

CCBC News: The Branches



December 2023

Welcome! We hope you find this newsletter informative and encouraging. If you have any needs that we can help you with, please reach out to us!

We hope to see you at CCBC in person very soon!

I would like to thank everyone of you who make up the Cedar Creek Baptist Church Body of Love for holding me up through this time.

You have, from day one, embraced Gail and me with cards and prayers and just lovingly wanting to know how she was doing. Well, she is doing better than any of us now. Thank you.

There are no words so I will try to pour out my love in serving you as long as the Lord directs. I have really come to love and appreciate each of you. God bless and grow Cedar Creek to His greatest glory.

Pastor Jerry

Coffee & Fellowship Time

Join us on Sunday mornings from 9:00 – 9:15 AM for coffee and fellowship before Sunday School!

Advent

Join us on Sunday mornings, beginning November 26th, as we observe the Advent Season and prepare our hearts to celebrate the birth of our Savior, Jesus Christ.

December Nursery Schedule:

3rd: Bethany Marion & Kathryne Copeland
10th: Jan Rubink & Christen Hobgood
17th: Elizabeth & Andy McGown
24th: Patti & Josh Fabel
31st: Cathy Locklear & Heather Winkleman

Deacon of the Week:

3rd: Gary Wells
10th: Evans Duren
17th: Andy McGown
24th: Steve Abrahamsen
31st: Jim Chappell

Youth News!

We are excited to welcome Corey Black as our new Youth Minister!

Corey is from Lexington, SC and is currently a senior at CIU.

Youth- come meet Corey on Sunday mornings from 9:15-10:15 and Wednesday evenings from 6:00-7:30 AND be on the lookout for information about upcoming hang outs!

Can't join us in person one Sunday? Scan the QR code to watch our service on the Cedar Creek YouTube page!



Special Offering Update:

Join us in the month of December as we focus on supporting missionaries around the globe through the Lottie Moon Offering!



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Sunday, December 3rd

9:00 AM - Coffee & Fellowship Time
9:15 AM - Sunday School
10:30 AM - Morning Worship

Monday, December 4th

6:30 PM - Deacons Meeting

Tuesday, December 5th

6:00 PM - AMC Meeting

Wednesday, December 6th

6:00 PM - Lottie Moon Dinner / Youth
6:45 PM - Choir Practice

Sunday, December 10th

9:00 AM - Coffee & Fellowship Time
9:15 AM - Sunday School
10:30 AM - Morning Worship

Wednesday, December 13th

6:00 PM - Prayer Meeting
Budget Business Meeting
Mission Friends / Youth
Children in Action
6:45 PM - Choir Practice

Sunday, December 17th

9:00 AM - Coffee & Fellowship Time
9:15 AM - Sunday School
10:30 AM - Morning Worship
Vote on New Budget

Tuesday, December 19th

12:00 PM - Young at Hearts Lunch
Fellowship Hall

Wednesday, December 20th

6:00 PM - Prayer Meeting / Youth
6:45 PM - Choir

Sunday, December 24th

No Sunday School
10:30 AM - Morning Worship

Monday, December 25th

Merry Christmas!

Sunday, December 31st

9:00 AM - Coffee & Fellowship Time
9:15 AM - Sunday School
10:30 AM - Morning Worship

Important Information / Upcoming Events:

Prisoner Packets are due December 3rd. Please check the bulletin board for an approved packing list.

Christmas Poinsettias may be claimed after morning worship on Sunday, December 17th by those who ordered them.

Gifts given to the Building Fund are not used to reduce the principle of the debt. If you are giving a gift and want it to be used to reduce the principle of the loan on the building, please designate your offering by writing "LOAN PRINCIPLE" on your check. This will be helpful to our Stewardship Team. Thank you for all your gifts and support.

Calling all Married Couples!

Join us for a brand-new Sunday school class led by David and Bethany Marion. They are currently working through a FamilyLife Study called "The Art of Marriage".

Join them at 9:15 AM on Sunday mornings!

December Birthdays:

2nd: Bradley Clark
2nd: Alexis Craft
5th: Randy Corn
5th: Wesley Metz
6th: Easton Corn
7th: Marilyn Jackson
8th: Joyce Benton
11th: Charles Akridge
12th: Ellen Maddox
16th: Krystal Kingkade
20th: Terry Garner, Jr.
20th: Levi McEntire
20th: Ashley Pathel
23rd: Sam Outen
26th: Kaitlyn Wood
27th: Tonya David
27th: DJ Wilson
29th: Nicholas Covert
31st: Judy Fabel
31st: Elaine Johnson
31st: Doreen Putnal

Lottie Moon Dinner

December 6th at 6 PM

Our guest speakers will be Steve and Cathy Warren. They served for many years in the Czech Republic, China, and Malaysia. They are currently living and serving in SC!

*Please sign up in the lobby if you are willing to bring items for the meal!

Beginning in January 2024, our church newsletter will only be available via electronic copy, on our website, or for pickup in our church lobby. Please use the QR code to sign up for your copy, or email Jamye Duren at jcduren@gmail.com. If you need to receive a hard copy by mail, please reach out to your Deacon!

