



ONE HOUSE → UNITED FOR HIS GLORY (OUR FAMILY)
 ONE HEART → DEDICATED TO LOVING OTHERS (OUR PURPOSE)
 ONE HOPE → THAT ALL PEOPLE WILL FOLLOW CHRIST (OUR DREAM)

CREEK CONNECTION

May 6, 2026

JOIN US THIS SUNDAY

The Ministry of Mothers 2 Timothy 1:5; Hebrews 11:23-25

Mothers and mother figures have a great role and responsibility in raising the next generation. When mothers take that God-given responsibility seriously, they can embrace their ministry and influence the next generation for good. This Sunday we will celebrate mothers as the impactful and special people they are to so many.



We can't wait to recognize all Moms this Sunday! Be sure to bring the family and stop by the Fellowship Hall for a special picture moment!

Cant' 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, May 6 / **1NIGHT WEDNESDAY** / 7 PM
 Thursday, May 7 / **OCC Work Day** / 3-5 PM / Basement
 Monday, May 11 / **Momco Brunch** / 9:30 AM / Fellowship Hall
 Monday, May 11 / **Prayer Team** / 7:30 PM / Sanctuary
 Tuesday, May 12 / **Elevation Bible Study** / 10 AM / Fellowship Hall
 Tuesday, May 12 / **Alpha Circle** / 2 PM / Fellowship Hall
 Thursday, May 14 / **Parker's & Wilson Warbirds Game** / 4:30PM / Bus Parking Area

Deacons of the Week

Phil James (919-273-2142), Daniel Pennington (252-351-7958) and Trent Pilkington (919-920-7367). If they can be of help to you, please reach out.

GENERAL INFO

Prayer Requests

Kim Deaver - recovering from recent foot surgery (Durwood & Diane Deaver's daughter)
Danielle Garcia - pneumonia (Durwood & Diane Deaver's granddaughter)
Family of Paul Casey - Jonathan and Mary Shaffer's nephew
Marguerite Sullivan - recovering from recent hospital stay
Betty Pate - heart issues
Bobby Christian - heart blockages (Hardy Gurley's friend)
Jimmy Grantham - Goldsboro Rehab



*Please note: To keep our prayer list focused, we generally list requests for two weeks unless there are changes or updates. Thanks for joining us in prayer for these needs!



The Sanctuary Flowers this Sunday are given by Phil James in Memory of his wife, Melody James' birthday on May 11, and in honor of all mothers.



The Men's Fellowship has given a monetary gift to the FWB Children's Home in honor of all our mothers. They will also be passing out a small gift to each mother this Sunday!

MomCo IS BACK...and it's all about you, Mom!

Join us in the Fellowship Hall on Monday, May 11, from 9:30–11:30 AM for brunch and great conversation.

Whether you're in the thick of the toddler years or navigating school schedules, you belong here. Childcare is covered—doors open at 9:00 AM so you can drop off the kids and get settled before we start!



[REGISTER HERE](#) to help us prepare for you and your littles.

Are you ready for more? Join us for our church-wide ministry fair on Sundays, May 17 & May 24 between 9:30 and 11:30 AM in the Fellowship Hall. Come learn about all the ways you can serve at church.

Visit ministry booths, chat with current leaders and volunteers, enjoy refreshments, and discover how your gifts can make a difference—from children's ministry to greeting people, tech stuff to senior adults, and everything in between. Whether you've been here for years or just a few weeks, there's a spot for you!



Coming soon! On **May 17**, we are excited to welcome **Carolina Sound**, the University of Mount Olive's premier a cappella group.

Join us at **The Pointe** during our **8:30 AM** and **9:45 AM** services for a powerful morning of worship you won't want to miss!



National Day of Prayer Gathering
Thursday, May 7, 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM
Goldsboro YMCA

You're invited to come together in unity, reflection, and prayer with the Wayne County Chamber of Commerce and the LIFT (Leading in Faith Together) Committee. Get more info [HERE](#). All are welcome!



NEXT STEPS CLASS

May 31, June 7, June 14 at 11 AM in the Pointe Hangout Area

Whether you're new to our church, or you've been coming for a while, our 3-week "Next Steps" class is designed just for you. It is your "next step" for getting more connected and

involved here at Stoney Creek and learning more about your new home. Think of "Next Steps" as the official growth and membership track geared to help you know, grow, and belong.

Contact Pastor Barry (919-920-4996) for any questions.

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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MINISTRIES

PLEASE NOTE: Due to inclement weather this past Saturday, Skeet Shooting will be rescheduled. Watch for a new date coming soon!



Elevation Bible Study / Tuesday / 10 AM

Join Pastor Barry this Tuesday morning, May 12, as we discuss a portion of Jesus' early ministry in Capernaum where Jesus drives out an evil spirit and heals many people.

Come ready to receive the Word and joyful fellowship together! We can't wait to see

you!! Donuts, coffee and water will be available for your enjoyment. You are always welcome to bring a friend.

Please pay for your tickets this Sunday so we can ensure sign-ups are correct.

Wilson Warbirds
(Military Appreciation Night)
Parker's Barbecue
Thursday, May 14 @ 4:30 PM

We will enjoy dinner & fellowship at **Parker's BBQ** and then head to the **BRAND NEW WARBIRDS STADIUM** for an exciting **Minor League Baseball Game** between the **Wilson Warbirds** and **Hill City Howlers** (from Lynchburg, VA). The **brand new stadium** is next door to the **Whirligig Park**. Feel free to check out the Whirligigs while at the ballpark.



Reserved Seating. Easy Access. Group Tickets — \$16 per person. [SIGN UP HERE](#) to reserve your ticket.

- 4:30 PM - Depart for Wilson
- 5:00 PM –Dinner at Parker's Barbecue (CASH ONLY)
- 6:00 PM – Leave for Wilson Warbirds NEW Stadium
- 6:20 PM – Unload & Enter the NEW Stadium Complex. Free time to explore the Stadium or Whirligig Park.
- 7:05 PM – Game Begins

Kerr Dam & Recreation Area: Explore, Relax, and Enjoy!

Thursday, June 18

- 10:30 AM Depart SCC
- 11:30 AM Lunch at Johnny's BBQ
- 1:30 PM Dessert at Tailrace Park at Kerr Dam



Join us for a refreshing and memorable half day trip to the beautiful John H. Kerr Dam & State Recreation Area! You'll have the opportunity to:

- Drive across the dam and take in breathtaking views
- Spend time at Tailrace Park at the base of the dam
- Possibly connect with a Park Ranger for added insight (availability permitting)
- Enjoy a down-home meal together at Johnny's Barbeque in Louisburg.

It's the perfect blend of discovery, fellowship, and great food—don't miss this enjoyable getaway! [REGISTER HERE!](#)

2026 Elevation Adults - At a Glance

**Elevation Ministries targets adults in the 40 to 99 age range.*

June 18 (Thursday) – John H. Kerr Dam & Recreation Park Outing

July 2 (Thursday) 6 PM – "We Still Love Our Flag" Cookout & Celebration

August 21 (Friday) 6 PM – An "Evening of Appreciation for our Educators" (Everyone invited to celebrate our K-12/college teachers & administrators)

September 24-27 – Washington DC by Amtrak (all ages welcome)

October 11 – Raleigh after Church (Farmer's Market Restaurant, Dix Park, Howling Cow Creamery & Dairy)

EMERGE STUDENT MINISTRY



No Emerge on Mother's Day! Use that time to spend with your mom and family. We will see you next week for Emerge Worship Night!

Don't miss Emerge LIVE Night!
Pickleball Tournament with PRIZE
Basketball • Board Games
Food • Shaved Ice
Grab your crew, come hang with us and let's kick off a great summer!

CREEKIDZ MINISTRY



ATTENTION PARENTS:

Please check your child(ren) in at the CreeKidz Check In Center using the tablets provided every Sunday morning. It helps with our records and safety protocols. If you need a hand, our team is right there to help!

For added safety, each child has started receiving an extra security sticker at check-in. Please keep this sticker and bring it with you when picking up your child. If you don't have your sticker, this will delay pick-up time while we verify your guardianship.

At pick-up, please stay in line and allow staff to bring your child out to you.

Thank you for helping us keep our kids safe!



Preschool Focus for May

Theme: Jesus cares about everyone!

Memory Verse: "How wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ." • Ephesians 3:18 NIV



Elementary Focus for May

Theme: Don't stop, don't give up, God's with you!

Memory Verse: *Let us not become tired of doing good. At the right time we will gather a crop if we don't give up.* • Galatians 6:9 NIV



5th Grade Parents, Mark Your Calendar!

Help your student transition with confidence! On **May 3 and May 17**, 5th graders are invited for a "sneak peek" into Emerge Student Ministry with Pastor Anderson. In addition, Pastor Walker will be there both nights as a familiar face to help them feel comfortable as they take their first steps into this

new season. Your student will get to:

- Experience Emerge worship firsthand.
- Meet their future middle school small group leaders.
- Connect with peers in a fun, welcoming space.

Plan to have your 5th Grader join us at the Pointe from 6 - 8 PM each night. Supper is provided!

HIGH-FIVE Retreat

Calling all 5th Graders! Let's celebrate your move out of CreeKidz ministry with some fun at **Great Wolf Lodge in Williamsburg, VA!**

We will leave on Monday, June 29 and return on Wednesday, July 1. Cost is \$150 per student.



For a "howling" good time—[sign up here!](#)



Get ready for the **Power Planet Season Finale!** We're celebrating with food, skits, games, worship, shaved ice and a whole lot of fun!

Mark your calendar and bring the whole family to **The Pointe on May 31 at 6:00 PM** to see what happens when kids take their parents to church!

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 [Mary Beth Williams](#)

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

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