



**STONEY
CREEK
CHURCH**
ONE HOUSE • ONE HEART • ONE HOPE

**OUR
CORE
VISION**

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

August 19, 2026

Spiritual Life Math—Hebrews 12:1-2

A healthy spiritual life not only requires creating and sustaining healthy spiritual habits, but also identifying and removing unhealthy habits. This Sunday, we'll see why subtracting unhealthy habits and adding healthy habits help us to run God's race.



the spiritual life

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)

How is your spiritual life?
Click  for your SPIRITUAL ASSESSMENT!



Wednesday, August 19 **TONIGHT!**

- 7 PM / Men of Valor / Bethlehem Fire Pit

Friday, August 21

- 6 PM / Educator Appreciation Dinner / Fellowship Hall

Sunday, August 23

- 6 PM Emerge Worship Night / the Pointe

Monday, August 24

- 7:30 PM / Prayer Team / Sanctuary / All are welcome

Tuesday, August 25

- 10 AM / Elevation Adult Bible Study / Fellowship Hall
- 6:30 PM / Lamplighters Circle / Fellowship Hall

Wednesday, August 26

- 7 PM / Quarterly Business Meeting / Sanctuary



PRAYER REQUESTS

- **David Berg** - just started 3 weeks of radiation (Roger Lee's son-in-law)
- **Ronald Bailey** - needs healing of kidneys (Reagan, Connor, and Madison Bailey's grandfather)

- **Margie Bailey** - lung cancer (Reagan, Connor, and Madison Bailey's grandmother)
- **Jimmy Grantham** - recovering from recent hospital stay
- **Tim Malloy** - cancer surgery tomorrow (friend of Ashley Kennedy)
- **Family of Linda Lamer** (Katherine Smith's mother)
- **Jan Kroboth** - recovering from hip replacement
- **Doris Wheeler** - Goldsboro Rehab
- **Keith Harris** - recovering from procedure

PRAYER REQUESTS

AND IF WE KNOW
THAT HE HEARS US—
WHATEVER WE ASK
—WE KNOW THAT WE
HAVE WHAT WE
ASKED OF HIM.
1 JOHN 5:15

- **SUBMIT PRAYER REQUESTS HERE** so we can pray with you!
- 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!



Thank you all for the prayers, calls, visits, and the texts during my illness and Carlton's surgery. Your love and concern meant more than we can say. We are so blessed to have such a thoughtful church family.

Arlene and Carlton Crumpler

Elevation Ministries would like to thank all classes and individuals who made a donation to help provide gift cards for teachers and administrators at our upcoming Educator Appreciation Dinner. Thanks for investing in our educators and students!





MEN OF VALOR

FIRESIDE GATHERING

STRENGTH. BROTHERHOOD. PURPOSE.

MEN OF ALL AGES STONEY CREEK CHURCH Goldsboro, NC	THIRD WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH 7 - 8:30 PM	NIGHT IN BETHLEHEM FIRE RING (bring your own chair)
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HOSTED BY CHRIS MYERS
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IRON SHARPENS IRON.
PROVERBS 27:17

ARRIVE BETWEEN 6:30 - 7 PM | STARTS PROMPTLY AT 7 PM



Potluck & Small Group Event



Sunday,
August 23



Fellowship
Hall

12 NOON

EMERGE
**WORSHIP &
HANGOUT
NIGHT**

Sunday / Aug. 23
6 - 8 PM / the Pointe

6-7 PM HIBACHI & HANGOUT
8 PM WORSHIP

THIS IS THE LAST SUNDAY to pick an envelope and help make a difference for Emerge Student Ministry in the year ahead! Help us clear the boards! We appreciate every gift that is given as you partner with us to impact students in our area on what we pray will be a lifelong journey with God. **THANK YOU SO MUCH!**

H E L P C H A N G E L I V E S

LAST SUNDAY!

EMERGE
**SUPPORT EMERGE
STUDENT MINISTRY**

**100
ENVELOPE
CHALLENGE**

- CHOOSE AN ENVELOPE
- ENCLOSE DONATION
- DROP IN THE OFFERING OR STAFF MAILBOX

**LOOK FOR THE
DISPLAY THIS
SUNDAY!**

EVERY DOLLAR MAKES A DIFFERENCE!



EXPERIENCE DC LIKE NEVER BEFORE!
WASHINGTON, DC BY AMTRAK & METRO
SEPTEMBER 24-27, 2026
4 DAYS/3 NIGHTS (THURSDAY-SUNDAY)

Final Payment for Elevation Ministries Washington, DC trip is due by Friday, August 28. Contact Pastor Barry if you are not sure of your remaining balance or the additional cost of your Washington Nationals tickets.

QUARTERLY

BUSINESS MEETING



Wednesday | Aug. 26



7:00 PM



Sanctuary




EMERGE


creek kids

BACK-2-SCHOOL BASH

**FOOD TRUCKS**

**INFLATABLES**

**FREE SNOW CONES**

SUN. / AUG. 30

5 - 8 PM

THE POINTE





TINY DISCIPLES, HUGE POTENTIAL!

Come help guide our youngest church family by volunteering in Creek Kids Ministry on Wednesday Night!

SIGN UP



- NURSERY
- PRESCHOOL
- ELEMENTARY

INTERESTED IN SERVING ON THE SAFETY TEAM?



Contact Matt Lack today!



It's back!

**STARTING
SEPT. 2, 2026
7 PM**

Something for all ages!

OPTIONS FOR 1NIGHT WEDNESDAY

1. **Spiritual Exercises** led by Pastor Josh / the Pointe (The exercises discussed in this group will help you to "grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ" (2 Peter 3:18). These spiritual exercises of body and heart, mind and soul are actions *you* can do to grow a healthy relationship with God.)

2. **GriefShare** led by Pastor Barry / Room 206 (Come find a welcoming place where people understand the difficult emotions of grief. Through this 13-week group, you'll discover what to expect in the days ahead and what's "normal" in grief. Since there are no neat, orderly stages of grief, you'll learn helpful ways of coping with grief, in all its unpredictability—and gain solid support each step of the way.)
3. **Devoted Ladies Bible Study** / led by Melanie Watson & Hannah Williamson / Room 204 / [Find out MORE & register HERE](#) (This is a 6-week study that looks at the lives and faith of more than 30 women in Scripture, from Eve in the Old Testament to Eunice in the New Testament. We will learn from these women's relationships with God, see how their stories fit into God's larger story of redemption, and discuss how we can grow in our own devotion to God and live out our role in His story.)
4. **DivorceCare** led by Casey Owens & Kevin Speight / Room 207 / Register [HERE!](#) (Come find care, comfort, and practical guidance after separation or divorce through this 13-week, video-based series. There is hope and healing after divorce!)
5. **Emerge Student Ministry** / the Pointe hangout space
6. **Creek Kids Ministry & Nursery** / 1st floor of CEC & the Chapel (formerly the Stadium)




MT. OLIVE PICKLE PARLOR & RIBEYES

Thursday / September 10

Sign up to attend! 



- 3:30 PM - Bus leaving the church
- 4:00 PM - Pickle Parlor & Museum
- 5:00 PM - Dinner at Ribeyes



Join us as we
continue our
mini-series on
2 Timothy.

Every Tuesday

10 AM

Fellowship Hall

Everyone Welcome!



DEACONS OF THE WEEK

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