

THE BRANCHES



Cedar Creek
BAPTIST CHURCH

Welcome! We hope you find this newsletter informative & 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!

A Letter From The Pastor

BY PASTOR ANDY MOORE

Hello Cedar Creek Family! Psalm 100:5 declares, *"For the Lord is good; His lovingkindness is everlasting and His faithfulness to all generations."* There is much to celebrate and be thankful for in our lives, but nothing greater than the lovingkindness and faithfulness of our God. He is so worthy of our praise and worship. I trust that each and every day of your life that you offer up to Him your whole heart, soul, mind, and strength as a demonstration of your love for Him. He has done so many great and wonderful things! We continue to see evidence of that right here at Cedar Creek.

I'm so excited to celebrate my very first Homecoming service with you. What a special treat to have Pastor J. and Pastor Jerry with us as well.

Thank you for your continued prayer for our family as we get settled in here. We are anxious to begin this new season of ministry and to cultivate new friendships. So many of you have been so helpful and encouraging to us. We thank you for the gifts, cards, assistance, and words of affirmation. They are like honey to our hearts! What a sweet, sweet spirit we have here at Cedar Creek. Let's be quick to give all the credit and the glory to what God is doing among us.

Oftentimes, I will find myself in a conversation with someone and they will ask me, *"how do you really know there is a God?"* Well, there are many ways to answer that, but one of the most important ways is to see God's hand at work in His church. What all of us have seen and witnessed these last few weeks is evidence of a real God at work in real people through a real relationship with Jesus Christ. Amen!

The month of November always makes us mindful of how much we have to be thankful for. I hope you will spend each day thanking God, praising Him, and loving Him for all the many good things He has done.

I love each of you! May the Lord richly bless you.

Pastor Andy



DEACON OF THE WEEK

3rd: Dr Andy McGown
10th: Rev Gary Wells
17th: Evans Duren
24th: Steve Abrahamsen

NURSERY SCHEDULE

3rd: Heather Winkleman & Cathy Locklear
10th: Dr Andy & Elizabeth McGown
17th: Will & Loraine Hobgood
24th: Kathy Brownlee & Gina Lee

It's almost time for Christmas Poinsettias for the sanctuary! Order forms will be provided in the Order of Worship for November 3rd & 10th. Poinsettias will be \$12 each. **Deadline is November 10th** to order & pay by cash or check to Cedar Creek Baptist Church.



As the last quarter of the year quickly approaches, we are preparing for this year's Operation Christmas Child. In addition to our Christmas box tree, there will be a display in the church lobby, explaining how you can participate this year. Make sure you check it out and save **November 10th from 4 - 6pm** for our OCC boxing party! For information regarding this year's OCC contact Allison Hobgood or Kaitlyn Wood.

GRIEF SHARE

Grief Share will be having an extended session called "Surviving the Holiday". This event will be Thursday, November 21st at 6:00 pm. This event is open to the public and anyone, whether they participated in this current semester or not.

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"I am the vine, you are the branches; he who abides in Me and I in him, he bears much fruit, for apart from Me you can do nothing." JOHN 15:5

Our church newsletter is available via electronic copy, on our website, on our Linktree, or for pickup in our church lobby. If you'd like to receive an electronic copy, please email ccbcworship1@gmail.com If you need to receive a hard copy, please reach out to your Deacon!

The Branches Newsletter is published on the 20th of each month. If you have something you'd like included in next month's newsletter, please have the information to Anna Stalnaker by the 10th of the month.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION/ UPCOMING EVENTS

Men, we will be continuing our Farm to Table gatherings! Come join us at Fabel Farms for food & fellowship on **Monday, November 18th from 6-8 pm**. Please RSVP on the Linktree link.

The Women's Ministry, KoriEl, will be hosting an ornament exchange on **Monday, November 18th from 6-8 pm** in the fellowship hall at CCBC. There will be food, fellowship, & fun! Please bring an ornament with you to exchange during our white elephant game. Please RSVP by visiting linktr.ee/ccbcworship



To our CCBC veterans:

You've helped to make this world a better place with your courage, sacrifice, and dedication to our country. No words could ever express how much that means. Thank you for your service!

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

1st: Sandra Stoudemire
3rd: Chris Cooper
3rd: Lindsay Downey
3rd: Dean Osuch
4th: Jim Chappell
4th: Jon Godwin
6th: Kathey Brownlee
6th: Joseph Jones
6th: Joey Locklear
8th: Alice Padgett
13th: Ian Moore
14th: Mike Thompson
16th: Noah Moore
18th: Wesley Clark
20th: Eddie Brazell
20th: Kimberly Greig
20th: David Hall
20th: Jacob Winde
21st: Frank Pytel
22nd: Diana "Dusty" Wilson
24th: Joe Clay
25th: Doug Fabel
27th: Andy Usher
29th: Wyatt Duren
30th: Andrea Almond