

YOUTH NEWS



Wednesday Night Events:

November 2:
Fields of Faith at Tuscola High School. We will leave at 6:15pm and return to church by 7:45pm.

November 9:
Shoebox packing party.

November 16:
Packing cartons of individual shoeboxes into a large trailer for Operation Christmas Child.

November 23:
NO YOUTH – Happy Thanksgiving!

November 30:
Christmas Pageant Rehearsal

Sunday Morning and Evening Events:

November 6 at 11:15am
Meet a missionary, Michael Ley, from Paris France.

November 20 at 3:00pm
Food Box Packing Event – FBC Waynesville will join with other local churches to box Thanksgiving meal boxes for the needy in the community. We will meet in the gym to box food.

November 20 at 6:00pm – Community Thanksgiving Service – Bring money for dinner. We will grab dinner after the food box packing event and participate in the Community Thanksgiving Service.

November 27 at 6:15pm – Advent lessons begin.



Church offices closed November 24 & 25



Send your prayer requests via email to christine@fbcwaynesville.org OR joyce@fbcwaynesville.org

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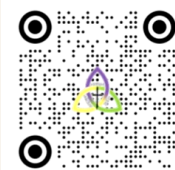
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MISSION & VISION

MISSION - To make disciples, united in worship and service.
VISION - To embody Christ, loving all people and introducing them to the God we love.

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November 2022

Office Hours: Monday - Thursday 8:30am - 5:00pm; Friday - 8:30am - 12:30pm

Mitchell C. Huskison
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October 10, 2022

Dear Members of First Baptist Church, Waynesville, North Carolina,

On Sunday, October 9 the congregation at First Baptist Church, Dalton, Georgia offered me the position the Minister of Music at their church. After prayerful consideration, I have decided to accept this offer and will be resigning my position at First Baptist Church, Waynesville, North Carolina.

This has been a bitter sweet decision. I love the Waynesville congregation and have been deeply blessed by my sixteen plus years of ministry here. This church played a significant role in the rearing of Kennan and Carter and have stood by me through some very dark days. I will be eternally grateful for my time with this faith community.

My final day of worship ministry will be Sunday, November 6. Words cannot express my gratitude for your continued support as I begin this new chapter in my life and ministry.

Blessings and Peace,

Mitchell C. Huskison



Sunday, November 6

Immediately following the IMB speaker – We will be honoring Mitch with a covered dish meal in the gym. Please plan to come and to bring a couple of covered dishes (enough to share). This will be a sweet time of fellowship as we share with him how much we love him and how very much we are going to miss him. A basket will be provided for cards.



Operation Christmas Child "Pack a box. Impact a life."

You can pick up one or several shoeboxes in the area in front of the church office. You may drop off your filled shoeboxes from November 1st through 20th in the same area. For suggestions on what to pack in your shoebox(es), visit: <https://www.samaritanaspurse.org/operation-christmas-child/what-goes-in-my-shoebox-suggestions/>



Please mark Operation Christmas Child National Collection Week on your calendar, November 14-21. FBC will again serve as a regional drop off location. **We need lots of volunteers to help collect, count, and crate boxes** as churches, civic groups, and individuals drop off their packed boxes.

The hours we will be open are as follows:

Monday, November 14	9 am - 5 pm
Tuesday, November 15	5 pm - 7 pm
Wednesday, November 16	12 pm - 3 pm
Thursday, November 17	5 pm - 7 pm
Friday, November 18	12 pm - 2 pm
Saturday, November 19	10 am - 2 pm
Sunday, November 20	12:30 pm - 5 pm
Monday, November 21	8 am - 11 am

Please call the church office or e-mail Faith at faith@fbcwaynesville.org if you can help any time during that week. Also, start collecting items for shoeboxes now! Join me in introducing children of the world to the God we love through the simple gift of a shoebox.

Call Faith if you have any questions (828) 456-9465!

Thank you, FBC, in advance for your help.

Faith Woods

From Dr. Prince...

We're grieved to lose Mitch Huskison as our Pastor of Worship and Administration, but wish him well as he moves to First Baptist Church of Dalton, Georgia. This move will put him much closer to his aging parents.

Mitch and his boys have been blessings to our church for more than 17 years, and we're going to miss them. Mitch's last Sunday will be November 6, and we plan to have a covered dish luncheon in honor of him on that day. The luncheon will be in our gym and will begin after our Sunday School/Small group time.

Our Personnel Core Team (PCT) of our Administrative Operations Team (AOT) has been busy working on filling immediate needs in our church's music ministry and administration. I've been encouraged by how so many of our members are willing to step up and help in these days.

In addition to filling immediate needs, our PCT has been thinking and praying about what our church staff looks like in the future, particularly in relation to music ministry and administration. For that reason, we're planning at least two listening sessions to receive your input on this matter.

Our first meeting will be with the entire congregation at 12:15 p.m. on Sunday, October 30. This meeting will take place in the sanctuary. Please pray about this and come ready to share and ask questions.

We plan to have a listening session in the choir room with members of our music ministry on Wednesday, November 9 at 6:00 p.m. This will be for all who are involved in music ministry.

In other areas, on November 6 we're starting a new Sunday worship experience called "Morning Prayers and Communion." This experience will take place in the chapel at 9:30 a.m. It will feature prayers and the celebration of the Lord's Supper. We won't have music. Christi and I will alternate presiding at it.

This service is intended to be a supplement to our 10:00 service, not a substitute. Check it out!

On November 20, we plan to have a time of packing food boxes at 3:00 p.m. in our gym. These boxes will be for distribution to needy families on November 21. Our church had committed to contributing \$3000 toward frozen turkeys and to collecting 250 **boxes** of stuffing mix. You can bring your **boxes** of stuffing to the church office or to the fireplace area!

Our Community Thanksgiving Service will also be on November 20 at 6:00 p.m. We'll announce the location soon.

God bless you always, and please pray for our church in these important days.

Robert

Welcome Newly Affirmed Deacons

Stephen Atwood	Randi Boone	Mark Ferguson
Emily Fleenor	Caroline Ottinger	Judy Pettigrew
Marq Ryan	Charles Sigmon	Dan Szpak

Serving others...

Turkey and... BOXES of stuffing... 250 BOXES of stuffing!

For this year's "Turkey Jam" (*aptly named as the Thanksgiving Food Box distribution causes a traffic jam every year*), FBC will need to provide 250 BOXES (**not bags**) of stuffing mix. Beginning November 1, please donate several BOXES of stuffing mix. Collection containers will be located in the fireplace area and in front of the church office. FBC will also host the packing of these food boxes in the gym on Sunday, November 20 at 3:00pm. Volunteers are needed to help with this project! Bring your family and friends!

Then on Monday, November 21, plan to meet in the parking lot of First United Methodist Church at 1:00pm to help with the distribution of the food boxes to our neighbors in the community.

Thank you in advance for your generosity in providing BOXES of stuffing mix and for your time!



This year, the Sharon Peddicord Mission Group in cooperation with the Haywood Senior Resource Center will be collecting the following items to help fill Christmas boxes for seniors living in Haywood County. They are collecting these items through December 1, so please give generously.

- 100 single roll paper towels
- 100 4-pack rolls of toilet paper
- 100 boxes of facial tissue
- 100 pairs of socks (**NOT bulky**)

Collection boxes are located in the fireplace area and in the hallway area in front of the church office.



For more than 70 years, sisters in Christ have united in prayer for the Baptist Women's World Day Of Prayer hosted by Baptist World Alliance Women. The 2022 theme is "Victorious Life" drawn from the truth of 2 Corinthians 2:14 - "But thanks be to God, who always leads us as captives in Christ's triumphal procession and uses us to spread the aroma of the knowledge of Him everywhere." **Join women of our community in a night of prayer and song in recognition of the Day of Prayer on Monday, November 7 at Antioch Baptist Church from 6:30-8:30.**



Praying together...

OCTOBER 2022 CONCERNS

Christian sympathy and love are extended to Ann Eavenson and family in the loss of her brother, Bill Owen.

Christian sympathy and love are extended to Nancy Arrants and family in the loss of her brother, James Snider.

Recently Hospitalized
Richard Warren

DEACON OF THE WEEK - NOV. 2022

November 6: Lynn Sellards
November 13: Butch Franklin
November 20: Bill Teague
November 27: Micky Clemmons

Gleeful Giving!
2023 Stewardship
Emphasis

Financial Report - Sept. 2022

MINISTRY RESOURCE PLAN (MRP)

MRP Receipts Needed: \$ 499,313.88
MRP Offering Received: \$ 432,910.49
Total MRP Receipts: \$ 448,581.69

Date	Worship	Sunday School (In person & Zoom)
09/04	112	81
09/11	135	93
09/18	128	97
09/25	120	81



Mark your calendars!
Sunday, December 4
6:00pm - Sanctuary

Children & Youth
Christmas Pageant

Cookies and Hot Chocolate
will be served afterwards.

See Pastor Christi if you would
like to help in any capacity!

Advent Study

Attention: Pre-K,
Children & Families
Beginning Sunday,
November 27 during
Sunday School time,
we will be studying Advent.
See Pastor Christi for details.

Show your love for our homebound by sending a card...

Betty Ross
Autumn Care
360 Old Balsam Rd.
Waynesville, NC 28786

Ruth Painter
Estelle Stewart
Haywood Lodge
251 Shelton St.
Waynesville, NC 28786

Barbara Cothran
Haywood Health (old Brian Center)
516 Wall St.
Waynesville, NC 28786

Ginny Wallace
Tsali Care Center - Memory Care Unit
55 Echota Church Road
Cherokee, NC 28719

Fran Burgin
Carolina Village
600 Carolina Village Rd.
Hendersonville, NC 28792

Candi Hutchison
Silver Bluff Village
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