Tammy Pearman	PM	Old Paths Trio
	24th AM	Howard Hare	PM	Carol Davis

WEDS 6th No soloist 13th Carolyn Sprinkle 20th Dan McGee 27th No service

SPECIAL MUSIC

Bristol Drive	3rd AM	Carol Davis	10th AM	Rachel Davidson
	17th AM	Emma Shelton	24th AM	Randy McQueen

WEDS 6th Carolyn Sprinkle 13th No soloist 20th Harold Smith 27th No service



Mark Your Calendars

Bristol Drive Revival - November 8th - 10th
Christmas Homecoming - December 13th - 14th 7:00 pm
Candlelight Service - December 22nd 6:00 pm

BRISTOL DRIVE



“There is no other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved” (Acts 4:12). As we continue through the book of Acts at Bristol Drive, we’ve seen the truth that Christ is the foundation of the Church repeated over and over. Too often though we lose sight of that and begin to try and build on other foundations. Through Peter’s words, we are reminded again of the responsibility we have as the Church to preach Christ. Salvation is not found in the pleasures of this world or in any other false religion. It is only through Christ that people can be saved. Please continue to pray for us as we build upon the foundation of Christ, that all may hear the good news of the gospel.

Pastor Wesley Rexrode,
Bristol Drive Campus

YOUNG AT HEART

JULIET CLUB

Tuesday,
November 5th, 11:30 am

Ruby Tuesday

210 Turnersburg Hwy

Young at Heart Ministry Choir

Wednesday, November 13th 10:30 am
Autumn Care of Statesville



Followed by lunch @ Sorrento's

RIPPLE KIDS CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Best Fall Festival ever! I mean it this year. I believe we had the best Fall Festival ever at South River Baptist Church. It is great to be a part of a church family that works together in reaching the community. We were as a family able to reach over 1,200 people. Many of which were able to hear the full Gospel through our hayride adventure. One-third of all the people who registered for Fall Festival are unchurched. Will you pray with me as we consider these opportunities of ministry ahead of us? If you would be interested in visiting one of these families, please contact me as we continue to reach out to these seeds that were planted.

Pastor Stephen A. Hart
Family and Children’s Discipleship

SPECIAL OFFERING



Please prayerfully consider giving a special offering to help provide for those in need in our community as we share the Gospel with them this month.

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

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Col. 1:27

"To them God willed to make known what are the riches of the glory of His mystery among the Gentiles Christ in you, the hope of glory,"



YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

November Bible Study -
The Gospel of John
Sundays - 9:30 am Room B3
Join us for breakfast/prayer/Bible study



Christmas Party

Friday, December 20th

6:30 pm in the Family Life Center



DISCIPLESHIP MINISTRY



Challenges For the Church

1 CORINTHIANS
LIFE IN CHRIST. TOGETHER

Message Series

with Pastor Chris

Sundays @ 6:00 pm



God has opened a pathway for us to minister to families of children at risk. In Statesville, there are a large number of families that are working to transition from difficult life circumstances to a life of recovery, restoration, and hope so they can thrive in their lives. God gives us all that we need to be a blessing to others. It often takes a family of believers coming together and working alongside each other to make a difference in the lives of people. We support each other as we lift up those who for the moment cannot figure out a way to help themselves. A little extra support either with physical items or a smile or a Bible or a spiritual or emotional word of encouragement could be just what is needed to make a difference for families who are struggling in this season of their life.

Two are better than one, because they have a good reward for their toil. For if they fall, one will lift up his fellow. But woe to him who is alone when he falls and has not another to lift him up!

Ecclesiastes 4:9-10

We are looking for individuals who are ready to say yes to the call in whatever capacity, however large or small, you can give. If you are interested, send an email to southriverbaptistflockministry@gmail.com or call 704-301-0701. May God be glorified!

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						PumpkinFest Outreach
					1	2
Bible Read Wk 45 12:30 pm CH Drama (FLC) 4:00 pm Deacon's Mtg 5:00 pm AWANA 3	2:00 pm Good News Club (Central) 4	11:30 am JULIET Club (Ruby Tuesday) 3:00 pm Food Pantry 3:00 pm Central Food Packs 5	6:00 pm GriefShare 7:00 pm Wednesday Activities/ Women's Bible Study 6	6:15 pm Jail Ministry 7	Bristol Drive Revival thru 10th am 8	9
Bible Read Wk 46 9:30 am River Walk Class 12:30 pm CH Drama (FLC) 5:00 pm AWANA 10		5:00 pm Central Food Packs 12	10:30 am YAH Ministry Choir (Autumn Care) 6:00 pm GriefShare 7:00 pm Wednesday Activities/ Women's Bible Study 13	6:15 pm Jail Ministry 7:00 pm Brookdale Bible Study 14	15	16
Bible Read Wk 47 9:30 am River Walk Class 5:00 pm AWANA (Thanksgiving Theme Night) 17	2:00 pm Good News Club (Central) 18	3:00 pm Food Pantry 5:00 pm Central Food Packs 6:00 pm ACAP 19	6:00 pm Surviving the Holidays 6:00 pm Ripple Kidz Council 7:00 pm Wednesday Activities/ Ladies Bible Study 20	6:15 pm Jail Ministry 21	22	11:00 am Feeding 5,000 23
Bible Read Wk 48 9:30 am River Walk Class 5:30 pm Thanksgiving Meal 24	2:00 pm Good News Club (Central) 25	5:00 pm Central Food Packs 26	No services 6:00 pm Youth Turkey Pickup 27	Thanksgiving Day (Church Office Closed) 28	Church Office Closed 29	30