

**MORNING WORSHIP**  
**September 15, 2024**  
**10:30AM**

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Video Announcements

Hymn Number 16  
"I Worship You, Almighty God"

Welcome/Prayer James Henegar

Offertory Hymn Number 225  
"There Is Power in the Blood"

Choir Anthem Worship Choir  
Soloist – Diane Hardison  
"Mercy"

Scripture James Henegar  
"John 20:1-18"

Message James Henegar  
"Why Are We Here?"

Invitation Hymn Number 81  
"He Leadeth Me"

Closing Prayer James Henegar

Postlude

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**Pastor – James Henegar**

**Associate Pastor – Jordan Drake**

**Selection of Deacons**

The official deacon ballot will be distributed today.

**Record for September 1 – September 7, 2024**

Weekly Budget: \$11,396.00  
Last Week's Giving: \$ 8,978.77

**MBC NEWS**

**Birthdays**

**Sunday:** Jeanne Dunlow, Kacy Moore, Lindsay Williams **Monday:** Sydney Weaver **Tuesday:** Beth Davis, Gordon Harrison **Thursday:** Amanda Ward, Josie Drake\* **Saturday:** Sue Johnson, Teresa Farrior

**Life Action Event**

We are excited about the opportunity to fellowship with the Life Action team. We have eight families who have graciously offered their hospitality for 13 days. We need additional families to host some team members for a meal. Sign ups will be in the atrium. See Anne Shepherd or Debi Rogers for details.

**Festival of Salads**

Ladies, our annual "Festival of Salads" (formerly Salad Supper) is TODAY at 5:00PM in the fellowship hall. Our guest speaker will be Amanda VanStaalduinen. She will be sharing about her trip to Uganda and "Sleep in Heavenly Peace". This year, we will be accepting monetary donations for the WMU Red Box Prison Ministry. Please bring your donation at the "Festival of Salads". Plan to bring your favorite salad and a friend.

**Ministry Leaders**

You should have received an information packet containing simple instructions and a year-to-date financial summary to aid in the 2025 budget preparation process for your areas of ministry. Please work with your teams to prepare and submit budget requests no later than tomorrow. Should you have any questions, please contact Laura Caldwell or a member of the Business Management Team. Thank you!!!!

**Yard Sale and Prayer Tent**

The church will be having a yard sale for donations and Prayer Tent this Saturday, September 21, 2024. All donations will go to future missions trips. Please bring your donations and put them in the back of red building 24.

**New Members Class**

Thinking about joining Memorial Baptist Church? We will have a new members class and lunch on Sunday, September 22, 2024. **Please sign up on the Welcome Wall.**

**Sleep in Heavenly Peace DELIVERY**

MARK YOUR CALENDAR, September 28 (Next Saturday) is the Sleep in Heavenly Peace DELIVERY date. It begins at 8:30AM at Brent Roberson's shop. More details to come. Go ahead and mark it now, the kids need your help to get these beds to their house, so they can have a great night's sleep.

**Deadline for October Calendar**

The deadline to submit calendar dates to the church office for October calendar will be Tuesday, September 24, 2024.

**Harvest Hoopla**

Harvest Hoopla will be on Saturday, October 19, 2024 from 5:30-8:00PM! There are signups available in the Atrium on the Welcome Wall for trunks, cupcakes or cookies for cake walk, and volunteers. Decorate your trunk with a fun game and scriptural theme, make delicious cupcakes or cookies to share at the cake walk, or help us with registration tables and games.

**OPPORTUNITIES OF THE WEEK**

**Sunday September 15, 2024**  
9:00–10:00 Church Library  
9:15 AM Sunday School  
10:30 Morning Worship – Sanctuary – Live Stream – Live Radio  
WIAM 900AM – 92.1FM  
10:30 Children’s Church – Red Building 24  
5:00 PM Ladies “Festival of Salads” – Fellowship Hall  
5:00 No Mom’s in Prayer  
**Monday September 16, 2024**  
3:00 PM Prayer Team  
5:30 Handbells  
**Tuesday September 17, 2024**  
7:00 PM Renee Crane Bible Study – Fellowship Hall  
**Wednesday September 18, 2024**  
11:00 AM Benevolence Team – Red Building 24  
5:00 PM Children’s Choir – Choir Room  
5:30–6:30 Church Library Open  
5:45 Meal – Hamburger Steak, Mac & Cheese, Garden Peas –  
The Shepherd Class  
6:30 Awana and Students  
6:45 Adult Mid-Week – “Unlocking the Mysteries of Genesis”  
7:35 Christmas Choir Practice  
Worship Choir Practice Immediately After Christmas Choir  
**Friday September 20, 2024**  
10:15 AM Young @ Heart – Coastal Fog Restaurant – Greenville  
11:30 First Responder Appreciation Lunch – Fellowship Hall  
**Saturday September 21, 2024**  
8:00–11:00 Yard Sale and Prayer Tent

**GriefShare**

If you are interested in attending a GriefShare group on Sunday afternoon, please contact the church office. If there is interest, we will start a group soon. An online group is also a possibility.

**Young @ ♥ News**

- ❖ Sign up to eat lunch at Coastal Fog, a unique Greenville restaurant and gift shop with an amazing atmosphere. We will leave the church on Friday, September 20th at 10:15AM. Please call the church by September 16th to sign up and indicate whether you are going to ride the bus or meet us there. We do not need a driver for this trip.
- ❖ Young at Heart is planning a trip to Selma, NC “Rudy Theatre” to see “Christmas Jubilee” on Tuesday, November 12, 2024. The show starts at 12:45PM. It is a 2-hour musical journey through your favorite Christmas songs and scenes. Tickets are \$33 each. Signup/pay at the church office by October 1, 2024 for us to secure our tickets. We will leave the church at 9:00AM and eat brunch at Cracker Barrel before the show. When you purchase tickets, please let us know whether you want to ride the church bus or meet us there. We already have a driver for this event.

**VOLUNTEERS FOR MINISTRIES – September 15, 2024**

**Deacon of the Month** – Simon Griffin  
**Facilities Team** – Randy Miller  
**Flowers** – Debi Rogers  
**Food Service Team** – Freddie Roberson  
**Transportation** – Duke Stone  
**Nursery Chair** – Harris Harrell  
**Infants** – Titus and Jesse Anne Hamilton  
**1 – 2 Year Olds** – Justin and Grace Harrell  
**2 – 3 Year Olds** – Kemper and Jessica Smith  
**4 Year Olds – Kindergarten** – Cynthia Manning and Laura Baber  
**Video System** – John Davis  
**Audio System** – Ken Hardison  
**Sunday Tellers** – Duke Stone and Scott West  
**Tuesday Teller** – Donna Mills  
**Greeters** – Duke Stone and Allison Stone (Sanctuary Greeters), Kacy Moore (Double Glass Door in Atrium)

**CURRENT PRAYER CONCERNS**

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

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**Sympathy:** To Anita Gill & family in the death of her son, Bridger Gill. (Friend of Amanda VanStaalduinen)  
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**Shepherd Center for Spinal Cord Injuries:** Andrew Cole (Niece’s Husband of Barbara Conner)  
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**Newly Added:** Bradley Pippins (Son-in-law of Duke and Allison Stone)  
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**Military:** Chris Holland, Everett Paschal, William Manning, Matt Dougherty, Kristen Caldwell, Calvin Dickinson, McCauley Griffin, Jim Davis, Jackson Hocutt  
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David & Renee, Nikki & Steve Hart, Tim & Lynn Davis (Daughter of Tommy & Jean Harris), Baptist Children’s Home  
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## Additional Announcements

September 15, 2024

### Blessings in a Backpack

Blessings in a Backpack provides food to kids in Martin County on the weekend who might otherwise go hungry. Our mission is simple—we want to make sure that the kids in our neighborhoods don't have to worry about having enough food each weekend.

Last school year, our combined efforts in Martin County met (and exceeded!) our goal of raising \$25,000 to support 155 children in this program with a bag of food each week—that's over 5,800 hunger-free weekends! We want to thank each and every one of you for your support from the bottom of our backpacks!!

This year our goal is to sustain support of at least 150 kids in this program by raising \$25,000 county-wide. As little as \$4 provides enough food for one child for a weekend, and \$165 supports a child for an entire school year. Please make checks payable to Blessings in a Backpack.

We also need volunteers to help stock our on-site Blessings in a Backpack pantry and pack and deliver food bags to schools. Please see Shannon Hoggard or PJ Taylor for details.

### Backpacks for Appalachia

Backpacks are due back to us no later than Sunday, October 20, 2024. Someone will be in the atrium on Sunday, October 13 and Sunday, October 20 to collect them.

### Thank You Note

We have received a thank you note from the family of Ann Williams. It is posted on the hall bulletin board.

### Candy Drive – Harvest Hoopla

Candy donations are being accepted throughout the month of September for Harvest Hoopla. Donations can be dropped in the collection baskets in the atrium. Thank You!



Kids Church will be held on the 2nd, 3rd, 4th, and 5th Sundays. Kids will transition into Kids Church between 10:15-10:25 am and our service will begin at 10:30 am. Kids in the Fours – Kindergarten class will come into Kids Church from 10:25-10:45 for our worship time and Bible lesson. We will still collect the Blessings in a Backpack offering on the 4th Sunday of each month.

### 2025 MBC Handbook

Data is being collected for the 2025 MBC Handbook. Please complete the blue form, located on the Welcome Wall, to make changes and turn into the church office or place in the offering plate. Non-Members: If you are regularly attending and engaged in MBC, we would like to have your information included. You are a part of our church family and we would love to be able to contact you more easily when needed.

### College Addresses

If someone in your family is in college, we would like to have their e-mail address and mailing address for our MBC Handbook and for our Care Team. Also, please let us know if the address should be the same as last year. A green form is located on the Welcome Wall for you to fill out and return to the church office or e-mail changes to [lconner@membap.org](mailto:lconner@membap.org).

### NACHO AVERAGE BABY SHOWER

Please join us for a Fiesta Lunch Honoring

*Josh & Liz Stalls*

Saturday, September 28, 2024 at 12:00Noon

In the Fellowship Hall

Registered at Amazon.com



### 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 fruit, SpaghettiOs, canned vegetables, canned meat, canned soup, rice, etc. Thank you for your support.