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AMELIA BAPTIST CHURCH NOVEMBER 2026

THE CONNECTION

Connecting to God *Connecting to People*



November 2026

THE CONNECTION

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 DAYLIGHT SAVINGS ENDS 8:30 AM Prayer Time 9:15 AM Bible Connect Groups 10:30 AM Worship / Lord's Supper 6:00 PM Youth B – TERRY ADAMS	*2* 1:00 PM Women's Bible Study 6:30 PM Deacon's Meeting B – KIM CUMBIE B – ROBIN REGENSBURG	*3* 4:45 PM Football Ministry 6:00 PM Praise Team Practice 6:30 PM Choir Practice Ministry Ctr – Amelia School Board 8-5	*4* 6:30 PM Bible Study & Prayer Ministry Ctr – Amelia School Board 8-5	*5* Ministry Ctr – Amelia School Board 8-5	*6* LADIES RETREAT 7:00 PM Hispanic Bible Study B – LUCAS HOFFMAN	*7* 7:00 PM Hispanic Worship B – LAURA MUSE Episcopal Church CRUISE IN 11-2
8 8:30 AM Prayer Time 9:15 AM Bible Connect Groups 10:30 AM Worship / Lord's Supper 6:00 PM Youth	*9* 1:00 PM Women's Bible Study	*10* 2:00 PM WMU Love In Action 5:30 PM Building & Grounds 6:00 PM Praise Team Practice 6:30 PM Choir Practice	*11* 6:30 PM Bible Study & Prayer B – TIM ANDERS	*12* Ministry Ctr - Ruritans 5:00	*13* 7:00 PM Hispanic Bible Study 8:00 PM Youth Bonfire	*14* 9:30 - 12:00PM Ladies Brunch 7:00 PM Hispanic Worship
15 SHOEBOX RETURN 8:30 AM Prayer Time 9:15 AM Bible Connect Groups 10:30 AM Worship B – CHARLOTTE ROYALL Ministry Ctr – private event	*16* 1:00 PM Women's Bible Study	*17* 6:00 PM Praise Team Practice 6:30 PM Choir Practice	*18* 6:30 PM Bible Study & Prayer B – MICHAEL BURTON B – TYLER BURTON	*19*	*20* 7:00 PM Hispanic Bible Study	*21* 8:00 AM Men's Breakfast 7:00 PM Hispanic Worship B – SARAH HOFFMAN B – TOM WINFREE A – JARRETT & ASHLEY SPAW
22 8:30 AM Prayer Time 9:15 AM Bible Connect Groups 10:30 AM Worship 12:00 PM Thanksgiving Luncheon 6:00 PM Youth	*23* 12:00 Mission Trip to Norfolk No Women's Bible Study B – MARJORIE SMITH	*24* 6:00 PM Praise Team Practice 6:30 PM Choir Practice	*25* 6:30 PM Bible Study & Prayer	*26* Happy Thanksgiving!	*27* 7:00 PM Hispanic Bible Study	*28* 7:00 PM Hispanic Worship
29 ADVENT BEGINS 8:30 AM Prayer Time 9:15 AM Bible Connect Groups 10:30 AM Worship 6:00 PM Youth B – NICHOLAS HOFFMAN	*30* 1:00 PM Women's Bible Study					

November

NOVEMBER 1 - Daylight Savings Ends
NOVEMBER 11 - Veteran's Day
NOVEMBER 26 - Thanksgiving

BIRTHSTONE:	FLOWER:
Topaz	Chrysanthemum

BIRTHDAYS

1 Terry Adams
2 Kim Cumbie
2 Robin Regensburg
6 Lucas Hoffman
7 Laura Muse
11 Tim Anders
15 Charlotte Royall
18 Michele Burton
18 Tyler Burton
21 Sarah Hoffman
21 Tom Winfree
23 Marjorie Smith
29 Nicholas Hoffman

ANNIVERSARIES

21 Jarrett & Ashley Spaw

Find 8 differences



WORD SCRAMBLE

REVOEMNB _____
UUNTAM _____
FLLA _____
EAVSLE _____
ROCNA _____
HATESVR _____
ERKA _____
RTESWAE _____
ILLCHY _____
YNDIW _____
DULEDH _____
EIDCR _____
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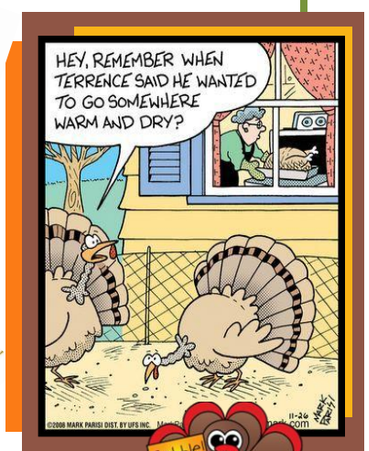
IIHGKAGNSTNV _____

WHY DID THE TURKEY CROSS THE ROAD TWICE?

TO PROVE HE WASN'T CHICKEN



THEY TOLD ME TO STOP TELLING THANKSGIVING JOKES...

BUT I JUST CAN'T QUIT COLD TURKEY

NOVEMBER
AUTUMN
FALL
LEAVES
ACORN
HARVEST
RAKE
SWEATER
CHILLY
WINDY
HUDDLE
CIDER
COZY
FOOTBALL
THANKSGIVING

THE CONNECTION

NOVEMBER 2026



Feature Story

LADIES BRUNCH – PREPARE HIM ROOM
Come and join us on Saturday, November 14, from 9:30am-12noon for a special morning of worship, fellowship, and spiritual encouragement featuring guest speaker Melissa Spoelstra and worship led by Lindsay McCaul (virtually). Be sure to invite the women in your family, friends or neighbors.

Make room for Christ this Christmas season! Scan the flyer's QR code on the bulletin insert to register or see Eva Biereder for more details.

From The Pastor

Developing the habit of being THANKFUL is one of the best ways to keep a positive attitude. While this month we pay attention to being thankful, it is the way we should live year around.

Ephesians 5: 19-20 gives us the evidence of being filled with the Spirit. " Addressing one another in psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs, singing and making melody to the Lord with your heart, giving thanks always and for everything to God the Father in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ..." .

Let's practice the habit of being thankful. It will make a difference in our attitude!

Your Pastor,
David

UPCOMING MESSAGES:

November 1
The Peace of The Cross
Colossians 1:15-22

November 8
Patience
Galatians 5:22;
2 Corinthians 12:7-10

November 15
Kindness
Galatians 5:22; Luke 7:36-50

November 22
Goodness
Galatians 5:22; Luke 8:26-39

NEWS

SPORTS MINISTRY

Our sports ministry allows us to reach and have an impact on young athletes and families in our community, and we need your support to make this a success. Through weekly practice and games, we are creating a positive environment where players can grow in their personal faith or for those who do not have a relationship with Jesus. It shows them that Jesus loves them and wants that personal relationship. To sustain and grow this vital outreach opportunity, we are asking for volunteers to serve in person, as well as financial contributions to help cover the costs of snacks and food items. Your personal involvement can make a difference in the life of a young person in our community, and in some cases your involvement will make an eternal difference in the life of a young person. Whether you can commit to cheering from the sidelines or contributing financially to sponsor the ministry, you will be showing the love of Jesus. Please prayerfully consider how you can help build a strong foundation for these athletes on and off the field.

We are serving the High School football team each Tuesday at 4:45pm. We also serve the High School team on game days. Check the calendar for weekly times.

MEN'S MINISTRY

The monthly Men's Breakfast is Saturday, November 21 at 8:00am. Our speaker will be Dee Whitaker. All men and boys are invited to join us for a great time of fellowship, food, prayer and seeking to become men following Jesus.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

WOMEN'S MONDAY BIBLE STUDY
Every Monday at 2:00pm

WOMEN'S MISSIONARY UNION
LOVE-IN-ACTION

Vision Virginia Missions Offering
Our WMU would like to thank our congregation for their commitment to support our state missions offering with their prayers and financial contributions. This offering helps ministries locally and around the world. To date, we have received $1,458.00. By giving, you are the hands and feet of Jesus. You have made a difference! Thank you!!!

Baby Bottle Campaign
From empty plastic baby bottles to a baby carriage filled with hope!
Our filled baby bottles are on their way to the Pregnancy Support Center to be used to provide free prenatal care, parenting classes, housing, adoption support and infant supplies, just to name a few things. All that loose change along with generous hearts added up to $1,012.62. This side of heaven, you will not know how many lives you have touched.
Thank you so very much!



LADIES, imagine a weekend that could refresh your faith, restore your spirit, and strengthen your connections - with God, others and with yourself. Join us for the Women's Retreat, November 6-7, at Eagle Eyrie Baptist Convention Center in Lynchburg, VA. The total cost for the conference, lodging and meals is $119.90 per person. There is still time to sign up! For more details, simply let Eva Biereder know if you are interested in attending this event.

JEAN GIBSON has a new address:

Spring Arbor Senior Living
14001 Turnberry Lane
Midlothian, VA 23113
804-836-8998

Calls, and carda are welcomed.

SAMARITAN'S PURSE OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD SHOEBOXES

Shoeboxes and more information are available on the display outside the church office. Every shoebox is an opportunity for a child to hear about Jesus. Pick yours up today! All boxes must be returned by Sunday, November 15th. Please see Helen Slayton if you have any questions. Thank you for your support!



NEWS

STEWARDSHIP

2 Corinthians 9:7 states "Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion for God loves a cheerful giver". Giving is an expression of our love for God and our trust in Him. Your generosity fuels our ministries and allows us to show the love of Jesus to a hurting world and it also makes a lasting impact in our community.

Your continued support of God's work here at Amelia Baptist is greatly appreciated. You can also give online at ameliabaptistchurchva.com

2026 Annual Budget	Offering for SEPT	Expenses For SEPT
$264,588.00	$13,232.00	$16,935.00
Year to Date	$161,818.00	$170,604.00
Deficit	-8,786.00	

	BCG	WORSHIP	OFFERING
SEPT 27	43	58	4065.62
OCT 4	57	64	8903.35
OCT 11	53	73	12755.54
OCT 18	52	69	5471.35
TOTAL			**$31,195.86**

KidzZONE CORNER

This month we will be learning about topics like: The Roman Centurion, The Blind Man, and Waiting for Christmas. Our memory verse for the month of November is Psalm 27:14. Wait for the Lord. Be strong and don't lose hope.

THANKSGIVING BASKETS

Help fill a basket and share a blessing! Amelia Baptist Church is collecting non-perishable food items November 1–22 for our annual Thanksgiving Baskets. Your donations will help bless families and share God's love this Thanksgiving.

YOUTH

SUNDAY NIGHTS - 6:00PM
Teens welcome to join us for food, games and Bible study.

Youth Fall Bonfire - November 13 from 6–8 PM! Enjoy an evening of fellowship and fall fun

Youth will head to the Bethlehem Walk on December 6 from 3–8 PM to celebrate the Christmas story. Mark your calendar! Additional details to come!

ONE DAY MISSIONS TRIP

On Monday, November 23rd. We will take a one-day mission trip to Norfolk. We will leave from the church at noon. We will join with folks from the Norfolk area in serving a Thanksgiving Meal to the residents of the Grandy Village Community from 5:30-7:30pm. This community will be a new site for us next summer for the South Hampton Roads Mission Project. This is a great way to get to know a new community. We will return after the meal.

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY

WEDNESDAYS – 6:30 PM
Willing Workers Room

NEW MINISTRIES

HISPANIC MINISTRY
This ministry meets on Friday nights for Bible Study and Saturday nights for worship. It meets in the Ministry Center at 7:00pm both nights. Mr. Martin Parga is the leader.

ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE ESL
Jarret and Ashley Spaw are leading this new ministry. We will receive training from Swift Creek Baptist Church.

RESIDENTS NEW TO AMELIA
This ministry will focus on those who are moving to Amelia. Amy Campbell will be leading this ministry.

CHURCH WIDE THANKSGIVING LUNCHEON

Sunday, November 22, immediately following the morning service. The church will provide the meat and drink. Please bring a side dish or a dessert. Looking forward to a great time of fellowship.

UPCOMING EVENTS

DECEMBER 12
JINGLE JAM

DECEMBER 13
CHRISTMAS CAROLING

DECEMBER 24
CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE

DECEMBER 25
CHRISTMAS DINNER