# CONNECT

We're glad you're here!

YOUR INFO

Name _____

Spouse _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ ZIP _____

CONTACT

Phone _____

Email _____

Preferred: ☐Call ☐Text ☐Email

YOUR VISIT

First time here? ☐ Yes ☐ No

☐ I'm new to the community

I'm a guest of _____

AGE / GRADE GROUPS (Check)

Preschool (Age): ☐ Birth – 1
☐ 2–3 ☐4–5

School Grades: ☐ K-2 ☐ 3-5
☐ 6-8 ☐ 9-12

Adults (Ages): ☐18–19 ☐20s ☐30s
☐40s ☐50s ☐ 60s ☐70s+

NEXT STEPS

- ☐ Become a follower of Jesus Christ
- ☐ Be baptized
- ☐ Talk to a pastor
- ☐ Learn more about MBC
- ☐ Volunteer
- ☐ Become a member

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# ORDER OF WORSHIP

August 16, 2026

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|---|---|
| Video Announcements | |
| Welcome / Prayer | Dillon Taylor |
| Contemplative Worship / Offering | |
| Hymn | Number 133 |
| "Shout to the Lord" | |
| Hymn | Number 6 |
| "How Great Thou Art" | |
| Missions Moment / Prayer | Roy Taylor |
| Choir Anthem | Worship Choir |
| "Made For More" | |
| Scripture | James Henegar |
| "Acts 25:13 – Acts 26" | |
| Message | James Henegar |
| Invitation Hymn | Number 600 |
| "When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder" | |
| Closing Prayer | James Henegar |
| Postlude | |

# WELCOME



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# Memorial Baptist Church

## MBC NEWS

### Birthdays

**Tuesday:** Gail VanLandingham, Janie Taylor* **Wednesday:** Jack Ritter **Thursday:** Belinda Daniels, Dillon Taylor, Hope Eure **Saturday:** Fay Bobbitt, Brandon Dunlow

### Grief Share

We are beginning a new cycle of Grief Share THIS Thursday, August 20, 2026. This is a weekly grief support group meeting every Thursday at 7:00PM in the Adult Education Center (Barnes House). You can register online at griefshare.org/findagroup or contact Fannie Howell.

### Backpacks

Empty backpacks will be distributed the month of August for the ones who signed up. They will be due back in October. See a member of the Emelyne Griffin Circle in the Atrium.

### College Addresses

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

### Yard Sale Sign-Ups

We need your help to sort items on September 7 – September 11 for our yard sale on Saturday, September 12. Sign-up sheet is located on the Welcome Wall. Also, we have a sheet to sign-up on the Welcome Wall to help the day of the yard sale. Thank You!

### Yard Sale Donations

Our yard sale will be on Saturday, September 12, 2026 from 8:00AM-12:00Noon. We will accept donations until Sunday, September 6th. Call the church office if you need assistance to get the items to the church.

### New Ladies Bible Study

We will be studying Song of Songs "The Love We Long For" by Lisa Harper. This study is seven sessions beginning on Tuesday, September 1, 2026 at 9:30AM in Red Building 24. The book is $15.00 and comes with streaming video. If you miss the first session, you can stream it at home. Please let Diana Cratt know ASAP if you are interested so we will have enough books.

### Music

It is time to begin preparing our Christmas music for our annual cantata on December 13, 2026 at 6:00PM. Rehearsal this Wednesday, August 19th at 7:30PM in the choir room. Once we start Wednesday night activities in September, we will meet at 7:35PM following all Wednesday night activities. We would love to have anyone join us even if you do not come to Sanctuary Choir rehearsals on a regular basis. We have a great time learning new and old Christmas songs for worship through music that has been inspired by God. If you have any questions, ask any of our choir members or get in touch with me anytime. Hope to see you Wednesday!! Mary

### Deadline for September Calendar

The deadline to submit calendar dates to the church office for September calendar will be Monday, August 24, 2026.

## OPPORTUNITIES OF THE WEEK

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| **Sunday** | **August 16, 2026** |
| 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 | Kid's Church<br>Youth River Day |
| **Monday** | **August 17, 2026** |
| 3:00 PM | Prayer Team – Atrium |
| 5:15 | Handbells |
| 6:30 | Emelyne Griffin Circle – Fellowship Hall |
| **Tuesday** | **August 18, 2026** |
| 7:00 PM | Renee Crane Circle – Fellowship Hall |
| **Wednesday** | **August 19, 2026** |
| 10:00 AM | Benevolence Team – Red Building 24 |
| 6:00 PM | Youth – Food and Games at MBC |
| 7:30 | Christmas Choir Rehearsal |
| | Worship Choir Rehearsal Immediately Following |
| **Thursday** | **August 20, 2026** |
| 7:00 PM | Grief Share – Adult Education Center (Barnes House) |
| **Friday** | **August 21, 2026** |
| 5:00–7:00 PM | Youth at the Hardison's for Pool Party |

### 2027 MBC Handbook

Data is being collected for the 2027 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.

### Ministry Leaders

You will soon receive an information packet containing simple instructions and a year-to-date financial summary to aid in the 2027 budget preparation process for your areas of ministry. Please work with your teams to prepare and **submit budget requests no later than by September 18th**. Should you have any questions, please contact Laura Caldwell or a member of the Business Management Team. Thank you!!!!

### Baby Shower

Please join us for a Baby Shower honoring Claire and Branson Rogers
Sunday, August 23, 2026 from 2 to 4pm
Registered at babylist.com.clairerogers




### YOUTH MINISTRIES (Grades 6-12)

**Youth (Grades 6-12):** River Day today; Wednesday at 6PM Food & Games

## VOLUNTEERS THIS WEEK

**Deacon of week** – Roy Taylor

**Facilities** – Dan VanStaalduinen

**Flowers** – Debi Rogers

**Food Services** – Jim Lawrence

**Transportation** – Levern Roberson

**Nursery Chair** – Liz Stalls

**Babies (0-18Months)** – Derek and Kacy Moore

**Toddlers (18 Months – 2 Years)** – Greg and Anne Shepherd

**Preschoolers (3s-4s)** – Judy Rogerson and Sarah Mizelle

**Video** – Jason White

**Audio** –

**Sunday Tellers** – Georgie Lilley and Jeff Caldwell

**Tuesday Teller** – Amy T. Edwards

**Sanctuary Greeters** – Vann Rogerson and Alton Cowan

**Atrium Door Greeter** – Kacy Moore

## CURRENT PRAYER CONCERNS

**MBC Web Page** www.membap.org

**Ridgewood Rehab:** Betty Chesson

**Newly Added:** Ryan Garner, Gloria Johnson, Jan Rogerson, PJ Taylor, Linda Whitley

**Military:** Chris Holland, Everett Paschal, William Manning, Kristen Caldwell, Jim Davis

**Missions:** Continue to pray for our missionaries around the world.

**This week's mission prayer focus –**

NC Church Planter – Bowman Family – Sojourn Church – Mount Airy

IMB Missionary – Rebekah - Cambodia

Guatemala Mission Trip – August 15-22