

# WELCOME TO CONGAREE BAPTIST CHURCH

We are so thankful you have chosen to worship with us today here at Congaree Baptist Church! Our desire is to serve you today as we worship our Savior together! If this is your first time attending Congaree Baptist Church, please visit [www.congareebaptistchurch.org](http://www.congareebaptistchurch.org) and click on "Contact Us" to share some information. We would love to get to know you in the coming days and weeks!

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## Sunday School

9:30 AM

## Sunday Morning Worship

10:30 AM

## Wednesday Night Bible Study

6:30 PM

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## GIVING STATS

Weekly Budget Need: \$3,987.86

Received (5/14): \$2,580.00

Received On-line: \$1,826.00

Monthly Need: \$17,280.72

Monthly Received: \$8,938.54

## DEACON OF THE WEEK

**Ray Chandler (803-960-2812)**

If something comes up and you need immediate assistance, give the deacon a call.

## WAYS TO GIVE

- 1) You can give online through our website ([www.congareebaptistchurch.org](http://www.congareebaptistchurch.org)). Click on "Give Online" and follow the link to a secure website!
- 2) You can mail your offering to the church.
- 3) You can drop your offering by the church office during normal office hours.

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## GET TO KNOW US

### Our Staff

Rev. Jerry Freeman, Pastor

Mrs. Ronda Connell, Worship Director

Mrs. Joyce Baldwin, Pianist/Organist

Mrs. Melanie Shaw, Ministry Assistant

Mrs. Susie Amerson, Youth Director

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## Contact Us

Office Hours

Monday-Friday 9AM - 2PM

803-755-9556

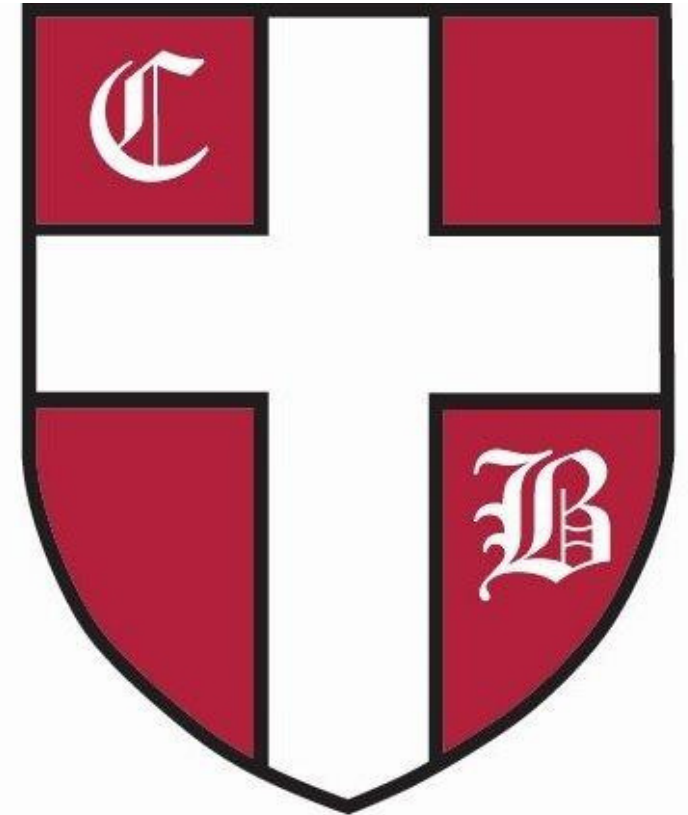
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# CONGAREE BAPTIST CHURCH



## MAY 21, 2023

101 Pine Ridge Drive

West Columbia, SC 29172

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# CONGAREE BAPTIST CHURCH

## ORDER OF SERVICE

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship

*"Jesus Is The Sweetest Name I Know"*

Worship Songs

*"Hymn of Adoration"*

*"I Worship You, Almighty God"*

Announcements

Graduate Recognition

Hymn#132

*"There Is Power In The Blood"*

Special Music

CBC Choir

Message

Luke 10:17-24

The Reason For Joy

*Pastor Jerry Freeman*

Hymn of Invitation #321

*"The Savior Is Waiting"*

Benediction

## THIS WEEK AT CBC

### Sunday, May 21

9:30 am Sunday School  
10:30 am Worship  
6:00 pm Sunday Evening Devotional (Facebook Live)

### Tuesday, May 23

7:30 am Men's Fella'ship Breakfast

### Wednesday, May 24

6:30 pm Children's Activities (PreK-6th grade)  
Teen Activities @ the Youth Room  
Adult Bible Study in Sanctuary  
Adult Choir (immed. following Bible Study)

### Friday, May 26

11:00 am CBC Food Closet

**Our monthly church business meeting will immediately follow worship. Members are asked to stay back for this brief meeting.**



### Homebound Member of the Week

Mary Alice Gunter

Agape Hospice

128 Library Hill Lane

Lexington, SC 29072

843-900-9840

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### VBS is Coming!!

**June 25-29, 2023**

It's that time again! Vacation Bible School is just around the corner. This year our theme is "Twists and Turns: Following Jesus Changes the Game." VBS will run June 25-29, Sunday through Thursday, from 6:00 -8:15 PM. Suppers will be served Monday through Thursday at 5:30. Prayers are encouraged, and help is needed in all areas. If you would like to be part of this exciting summer program, please contact Janie Pye or Janice Pelfrey. Sign-up sheet and needed supplies list will soon be available in the hallway. Now let the games begin! An informational meeting is today, immediately following worship.

### What Do You Believe?

#### Wednesday Night Bible Study

Join us on Wednesday nights as we take a look at why we believe what we do. What we know and confess to be true about God is crucial to the spiritual life of every believer. If you've wondered why we believe what we do, make plans now to be here!

## MISSIONS OPPORTUNITIES

### Operation Christmas Child

In order to help with collecting items needed for shoeboxes, we will ask for you to find specific items each month. **For the month of May, we are collecting: COMBS, HAIRBRUSHES and HAIR BOWS.** Next time you're at the store, would you remember to buy some of these items and drop them off here at the church? Let's fill the tub!

### CBC Food Closet

**Friday, May 26, 11 AM - 1 PM**

As a reminder, our monthly Food Closet will offer food to those in need on Friday, May 26, from 11 AM to 1 PM. If you know of someone who could benefit from this, please let them know. We would appreciate any help you can give towards donating items for distribution. Specifically, we are in need of: cereal, pop tarts, grits, oatmeal, any canned meat products, peanut butter, jelly, Vienna sausages, canned fruit, cornbread mix, spaghetti sauce.

### Praying Across America

Our WMU (Women's Missionary Union) has worked hard to give a list of ways we can pray for folks across the United States. Each month we will highlight 5 states. For May, we are praying for: Iowa, Missouri, Arkansas, Louisiana, and Wisconsin. Check our newsletter for ways to pray. If you aren't receiving our newsletter, give us a call at the church office so we can add you to the list.