

North Anderson Baptist Church

A small Church, In a small Town, Serving a Big GOD.

The Lighthouse! NABC Newsletter

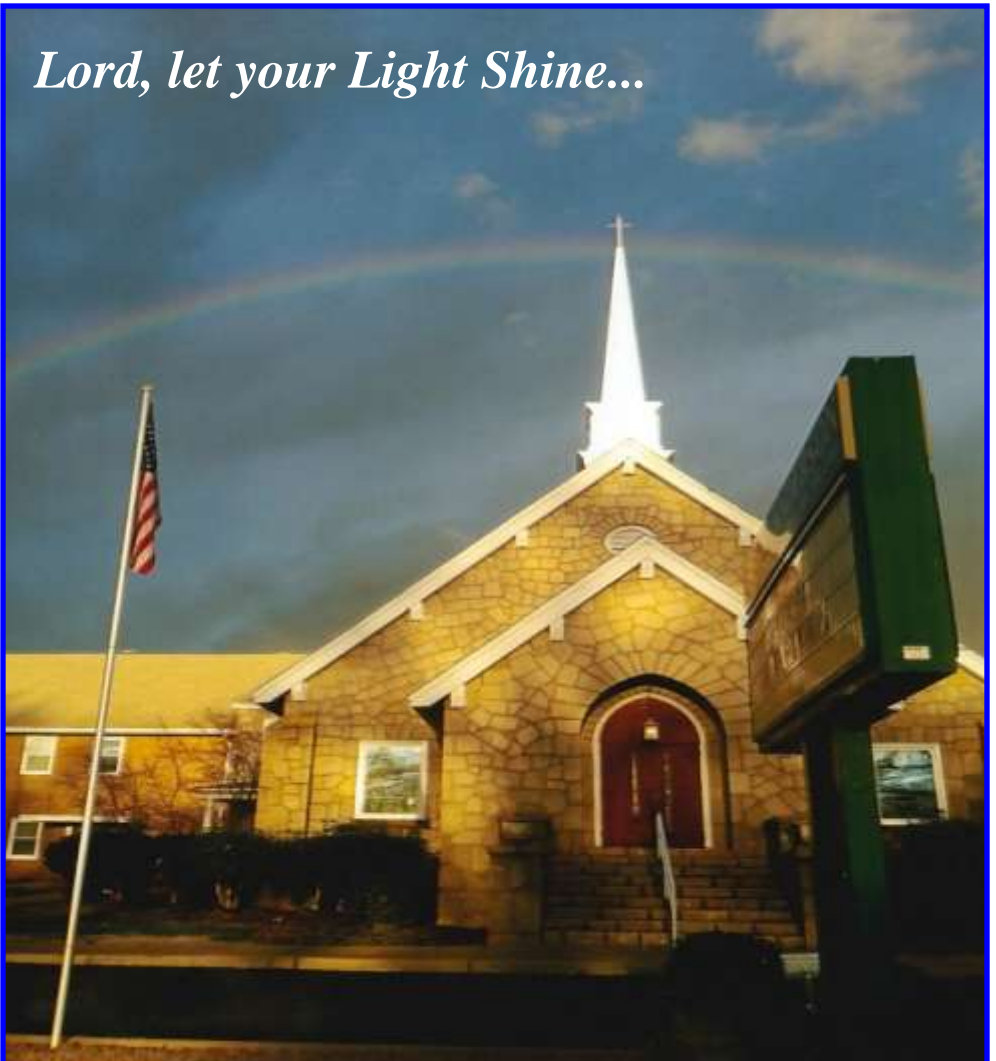


"A Light of God's Love"

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God's Revelation to North Anderson Baptist is... "To honor and glorify God through worship, prayer, teaching, community service and mission opportunities."

Lord, let your Light Shine...



From Your Pastor...

To Our church family,

Another year has passed since Lynda and I came here to be a part of this great church and to serve the Lord through serving each of you. 27 years seems to be a long time; really it is, I was 43 when I came and of

course Lynda was just a young girl. Our time has been so sweet and we have sought to love and work with each of you while we walk together with the Lord. Thanks for these years together.

Seeking to fulfill the mission of God here at NABC calls us to be involved in so many wonderful ministries. There is nothing like Sunday School when it comes to learning and fellowshiping with brothers and sisters in Christ. It is the best place to introduce friends and others to the church for there they will be introduced to Christ as Lord, find Godly teaching and friendship worth investing in. Many of the newer churches do not have these kinds of classes; I think they miss out on so much. Of course, the soul of the church is our worship services where the Lord God Almighty is worshiped and adored through prayer, music, giving of tithes and offerings, fellowship and hearing the spoken word from the Bible. This is such a loving and caring fellowship that those who have chosen to become involved know that it changes lives. We have recently seen someone from each of the following groups, children, youth or adults make significant decisions. Lives are being changed and families strengthened.

Go to others around you and share what Jesus has done in your life, giving them the Gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ, that changes lives. Then encourage them by saying, ***“Come with me to church and see what great things God is doing!”*** Share the love God has given to you with those around you.

Blessings to you all,

Bill

From our Administrator & Educator

Several years ago, I gave a list of 10 rules to live by when facing difficult times, written by Robert Morgan. Here is the list again just because I needed to be reminded of them.

- * Realize God means for you to be where you are.
- * Be more concerned for God's glory than your relief.
- * Acknowledge the enemy but keep your eyes on the Lord.
- * Pray! The posture of prayer will keep you focused on God.
- * Stay calm and confident and give God time to work.
- * When unsure, take the next logical step by faith.
- * Envision God's enveloping presence.
- * Trust God to deliver in His own unique way.
- * View your current crisis as a faith builder for the future.
- * Praise Him.

The end of July is Vacation Bible School. We need your help. Yes, we need every available person to help in some way. Besides the actual work during the week, we need help the week prior to VBS. The week prior to VBS the church goes into a total transformation. We need people to help decorate the church. The best thing about it is you don't need to know anything about decorating. Just handing someone some tape who happens to be on a ladder is a tremendous help. And you can help; morning, noon, or night. We will be out here working. Even if you gave just a few hours during the week your help will be appreciated. Let me or Chuck Carver know if you would like to help.

Dennis



Join us Sunday, morning
 July 1st as we
 celebrate the Independence of our
 country with an
 emphasis on patriotism.

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 Pray for our Baltimore, MD  
 mission trip leaving here July 3rd.

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 Church office will be closed on
 Wednesday, July 4th and there
 will be no evening services.

"I Am An American"

*I am an American.
 That's the way most of us put it, just matter of factly,
 They are plain words, those four,
 You could write them on your thumbnail,
 or you could sweep them clear across this bright autumn sky.
 But remember too that they are more than words.
 They are a way of life.
 So whenever you speak them, speak them firmly;
 speak them proudly; speak them gratefully.
 I am an American.*



Hey FaithBuilders SS Class!

We are planning to go to Jocassee Gorges on Saturday, July 14. The plan is to leave our house at 8:30 am. Some of you may want to meet at the church at 8 am and carpool.

What to bring and do:

- Wear cool clothes and comfortable shoes. The walk to the Gorge is short but you still need good shoes.
- Camp chair.
- Bring a sack lunch. Tim and I will provide drinks and water.
- After lunch we can go to Aunt Sue's for ice cream.

Have a spirit of adventure. There's no telling what we may get into!

Any questions, call me!

864-934-2382

If it rains, we will need to postpone.

Nancy Danyels

"I call out to the LORD, and he answers me from his holy mountain." Psalm 3:4 NIV



Caring Hands

Knitting and Crocheting

*You don't have to know how to knit or
crochet because we can teach you.*

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e will meet at Mary Simmons
home Friday, July 13 from 10 am to 12 noon.

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lease join us for a devotion,
prayer, fellowship and friendship as we knit and
crochet together.



Ladies



Prayer Group

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e will meet again on the fourth
Wednesday, July 18, at 9:30 a.m.

in the Children's room near the gym. If you have
special prayer requests for our group, please
email Judy Brown
at judytbrown@gmail.com.

*All ladies are invited to attend
our prayer group.*

Hands For Prayer



WMU

July Mission Project

July Mission Project: During July we will be doing a mini project for our shut ins. We always do a large Christmas project for them but would like to connect with them mid year to let them know we love and care for them. We will carry them a small gift bag with two or three items and a card from the church. We will be collecting small cube boxes of tissues, lotion, body wash, soft peppermints. If you would like to help make or deliver the gift bags please contact Judy Brown at 864-933-3234 or judytbrown@gmail.com.

You are invited and encouraged to become a part of our exciting fellowship here at North Anderson Baptist Church. There are programs and ministries for every member of your family. Do you know **“How To Get To Heaven” from Anderson, SC?** Join us at one of the below service times and we will introduce you to Jesus, the only way to heaven.

SUNDAY

Choir Practice 8:45 am
 Sunday School 9:15 am
 Youth Ministry Sunday School.....9:15 am
 Deaf Ministry Sunday School.....9:15 am
 Pastor’s Prayer Meeting.....10:20 am
Morning Worship10:30 am

WEDNESDAY

Choir Practice5:30 pm
 Deaf Ministry Bible Study.....6:30 pm
 Youth Bible Study6:30 pm
 Adult Prayer Meeting &
 Bible Study 6:30 pm
 Preschool Mission Friends 6:30 pm
 RA’s & GA’s 6:30 pm
 Small Group..... 6:30 pm

THURSDAY

Men’s Bible Study.....6:30 am
 (Mama Penn’s)

**September 1, 2017 - August 31, 2018
Family's Assigned Deacon**

<p align="center">NEW DEACON James Bramlett (2020)</p> <p>Mary Jean Ackerman (H) Brian & Cynthia Adams, Corey, Zoe, <u>Zane</u> Erik & Kim Aiken, Jessy, Destiny, Maranda Jessie Alexander (UNK) James Anderson (D) Michael & Teresa Applewhite, Dillon, Connor (I) Janice Ash (H) Roy & Kim Ash, Kaitlyn (I) Morgan Ash (I) Carolyn Bailey Judy Bailey Matt & Mary Ann Ball Jim & Sara Barnes Jodi Barnes (NR) <u>Karen Barnhardt</u> Diana Beall</p>	<p align="center">Rick Riendeau (2018)</p> <p>Mary Bickers (N) Waldron Blackman, Jr. (D) Doris Blackwood (NR) (N) Millie Boatman Linda Bowman Sallie Bowman (NR) (UNK) Maston & Carole Boyd Dewey & Julia Bramlett James & Barbara Bramlett Daniel Branyon, Rylee (I) Hugh & Orene Brinson Jim Broome Alan & Sylvia Brown, Rachel (I) Bruce & Judy Brown Jake Brown (I) Jeremy Brown, Eli Wendal & Latoya Brown, Omari & Markel Hatten, <u>Aleva Brown (D)</u> Tamara "Tami" V. Brownlee (I) Virginia Buchanan</p>	<p align="center">NEW DEACON Robert Reeves (2020)</p> <p>Joan Burriss Joe & Lisa Burden, Kylie (granddaughter) (I) <u>Braylon Byce</u> *Matt & Chelsea Byce, Bailey Bruce & Kathy Byce Sylvia Campbell Cain Cantrell (I) Caroline Cantrell Tina Cantrell, Anna Gilliland, Jackson Cantrell (I) Derrell & Peggy Capell Chuck & Julia Carver, Zackery, Erika, Erin Frank Clark Judy Cockrell (N) Jonathan & Marie Coley, Julia Rose</p>
<p align="center">Rex Whitehead (2018)</p> <p>Tom & Joyce Johnson, Jr. Bill & Melissa Jones, <u>David</u>, Zachary, Brielle Erica (<i>Rigsby</i>) Kent, Ian (NR) Ken & Theresa Kegerreis (I) Connie King Sonya King, Beth Rosser (mother) Chuck & Nancy Kroll Lona Lacour (NR) Dick & Lo Larke, <u>London Wilbanks</u> Fredda Lee (N) Lisa (NR) Sean & Elinor Lister, Millie, Maggie, Andy David & Mandy Little, Hampton, Campbell (I) Louise Looney (N) Michael Lopez (I)</p>	<p align="center">Hugh Brinson (2018)</p> <p>Kaitlin Manley, Liam Colin White Ray & Dana Manley, Taylor Laura B. Martin (N) Sherrill Martin, Dakota Kim Matthews, Taylor & Jordan (I) Mike & Stephanie McCollum Luke McCollum Sam McCollum Sandi McCoy (I) Garrett McCullough Angela McLeskey (I) John McLeskey, Morgan Anne Mehaffey (H) Mike & Kim Merck, Isaac, Madelyn Claire Jonathan & Wendi Merrell (I) Jesse Moon, Landon, Kaydence, Sidney (NR) Butch & Elaine Moore</p>	<p align="center">Matt White (2019)</p> <p>Steve Morgan, Brenda Michael Morris (D) Henry & Judy Morrison (D) Michael & Katherine Myers, Sophia Marie & Sally Kate (I) Juanita "Sadie" Nash (H) Christina Nixon (D) (UNK) Russell & Amanda O'Dell Pam Owens Rhonda Page, Aidan, & Sarah Brown (I) Willadean Parales (N) Bob & Pam Parker Kristen Pierce Hannah Polan Tuma "Skip" Recklaw (I) Robert & Elza Reeves Linda Richey, Justin & Jack Cann (I) Carla Riddle, Randy Rick & Mandy Riendeau</p>

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<p><u>Jim Barnes (2019)</u> Bill & Lynda Rigsby Eunice Robertson <u>Renee Robertson</u> * Justin, Austin Armstrong Barry & Marleen Robinson Martin Rodriguez (NR) Craig Saxon (I) Jennifer Saxon, Zachary Durkee, Nicholas Cartee, Rayna Saxon Nick & Vanessa Seaver, Trenton, Kiley Margaret Segers BJ & Aimee Sharp, Addison, Davis <u>Kave Sharpe</u> Bob & Mary Simmons Billy Sistrunk, Elisabeth, Will, Ethan (D) Jeanelle Sistrunk (D) (NR) Lisa Skelton (D) Angela Slaton, Gabriel, Malachi, <u>Moses</u> (D)</p>	<p align="center"><u>Jimmy White (2019)</u></p> <p>Jerry & Brenda Slaton (I) Jacob Smith <u>JD & Stacie Smith</u>, Bradley Kirk & Sharon Smith, Kelsey Lillie Smith Matt Smith, Kelly, Holly, Hannah, Sara-Grace, & Mattie Yon (I) Al Snyder, Evelyn (I) Mike Spearman Joshua & Jennifer Stamps, Joslyn Leigh, Juliana Lyn Joann Staton Ronald & Gayle Sta- ton JoAnn Stephens <u>Nan Stephens</u> Michael & Kerri Stone, Lillian, Lauren, Luke, Levi Charles Thrift (N) <u>Rocco Versace</u>, Troy, Lily</p>	<p align="center"><u>Jim Holbrook (2019)</u></p> <p>Kiley & Marlee Waldrop Dennis & Becky Walker, Maria, Daniel Carl & Tammie Wells Earl & Kimberly Wells, Jesse, Nicholas, Gage, Kira (I) <u>Denver White (NR)</u> Jimmy & Jane White Matt & Taylor White, Micah, Amelia Rex & Kim Whitehead George Whitfield, Kimberly (D) (UNK) John & Teresa Whitfield Sharon Whitlock, Kristina Carolyn Whitworth (I) Bobbie Williams <u>Joyce Williford</u> (D) Katey Yon (I)</p>

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Be sure to visit our new and improved web page to see current photo's, an audio of the Sunday Morning messages, information on our Deaf Ministry and to view the Sunday message signed by ASL interpreters.

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JULY DEACONS

- 1 **Rick Riendeau**
- 8 **Robert Reeves**
- 15 **James Bramlett**
- 22 **Dick Larke**
- 29 **Josh Stamps**

GREETERS

- January, May**
Cathy Freeman, Judy Bailey
- February, July**
Lillie Smith, Bobbie Williams
- March, October**
Carla Riddle, Sonya King
- April, August**
JoAnn Stephens, Carl Wells,
- June, November**
Judy Harris, Nan Stephens
- September, December**
Debra Johnson, Lisa Corn

Welcome Center Before SS
 Mandy Riendeau, Youth

Substitute: Carolyn Bailey 224-7884.
 If you can't be here on a scheduled Sunday please call Carolyn.



July

BIRTHDAYS

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| 1 Kaitlyn Ash,
Hannah Smith | 16 Daniel Walker |
| 2 Bryson Gillespie | 17 Jim Broome |
| 3 Lauren Glanowski | 18 Bruce Brown |
| 5 Gene Holland | 19 Mary Bickers,
Jane White,
Eli Brown |
| 7 Kay Herbster | 22 Marie Coley,
Hampton Little |
| 8 Harry Craft,
Willadean Parales,
Joan Burris,
Derrell Capell,
Latoya Brown | 23 JD Smith,
Kerri Stone,
London Wilbanks |
| 11 Hannah Polan | 29 Kristen Pierce |
| 12 Sally Kate Myers | 31 Sadie Nash,
David Jones,
Zachary Jones |
| 14 Joyce Garrett | |
| 15 Amanda O'Dell,
Paula Holland,
Christina Nixon | |



JULY Birthstone

Ruby
 NOBILITY
 MANIFESTATION
 INTEGRITY PASSION
 SUCCESS



Prayer box for our Military men and women:

Charles Robinson	Phillip Robinson
Tim Custer	Don Riendeau
Cliff Cribb	