

This Week's Events

Sunday, Dec. 8	The 2nd Sunday of Advent 9:00 Bells of Praise 10:00 Life Groups 11:00 Worship 2:00 Barnes Baby Shower 5:00 Deacons 6:00 Christmas BINGO
Monday Dec. 9	
Tuesday, Dec. 10	10:00 Senior Adults 6:00 Stewardship Meeting
Wednesday, Dec. 11	5:30 Preschool Choir 6:00 Wednesday Night Meal 6:45 Sharing of Prayer List 7:00 Preschool & Children's Bible Study, Youth Bible Study, Adult Bible Study, Adult Choir
Thursday, Dec. 12	
Friday, Dec. 13	6:00 Caldwell/McCollough Reception
Saturday, Dec. 14	9:00 Mission Study 1:30 Christmas Parade
Sunday, Dec. 15	The 3rd Sunday of Advent 10:00 Life Groups 11:00 Worship (Choir Cantata) 6:00 Youth Activities 5:30 Children's Christmas Party

Members and Guests
Please indicate how we can serve you

I would like to join this church.

I would like to know more about being a Christian.

I would like a visit from a staff member.

I would like a phone call from a staff member.

I would like to receive the church newsletter.

Prayer Requests

Prayer Requests (to be shared on the prayer list):

Confidential Prayer Requests: (to be shared with the Ministerial Staff ONLY)

WEDNESDAY NIGHT MEALS

Name: _____

of Adults: _____ # of Children: _____

Please place us on the permanent reservation list

Please remove us for this week only

Please place us on the list for this week only.

Prayer Requests:

Our Nation & World
Our Church Family



Our Church Family

Maye Pruett	Dan Good
Pat Tomblin	Nell Brooks
Jane Davis	Curtis Rice

Related to Our Church Family

Keegan & Harland Dobbins, grandsons of Tina and Tim Dobbins
 Chole Powell, granddaughter of Donna Feimster
 Marianne Moore, mother of Cindy Cortez
 Robin Killian, daughter of Barbara McCurry
 George Thomason, stepfather of Steve Guffey
 Jeff Brooks, son of Nell Brooks
 Art Anagnostu, husband of Sherry Anagnostu
 Doug Jernigan, brother-in-law of Tim Dobbins
 Harold Conner, brother of Brenda Hodge
 Brenda Alexander, mother of Jeff Murray
 Tommy Hutchins, father of Shasta Boyd
 Gabriel Miles, nephew of Carrie Tiller
 Doug Price, brother of Barbara McCurry & Patricia Price

Others:

Travis Butler	Sharon Cummings	Lisa Garland
Marsha Lane	Keith Cooper	Tina Stewart
Trisha Walters	Justin Moore	Jerri Griffith
Terry Gibson	Pat Price	Terry Howell
Marianna Quick	Robin Edwards	Judy Cole
Suzie Robinson Park		

**If you placed someone on the prayer list and they are doing well and can be removed from the list, please let the office know. Otherwise, names are removed after 30 days.*

Unspoken:

Your One Person

Homebound Member of the Week:

Pat Tomblin
 149 Fairhaven Dr
 Bostic, NC 28018

College Student of the Week:

Connor Settlemyre
 189 Ridgeview Dr
 Rutherfordton, NC 28139
 Gardner Webb University



December 8th, 2024

ONLINEgiving

Use the QR code to give your
tithes and offerings online.



Our Church Staff

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Bruce Caldwell	Pastor
Kelly T. Settlemyre	Minister of Music & Education
Colby Fagan	Youth Director
Linda Tribou	Administrative Assistant
Steve and Cheryl Koon	Custodians
Jay Seagrave	Pianist

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Spencer Baptist

Dec. 08, 2024

The 2nd Sunday of Advent

This service is being broadcast on WCAB 590 AM, 100.9 FM, and on Facebook LIVE. Hearing Assistance Devices are available from the Sound Tech at the rear of the sanctuary.

Please take a moment before the service to silence all cell phones and other electronic devices.

Welcome of Members and Guests Bruce Caldwell
Sharing of Opportunities

Prelude Jay Seagrave

Hymn 82 Congregation

Emmanuel

Lighting of the Advent Candle

On this second Sunday of Advent, as we think about the coming of Jesus Christ, we light the candle of love. How great is the love the Father has lavished on us! This is how God showed His love: He sent His one and only Son into the world that we might live forever through Him. As we light the candles this morning, we should remember that we have hope because God is always with us and we are loved by God's unconditional, never-ending, always and forever love.

Worship in Song Adult Choir
Christmas is the Love of God

Children's Sermon Colby Fagan

Hymn 89 Congregation

O Come, All Ye Faithful

Mission Moment

Sharing of Prayer Concerns Joyce Jones
Prayer

Offertory Bells of Praise

An Appalachian Christmas

Please place your tithes and offerings in the plates as they are passed this morning or give online by visiting our website (www.spencerbaptist.com) or using the QR code on the back of the bulletin.

Message Bruce Caldwell

HOPE REVIVED Hope Restored

Hymn 103 Congregation

Away in a Manger

Presentation of Decisions Bruce Caldwell

Benediction

Postlude Jay Seagrave



This Afternoon!

Join us for a Baby Shower!

2:00-3:30pm in the FLC

We will honor Casey & Heidi Barnes as they prepare to welcome their new baby girl, Kirby Jaye.

Christmas BINGO

Today at 6:00

Join us this evening at 6:00 for Christmas BINGO in the FLC.

Please bring a favorite Christmas snack to share and come and join the fun!



Senior Adults

Christmas Lunch

Tuesday, Dec. 10th at 10am

Join us for our Christmas Meal on Tuesday, Dec. 10th. We will go to the Mason Jar in Greenhill! See you then!



Dec. 11th, 2024

Menu: Hot Dogs, French Fries, Slaw & Chili

Prepared by: Spencer Youth

Missions Post Office

The Missions Post Office will open this week. You may send a card to anyone within the Spencer family for only 10 cents. Please put all cards in the blue mailbox, not the red slots. Remember to check the red mail slots each week to pick up cards sent to you!



Lottie Moon Christmas Offering

for International Missions

Our Church Goal: \$10,000

Every year, Baptist churches collect an offering to send and support international missionaries, and 100% of your contributions enable gospel transformation among those who haven't been reached. How will you support ongoing efforts to spread the gospel message worldwide? Your gifts support the International Mission Board and the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship, and you may indicate your preference on your envelope. We will receive this mission offering throughout December. Use the mission envelopes in the pews or mark your weekly offering envelope (clearly indicating the amount and "Lottie Moon").

Today's Volunteers:

Nursery: Debbie & Scott Sims, Tiffany Houser

Security: Jeff Murray, Billy Waters

Welcome: Glen & Lisa Harmon

Yokefellow for December

We are collecting regular-sized cans of Chunky Soups or Beef Stew. Please bring your donations and place them in the grey bin outside the Chapel.



WELCOME...

...Our church family is delighted that you have joined us for worship today! Please take a few moments to fill out this form and then place it in the offering plate as it is passed today so that we may get to know you better. If this is your first visit to Spencer, keep your card until the end of the service, when you can exchange it for a new T-shirt.

Again, we express an enthusiastic welcome and encourage you to visit us again soon. May God bless you richly!

- Member First Time Visitor
 Returning Visitor

Date: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Home Phone: _____

Cell Phones: _____

Email Address: _____

Adult Ages: 18-22 23-29 30-39 40-49
50-59 60-69 70-up

Youth Grade: 6th 7th 8th
9th 10th 11th 12th

Children Grade: K 1st 2nd 3rd 4th 5th

Preschool Age: <1 1 2 3 4 5

I am interested in learning about the following areas:

Children's Ministries Youth Ministries

Music Ministries Senior Adult Ministries

Other areas: _____

We Invite You to Our
Wedding Celebration
Friday, December 13th
6:00pm
Spencer Baptist Church
If you plan to attend, please
contact Ann Caldwell
Phone: 828-429-2549



Julie & Jonathan



The Love of God at Christmas

Presented by The Adult Choir
Sunday, December 15, 2024
11:00AM

Experience the joy of the season through music and drama as the choir leads us in worship. Invite your family and friends.

Children's Christmas Party

Sunday, Dec. 15

5:30 – 7:30 PM

Family Life Center

Children will enjoy crafts, cookies, The Christmas Story, games, and more! All children are invited to participate; however, children younger than 1st grade are asked to bring a parent.

