

MIDWEEK UPDATE NOVEMBER 20, 2025

A Message From Jeff...

FAITH PROMISE COMMITMENT SUNDAY—THIS SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 23

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A "Faith Promise Commitment" is a prayerfully-arrived-at decision of how much of one's income to give back to the Lord's work. It is a sacrificial amount beyond what one can "safely" afford to give. It is a faith covenant with God, committing beyond what one can see to give, with the understanding that God is to provide the funds as we step toward Him in faith.

We have asked you to please place your Faith Promise Commitment card in a place where you will see it often. Pray earnestly that God will lead you in your decision, then on November 23, Faith Promise Commitment Sunday, these cards will be received during both of our worship services.

"Faith Promise" is a time of personal soul-searching as we each ask, "Lord, what would You have me give to Your work at BCC in 2026?" It is a time of heightening our vision as we consider what God can do through us in Batesville, in the surrounding communities, and around the world. Be praying for this time of spiritual growth as individuals and as a church family.

ELDER/DEACON SUGGESTION FORMS

If you want to suggest someone for consideration to serve as an Elder or Deacon at BCC, please complete a Suggestion Form. Study the Biblical qualifications and pray about your suggestion. This is a private matter between you and God. We ask that you not discuss it with anyone—the individual, your spouse, or others, but instead you talk about it with God in prayer. The deadline for turning in Suggestion Forms is Wednesday, December 3.

LIFE GROUPS

Have you found a Life Group in which to participate? (<u>Click here</u>) or stop by an Information Display where you can pick up a copy of the BCC 2025-2026 Life Group Options to find a group and grow in community.

Love,

Jeff



"Faith Promise" Series: EMPOWERED!

Nov.9Empowered to TrustHebrews 11:6Jeff StoneNov.16Empowered to GiveII Corinthians 8:1-9Jeff Stone

Nov. 23 Empowered to Share II Corinthians 9:6-12 Jeff Stone

Faith Promise Commitment Sunday

Nov. 30 Empowered to Appreciate Psalm 100 Jeff Stone

UPCOMING: "The LIGHT of Christmas" Message Series

The world can be a dark place. At this season we are reminded that Jesus came into the world to brighten our lives and futures.

Dec. 7 The Light that Shines... Prime Colossians 3:1-10 Jeff Stone

Dec. 14 The Light that Shines... Pleases Ephesians 5:8-11 Justin Sutherland

Dec. 21 The Light that Shines... Pure Philippians 2:14-16 Jeff Stone

Dec. 28 The Light that Shines... Peace Matthew 5:14-16 Jeff Stone

CHRISTMAS CHORUS:

The BCC Chorus will be singing classic Christmas carols in both services on Sunday, December 14. Rehearsals will be held December 2 @ 2:00 p.m. at BCC For more information, contact Mel Kess at (928) 607-2184

BCC Children Singing:

The children of BCC will be singing at the end of the 9:00 a.m. service and beginning of the 10:30 a.m. service on December 21. Both services will be identical.

BCC CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICES:

December 24, Wednesday: 4:30 p.m. & 6:00 p.m.

(Child care provided for Preschool and Nursery)

Recent Message:

If you missed last week's message on "Empowered to <u>Give</u>" be sure to click on the link to view it. (<u>CLICK HERE</u>)

Prayers & Praises:

CLICK HERE to view the current prayer list.

-LOVE GOD. LOVE PEOPLE. IMPACT THE WORLD.

Announcements:

With God's help, I commit to give to the Lord's work at BCC the following amount in 2026: (Please fill in the line appropriate to your giving schedule.)	
Weekly	\$
Monthly	\$
within	

Total 2026 commitment



Batesville Christian Church

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CAMPUS IMPROVEMENTS HELP US IMPACT THE WORLD

Thank you to the volunteers who helped shovel <u>more than a ton</u> of gravel around the base of the church building: George Bley, Richard Zeigler, and Dick Veach.

Your help is appreciated!

Batesville Food Pantry Update

Our next delivery of juices for the Food Pantry's holiday food boxes will be in late November, and every donation helps us get closer to meeting this important need. We are working towards collecting the last 200 juice jugs that we need to meet our goal of 400 total juices! Let's keep up the great Kingdom work, BCC family!

Have You Remembered BCC

In Your Will?

Including the church in your estate planning is a way you can support the Lord's work here even after you have gone on to be with the Lord.



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