



November 12, 2025

JOIN US THIS SUNDAY

This Sunday at SCC!

Join Pastor Anderson for a powerful message called "Friends in the Fire," inspired by Daniel 3. Discover how real friends stand with you, how God shows up in the flames, and how you can come out of the fire without even smelling like smoke. Don't miss this faith-building word of hope and victory!



Three services every Sunday! Can't attend in person? Join us online!

8:30 AM Contemporary Service (in person only)

9:45 AM Contemporary Service (in person & online)

11:00 AM Traditional Service (in person & online)

THIS WEEK AT THE CREEK

Wednesday, Nov. 12 / **Emerge/CreeKidz OCC Packing Night** / 6:00PM / the Pointe
Thursday, Nov. 13 / **YAMs Ladies Bible Study** / 6:00PM / the Pointe Hangout Space
Sunday, Nov. 16 / **Adult Choir Christmas Cantata Practice** / **3PM** / Sanctuary
Sunday, Nov. 16 / **CK Christmas Play Practice** / 5:00PM / the Stadium
Sunday, Nov. 16 / **Church Wide Packing Party** / 5:30PM / Fellowship Hall
Sunday, Nov. 16 / **Emerge Worship Night** / 6:00PM / the Pointe
Monday, Nov. 17 / **Prayer Team** / 7:30PM / Fellowship Hall
Tuesday, Nov. 18 / **Elevation Bible Study** / 10:00AM / Fellowship Hall
Tuesday, Nov. 18 / **Circle of Hope** / 6:00PM / Fellowship Hall

GENERAL INFO

Prayer Requests

Raymond Stilwell - Rex Hospital

Family of Glenda Winslow - Sister of Debbie Sullivan

Woody Woodward - Goldsboro Rehab

Sharon Price - Upcoming Surgery

Travis Uzzell - health

Roger Lee - health
Family of Warren King (Ryan King's Father)
Family of David Deaver (Son of Durwood Deaver)



Cards of Encouragement for our Dominican Republic Missionary Team

If you would like to send a card or note of encouragement to support the team as they travel and minister in the DR, please drop them off at Pastor Josh's office by **TODAY**.

HELP NEEDED! Been wondering where we might need you?? Here are some vital spots we still need to fill:

- Head Dressers (1-2 more)
- Metal Shop
- Scribe Shop (Friday)
- Leather Shop (Saturday)
- Carpenter Shop (Saturday)
- Pottery Shop (Saturday)
- Star Gazing Shop (Saturday)
- Soldiers



Come help us! WE as a church, serve in the shops, as soldiers, in the census, as townspeople and more--- all dressed in provided costumes--- to make the experience real. It's a great time. This will be our 15th year!

We hope YOU will be a part of NIB 2025!

[REGISTER HERE TO VOLUNTEER](#)

- [Share this link](#) with friends so they can register to attend!
- Follow NIB on Facebook [HERE](#) to see updates! Like and share to help us get more publicity.

Volunteer Costume Fittings- By Appointment This Year

FINAL Sunday for NIB "Costume" Registration & Fittings is **THIS SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 16!** This is the last day to claim "your" costume from last year. After this Sunday, it may be given away to someone else.

- Please make an appointment using the link below. This will help avoid long wait times.
- Call **Gail Prasad at 919-920-9864** for additional appointment times.



Sign up here for [Sunday, Nov. 16](#) costume fittings.

Tuesday, December 2
@ 9 AM in the Pointe

Volunteers needed to help wrap

bread for the NIB Bakery Shop.

- Tuesday, December 3, at 9 AM in the Pointe.
- If you cannot arrive at 9 AM, drop in when you can. Many hands make light work.
- Enjoy great fellowship while serving together.
- **Lunch provided for all volunteers!**

You can sit while doing this job. It involves putting a small loaf of bread in a plastic bag, then in a brown paper bag, then wrapping it with twine and adding a label.



It's time for our Annual Adopt-A-Child!

Thanks to your generosity, **ALL** of our children have been adopted this year!! We simply couldn't have done it without you!

Totes for the party should be dropped off at the church on **Nov. 14th from 6-8PM**, or the **DAY OF** the party, **Nov. 15th from 12-3PM**.

Contact Leah (919-273-3792) if you need to set up another time for drop off!



If you are interested in donating food or beverages for the Christmas Party, please contact **Kim Trent (919-223-3111)**

AND THE PACKING BEGINS! Thank you for all the great work to get us to this point!

PACKING PARTIES: Goal is 2,000 "GO" shoeboxes - each one a "Gospel Opportunity", packed with loving hands and hearts. All packing will be in the Fellowship Hall this year. If you have never been, please COME!



MARK YOUR CALENDARS

All packing parties will happen in the Fellowship Hall this year!

- **Emerge & CreeKidz** - Students and children - **TONIGHT, 6 - 8PM**
- **Final Push** - Churchwide Packing Party - Sunday, Nov 16, 5:30 - 8PM

There's Still time to Build A Shoebox Online [HERE](#). Our goal is **100**. All shoeboxes built in Wayne County should be brought to the church before **Monday, Nov 17**, when all boxes will be delivered to Freedom Baptist, our collection center.



THANK YOU SO MUCH!

We are still accepting AMAZON gifts - here's the [link](#). Each one makes our boxes more fun. And the more boxes, The more opportunities to reach children, families and communities for Christ!

ELEVATION ADULT MINISTRY

Helping adults 40 and over reach

- UP in worship to God
- OUT in service to others
- IN to develop spiritually



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[Fall 2025 Coming Events Overview](#)

December 12 (Fri) – Elevation Catered Christmas Banquet & Christmas Program by “Waterbound Dulcimers”



Elevation Bible Study

Kim Wells will be sharing with us on 11/18 while Pastor Barry is serving with our SCC Mission Team in the Dominican Republic.

Come join us expecting to receive a blessing!

Donuts, coffee and water will be available for your enjoyment. You are always

welcome to bring a friend.

Elevation Christmas Celebration

Friday, December 12th

6 PM in the Fellowship Hall

A free event for adults 40 and over!

Hot, catered dinner and dessert by “Something Different” in Wilson

Inspirational, Christmas Concert by “Waterbound Dulcimers” of Eastern NC

New to SCC, only been here a year or two—or a lifelong member—this is a great opportunity to get to know (and grow closer) to your SCC family.

“Connections” and “Community” are two of our core values at SCC. This is a great way to connect with others and experience community. It's also a great way to continue to prepare your heart for Christmas!

Please sign up [HERE](#) or at the Elevation Info Center in “The Connector.”



OCC Shoebox Processing Center Volunteer Opportunity

Join us on **Monday-Tuesday,
December 8-9**, as we travel to Charlotte



Monday: Volunteer at an OCC Processing Center to inspect and ship OCC boxes

Tuesday: Visit The Billy Graham Library/Museum before returning home



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**VOLUNTEER
OPPORTUNITY!**

to volunteer Monday afternoon at the Samaritan's Purse OCC Shoebox Processing Center. If you have never been, this is an incredible volunteer opportunity! You will see how OCC processes the hundreds of thousands of shoeboxes that are donated by churches like us. We will receive them, inspect them, add to them, scan them, and prepare them for shipment all over

the world.

We will also visit the Billy Graham Library/Museum on **Tuesday morning** before returning to Goldsboro on Tuesday afternoon. The only cost is your meals and hotel room for 1-night. Great Fellowship & Serving for a Great Ministry!

Click [HERE](#) to sign up
Contact Pastor Barry for more info (919-920-4996)

EMERGE STUDENT MINISTRY



EMERGE & CREEKIDZ PACKING NIGHT

ALL parents, children and students...Come join us **TONIGHT** for our Emerge/CreeKidz Operation Christmas Child Packing Night!

FREE PIZZA will be provided for dinner at **6:00PM** in the Pointe, followed by packing shoeboxes in the Fellowship Hall. Show up

to be the hands of Jesus that lovingly pack these "GO" boxes. (A Gospel Opportunity is given out with every box!) It's going to be a great night...we hope to see you there!

EMERGE WORSHIP NIGHT & SMALL GROUPS

WE ARE BACK this week for Worship Nights!! We had a great time on our Fall Retreat, but are glad to be back home to worship together. Don't forget to bring a friend and come hungry! BBQ pork sandwiches/sliders, baked beans and Mac and cheese for dinner at 6:00, worship at 6:30, and small groups to follow. Hope to see you there!!



EMERGE MIKE'S FARM TAKEOVER!!

Emerge is taking over Mike's Farm! Save the date for **November 30th**. Cost is \$40 per adult and \$20 for children 5 and under. The price includes transportation to Mike's Farm, dinner in the banquet room, followed by the classic hay ride with festival of lights!

Click [HERE](#) to register!

PASSION CONFERENCE 2026

We are going to Passion!

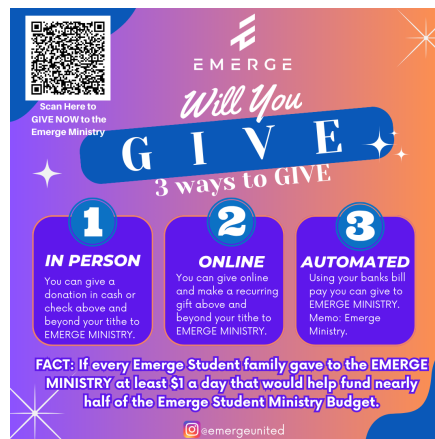
- Arlington, TX
- January 1-3
- Ages 18 and up
- **\$685 per person (includes room, flight, Passion ticket, rental van)**
- **\$350 deposit due November 16th**



Text or call **Pastor Anderson (919-223-8980)** to sign up BEFORE paying your deposit!

Consider giving today! Three ways you can support our Emerge Student Ministry Financially!

1. **IN PERSON** - You can give a donation in cash or check above and beyond our tithe to Emerge Ministry.
2. **ONLINE** - You can give online and make a recurring gift above and beyond your tithes to Emerge Ministry.
3. **AUTOMATED** - Using your banking bill pay, you can give to Emerge Ministry. (Payable to SCC and put Emerge Ministry on Memo Line.)



Fact - If every Emerge Student family gave to the Emerge Ministry at least \$1 a day. That would help fund nearly half of the Emerge Student Ministry budget!

CREEKIDZ MINISTRY



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Preschool Focus for November

Theme: Going On A Picnic

Memory Verse: "I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole



Elementary Focus for November

Theme: Bedrock

Memory Verse: Those who trust in the Lord will receive new strength.

heart.” Psalm 111:1 (ESV)

Bottom Line: I can thank God for everything.

Virtue: Thankfulness

They will fly as high as eagles. They will run and not get tired. They will walk and not grow weak. Isaiah 40:31 (NIRV)

Bottom Line: Building confidence brick by brick.

Virtue: Confidence in God



Our CK Annual Charlie Brown Thanksgiving Celebration is coming soon!

K – 5th Graders are invited to join in the fun on **Sunday, November 23 @ 9:45 AM** for snacks, games, movie and fun Small Group activities! Our PreK's will enjoy a special snack in their classrooms!

MORE WAYS TO CONNECT

How can we pray for you? [Submit a PRAYER REQUEST](#)

Want to receive occasional texts? [Sign up for SCC TEXT MESSAGES](#)

Change of email, address, phone? [Submit a CHANGE OF INFORMATION](#)

Are you interested in serving at SCC? [Start HERE](#)

Building need? Contact Facilities Manager, [Steve Pate](#) (919-502-9588)

Need something added to the Creek Connection? Contact [Kaylin Honeycutt](#)

Need to contact a pastor? **Email by clicking below or text/call them!**

[Josh Whitfield, Senior Pastor](#) 252-286-3014

[Barry Williamson, Associate Pastor](#) 919-920-4996

[Anderson Barnes, Associate Pastor of Students](#) 919-223-8980

[MaryBeth Williams, Interim Director of Children](#) 919-394-6932



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