

Announcements

Mark Your Calendars for these Upcoming events:

Nov. 23 – Interfaith Thanksgiving Service at 6 p.m. at Grace.

Invite your friends and family!

Nov. 24 – Holiday Meals on Wheels at Fifth Street Ministries at 10:30 a.m.

Let Nancy Davis know if you can deliver meals

Nov. 27 – First Sunday of Advent

December 4 - Grace Church Christmas/5th Street Resident Staff Potluck

More info to come.

Birthdays

21 - Christian Nicholson

23 - Nancy Milstead

24 - Casey Adams

Anniversary

25 - Bob and Lisa Barber

CONCERNS

Continue to remember:

Our friends on homebound:

Sarah Adams, Nancy Milstead, Tressie Starrette, Irene Shoemaker.

Those issues close to us:

Janice Berryhill's father, Bill, Andrea Watson family, Jay Kerley family, Autumn Harris, Christian Viera,

Jen and Gina, Bill Warren, Jo's daughter, Gina Ellis, Laura Hall family, Beverly Maurice,

Renae's nephew, Jeremy, those affected by Hurricane Nicole, Marian Archibald, Ray Smith,

Bill Mashburn, Victor Sisk, Clara Rogers, Vera Webster,

peoples of the Ukraine, Cameron Gray, Spencer Cox, caregivers,

healthcare workers, homeless children, our nations immigrants.

Those facing tough times, those who are mentally ill, those who are affected by violence, those who are incarcerated, children who are a part of the Guardian ad Litem program, local law enforcement officers and fire fighters.

Those in the military:

Josh Wingfield, James Pulliam, Mark Staley, Adam Ivey, Austin Frutig, Anthony Corcoran,

Mary Jane Johnson, Caleb Sisk, Brian Saxton, Jacob Taylor and Ethan Dowden,

30th Brigade.

Church Maintenance

Before next Sunday - Nicholson/Davis

December 4 - Wardo

December 11 - Angell

BUDGET UPDATE

Needed year to date: \$94,852.00

Received year to date: \$78,517.00

UNDER budget: \$16,335.00

Weekly needs: \$2062.00

We are Grace Baptist Church - a ministering people of God, reaching beyond our walls to the needs of our local and global community. We are an intergenerational faith community called and committed to the life of love and servant-hood through the experience of celebrative worship, the development of each person's gifts and the work for peace and justice.

In our diversity we find strength and a way to understand the inclusiveness of God. We recognize each individual as a child of God. We welcome and affirm ALL people, who and where you are, to join in our common mission through participation and leadership in this community of faith.

We are affiliated with the Alliance of Baptists,
the Baptist Peace Fellowship of North America and the
Association of Welcoming and Affirming Baptists.

Ministers: All Members of the Congregation

Pastor: Steve Shoemaker

Music Director: LeAnda Barnard

Secretary: Lisa Wardo

Church Musician: Nichole Tilley

Boards

Cabinet: John Barnard

Deacon: Brandon Tilley

Mission: Susie Wiberg

Education: Sue Shoemaker

Stewardship: Johnny Marshall

Worship: Nancy Davis

WELCOME TO ALL who have chosen to worship with us today. We pray that your being present will bring joy and peace and presence of God to you.

You are welcome to be a participant in the church activities at Grace.

If you are interested in joining this congregation as we seek to discern and live out God's call to us, please speak to our pastor or a church member.

You may also contact us by phone at 704-872-5130,
or by email at gracestatesville@gmail.com. Visit our website at www.gracestatesville.org.

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