

HE HAS MADE
EVERYTHING
beautiful
IN ITS TIME.
Ecclesiastes 3:11



July 30, 2025

JOIN US THIS SUNDAY

Move-In Day

Deuteronomy 12:1-12, 29-32

With every command Moses shared in Deuteronomy, the Israelites moved closer to possessing the Promised Land. All the commands from God were given to prepare Israel to live as his people in the Land. This Sunday we'll discover God's first requirements for his people on their move-in day.



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

Mon. / Aug. 4 / **Prayer Team** / 7:30 PM / Fellowship Hall

Tues. / Aug. 5 / **Elevation Adult Bible Study** / 10 AM / FH

GENERAL INFO

Prayer Requests

Team Ghana

Family of Edna Mewborn - Robin Hardy's mother

Cliff Gray - recovering from hip surgery

David Berg - starting chemo (Roger Lee's son-in-law)

Tommy Person - cancer (Ronnie Person's Uncle)

John & Betty Pate - he's at Wayne UNC, she has a broken/fractured shoulder

Diane James - recovering from neck surgery

Patsy Gardner - ECU Health

Chris Mozingo - recovering from kidney surgery



And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the Lord's people.
Ephesians 6:18

Hearts Apart Dinner at SJAFB



Tuesday, August 19, 2025

Please mark your calendars! Our church will again be providing the meal at the August 19, 2025 Hearts Apart Dinner at SJAFB. If you have helped in the past, you know this is a wonderful way to show our love and support for our military families and a great way to get to know others who are serving. Please sign up if you can help cook,

transport food and supplies, provide a dessert, and/or serve dinner on base for this upcoming outreach opportunity. We have participated in Hearts Apart/Seymour Social for many years and always receive a huge blessing from being a blessing! For more information, contact Pastor Barry, our Hearts Apart POC. [Sign up HERE to serve!](#)

True North VBS was mountains of fun!

Thanks to everyone who helped to make it a success by giving of your time and talents. It was an exhausting yet rewarding week and we couldn't have done it without you! A special thanks to those who came out to help with clean up, too!



- Average attendance each night - 394 (including kids and volunteers)
- Total # of kids registered - 299
- Total # of registered volunteers - 163
- Offering collected - \$1783.01
- Countless seeds were planted and many great memories were made
- Most importantly we had children who made decisions to follow Jesus and some who rededicated their life to the Lord. PTL!

Celebrate with us! **Now...**Who is ready for next year??!! Save the dates and plan to be a part! **JULY 19-23, 2026!**

Teacher Appreciation Reception Sunday, August 24, 3-5 PM Fellowship Hall

This reception is not only for our teachers—but also for anyone & everyone who loves and appreciates our teachers.



Enjoy cake and heavy hors d'oeuvres, brain games, fun activities, (and door prizes for our teachers). Teachers who submitted their "Top 4 School Supplies Wish List" will also be able to pick up their supplies.

Note: "Teachers" refer to all our teachers (Sunday School, public school, private school, charter school, & homeschool). If you have not turned in your Top 4 Wish List, please do so [HERE!](#)

Sponsored by Elevation Adult Ministries



**Love Never Ends.
Neither Does Laundry.**

YOU can serve in an outreach ministry right here in Wayne County! Laundry Love has a place for you to help during the month of August. Come with willing hands and heart and they will teach you how to help!

Sign up HERE!

Collecting through Labor Day!

Our American flags should be disposed of with dignity and respect. If you have any size American flag that is faded, tattered, torn or worn, please place it in one of the boxes located throughout the church. I will see that they are retired correctly. Thanks, Jennifer Gainous



Walmart (and other stores, too!) have started school supplies sales already! **Next time you're shopping**, pick up some crayons and colored pencils & drop them off at church to be used in our Operation Christmas Child boxes!

If **EVERY** family would pick up 4 boxes of crayons and 2 pks of colored pencils - \$2 total - we could meet our goal! Let's do it!

**Elevation Amish Country Trip
September 12-14, 2025**

We have **5 additional tickets** available to see "Noah" at the Sight and Sound Theater in Lancaster, PA. See pastor Barry this week if you would like to join our group. All participants will receive more trip information in mid-August.

Congratulations to Will and Kaylynn Johnson and Beck, Spencer & Hayes on the birth of a son and brother. William "Sutton" was born on 7/17/25 at 12:51 pm weighing 6 lbs.12 oz. and 20 3/4" long. Keep this family in your prayers as they adjust to being a family of six. Welcome to the family, Sutton! God is so good!



Will you or your class, Circle, family or group adopt one or more of our teachers for our **Blessings 4 Teachers** Ministry?

All you have to do is purchase supplies (or donate funds for supplies) for the top 4 classroom needs of one or more of our teachers. Our Elevation Leadership Team will organize these gifts so teachers can pick them up during the Floating Teacher Appreciation Reception on Sunday, August 24.

Please sign up **HERE** if you can adopt one or more teachers. Then, Pastor Barry will pair you with a teacher and share their top 4 needs with you. Simply return the supplies to us and we will organize them for the Appreciation Reception. If you need more info while Pastor Barry is in Ghana, reach out to **Mary Beth!**

Next UP for Operation Christmas

Child Shoebox Ministry

Seeking gently used or **NEW** (\$1.25 each at many stores) **HOT WHEELS!** Every boy's favorite at some point. We pack 3 or 4 per box in a drawstring bag handmade by church ladies!

KEY DATES AHEAD: We need you, if you've never been or if you are a regular! All ages. Any hours.

- **Thursday, August 6, 9-4**, OCC Workshop (under the sanctuary)
- **Tuesday, August 12, 11-1**, with lunch (after Bible Study at 10). Includes BIBLE TRIVA contest. Pick your team.
- **Thursday, August 13, 9-5**, OCC - Workshop under the sanctuary.

FAMILY PACKING PARTY - Wed, Sept 10! 6-8 pm, Fellowship Hall, Sign ups start next week. (**Prep Day - Tues, Sept 9, 9-12 pm - OCC HQ. Let's make it great.**)

Call or text Becky with any questions! 919-440-7486

Now collecting Hot Wheel Cars!



NEW & Gently used

UP NEXT FOR OCC

- Thurs. / Aug. 6 / 9AM - 4PM / OCC Workshop (under the sanctuary)
- Tues. / Aug. 12 / 11AM - 1PM / Lunch & BIBLE TRIVA contest (Fellowship Hall)
- Thurs. / Aug. 13 / 9AM - 5PM / OCC Workshop (under the sanctuary)

Join in any or all of the workshops!

We need you! Any hours, all ages.



FAMILY PACKING PARTY - Wed. / Sept 10 / 6-8PM / Fellowship Hall
(Prep Day - Tues. / Sept. 9 / 9AM - 12PM - OCC HQ. Let's make it great!)

It's summer and you may have some extra time you could pour into our community! Here are some opportunities:

- **3HC/Kitty Askins:** Contact coordinator
- **Boys & Girls Club:** Volunteer
- **Habitat for Humanity:** Volunteer
- **Laundry Love:** Volunteer
- **Literacy Connection:** Volunteer
- **Salvation Army:** Volunteer
- **WAGES:** Volunteer




ELEVATION ADULT MINISTRY

Helping adults 40 and over reach

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

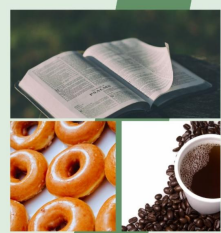


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**ELEVATION
BIBLE STUDY**
Everyone Welcome!

Every Tuesday / 10 AM
Fellowship Hall



Kim Wells will be leading our Elevation Bible Study Aug. 5th while Pastor Barry is in Africa.

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.

EMERGE STUDENT MINISTRY

We can't wait to spend the weekend with you having fun on the lake!

If you are attending, please **Check out this** important info regarding time schedule and what to bring!



End of Summer Worship Nights

- August 10th and 17th
- All middle school, high school and 18 and up are invited
- Dinner at 6 PM
- Worship at 6:30 PM
- Pick up is at 8 PM
- Last nights in current small group before move up on the 24th!



CREEKIDZ MINISTRY



CreeKidz Preschool Lesson Focus For August

Theme: To the Moon and Back: God made everything

Bottom Line: God made everything

Memory Verse: "God saw everything he had made. And it was very good."
Genesis 1:31 NlrV



CreeKidz Elementary Lesson Focus For August

Theme: Origin Story: Where Our Story with God Begins

Bottom Line: God is Trustworthy – You can Trust Him

Memory Verse: Faith is being sure of what we hope for. It is being sure of what we do not see. Hebrews 11:1 (NlrV)



CreeKidz Parent Meeting Sunday / Aug. 10 / 5 PM / FH

Parents, you're invited to attend and receive important updates and new information about our CreeKidz ministry. This will also be an opportunity for parents to offer feedback and to plug into

ministry openings among the CreeKidz volunteer positions!

CreeKidz Volunteer Schedule for 25-26 Calendar Year:

- It is time to plan and prepare for the new calendar year; emails are going out this month to confirm roles for the coming year.
- Please prayerfully consider continuing service in your current role or possibly



serving in another area within
CreeKidz.

- Please respond at your earliest convenience.

CK Volunteer Opportunities:

If you are interested in being a new addition to the CK Team by Volunteering in CreeKidz for the new year, please let us know! Speak with Pastor Trey or [email him HERE!](#)

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](#)

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

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