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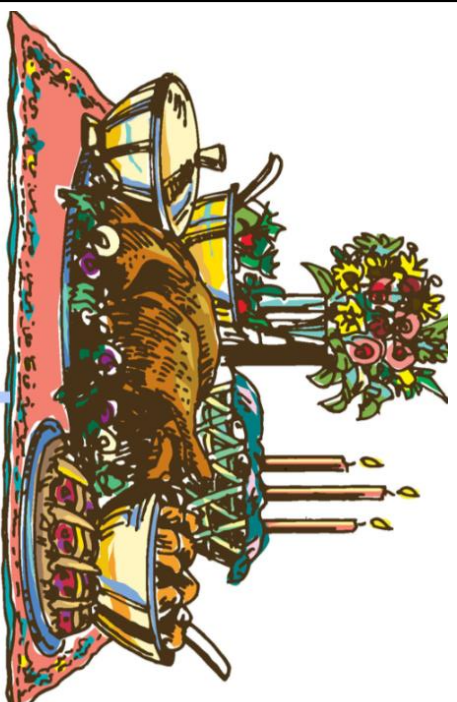
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Children's Christmas Play Practice

Begins November 3rd at 4:00 PM on
Sundays and Wednesdays at 6:00 PM.

2024 Christmas Blessing Bags

We will be collecting items each month for our
2024 Christmas Blessing Bags. November we
will collect men's and women's toboggans and
gloves. Thank you!



Churchwide Thanksgiving Supper

Saturday, November 23rd
6:00 PM

Family Life Center

Please bring desserts. Thank you.

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DATE: Thursday, November 7th

TIME: 6:30 PM

PLACE: Logan's, Monroe



*Ladies'
Prayer
Breakfast*

DATE: Tuesday, November 19th

TIME: 9:00 AM

PLACE: Beth's Restaurant



DATE: Sundays

TIME: Following
Children's Sermon

PLACE: Fellowship Hall
Ages 7 to 11.

GA

Operation Christmas Child Shoebox Shopping Trip

Wednesday, November 6th

We will leave from the
church at 6:00 PM.

Meal provided.

Please bring \$15 for shoebox
gifts.

Operation Christmas Child

Check vestibule for shoeboxes,
packing information, and labels.
Shoebboxes are due back on Sunday,
November 17th.



NURSERY SCHEDULE

November 3rd: Mindy, Lexi & Lindsey

November 10th: Lisa and Alyssa

November 17th: Jana & Lisa

November 24th: Deanna & Taylor



November 3rd: Sara & Luisa

November 10th: Jeff & Mindy

November 17th: MK & Joshua

November 24th: Jill & Kathy

November 2024

SUNDAY

MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY


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Daylight Savings Time ends Sunday, November 3rd.



Monday, November 11th

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Hospice Auction
First Baptist Church of Monroe

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3 Daylight Savings Time ends

3rd – 10th Week of Prayer for Baptist Children's Homes
9:30 AM Sunday School
10:30 AM Worship
11:30 AM Church Conference
4:00 PM Christmas Play Practice
4:30-6:30 PM: AWANA

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4th – 5th NC Baptist Convention in Greensboro

5 Election Day. Please vote!
Golden Age Meeting at Tony & Teresa's house 11:00 AM

6 6:00 PM Christmas Play Practice
6:00 PM GA Shoebox Shopping Trip. Leave church at 6 PM.
7:00 PM: Adult Bible Study, Mission Friends in FLC, RA, Girlfriends in Christ, Youth
8:00 PM: Choir Practice

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6:30 PM Men's dinner at Logan's in Monroe

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Love Life Week 40 Prayer Walk

THE MISSION: LOVE LIFE IS UNITING AND MOBILIZING THE CHURCH TO CREATE A CULTURE OF LOVE AND LIFE THAT WILL RESULT IN AN END TO ABORTION AND THE ORPHAN CRISIS.



Thursday, November 28th

<p>10 Ingathering for N.C. Baptist Children's Homes Offering 9:30 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM Worship 11:30 AM Church Conference 4:00 PM Christmas Play Practice 4:30-6:30 PM: AWANA</p>	<p>11 Veterans Day</p>	<p>12 75 Plus Meeting the FLC at 11 AM</p>	<p>13 6:00 PM Christmas Play Practice 7:00 PM: Adult Bible Study, Mission Friends, GA in FLC, RA, Girlfriends in Christ, Youth 8:00 PM: Choir Practice</p>	<p>14 N.C. Baptist Men's Mission Rally @ Mill Creek Baptist</p>	<p>15</p>	<p>16</p> <div data-bbox="1214 163 1528 289" style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> November 2024, continued </div>
<p>17 Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes due; December Newsletter <small>articles due.</small> 9:30 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM Worship 4:00 PM Christmas Play Practice 4:30-6:30 PM: AWANA</p>		<p>18</p>	<p>19 Ladies' Breakfast at Beth's 9AM; Deacons' Meeting 7 PM (Moved from 11/26)</p>	<p>20 6:00 PM Christmas Play Practice 7:00 PM: Adult Bible Study, Mission Friends, GA, RA in FLC, Girlfriends in Christ, Youth 8:00 PM: Choir Practice</p>	<p>21</p>	<p>22</p>
<p>24 Orphan Sunday For more info., www.worldwithoutorphans.org 9:30 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM 4:00 PM Christmas Play Practice 4:30-6:30 PM: Awana</p>	<p>25</p>	<p>26</p>	<p>27 No services tonight</p>	<p>28 Thanksgiving Day</p>	<p>29</p>	<p>30</p>

Dear Philadelphia Baptist Church,

In September, we continued our training season with the Awana Ministry Conference on September 7th. This year's theme was One More Child. Two weeks later, I attended the Child Discipleship Forum on September 19th and 20th. The focus was on faith formation and how a child's worldview is formed. Thank you for being part of these meetings, supporting them in person, and keeping them in your prayers.

On September 27th, Hurricane Helene reached Western North Carolina. I know the area was devastated by flooding and destruction. I remembered what Mister Fred Rogers used to say about scary things: " Look for the helpers. You will always find people who are helping."

Jaime Rhinehart is the Awana Ministry Director at Poovey's Chapel Baptist Church. She said, "I think everyone has just been in survival mode for days, and it's hitting home the amount of devastation in our communities! I scheduled Awana tonight so we can create a space for the kids who are feeling this too, and to offer some smiles and hugs. Our church just announced they are hosting a kids camp for a couple of days to help parents in need of childcare since our schools are closed."

Jamie's husband, Michael Rhinehart, sent this text: "I'm Looking forward to tonight! The Brite idea for tonight is 'God Makes a Way When Things Feel Hopeless.' It seems like perfect timing. Even if we only play games, showing the kids hope will be priceless. I'm praying for all of you."

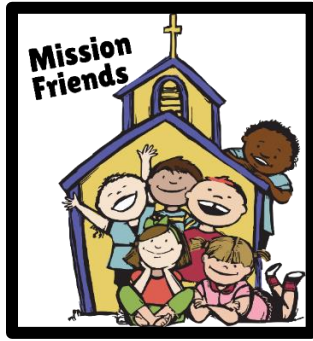
Carrie Knapp at Steadfast Church said, "Thursday, we are having an informal Awana gathering at church so kids can play and parents can talk. Pray that God would help us comfort each other as we begin to heal. Being part of God's family is a good thing right now."

Thank you so much for your partnership in my ministry. Your support, both in prayers and your financial gift of \$150.00 per month, has been a blessing during the training and a lifeline during the difficult times. I am deeply grateful for your commitment. May God continue to bless you as we work to reach more children. Even in the difficult times, your support is a beacon of hope. Thank you.

In His Service, Kathy Brock

LOTTIE MOON WEEK OF PRAYER

The Week of Prayer for International Missions is a special, focused time of prayer for Southern Baptist missionaries serving through the International Mission Board and the people whom they serve. We invite you to join us in this season of prayer, December 1–8, 2024. We will receive the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering during the whole the month of December. Ingathering is Sunday, December 8th.



November 6th: FLC-Lisa; Snack: Lisa
November 13th: Chad & Lusa; Snack: Sara
November 20th: Lisa & Karoline; Snack: Ava
November 27th: Happy Thanksgiving!
No Mission Friends Class

2025 Mission Trip: March 3rd – 17th

75 Plus Group

Our group was so happy to meet again. We had nineteen present. Always happy to have our people back after being unable to come. It gives us all a smile. Our food was great and our conversation was exciting. We need each other for encouragement. We are brothers and sisters in Christ. Keep the smiles to make others happy. We look forward to our next meeting, November 12, 2024 at 11a.m. Have a great day. Bonnie Oster

Golden Age Prayer Lunch for Our Country

50 and older welcome to join us. 😊

Tuesday, November 5th at 11:00 AM

Tony & Teresa Eudy's Home

BBQ will be served. Please go out and vote!



AWANA Club

Sundays at 4:30 PM - 6:30 PM

11/10: Paper Airplane Night

11/24: Glow Night

Ladies' Retreat at Camp Caswell

Friday, February 28, 2025

through Sunday, March 2, 2025

Please contact Luisa Price at

980-248-0024 if you would like to

attend. Cost will be announced soon.

HONDURAS Mission Trip

June 22 – 28, 2025, Philadelphia Baptist Church will be going on mission to Honduras with World Help. As a part of this trip, we have the opportunity to sponsor, and then meet some of the children in the village where we will be going. If you are interested in sponsoring a child, you can visit this website:

<https://worldhelp.net/transformations/philadelphia-baptist-church/>

Orphan Sunday, November 24th

At World Without Orphans, we are pursuing a world where every child is cared for in a safe and loving family, knows their Heavenly Father, and reaches their God-given potential.

www.worldwithoutorphans.org



Week of Prayer is November 3 – November 11, 2024
Ingathering: Sunday, November 11th

Chris and Lindsay Ciufo (pronounced Chee-fo) had a beautiful family with two young sons and daughters. Even with a household of six, the couple dreamed of more children.

As members of Cowee Baptist Church in Franklin, where Chris is Associate Pastor, they knew about Baptist Children's Homes (BCH) and its many ministries including foster care and adoption. They also see the ministry first hand because boys and their cottage parents living at BCH's Drake Cottage in Franklin attend services and activities at Cowee.

Read The Ciufo's full story online at <https://www.bchoffering.org/story>



NOVEMBER Birthdays

- 2-Jeff Forrester, Hailey Turner-Guadarrama, Doris Williams
- 3-Brenda Wallace
- 4-Cecil Helms, Donald Sullivan
- 5-Grayson Helms, Mitchell Wilson
- 6-Aubrey McGriff
- 7-William Glidewell
- 9-Joyce Ashcraft, J.D. Query
- 10-Robbie Huggins, Vanna Rutledge
- 13-Bonnie Newland
- 14-Noah Porter
- 18-Beth Atkinson
- 20-Baylor Ross
- 23-Dawn McClain, Jerry Moore
- 25-Ava Strawn, Caitlyn Davis
- 26-Rebecca Davis
- 27-Tonya Huggins
- 30-Jerry Davis

1st Week of December

- 1-Travis Cox, Belinda Goodman, Wyatt Helms, Cameron Knight, Timothy Pressley
- 2-Skylar Clay, Jack Ellison, Case Gouch
- 4-Shirley Rorie, Sherry Severt
- 5-Jake Taylor
- 6-Phillip Bowers, Darrell Jenkins
- 7-Veronica Freytag, Bryar Gouch, Amelia Moore

Please contact Sheri Bradshaw to update the birthday list. Thank you.

Dear Family of God of Philadelphia,

I found a list of things that stay-at-home moms are thankful for. Here is a list of things housewives are most thankful for:

- ** For automatic dishwashers because they make it possible for us to get out of the kitchen before the family comes back in for their after-dinner snacks.
- ** For husbands who attack small repair jobs around the house because they usually make them big enough to call in the professionals.
- ** For children who put away their things & clean up after themselves. They're such a joy you hate to see them go home to their own parents.
- ** For teenagers because they give parents an opportunity to learn a second language.
- ** For smoke alarms because they let you know when the turkey's done.

Well, this is the month that we celebrate Thanksgiving Day. So, I wanted to give you my short list.

- ** I am thankful for the occupied chairs around the Thanksgiving table, because I have one more opportunity to express my love for them.
- ** I am thankful for the empty chairs around the table as well, because they give us one more chance to share our memories and be thankful for the time we shared.
- ** I am thankful for another year of serving as the pastor of Philadelphia Baptist Church. You have been a great blessing to me, especially this year.
- ** I am thankful for friends who know exactly what to say, and when to keep silent.
- ** I am thankful that God loved me enough to adopt me into HIS family. And I can't wait for our first family reunion.
- ** I am thankful for God's Word. It is an anchor for me in an ever-shifting world.
- ** I am thankful for my scars. Without them I wouldn't know HIS heart. (If you know, you know.)

May our Father bless you today. It is a joy to serve our Lord with you.

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