Welcome Guests!

We are so glad you have chosen to worship with us today. Please come by *The Welcome Center* after worship to receive a free gift on behalf of our church family. It is located on the first floor near the Kidville entrance. It can also be accessed from the main parking lot through the double doors marked Welcome.

First time with us? Please fill out a guest card in the pew and place it in the offertory plate or scan the QR Code.

There are children's activity bags for you in the back of the sanctuary and in the welcome center.



We are excited to have you join us today!

Sermon Notes

CHILDren & Youth News:

We have spots to serve during Kidville (church service time) the 1st & 3rd Sundays of each month in the nursery & 2nd Sunday in our 2- K class.

Service time doesn't work...no problem. Join us as a floater from 9-9:30am to assist with escorting children to class or being extra hands to assist as needed. Contact Jennifer Spencer, 919-333-5568 if you're ready to join the team. You will be blessed just as much as the children in your time together.

October Events:

Saturday, October 4: Harvest Festival Sign Up

Friday, October 24: Wendell Treat Trail



Saturday, October 25: Trunk or Treat Volunteers needed for trunks!! Scan QR Code to sign up for a trunk space. October 4, 2025 Dr. Scott Kellum

Deacon of the Week: Gary Strickland Gary's Deacon Families:

Dean, Erin, Ben & Jacob Aston; Frank & Emily Burch Dean & Tracy Coley; Beth Liles; Pamela Keith Creech Joshua Nolan; Alyssa Jane Nolan; Janet Thompson

Ushers for September: Ed Curtis; Greg Lane; Kent Lytle; Charlie Cahoon

CHURCH STAFF

Dr. Scott Kellum, Interim Pastor- Cell Phone: 919-896-5016 Email: skellum@sebts.edu

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Youth Volunteers

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CHURCH INFORMATION

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The Worship of God September 28, 2025 Baptism

Prelude

Baptism Dr. Scott Kellum

Addison Forbes

Welcome and Opening Prayer

Call to Worship, Hymn No. 546

Rowe, Smith

"Love Lifted Me"

Worship Song

Barrett

"Build My Life"

Worship Song, Hymn No. 220 Rees, Excell, Newton "Amazing Grace! How Sweet the Sound"

Special Music Duren, Barfoot

"I Will Sing"

Offertory Prayer

Message Dr. Scott Kellum

"Warning! Don't Drift!" Hebrews 2:1-4

Invitation Song Pine+Main

"Worthy"

Closing Prayer Ron Fournier

Postlude

Prayer Team Ministry

Be sure to stop and check out our prayer ministry resources located on the bookcase across from the elevator on the second floor. There are prayer guides, books, gospel tracts and other resources for children and more.

PRAYERS

Hank Narramore, chemo side effects which are slowing the treatment process Gene Call, at Wake Med with ongoing health issues

Mike and Diane Adams, at home with health issues

Joyce Apple's brother Eddie Hobby passed away on Saturday, September 13 th . Our Church as we prayerfully seek God's plan for our leadership

Errol Briggerman's rehab address:

Pam Health Specialty Center

1051Noell Lane; Rocky Mount, NC 27804

WEEKLY FINANCIAL INFORMATION Week of 09/14 - 09/20

Actual Budget
Contributions YTD \$ 371,004.91 \$ 406,866.99
Expenses Year to Date \$ 372,276.75 \$ 406,866.99
Weekly Donations \$ 6.986.54

NC Baptist State Missions Offering Goal: \$1,000 Donations to Date: \$405

FTF Money Market = \$122,951.89

Sunday, September 7: Life Group Attendance – 137 Sunday, September 7: Worship Attendance – 147

Pastor Selection Team Updates

The Pastor Selection Team continues to review resumes. We met with Dr. Kellum this week as part of this process. Please pray for discernment as the team meets to make decisions on applicants.

1 Corinthians 12: 4 - 11 is our scripture this week. Please pray for us to be sensitive to the man God has chosen to lead our church and to be led by the Lord in this process.

PST Members

College Student of the Week:

Isabella Spencer is a freshman studying Exercise Science at High Point University.

Isabella Spencer

1 University Parkway #8245 High Point, NC 27268-0002 Email: ispence1@highpoint.edu

WEEKLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 2025

8:30 a.m. -Prayer Time in the Chapel

9:15 a.m. -Life Group Classes

10:30 a.m. -Worship Service, Sanctuary

11:00 a.m. -Hispanic Worship Service, Large Fellowship Hall

3:00 p.m. -Bible Study led by David Hodges, Room 106

5:00 p.m. -Youth Praise Band

5:00 p.m. -Handbell Practice

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 2025

9:30 a.m. -Women's Bible Study, Large Fellowship Hall 3:30-5:30 p.m. -Food Pantry Open, Small Fellowship Hall

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2025

5:20-6:20 p.m. -Family Fellowship Meal, Large FH

6:30 p.m. -David Hodges' Bible Study, Room 106

6:30 p.m. -Youth Activities, 3rd Floor

6:30 p.m. -GA's (Grades 1-5): Room 215

6:30 p.m. -RA's (Grades 1-5): Small Fellowship Hall

6:30 p.m. -Preschool Activities (Age 2- Kindergarten): Room 113

7:30 p.m. -Choir Practice

8:30 p.m. -Worship Team Practice

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2025

6:30 a.m. -Men's Bible Study, Small Fellowship Hall

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2025

9:00-5:00 p.m. -Harvest Festival, Downtown Wendell

BIBLE STUDIES

Sunday Afternoon Study:

The book of Jeremiah & Lamentations, including John MacArthur's book on Jeremiah on Sunday afternoons at 3:00 PM

Monday Morning Study:

The "Digging for Gold" Women's Bible Study led by Kristy Todd, in the Large Fellowship Hall studying the Book of Revelation. Bible Study begins at 9:30 am and is open for any women in the community! For more information reach out to Kristy Todd at 919-632-6346 or Jeanne Poole at 919-389-3550

Wednesday Night Studies

The book of Ephesians including R.C. Sproul's Commentary led by David Hodges in Classroom 106 at 6:30 PM

Hispanic Study Bible Wednesday evenings led by Pastor Edwin Euceda

The Ministry of Jesus

Wednesday evening led by Dr. Scott Kellum, Large Fellowship Hall at 6:30 pm

Time to Grow! Helpers needed the first and fourth Wednesday's from 4:30-6:30 in the

kitchen. No cooking experience needed, just willing hands! Contact Vickie Curtis at 919-

210-6888

UPDATES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS:

The Budget and Finance Team will begin putting the projected 2026 Budget together, starting October 1st. Please email your itemized budget request to Michelle in the office or just send it directly to me (judyandedtodd@gmail.com). The budget will be submitted to the Church, November 16th. I look forward to hearing from you. Ed Todd - Budget & Finance.

Wendell Harvest Festival:

Date: Saturday, October 4. Time: 10:00 am – 5:00 pm

Volunteers wanted! Two-hour slots. Contacts: Jonathan & Suzanne Walker



The WBC "<u>Jingle Bell Express</u>" craft fair is returning November 15, 2025. Vendor Applications are available via email or may be picked up from the church office. For more information contact Vickie Curtis 919.210.6888 (curtisnote@gmail.com) OR Elisabeth Hilliard 919.333.1933.

Missions Opportunity for the Western NC:

When: January 18–24 Where: Burnsville, NC What: Samaritan's Purse to from to assist with a rebuild project in the NC mountains Contact: Cynthia Peterson, 919-880-3574

Operation Christmas Child through the year!

We are excited to be collecting items throughout the year for Operation Christmas Child! These will be used for our packing parties with the Youth and the Children. For the month of September, boys' and girls' gloves, sunglasses and washcloths. We have a box for the items by the Welcome Center. Scan the QR Code to see the Amazon wish list to have items sent to the church.



October 1, 2025 FAMILY NAME	SI Bal Kids
NUMBER EATING ADULT 11 & Up \$7.00 each	Reser
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Age 4-10 \$4.00 Reg Meal ___

Age 0-3 FREE Reg Meal

Pay at the door with

CASH, CHECK, or CARD!

SERVING 5:20-6:20

Baked Potato and Salad Bar Kids Option: Chicken Nuggets Assorted Desserts >>>>>>

Reserve Your Space before 9am Monday

- 1. Put in Offering Plate Sunday
- 2. Contact Church Office OR Vickie
 Curtis

Note: Those with Reservations will be served first. Walk-ins will be served until food is gone.