

## MORNING WORSHIP

September 7, 2025

10:30AM

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Video Announcements	
Welcome/Prayer	Jordan Drake
Contemplative Worship / Offering	
Hymn	Number 64
	“What a Mighty God We Serve”
Hymn	Number 392
	“We’re Marching to Zion”
Children Message	Jane Ashley White
Mission Focus / Prayer	James Henegar
Choir Anthem	Worship Choir
	“Just a Little Talk With Jesus”
Scripture	James Henegar
	“Acts 13:1-4”
Message	James Henegar
Invitation Hymn	Number 614
	“In My Heart There Rings a Melody”
Closing Prayer	Deacon
Postlude	

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**Pastor – James Henegar**

**Associate Next Gen Pastor – Jordan Drake**

**WELCOME**

## MBC NEWS

### Birthdays

**Monday:** Adrian Molina **Wednesday:** Josh Stalls **Thursday:** Chris Ward  
**Friday:** Becky Jenkins **Saturday:** Charlotte Smith\*

### Wednesday Night Meal and Activities

Wednesday Night Kick-Off will begin with our covered dish meal THIS Wednesday. Fried Chicken will be provided from Chicken Kitchen. Please have your special dish here by 5:30PM, so we can begin serving at 5:45PM. Our Awana leaders need to be served first. The line will start at the door by the Welcome Center. Please enter the doors by the breezeway or through the fellowship hall and place your dish at the window for the Food Service Team. This will help on the kitchen traffic. Label all dishes on top and bottom. Awana and Student Mid-Week will begin at 6:15PM and Adult Mid-Week will begin at 6:30PM.

### Ministry Leaders

You should have received an information packet containing simple instructions and a year-to-date financial summary to aid in the 2026 budget preparation process for your areas of ministry. Please work with your teams to prepare and **submit budget requests no later than by September 20<sup>th</sup>**. Concerning the church ministries (excluding the weekday school budget), the BMT requests all teams target level or reduced spending for 2026. Should you have any questions, please contact Laura Caldwell or a member of the Business Management Team. Thank you!!!!

### 2026 MBC Handbook

Data is being collected for the 2026 MBC Handbook. Please complete the blue form, located on the Welcome Wall, to make changes and turn into the office or place in the offering plates. 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.

### Kid's Choir

Kid's Choir will begin on Wednesday, September 17, 2025 at 5:15PM. This year Kids Choir will be open to Preschoolers through 5<sup>th</sup> graders. For more information and to register your kids for the Fall/Winter season visit: [membap.org/kids-choir](http://membap.org/kids-choir).

### 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 weekend. 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 this level of support 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. For further information on how you can help, please see Shannon Hoggard or PJ Taylor.

## OPPORTUNITIES OF THE WEEK

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>September 7, 2025</b>
9:00–10:00	Church Library
9:15 AM	Sunday School
10:30	Morning Worship – Sanctuary – Live Stream – Live Radio WIAM 900AM – 92.1FM
11:30	Western NC Hurricane Relief Mission Trip Info Meeting Immediately After Church
5:00 PM	Mom’s in Prayer
6:30	Diaconate Meeting – Fellowship Hall
<b>Monday</b>	<b>September 8, 2025</b>
3:00 PM	Prayer Team
6:00	Handbells
6:00	American Heritage Girls (AHG) – Upstairs
6:30	Trail Life – Red Building 24
7:00	Baptist Men’s Fellowship – Fellowship Hall
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>September 9, 2025</b>
9:30 AM	Ladies Bible Study – Season 5 of the Chosen
6:00 PM	Grief Share – Adult Education Center (Barnes House)
7:00	Renee Crane Circle – Fellowship Hall
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>September 10, 2025</b>
5:30 PM	Church Library Open
5:45	Covered Dish Meal
6:15	Awana and Student Mid-Week
6:30	Adult Mid-Week
7:35	Christmas Choir Rehearsal – “The Heart of Christmas” Worship Choir Practice Immediately After Christmas Choir
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>September 13, 2025</b>
8:00-12:00	Free Yard Sale at MBC

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### Western NC Hurricane Relief Mission Trip – October 9th-11th

We will be traveling to Western NC Thursday afternoon (October 9th) to work on rebuilding houses affected by Hurricane Helene. Anyone 14-years-old and older is welcome to join. \$60 donation recommended to cover lodging and meals. Call the office to sign-up by September 21st. **Info meeting TODAY immediately after church.**

### Selection of Deacons

The official deacon ballot will be distributed on Sunday, September 21st.

### Harvest Hoopla Candy Drive

Candy donations are being accepted from September 7, 2025 to October 19, 2025 for Harvest Hoopla. Donations can be dropped in the collection baskets in the atrium near the preschool. Thank You!



## Additional Announcements

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### Festival of Salads

The ladies annual Festival of Salads will be held on Sunday, September 21, 2025 at 5:00PM in the Fellowship Hall. Amanda VanStaalduinen will be sharing stories and pictures of her recent mission trip to Uganda. Bring your favorite salad and enjoy a time of great food and fellowship. Please invite a friend. Our Missions project this year will be providing items to help our local schools. It has come to our attention that socks, underwear, and stick deodorant are needed and would be much appreciated throughout the school year for students of all ages. Please bring one or more of these items to our Festival of Salads.



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### College Addresses

If someone in your family is in college, we would like to have their address and e-mail for our MBC Handbook. Also, please let us know if the address should be the same as last year. Please fill out the green form located on the Welcome Wall or call the church office. Thanks!

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### Deadline for October Calendar

The deadline to submit calendar dates to the church office for October calendar will on Tuesday, September 23, 2025.

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### 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, mac & cheese, etc. Thank you for your support.



**DEACON'S SELECTION  
SAMPLE BALLOT  
SEPTEMBER 7, 2025**

The candidates below have been vetted and spoken with the Pastor per Deacon Handbook and MBC Constitution guidelines. These five candidates are committed to serve the full three-year term if affirmed by Church vote. An affirmative vote for the five candidates listed will yield an active Deacon Body of 13. The Diaconate thanks each candidate for their willingness to serve and their commitment to this church.

Please pray that each candidate listed, and Memorial Baptist Church will continue to serve God and follow His Will.

**2025 List of Candidates for Deacon**

**Jackie Bonds**

**Ben Daniel**

**John Davis**

**Matthew Harrell**

**Scott West**

**Deacon's Selection Official Ballot will be  
Sunday, September 21, 2025**

**VOLUNTEERS FOR MINISTRIES – September 7, 2025**

**Deacon of the Week** – Hank Farrow

**Facilities Team** – Randy Miller

**Flowers** – Debi Rogers

**Food Service Team** – Freddie Roberson

**Transportation** – Duke Stone

**Nursery Chair** – Liz Stalls

**Infants** – Daniel and Emily Buck

**Toddler 1 (1s-2s)** – Sue Hall and Maribeth Jacobson

**Toddler 2 (2s-3s)** – Zach and Kristen Hardison

**Preschool (3s-4s)** – Dan and Amanda VanStaalduinen

**Sunday Tellers** – Duke Stone and Scott West

**Tuesday Teller** – Donna Mills

**Greeters** – Duke Stone, Allison Stone (Sanctuary Greeters), Amanda/Tate VanStaalduinen (Double Glass Door in Atrium)

**CURRENT PRAYER CONCERNS**

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

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**ECU Health Beaufort:** Janice Long (Aunt of Margie Coltrain)  
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**Newly Added Prayer Concerns:** Nikki Dickinson (Daughter of Ricky and Mary Coltrain)  
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**Military:** Chris Holland, Everett Paschal, William Manning, Matt Dougherty, Kristen Caldwell, Jim Davis  
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David & Renee, Nikki & Steve Hart, Tim & Lynn Davis (Daughter of Tommy & Jean Harris), Baptist Children's Home, Travis & Caroline Jones Fennessy, Shaun & Joy Price  
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