

## MORNING WORSHIP

October 22, 2023

10:30AM

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Operation Christmas Child Video

Welcome/Announcements Jordan Drake

Praise and Worship Praise Band  
"Resurrecting"

Children's Corner Kristen Hardison

Praise and Worship Praise Band  
"Build My Life"

Morning Prayer Jordan Drake

Praise and Worship Praise Band  
"You've Already Won"

Scripture James Henegar  
"John 10:22-30"

Message James Henegar

Invitation Praise Band  
"O Come to the Altar"

Closing Prayer James Henegar

Postlude

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**Pastor – James Henegar**

**Associate Pastor – Jordan Drake**

**WELCOME**

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## MBC NEWS

### Birthdays

**Sunday:** Carlton Stallings **Monday:** Robert Gurganus **Tuesday:** Ryan Garner  
**Wednesday:** Carol Penn, Mary Lib Boyd

### Wednesday, October 25, 2023

There will be no Adult Prayer Time on Wednesday, October 25<sup>th</sup>. All adults are encouraged to be a part of our Harvest Hoopla. This will be a great time of fellowship. Also, no Children's Choir, Christmas Cantata or Adult Choir practice on Wednesday. Christmas Cantata practice will be tonight at 7:00PM.

### Harvest Hoopla

Harvest Hoopla this Wednesday, October 25, 2023 from 6-8PM! There are signups available in the Atrium for trunks, the cake walk, and registration tables. Decorate your trunk with a fun game and scriptural theme, make delicious cupcakes to share at the cake walk, or help us with registration tables. You can donate candy to Team Jordan or Team James boxes!

### Deadline for November Calendar

The deadline to submit calendar dates and news items to the church office for November calendar will be Monday, October 23, 2023.


### Blessings in a Backpack

This ministry program helps to feed children in Martin County who have been identified as needing nutritional food. The school system provides their meals during the week; however, these children sometimes go the entire weekend with no nutritional food. Each Friday, a child in the program will receive a bag of food to help sustain them until Monday. Your support of this ministry is vital. There are a couple of ways to help:

**Financial Support** – \$4 feeds a child for a weekend; \$165.00 feeds one child for the school year. Please make checks payable to **Blessings in a Backpack.** Our county goal this year is to raise \$15,000 to support 90 local children during the school year.

**Volunteer Support** – Help is needed to package and deliver food weekly to local schools during the months of September and June, and throughout the school year for shopping trips to Walmart to stock the Blessings in a Backpack pantry. If you are interested in serving or would like more information, please contact Shannon Hoggard or PJ Taylor.

### Young @ Activities

Young @  is having a covered dish luncheon on Friday, November 3<sup>rd</sup> at 12Noon. The church will furnish the chicken and you need to bring sides and dessert. We are also planning to play group games after the meal. Please bring your favorite games to share and enjoy a great time of fellowship. Sign up in the office by Monday, October 30<sup>th</sup> at 12Noon, so we can order the chicken.

### YOUTH NEWS

**Fall Retreat at Caswell:** November 10-12, 2023 will be our Fall Caswell Retreat for our youth grades 6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>.

## OPPORTUNITIES OF THE WEEK

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>October 22, 2023</b>
9:15 AM	Sunday School
9:15–10:00	Church Media Library
10:30	Morning Worship – Sanctuary – Live Stream – Live Radio WIAM 900AM – 92.1FM
2:00-3:30	Drive Through Baby Shower for Brandyn Gay Jones Family – Red Building 24
5:00 PM	Mom's in Prayer
7:00	Christmas Rehearsal Sanctuary Choir to Follow
<b>Monday</b>	<b>October 23, 2023</b>
3:00 PM	Prayer Team
5:30	Handbells
6:30	Emelyne Griffin Circle – Fellowship Hall
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>October 24, 2023</b>
6:30 PM	Business Management Team Planning Session
7:00	Renee Crane – Fellowship Hall
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>October 25, 2023</b>
5:00 PM	No Children's Choir
5:30 – 6:30	No Church Media Library Open
5:45 PM	No Meal
6:00	Harvest Hoopla / Truck or Treat
6:45	No Adult Prayer Time
7:35	No Christmas Rehearsal No Sanctuary Choir to Follow
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>October 28, 2023</b>
8:00 AM	Krispy Kreme Fundraiser for Africa Mission Trip

### Krispy Kreme Mission Trip Fundraiser

We are having a Krispy Kreme fundraiser this Saturday, October 28, 2023 to help support our team going to Africa. Two locations at MBC (Red Building 24) and Highway 17S across from Walmart beginning at 8:00AM until sold out. 1 dozen glazed for \$15 or 1 coupon for a dozen glazed for \$15. Thank you for your support!



### Food Pantry

We are having an ongoing food collection for Friends of God Food Pantry. The bins are labeled and located in the atrium. Please donate non-perishable foods: canned vegetables, canned meat, canned fruit, soup, peanut butter, jelly, rice, etc. Thank you for your support.



*It's time to start thinking about Christmas! The Hospitality Team would like to host the Christmas Cantata Reception to honor the choir, but we need your help. To host a proper event, we need the following:*

- *Kitchen Help Friday (Dec. 15<sup>th</sup>)*
- *Set up Tables (Dec. 15<sup>th</sup>)*
- *Kitchen Help (Dec. 17<sup>th</sup>)*
- *Clean Up Fellowship Hall after reception – tables & kitchen duties*

*The more help we receive, the bigger the food table. . . Yum!*

*If interested, please contact Teresa (252-229-9705) or Gail (252-799-8023).*

*Thanks so much!*



**VOLUNTEERS FOR MINISTRIES – October 22, 2023**

**IT'S TIME TO PACK A SHOEBOX!**

It is SHOEBOX time! Each shoebox provides a gospel opportunity that makes an impact on HIS kingdom. There are several ways a shoebox can be packed:

1. Pick up shoeboxes in the atrium and pack them. There is a \$10.00 donation for each shoebox to help cover the shipping cost and The Greatest Journey Discipleship book for each child. **Dedication Sunday is November 12.** Please hold onto your shoeboxes until the designated time to bring them forward during the service. If you are not able to attend dedication Sunday, you can drop them off at the church office prior to that Sunday.
2. Pack a shoebox online with total cost per box \$25. See back of this insert to find the website link and QR code. Doing an online box through this link or code will enable our church to know how many online boxes we pack.
3. Let the Operation Christmas Child team at the church build a shoebox for you. A \$25 donation for each shoebox can be put in an envelope with Shoebox written on it and then just drop it off at the church office.

Thank you for your support of this ministry! Our church goal this year is 150 Shoeboxes.

Our church is an area drop off location for Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes. We need your help collection week, November 13–20. A volunteer sign-up form will be provided in the atrium. Thanks so much for your help!



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- Deacon of the Month** – Fannie Howell
- Facilities Team** – Ken Hardison
- Courtesy Walk** – Stewart Johnson
- Flowers** – Debi Rogers
- Food Service Team** – Bella Garner
- Nursery Chair** – Hollie Styons
- Birth – 18 Months** – Jason and Jane Ashley White
- 18 Months – 2 Yr. Old** – Ginger Ayers and Sue Johnson
- 3 Year Olds – Kindergarten** – Kellen Gurkin and Amy Edwards
- Sunday Tellers** – James Cratt and Diane Hardison
- Tuesday Teller** – Sheila Godard
- Greeters** – John and Beth Davis (Sanctuary Greeters), Diana Cratt (Double Glass Door in Atrium)

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**CURRENT PRAYER CONCERNS**

MBC Web Page [www.memmap.org](http://www.memmap.org)

**Sympathy:** To JoEllen Rogers and family in the death of her father, William "Bill" Dove.

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**ECU Health:** Brandyn Jones (Daughter of Rickie and Joyce Gay)

**Duke Medical:** Becky Conner

**Rehab in Rocky Mount:** Darla Prescott

**Newly Added Prayer Concerns:** Mike VanLandingham

**Military:** Chris Holland, Everett Paschal, William Manning, Matt Dougherty, Kristen Caldwell, Calvin Dickinson, McCauley Griffin, Jim Davis, Jackson Hocutt

David & Renee, Nikki & Steve Hart, Tim & Lynn Davis (Daughter of Tommy & Jean Harris), Baptist Children's Home