

The Channel

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On August 26, we inserted prayer guides and offering envelopes in the Sunday bulletin for the North Carolina Missions Offering (NCMO). The month of September marks the primary emphasis for NCMO. The regular budget of Baptists on Mission, 5 national and 7 international partnerships, and all of NC Disaster Relief and Recovery are funded fully by contributions to the NC Missions Offering and gifts designated to Baptists on Mission.

These are just a few highlights of how the NCMO has been used to involve NC churches like us in missions:

North Carolina

- After the flooding of Hurricane Matthew in October 2016, Baptists on Mission were able to make financial contributions to 12 NC churches and assist hundreds of homeowners with volunteer labor and/or financial assistance. Sites are still open in Lumberton, Goldsboro, Windsor, and Pender County.
- Hurricanes Harvey, Irma, and Maria resulted in volunteers serving in Texas, Florida, and Puerto Rico where we are still sending teams. Baptists on Mission made two large financial donations to Texas Baptist Men as a result of the generosity of NC Baptists.
- This year over 200 NC churches will impact their communities as they participate in Operation Inasmuch.
- The Mobile health Screening and Dental buses saw thousands of patients and saw dozens of people make decisions to follow Christ.

United States

- NC churches and associations prepared and distributed 11,355 backpacks in the Appalachian Coalfields Region through Appalachian Christmas Outreach. Each distribution was done in conjunction with a local church or association in the region. In 2018 we are praying for over 12,000!
- Church planters were assisted in Pennsylvania and New England through partnerships that included teams serving in evangelism, construction, sports, VBS, and community ministry.

- In the Rocky mountain Region teams built a first building for Big Sky Fellowship.

Internationally

- In Cuba teams assisted churches, house churches, a retirement center, and began construction of a seminary. Baptists on Mission have been in eastern Cuba working with the Eastern Baptist Convention, the largest convention, for over 15 years.
- Teams have led medical clinics, done VBS, and done construction in Armenia helping them grow from 2 churches and only one building in 1991 to 145 churches and 35 buildings now. In this critical intersection of Asia, Europe, and the Middle East they are planning to build a seminary satellite to train and send out church planters in the Nagorno-Karabakh region and surrounding lands.
- In 2017 we were able to send 4 college students to spend the summer working with the Roma in Hungary, Romania, and Ukraine. This summer 5 college students will serve in this life changing ministry to some of the most neglected people in the world.
- Teams began construction of Door of Hope Village in South Africa for abandoned children who were rescued from certain death. When completed the Village will provide a home for up to 200 children to grow from toddlers to 18 years of age.

For more information and a prayer guide for the North Carolina Missions Offering, please visit NCMISSIONSOFFERING.ORG/PRAY. To contribute to the offering, make checks payable to Roxboro Baptist Church and designate for "NCMO". God is at work and this is one of the ways we have to join him. *"You open your hand and satisfy the desire of every living thing."* (Psalm 145:16)



Thank you for being a church that is committed to "Growing and Going in Jesus' Name!"

DuPre

Remember in Prayer

Diane Austin, John Bailey, Ronnie Bugnar, Sam Carver, Bill Hodgins, Linda Jackson, Wayne Lamberth, Linda Masten, Will Montgomery, Jimmy Wilkins, Alta Winstead, Darcus Woody, Ruffin Woody



PMH Ext.Care –Dolian Harris (268)

Cambridge Hills – Belle Booth (312), Ruby Hall (121), Calvin McMillan (116)

Roxboro Nursing Center –Evelyn Walker (214)

Christian Sympathy to the family of Esther Warren who passed away on 8/22.

Christian Sympathy to the family of Olena McMillan who passed away on 9/1.

Wednesday Night Fellowship Meal



September 5: Ham, green beans, potato salad, and salad bar

September 12: Lasagna, garlic bread, and salad bar

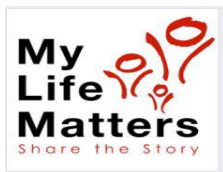
September 19: Chicken casserole, black-eyed peas, squash & onions, and salad bar

Volunteers:

September 5: Janice Johnson, Betty Fuller, Ken & Judy Medlin, Richard & Alice Whitfield

September 12: Mary Harris, Jean Waldo, Kim Boswell, Reid Davis, Helen hobgood, James Woody, Ann Wrenn

September 19: Wilma Brooks, Bill & Judy Hodgins, Barry & Teresa Tucker



September Collections

For September we are collecting items for two different Missions.

1. My Life Matters – Collecting individual snack items for their afterschool programs.
2. Appalachian Coalfield Christmas Backpack Ministry – Collecting new and used back packs to be given to children in the WV area for Christmas.

Sunday Attendance

August 26, 2018

Sunday School – 103

Worship – 176

September 2, 2018

Sunday School – 93 Worship – 141

Our Ministry of Giving

August 26, 2018

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| Weekly amount needed to meet budget | \$9,667.28 |
| Budget | \$9,264.92 |

Designated

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| NC Missions Offering | 60.00 |
| Buses | 50.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 21.22 |
| Building in Faith (BIF) | \$195.00 |

September 2, 2018

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| Weekly amount needed to meet budget | \$9,667.28 |
| Budget | \$9,264.92 |

Designated

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| Youth camp | 150.00 |
| Ukraine | 100.00 |
| NC Missions Offering | 425.00 |
| Building in Faith (BIF) | \$220.00 |

RBC Youth Lake Day



Last Sunday the youth group welcomed the newest batch of sixth graders (along with several other new guests) as we swam and tubed on Hyco lake. Please pray for our group as we grow in community and in Christ. Thank you to the adults who chaperoned (Kyle and Suzanne Boyette, Laura Grinstead) and to the Long family for hosting us!

Become a Reading Buddy!

Become a Reading Buddy and Make A Difference in our Community

- ReadingBuddies will work at South Elementary during the 2018-2019 school year. Struggling readers will be paired with volunteers who make a commitment to read with their “reading buddy” each week for an hour per week for approximately 28 weeks.
- Volunteers will meet with students during the school day, using lessons and materials created by Person County educators and tailored to the student’s reading level.
- Volunteers will present students with brand new book to take home every week.
- All ReadingBuddies volunteers must complete a volunteer application and have an approved criminal background check.
- Volunteers receive training from Roots & Wings and South Elementary School. Training sessions will be held on September 12 from 4:00–5:00 pm and on September 14 from 8:30–10:00 am. (Alternate dates are 9/21 from 4:00-5:30 pm and 9/24 from 8:30-10:00 am.)
- The ReadingBuddy program will begin the week of October 1st.

If you are interested in volunteering, please contact:

Lori Western at South Elementary

Phone: 336-599-7133

Email: westernl@person.k12.nc.us

The Annual Church



Sunday, September 16 at 4:30 p.m.

Huck Sansbury Park

This is always a wonderful time of fellowship, games, and good food. Please plan to attend and bring a friend. This would be a great time to introduce someone to the Roxboro Baptist Church family.

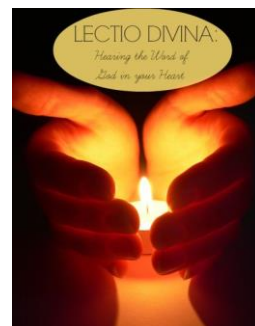


New Member

We are delighted to welcome to our fellowship Zoe Hodgin, who joined our church on Sunday, September 2 as a candidate for baptism. We look forward to working with you in the days ahead in the mission and ministry of Roxboro Baptist Church.

Two New Sunday School Opportunities

Announcing a new gathering on Sunday mornings from 9:45-10:25 beginning on September 9. This group, called “Lectio Divina”, will explore scripture in contemplation, prayer, and discussion. It is open to anyone seeking a small group to join for encouragement and the discovery of life-applicable spiritual insights that arise from attentive meditation on the words of scripture. Some of the texts used each week will include focal verses of that Sunday’s worship and sermon theme, so each gathering will be an opportunity to prepare the mind and soul to engage deeply in the worship experience at 10:55. Contact Mike Moose, the facilitator of this group, with any questions or to indicate interest.



Young Adults

This fall our Young Adult Bible Study will be transitioning to Sunday mornings. Please join us as we continue our weekly gatherings, now during Sunday school (9:45-10:45 am). While our time and location may have changed, our structure has not! All young adults (college-aged through 35) are welcome to join us for a time of scripturally-rooted, theologically rich open conversation. Beginning September 9, we will continue our discussion of *Velvet Elvis* by Rob Bell. All are welcome to join, even if you have not yet been—it’s easy to jump right in!

This class will be centered around group conversation. Please come with your own thoughts to share and an open mind towards the ideas of others. Contact JD Granade, the facilitator of this group, with any questions or to indicate interest.

Christian Help Center Volunteers

Prepare & Serve a Meal



Thursday, September 6

**Barbara Pollock &
Robert Simons**

Nursery and Extended Session

Sunday, September 9

Kathryn Simons (Nursery)

Barry & Teresa Tucker (Extended Session)

Michelle & Glenn Day (Special Needs)

Sunday, September 16

Nancy Berryhill (Nursery)

April & Jeff Roberts (Extended Session)

Donna King & Laura Grinstead (Special Needs)



Homebound and Seniors Away

Please make contact with our homebound this week.

Jimmy & Tillie Currier

404 Longwood Terrace, Roxboro

Bess Daniel

310 Barnette Ave., Roxboro

Ken Durham

817 Frank St., Roxboro

Ruby Hall – Cambridge Hills, Rm#121

5660 Durham Rd., Roxboro, 27574

Dolian Harris – PMH Ext Care #268

615 Ridge Rd., Roxboro