

### Our Mission at BRVBC

We are committed to Christ's Great Commission as we **Evangelize** the **Sinner**, **Baptize** the **Saved**, and **Mobilize** the **Saint!**

#### 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.*

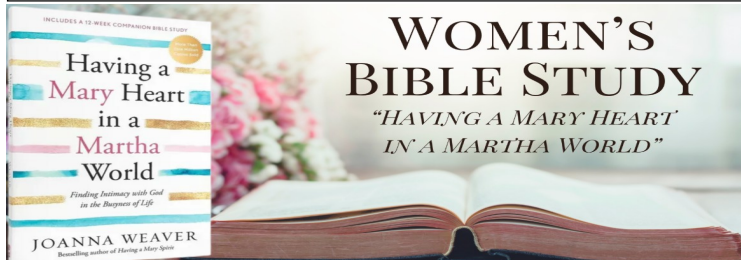
### Counting Our Blessings

<b>SUNDAY, April 26</b>	<b>SUNDAY, May 17</b>
Sunday School..... 136	Sunday School..... 137
AM Worship..... 190	AM Worship..... 185
PM Worship..... 101	PM Worship..... 114
Reg. Offering..... \$4,489.10	Reg. Offering..... \$6,651
<b>SUNDAY, May 3</b>	<b>SUNDAY, May 24</b>
Sunday School..... 141	Sunday School..... 141
AM Worship..... 198	AM Worship..... 186
PM Worship..... 116	PM Worship..... 103
Reg. Offering..... \$12,857.02	Reg. Offering..... \$6,422
<b>SUNDAY, May 10</b>	
Sunday School..... 134	
AM Worship..... 222	
PM Worship..... N/A	
Reg. Offering..... \$3,146	

#### The L.O.F.T. Breakfast Schedule

June 7	Pancakes	
June 14	Freddie & Wanda Duncan	
June 21	Randy and Khristie Tate	
June 28	Angie Alexander	


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.



**WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY**  
 "HAVING A MARY HEART IN A MARTHA WORLD"  
 JOANNA WEAVER

Meets Every Other Monday @ 6:30 | Begins Monday, June 8th  
 Join in-person or via FaceTime/Phone

Scan the QR code to purchase the book from Amazon, or Crossway in Easley can order it. If you need help getting a copy please let us know. We hope to see you there! Please reach out to Lisa Cassell or Amy Newton for more information.

### 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>



### Community Praise, Play & Picnic

FREE FOOD | LIVE MUSIC | OUTDOOR GAMES FOR FAMILIES & CHILDREN OF ALL AGES!  
**June 13th, 11-3PM**

BLUE RIDGE VIEW BAPTIST CHURCH  
 745 Wolf Creek Road  
 Pickens, SC 29671



### VBS ILLUMINATION STATION

SHINING A LIGHT ON WHO JESUS REALLY IS  
 JOHN 8:12  
 PRESCHOOL THRU 5TH GRADE  
 JUNE 22-26, 6-8PM  
 BLUE RIDGE VIEW BAPTIST CHURCH  
 745 WOLF CREEK ROAD PICKENS, SC 29671

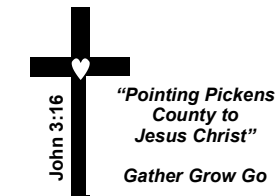
Join us for this year's VBS: ILLUMINATION STATION! Preschoolers through current 5th graders, join us for the BRIGHTEST week of the summer! We'll have skits, Bible lessons, crafts, dinner, games, and more! At Illumination Station, we'll be shining a light on who Jesus really is! Register your child online!

# June 2026

## Blue Ridge View Baptist Church

745 Wolf Creek Rd., Pickens, SC 29671  
 Phone: 864-855-9260 (office)  
 Website: brvbc.org

- Senior Pastor ..... Pastor Chad Trotter
- Youth Pastor ..... Pastor Dustin Rampey
- Media Director..... Mr. Cooper Benjamin
- Choir Director..... Mrs. Kamryn Smith
- Congregational Music Director..... Mr. Randy Hughes
- Preschool Director..... Mrs. Wanda Duncan
- Children's Director..... Mrs. Keni Kelly
- Church Secretary..... Mrs. Emily Langston



# Happy Father's Day

## Sunday, June 21

No PM Worship. Spend Time with Family



Dear church family,

What a wonderful time we have had in the house of the Lord the past month! The Holy Spirit has truly filled this place with His presence! The book of Titus has been challenging as well as encouraging! Remember to hold fast to His faithful word that we may be able to give accurate instruction in sound doctrine to those who contradict the Word of God. In June we will begin preaching out of the book of Amos on Sunday morning and James on Sunday night. James is one of my favorite books as it teaches us how to grow in our faith!

As I close, I would like to take a moment to thank everyone who made our playground possible! So many people contributed to the playground, it would be impossible to name each one. So many gave sacrificially, so many gave of their time, and we had at least three local businesses contribute as well, who have no tie to our church! Thank you each for being the hands and feet of God!

Love,  
Pastor Chad



The Word of God should shape how we understand and respond to the Holy Spirit. We cannot separate the Spirit from the Word He inspired, for the two always work together in perfect harmony. The promptings we receive from the Holy Spirit should be grounded in our knowledge of Scripture, never contradicting what God has already revealed.

Throughout the Bible, we see the Holy Spirit working in different ways, particularly when comparing the Old Testament to the New Testament, yet His purpose has always been the same: to glorify God and draw people to Him. The Holy Spirit is not an impersonal force or distant presence, but a personal helper who convicts, comforts, teaches, and empowers believers. (John 14:16,26) As we grow in our understanding of Scripture, we become more sensitive to His leading. When the Word richly dwells within us, we are better equipped to discern His voice and walk faithfully in obedience, relying not on our own strength but on God's power at work within us.

Dustin Rampey  
Youth Pastor

## Deacon Spotlight

Ecclesiastes 5:1, "Keep thy foot when thou goest to the house of God, and be more ready to hear, than to give the sacrifice of fools: For they consider not that they do evil."

We should prepare for worship by praying, reading, and studying God's Word. When we enter the sanctuary, we should be open and expecting a move of the Holy Spirit. All of our worldly distractions must be put away so that we do not hinder the Holy Spirit from moving freely in our services.

It is my prayer that one day, the only sounds we hear are praises, prayers, worship, sermon, and songs. I love my church family.

Tim Smith

## Saved To Serve

### Deacon of the Week

June 7 Marty Johnson, 864-991-9314  
June 14 Randy Hughes, 864-207-2340  
June 21 Scott Childs, 864-230-1851  
June 28 Adam Kelly, 864-483-3884  
July 5 Charles Taylor, 864-859-7245

### Tithe Counters

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

### Grounds Patrol

June 7 Ronnie Alexander, Greg Page, David Cassell  
June 14 Mike Williams, Isaac Fuller, James Lesley  
June 21 Charles Taylor, Roy Seawright, Tim Fuller  
June 28 Will Trotter, Wayne Pace, David Lockee  
July 5 Travis Crenshaw, Adam Kelly, Blake Kelly

## June Birthdays

2 Trent Smith  
Katelyn Kelley  
4 Martha Haney  
8 Bruce Riggins  
9 Cheryl Vaughn  
10 Reva Reeves  
11 Faith Gravely  
13 Jennifer Garrett  
15 Madison Nalipi  
16 Donna Bearden  
21 Lynda Duncan  
22 Aurora (Rory) Garrett  
25 Sloan Kelly  
29 Courtney Johnson  
30 Mary Ann Hayes  
Jamie Gravely

## Preschool Volunteers

### June 7

10:45AM Lisa Howard  
6:00PM Belinda Alexander

### June 14

10:45AM Marissa Tate, Christie Tate  
6:00PM Brandy Hullett

### June 21

10:45AM Tanner Smith, Peggy Hughes, Tammy Kelly  
6:00PM N/A

### June 28

10:45AM Jennifer Garrett, Sarah Catherine Kueber  
6:00PM Angie Alexander

### KidVenture every Wednesday at 6:30 PM!

For more info., contact Wanda Duncan  
**NO ONE UNDER THE AGE OF 18 is permitted to pick up children from the Preschool Department**

## 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.



### Children's Church Volunteers

June 7 Jennifer and Blake Kelly  
June 14 Gracie Alexander and Marissa Tate  
June 21 Amy Fuller  
June 28 Belinda Alexander

### Team Kidz News & Events

- June 22-26: VBS
- June 28: Sundays in the Summer

Not by works of  
righteousness  
which we have  
done, but  
according to  
His mercy He  
saved us.

Titus 3:5