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**SOUTH RIVER**  
BAPTIST CHURCH

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# JUNE 2022

## OUR CHURCH STAFF

Dr Chris Thompson, Senior Pastor  
Rev. Chris Pauley, Worship Pastor  
Rev. Scott Townsell, Pastor for Student Discipleship  
Rev. Tony Craver, Church Administrator  
Linda Cornett, Ministry Assistant  
Connie Dellinger, Financial Secretary

## EACH SUNDAY

704-876-1520	8:15 AM	Morning Worship
704-880-3625	9:30 AM	Sunday School
980-829-3163	10:45 AM	Morning Worship
704-397-6965	5:00 PM	Worship Choir
704-876-1520	6:00 PM	Evening Worship
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## FROM THE PASTOR

Dear South River Church Family,

The Super Sundays of Summer are here! We have a full slate of exciting ministry events scheduled and you will not want to miss a one. Consider now who you will invite to join us for these events all on Sunday evening. There is something for everyone to be blessed.

### June

- 5 Him Sing – South River Celebration Choir
- 12 Zoomerang – VBS Starts
- 19 Father’s Day – no evening services
- 26 Homemade Ice Cream Fellowship after service

### July

- 3 Solemn Assembly and Patriot Day – Lunch on the Grounds
- 10 Watermelon Fellowship after service
- 17 Homemade Ice Cream Fellowship after service
- 24 Testimony Celebration and Service
- 31 Quarterly Ministry Celebration

### August

- 7 Special Guest - Down East Boys
- 14 Faith, Family, and Freedom in the Park – Cookout and Special Guest

Vacation Bible School is our prime opportunity to reach beyond our walls to the communities around us. We need your help to reach 400 children for VBS. Consider now your neighbors, family, and friends who have children that you can invite to join us starting June 12th, Sunday evening. Vacation Bible School is for all ages, because we always can learn about our incredible God!

Continue to pray for our personnel committee seeking God’s direction in the search for the Pastor to Parents and Children. Our exhaustive search is coming to an end soon. Our church family has risen up in this interim period to serve nobly! South River is very gifted and the Lord continues to supply.

Blessings,  
Pastor Chris

## PRESCHOOL

### 1ST SUNDAY

#### 8:15 AM Worship

Melanie Townsell  
Taylor Hedrick  
Mary Keever  
Molly Townsell  
Amelia Fox

#### 10:45 AM Worship

Tonda Lowman  
Michelle Mullins  
April Thompson  
Sarah Beth Thompson  
Avery Colvert

#### 6:00 PM Worship

Beth Fox  
Mary Cook

### 2ND SUNDAY

#### 8:15 AM Worship

Clara Paige Beatty  
Alex Lemings  
Heather Cannon  
Laura Campbell  
Terry Reid

#### 10:45 AM Worship

Cassandra Chege  
Rachael Cope  
Donna Lyons  
Alissa Coulombe

#### No Service - VBS

### 3RD SUNDAY

#### 8:15 AM Worship

Vicki Miller  
Salem Grace Lyles  
Heather Merton  
Mary Morrison

#### 10:45 AM Worship

Andrea Thomas  
Kim Mersfelder  
Kaitlyn Lyon  
Gloria Paul

#### No Service

### 4TH SUNDAY

#### 8:15 AM Worship

Melanie Townsell  
Molly Townsell  
Terry Reid  
Heather Cannon

#### 10:45 AM Worship

Riley Elliott  
Abigail Kilcoyne  
Liz Deal  
Summer Poole  
Gail Lindly

#### 6:00 PM Worship

Donna Williams  
Andrea Thomas

### 1ST WEDNESDAY

Anita Long  
Elizabeth Griffin

### 2ND WEDNESDAY

Heather Baldwin  
Nicky Robertson

### 3RD WEDNESDAY

Lesley Colvert  
Sandra Ketchem

### 4TH WEDNESDAY

Amanda Meadows  
Nicky Robertson

### 5TH WEDNESDAY

Brenda Runkle  
Mary Clendenin

## SECURITY/GREETERS

### JUNE 5TH

Security Team #3  
Greeters - 8:00  
Carol Sipes - FD  
Martha McCoy - SP  
10:30 - Bobbi Jo Hayes - FD  
Robin Stewart - SP

### JUNE 12TH

Security Team #4  
Greeters - 8:00  
Sandra Boan - FD  
Eli Pope - SP  
10:30 - Bridget Merritt - FD  
TBD - SP

### JUNE 19TH

Security Team #1  
Greeters - 8:00  
Riley Elliott - FD  
Brenda Runkle - SP  
10:30 - Kimberley Shoemaker - FD  
Eli Popes - SP

### JUNE 26TH

Security Team #2  
Greeters - 8:00  
Maggie Baumberger - FD  
Bonnie Williams - SP  
10:30 - Avery Colvert - FD  
Lesley Colvert - SP

## CARE MINISTRY

### GRIEF SHARE

Weekly classes for the Spring have concluded.  
New classes will resume in August.  
For more information, contact Steve Jenkins  
@ (980) 263-4134.



## WELCOME

### BY LETTER

Colton & Angela Hobbs 335 Seven Springs Loop Statesville, NC 28625

C - 540-920-7331  
A - 571-969-8732

## 2021/2022 MINISTRY BUDGET

YTD BUDGET GOALS	\$747,296.16
YTD BUDGET RECEIPTS	\$760,343.16
TOTAL GIVING TO DATE	\$760,343.16

## MEMBERSHIP

Led by Pastor Chris Thompson



9:30 Sunday Mornings  
June 5th, 12th, 19th & 26th

Room 109



# DEEP & WIDE STUDENT MINISTRY

## GOD GOT IT RIGHT!

**P S A L M 139 : 14**  
**FOR YOU FORMED MY INWARD PARTS; YOU WOVE ME IN MY MOTHER'S WOMB. I WILL GIVE THANKS TO YOU, FOR I AM FEARFULLY AND WONDERFULLY MADE; WONDERFUL ARE YOUR WORKS, AND MY SOUL KNOWS IT VERY WELL. MY FRAME WAS NOT HIDDEN FROM YOU, WHEN I WAS MADE IN SECRET, AND SKILLFULLY WROUGHT IN THE DEPTHS OF THE EARTH; YOUR EYES HAVE SEEN MY UNFORMED SUBSTANCE; AND IN YOUR BOOK WERE ALL WRITTEN THE DAYS THAT WERE ORDAINED FOR ME, WHEN AS YET THERE WAS NOT ONE OF THEM.**

Pastor Scott Townsell,  
 Student & Parent Discipleship



# BIRTHDAYS

## JUNE

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| 1 Erin Bowman<br>Peggy Koch<br>Ashley Weston | 2 Jonna Horne<br>David Thompson | 3 Mary Beth Wilson | 4 Sue Sherrill<br>Pam York | 5 Noah Hance<br>Mike Oliver | 6 Geraldine Dixon<br>Linda Eason<br>Howard Martin<br>Zahra Mullis | 7 Robin Lindsey<br>Miranda Schriener | 9 Steve Gladden<br>Caleb Long<br>Jason Sherrill | 10 Judy Callaway<br>Poppy Willis | 11 Adam Merritt | 13 Rhonda Cloer | 14 Jon Bowman<br>Elizabeth Coulombe<br>Candice Killian<br>Noah Poole<br>Brian Stewart | 16 Joshua Nichols<br>Abigail Paul<br>Gary Stewart<br>Kathy Stewart | 17 Bob Horner | 19 Nick Benfield<br>Dianne Griffith<br>Cooper Johnson | 20 Carl Aiken<br>Scott Lindly | 21 Andrew Lyon<br>Joann Stroud | 22 Gene Hilderbrand | 23 Gianna Hance | 24 Bentley Pearson | 25 Anna Beatty<br>Janet Johnson<br>Josh Kilcoyne<br>Alex Ross<br>Gabe Winebarger | 29 Elaine Austin<br>Isaac Rexrode | 30 Emma VanArsdale |
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# ANNIVERSARIES

## JUNE

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| 1 Jim & Eunice Brewer | 2 Bobby & Connie Campbell | 4 Jason & Michelle Mullins | 5 Howard & Christy Hare | 7 Dwight & Joann Wallace | 9 Kevin & Teresa Campbell<br>Scotty & Brenda Greene<br>Jody & Cathy Mitchell<br>Chris & Amanda Pauley | 10 Robert & Teresa Snider | 11 Sonny & Jennifer Hedrick | 12 Michael & Nicole Johnson | 15 Doug & Renee Holland<br>Nathan & Alex Lemings | 17 Tony & Anita Craver | 18 Hal & Cindy Gibson<br>Brian & Robin Stewart | 21 Billy & Sheri Pope | 22 Larry & Libby Campbell | 25 Elliot & Julie Gealy<br>Jack & Wilma Huffman | 26 Steve & Geraldine Dixon<br>Mat & Miranda Schriener | 27 Creighton & Tracey Gibson | 28 Eric & Leona Dixon | 30 Gary & Carol Stewart |
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## Wednesday Evening Meal Menus

5:30 - 6:45 pm

Family Life Center

June 1st, 8th, 15th NO MEAL

June 22nd - \$3 Fajitas w/toppings & pintos

June 29th - \$3 Spaghetti w/ salad

# YOUNG AT HEART

**ROMEO Club**  
**(Retired Older Men Eating Out)**  
**Tuesday, June 7th 8:00 am**



OLD COUNTRY STORE

**Join us in fellowship & prayer**

Please call or text Pastor Pauley @ 704-880-3625  
if you plan to attend

# WORSHIP MINISTRY

## RIVER WORSHIP CHOIR

5th AM	Praise Is the Offering	PM	HIM Sing
12th AM	Thank You Jesus for Blood	PM	No Service/VBS
19th AM	Peace Speaker	PM	No Service
26th AM	Sins Are Gone Forever	PM	Say Amen

## SPECIAL MUSIC Chipley Ford

5th AM	Pastor Pauley	PM	HIM Sing
12th AM	Don Johnson	PM	No Service/VBS
19th AM	Sherwin Johnson	PM	No Service
26th AM	Melani Harrell	PM	Jimmy Williams

## WEDS

1st No solo 8th No solo 15th Dan McGee 22nd No solo  
29th Maddie Arrowodd

## SPECIAL MUSIC Bristol Drive

5th AM Phil Ingram 12th AM Renee Hilderbrand 19th AM Harold Smith  
26th AM Darlene Estes

1st No solo 8th Phil Ingram 15th No solo 22nd Harold Smith  
19th No solo



# Mark Your Calendars

Patriots' Day Celebration - July 3rd

8:15 AM Solemn Assembly 9:30 AM Sunday School

10:45 Worship Fellowship Meal after in FLC

**Sunday, June 5th 6:00 PM**  
**South River Sanctuary**



Don't miss an evening  
of worship led by our  
River Worship Choir,  
Praise Team and Instrumentalists

The whole evening, we will  
sing about our Jesus,  
worshipping through psalms,  
hymns and spiritual songs.  
(Eph. 5:19-21)



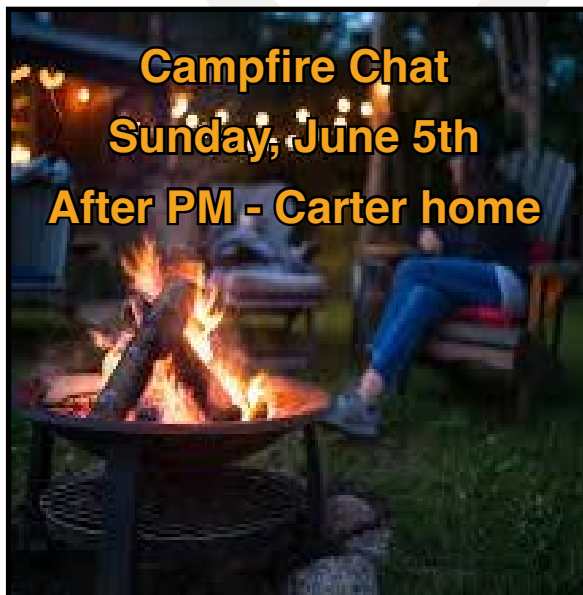
## BRISTOL DRIVE



Continuing our study of Colossians on Sunday mornings, Paul once again gives us an immovable foundation upon which all life and ministry of the Church should flow. In Colossians 1:23 Paul, speaking of Christ, says, "Him we proclaim". God revealed the mystery of redemption to His saints, Jew and Gentile alike, through the person and work of Christ. And now we proclaim Him. Like Paul we warn everyone to flee from the sin that once held them captive, and teach everyone to live according to His law, so that when they stand before God, they will not be ashamed. As September draws near, and we launch as a congregation, we ask that you would pray for us. May it always be Christ that is taught, sung, and believed at Bristol.


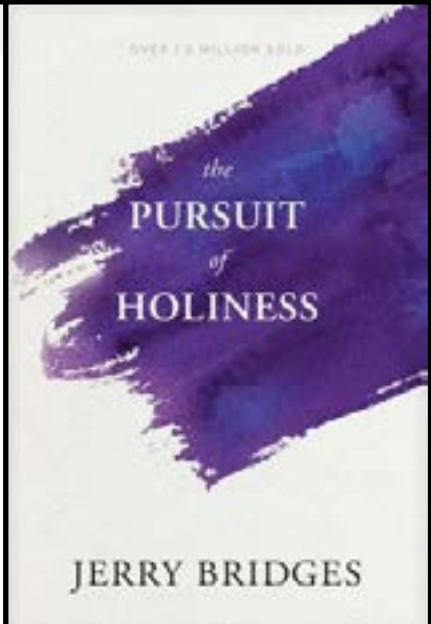
Pastor Wesley Rexrode,  
Bristol Drive Campus

## YOUNG ADULTS



## MEN'S EVENTS



 <p><b>Axiom Men's Ministry Bible Study</b></p> <p>2nd &amp; 4th Saturdays 8:00 am in FLC #4</p> <p>Join us to study God's Word June 11th &amp; 25th</p> <p>Contact Tony Craver - 704-397-6965 for more informations</p>	 <p>OVER 1.5 MILLION SOLD</p> <p>the PURSUIT of HOLINESS</p> <p>JERRY BRIDGES</p>
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## HEADWATERS ACADEMY

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SOUTH RIVER BAPTIST CHURCH

Registration is open for the 2022-2023 School Year.  
Several grades are approaching capacity.

**Please call if you would like a tour. Final informational Open House is June 23rd 6 pm.**

Current students should use this link > <https://headwaters-academy.com/register-current/>

New students should use this link > <https://headwaters-academy.com/register-new/>

**Volunteers Needed as Teacher Helpers or tutors  
for next year!**

Or Contact Kim Williams at 704-881-1459

[kim@southriverbaptist.com](mailto:kim@southriverbaptist.com)

If you are available for all or part of the day from 7:30-11:30 Mon – Fri, please fill out a  
volunteer form and let me know of your interest. One or two days/week will go far to help our teachers.

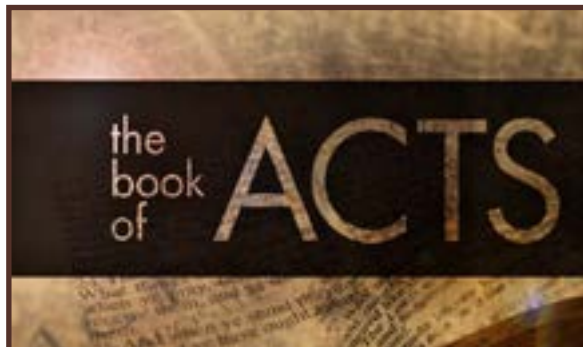
Please mark your calendars for these upcoming events:

**Remaining Open House - June 23rd 6 pm**

Scan to apply



## DISCIPLESHIP MINISTRY



Message Series

with Pastor Chris

Wednesdays  
@ 7:00 pm

## SUMMER SUNDAY NIGHTS

### SUMMER SUNDAYS @ SOUTH RIVER

JUNE

**5TH HIM SING - RIVER WORSHIP CHOIR**

**12TH ZOOMERANG - VBS**

**19TH FATHER'S DAY (NO SERVICE)**

**26TH HOMEMADE ICE CREAM FELLOWSHIP**

JULY

**3RD SOLEMN ASSEMBLY - PATRIOT DAY - LUNCH**

**10TH WATERMELON FELLOWSHIP**

**17TH HOMEMADE ICE CREAM FELLOWSHIP**

**24TH TESTIMONY CELEBRATION WITH MEAL**

**31ST QUARTERLY MINISTRY CELEBRATION**

AUGUST

**7TH DOWN EAST BOYS IN CONCERT**

**14TH FAITH, FAMILY & FREEDOM IN THE PARK**



# 2022

# june

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			Headwaters Teacher Training - 2nd No Wednesday Night Meal 7:00 pm Prayer Meeting Ripple Kidz & Students			8:00 am Deep & Wide Workday
Bible Reading Wk 23 Graduate Recognition 10:45 am 9:30 am RiverWalk Class 6:00 pm HIM Sing After pm - YAM Campfire Chat (Carter home)		8:00 am ROMEO (Cracker Barrel)	No Wednesday Night Meal 7:00 pm Prayer Meeting Ripple Kidz & Students			8:00 am Men's Bible Study (FLC #4)
Bible Read Wk 24 9:30 am RiverWalk Class 6:45 pm - Vacation Bible School - 16th			No Wednesday Night Meal No regular activities - VBS			
Bible Read Wk 25 Fathers' Day 9:30 am RiverWalk Class No pm Activities	RippleKidz Camp - 24th	4:00 pm Sr. Adult Food Boxes	5:30 pm Wednesday Night Meal 7:00 pm Prayer Meeting Ripple Kidz & Students 8:00 pm Stewardship Mtg	D & W Super Thursday - All Day 6:00 pm Headwaters Open House	7 pm YAM Movie Night	8:00 am Men's Bible Study (FLC #4)
Bible Read Wk 26 9:30 am RiverWalk Class After pm Worship - Ice Cream Fellowship	RippleKidz Camp - 1st		5:30 pm Wednesday Night Meal 6:00 pm Student Ministry Council 7:00 pm Prayer Meeting Ripple Kidz & Students	D & W Super Thursday - All Day		