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!

Homecoming Sunday Information

Saturday, October 18 from 6:00-8:00 pm:

Join us for a welcome reception for Dr. Jeremy Evans in the Small Fellowship Hall. This will be a floating event to come by and welcome him!

Sunday, October 19 at 10:30 am: Homecoming Following the service, a catered meal by Parker's will be in the Large Fellowship Hall. All are welcomed to join us!

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:

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 12, 2025 Dr. Scott Kellum

Deacon of the Week: Bennie Collins Bennie's Deacon Families:

Fred and Mary Ann Alford; Duane Clark Lee and Mason Derfler; Ginger Griffin; Pam Lewis; Will & Brianna Hamilton
Hannah, Caroline & Catherine Sasser: Jarrett, Apryl, Reagan and
Marigail Frazier: Joyce Apple: June Cayton

Ushers for October: 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 October 5, 2025

Prelude Holst, arr. Larson "O God Beyond All Praising"

Welcome and Opening Prayer

Call to Worship, Hymn No. 261

"Wonderful Words of Life"

Bliss

Worship Song Josh Baldwin, Hulse, Cash "Evidence"

Children's Message

Worship Song, Hymn No. 15 Robinson, Wyeth "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

Special Music

Franklin

"My Life is in Your Hands"

Offertory Prayer

Message Dr. David Hodges

"How many Kings?"
Hebrews 2:5-9

Invitation Song Barrett, Brown, Tomlin, Ingram

"Hymn of the Holy Spirit"

Closing Prayer Jason Hendren

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, at home with outpatient care

Gene Call, WakeMed Rehab

Mike and Diane Adams, at home with health issues

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 09/21 - 09/27

Actual Budget
Contributions YTD \$ 381,558.91 \$ 417,821.11
Expenses Year to Date \$ 376,763.86 \$ 417,821.11
Weekly Donations \$ 10,554.06

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

FTF Money Market = \$122,951.89

Sunday, September 28: Life Group Attendance – 139 Sunday, September 28: Worship Attendance – 115

<u>Pastor Selection Team Updates</u>

The Pastor Selection Team continues to meet, and this week we narrowed down our pool of current applicants and will be sending out questionnaires to a select few to get more information about them.

We will continue to accept resumes through October 31.

Please be in prayer that our team has wisdom and discernment for the will of God in choosing the next Senior Pastor for WBC. Also pray that God will continue to work in the heart and spirit of the man he is leading to us. Ephesians 6:10 - 18 is our scripture for the week to meditate on. Thank you all for your encouragement and prayers for the team.

PST Members

College Student of the Week:

Sydney Willis is a sophomore double majoring in Communications and General Business.

Sydney Willis

241 Shadowline Drive, Apt 243-B, Boone, NC 28607 Email: willissr1@appstate.edu

WEEKLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 5, 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, OCTOBER 6, 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 8, 2025

5:20-6:15 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 10, 2025

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

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

Dear Church Family - I want to thank you again for the recognition and all the kind words regarding this past year. It was my pleasure and distinct honor to serve as Deacon Chair. The Diaconate left the church, in what I think was a best case scenario, after dealing with some unusual circumstances. This was accomplished by a Team, not just myself. On behalf of the Deacons, thank you.

IN HIS SERVICE - Ed Todd Deacon Chairman 2025.

<u>UPDATES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS:</u>

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.

On Wednesday, October 8th, at 6:30 PM, our life groups will have a fellowship event instead of the Wednesday night Bible studies. The classes will go over a study guide based on the previous Sunday's sermon. It will be a prayer and application event. If you don't have a life group, you can join any group you want. Don't miss this opportunity to know each other better and to bond over application of a New Testament text not to mention a great meal. It will be great!

<u>Time to Grow!</u> 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

The Mission Team will be having a meeting in the small fellowship hall on <u>Sunday, October 12th at 4pm</u>. All are welcomed to come and bring new ideas!

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 October, small bouncy balls, tennis balls, or small games children can play outside. 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 8, 2025
FAMILY NAME
NUMBER EATING
ADULT 11 & Up \$7.00 each
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

Salisbury Steak, Rice & Gravy, English Peas, Roll, 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.