

Our Mission at BRVBC

We are committed to Christ's Great Commission as we **E**vangelize the **S**inner, **B**aptize the **S**aved, and **M**obilize the **S**aint!

OPPORTUNITIES FOR WORSHIP

Sunday School	9:45 AM
Morning Worship	10:45 AM
Evening Worship	6:00 PM
Wednesday in the Word	6:30 PM
(Children & Youth).....	6:30 PM

ABOUT OUR CHURCH

HOW DO I BECOME A MEMBER?


By Profession of Faith and Baptism: If you will receive Jesus Christ as your personal Savior and Lord and follow Him in baptism by immersion.

By Baptism from Another Denomination: If you know in your heart that you received Jesus Christ as personal Savior and Lord at some point in your life and feel God has led you to our church, but have never been baptized by immersion.

By Transfer of Letter: If you are a Baptist whose membership is elsewhere and who feels God has led you to Blue Ridge View.

By Statement: If you are saved and have been Scripturally baptized in a church and your membership records are not available for transfer OR you are saved and have been baptized by immersion and are coming from another denomination.

** If you feel that God has led you to Blue Ridge View you may come forward during the invitation of any of our services and express your desire to the pastor.*



Serenity Family Addiction Recovery—12 Steps to Healing


Is there anything that dominates your thinking, emotions or actions — money, work, power, sexuality, alcohol or other drugs, relationships or activities? If so, it might be an addiction or dependency. If not dealt with, it could shift your life dangerously out of balance. Have you come from a painful family background? Those of us who have grown up in a dysfunctional family often have addictive personalities as adults. Unhealthy families produce unhealthy children who become unhealthy adults. Are you one? Do you have a history of damaging and hurtful relationships? Serenity Family Addiction Recovery is an ongoing, Christ-and Bible-centered recovery program that helps in recognizing and healing emotional wounds. The meetings are held in strict confidentiality and anonymity. If you answered yes to any of the above questions, you are invited to come join us Tuesdays at 6:30 PM, in the back of the sanctuary building, to begin healing.

For more information:
Chris: 864-238-7473
Marie: 864-238-7477
Learn more at: <https://brvbc.org/family-addiction-recovery>

BLUE RIDGE VIEW BAPTIST CHURCH

3RD ANNUAL ALUMNI SOFTBALL GAME

FIRST PITCH AT 10 AM




SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 6TH, 2025

BBQ plates & ballpark concessions will be available, pre-order them today online!

ALL MONEY RAISED GOES TO SUPPORT BRV YOUTH

The 3rd Annual Softball Game is coming up on September 6th, with the first pitch at 10AM! We invite all BRV youth and alumni of BRV youth to join in on this fun game! BBQ plates can be pre-ordered and players can register online by scanning the QR code!




Counting Our Blessings

SUNDAY, July 27	SUNDAY, August 17
Sunday School 125	Sunday School 134
AM Worship..... 184	AM Worship..... 186
PM Worship..... 106	PM Worship..... 106
Reg. Offering..... \$5,192	Reg. Offering\$6,816.84

SUNDAY, August 3	SUNDAY, July 20
Sunday School 133	Sunday School 131
AM Worship..... 194	AM Worship..... 193
PM Worship..... 124	PM Worship..... 130
Reg. Offering..... \$9,341.72	Reg. Offering\$5,529

SUNDAY, August 10	
Sunday School 136	
AM Worship..... 255	
PM Worship..... 114	



"Rejoicing in hope, patient in tribulation, continuing instant in prayer." Romans 12:12

Thank you to the Sunday School faithful, your presence is an encouragement. I know we are missing many. I challenge you to not stack up the extra seats, instead put a name on them and pray for the person you want to see fill it. Keep inviting that friend, neighbor, colleague, or church visitor to your class.


If you are not a member of a Sunday School class, I urge you to become involved. Sunday School is a special time at BRV. It is a time to connect with others your age and similar life stage to develop friendship and fellowship while studying God's Word. As you study the Bible together you will be encouraged and challenged in your spiritual growth and daily life.


We have a class for every age!

The L.O.F.T. Breakfast Schedule

September 7	Pancakes
September 14	Chad & Lydia Trotter
September 21	Freddie & Wanda Duncan
September 28	Randy & Khristie Tate

If you're unable to take a turn, but would like to make donations, we can still use pancake mix, breakfast meats and 2-liter sodas. We go through around four 2-liters every Sunday.






Children's Ministry (K5-5th grade)

Welcome to all Our Children!

All BRV Kids meetings and events take place in the newest building, 1st floor
BRV Kids meet for:
Sunday School at 9:45 AM
Children's Church at 10:45 AM (K5-3rd grade)
Wednesday nights at 6:30 PM

BRV Kids is using the BAND app for upcoming events, pictures, notifications, and more! If you would like to be added, you can contact Keni Kelly or sign up using the QR code below.

We would love to have volunteers! If you are interested in helping with music, games, crafts, snacks, special events, outreach or teaching, please contact Keni Kelly.



Men's & Women's Ministries meeting
Thursday, Sept. 25, 6:00 PM

September 2025

Blue Ridge View Baptist Church

745 Wolf Creek Rd., Pickens, SC 29671

Phone: 864-855-9260 (office)

Website: brvbc.org

Senior Pastor

Youth Pastor

Media Director.....

Choir Director.....

Congregational Music Director.....

Preschool Director.....

Children's Director.....

Church Secretary

Pastor Chad Trotter

Mr. Dustin Rampey

Mr. Cooper Benjamin


Mrs. Kamryn Smith

Mr. Randy Hughes

Mrs. Jennifer Garrett

Mrs. Keni Kelly


Mrs. Emily Langston



John 3:16

"Pointing Pickens County to Jesus Christ"

Gather Grow Go



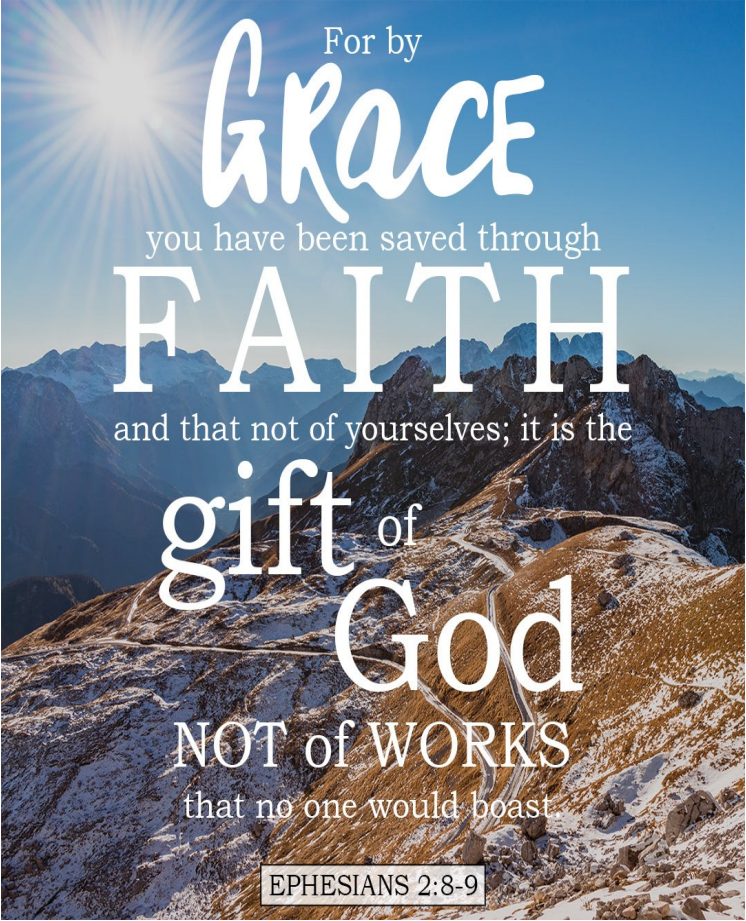
Church Office will be closed Monday, Sept. 1



Dear Church Family, Fall is just on the horizon! We have truly been blessed during the month of August with rain and unseasonably cool weather. However, I can't wait for cooler days, Friday night lights, and Saturday game days! As exciting as each of these are neither of them can replace the joy of coming together as the church on Sundays to worship! Some exciting news will be released soon related to our young adult's worship, fall revival and some very special guests in December! I am beyond excited about everything the Lord is doing here at BRV.

Last week we started a series called "Unlikely Heroes". We will continue with this throughout September. Two things I am thankful for, first Romans 10 :13 For whosoever shall call upon my name shall be saved. The other one, 1 Corinthians 1:27 But God hath chosen the foolish things of the world to confound the wise; and God hath chosen the weak things of the world to confound the things which are mighty. Three things I can identify with, whosoever, foolish, and weak! Praise God for whosoever because I do not have a lot to offer. Praise God for 1 Corinthians 1:27 which tells us that God often uses the ordinary, the broken, and the hurt to perform His miraculous works. We may be a nobody in the eyes of this world, but we are somebody to Jesus!

Love You all Dearly,
Pastor Chad



DEACON SPOTLIGHT...

Greetings BVR Church Family,

As September approaches us, change is in the air. The trees start their leaf shedding process. The days are noticeably becoming shorter. The temperatures are bearable again. And yes, the children are well on their way into another school year. Our church also begins another physical year with the rotation process of our deacon board.

I will be rotating off as a deacon this time. However, my work for our Lord and Savior will still be my top priority. I enjoyed, for the most part, serving as your deacon. There are so many things involved that were new to me. I have made many mistakes, and I have learned from them. One thing for sure is that when we try and do things on our own, we generally mess them up. As Christians, God should be involved in every aspect of our daily lives. The closer we walk and talk with Him; we can know that He will lead us in the right direction.

God has blessed BRV beyond measures. I love my church family and encourage everyone to pray daily for our church, our pastor, our deacons, and our community. Enjoy your day and be thankful for everything you have.

Love you all,
Stan Raines

Saved To Serve

Deacon of the Week

- September 7 Adam Kelly, 864-483-3884
- September 14 Charles Taylor, 864-859-7245
- September 21 Tim Smith, 864-350-0234
- September 28 Bradley Johnson, 864-419-7209
- October 5 David Cassell, 864-385-9028
- October 12 Stan Raines, 864-420-8634

Tithe Counters

- September 7 Sandra Raines & Jeremy Benjamin
- September 14 Sammy Elrod & Lydia Trotter
- September 21 Jamie Gravely, Freddie Duncan
- September 28 Adam & Keni Kelly
- October 5 Donnie Clark & Jeff Bowen
- October 12 Sandra Raines & Jeremy Benjamin

Grounds Patrol

- September 7 Will Trotter, Wayne Pace, David Lockee
- September 14 Travis Crenshaw, Adam Kelly, Blake Kelly
- September 21 Freddie Duncan, Benji Atkins, Bradley Johnson
- September 28 Ronnie Alexander, Greg Page, David Cassell
- October 5 Mike Williams, Scott Childs, James Lesley
- October 12 Charles Taylor, Roy Seawright, Tim Fuller

September Birthdays

- 2 Diane Williams
- Kayden Ferguson
- 3 Cayden Sexton
- 5 Keni Benjamin
- 6 Hunter Seawright
- 7 Lisa Johnson
- 8 Debbie Williams
- 11 Mike Burr
- 13 Lisa Howard
- Baylor Kueber
- JB Newman
- 14 Gerald Nalley
- 15 Corey Johnson
- Cash Johnson
- 16 Judy Byers
- 18 Abbie Kueber
- 22 Carter Roper
- 26 Tyler Clark
- 27 Keni Kelly
- 28 Sarah Nix
- Isaac Fuller
- 29 Brittany Grubbs
- Hayes Williams
- Bryson Morris
- 30 Leanna Graganella
- Sandy Atkins



Preschool Volunteers

September 7

- 10:45AM Tanner Smith, Brandy Heaton
- 6:00PM Jessica Evittt

September 14

- 10:45AM Marissa Tate, Sarah Catherine and Russ Kueber
- 6:00PM Angie Alexander

September 21

- 10:45AM Andrea Redding, Mary Ann Bowen
- 6:00PM Peggy Hughes, Tammy

September 28

- 10:45AM Leanna, Matthew Thornton and girls
- 6:00PM Khristie Tate

Wednesday

- September 3 Khristie Tate, Sarah Catherine Kueber, Jennifer Garrett
- September 10 Wanda Duncan, Sarah Catherine Kueber, Jennifer Garrett
- September 17 Sarah Catherine and Russ Kueber, Jennifer Garrett
- September 24 Angie Alexander, Sarah Catherine Kueber, Jennifer Garrett

For more info., contact Jennifer Garrett 256-267-7103
NO ONE UNDER THE AGE OF 18 is permitted to pick up children from the Preschool Department



We have officially kicked off Tiny Team Kidz and would love for your children to join us on Wednesday nights as we challenge our littlest learners with Bible lessons, songs, and memory verses. Thank you so much to our wonderful volunteers who help make this a reality. If you would like to join us in volunteering to shape and mold our precious little ones, please reach out to me on my cell, (256) 267-7103. The more volunteers we have, the more I can rotate each of you.

Love in Christ,
Jennifer Garrett
256-267-7103

Children's Church Volunteers:

- 9/7: Wanda Duncan
- 9/14: Amy Fuller
- 9/21: Melinda Alexander
- 9/28: Keni Kelly