

FELLOWSHIP
BAPTIST CHURCH
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For everything there is a season, and a time
for every matter under heaven.
Ecclesiastes 3:1

December 2025

WEDNESDAY NIGHT ACTIVITIES

Menu

WEDNESDAY NIGHT
Meal 5:45 PM
December: \$5 Per Person

Date	Adult	Child
12/3	Chicken Tender Basket	Chicken Tender Basket
12/10	Rotisserie Chicken & Veggies	Fish Sticks & Fries
12/17, 12/24, 12/31	No Services	No Services

REFRESH

WEDNESDAY
6:30 PM
DINING ROOM

Awana

Wednesday Nights
6:15-7:30PM

FELLOWSHIP
STUDENTS

GRADES 7-12

WEDNESDAY
6:30 PM
Upstairs Youth Hall

December Sunday Nursery & Children's Church Schedule		
Date	Children's Church	Nursery
12/7	Leader: Karen Dennis Helpers: Hallie Harris Meagan Wilborn	Babies: Jordan Bucurel, Haley Lewis 1 Year Olds: Adam & Ashley Lewis 2 Year Olds: Spencer & Jessica Dickerson 3 Year Olds: Adam & Lydia Stewart
12/14	Leader: Meagan & Will Anderson Helpers: Tim & Kristi Watkins	Babies: Destiny Covington, Tabby Williams 1 Year Olds: Bailey Googe, Kim Garrett 2 Year Olds: Jack & Becky Brown 3 Year Olds: Jeremy & Bethany Stringer
12/21	Leader: Melissa Dutton Helpers: Casadi Lee Alyssa Stamper	Babies: Jordan Bucurel, Darlene Mayatt 1 Year Olds: Adam & Ashley Embrey 2 Year Olds: Curt & Candace Maye 3 Year Olds: Tim & Kristi Watkins
12/28	Family Worship Day	Babies: Casadi Lee, Kim Griffin 1 Year Olds: JR & Kim Eastman 2 Year Olds: Jack & Becky Brown 3 Year Olds: Justin & Brittany Landrum

December Wednesday Nursery & AWANA Listener Schedule		
Date	Nursery	AWANA Listeners
12/3	Babies & 1 YO: Jordan Bucurel, Meagan Anderson 2 YO: Wevone Scarbrough, Lynda Warren 3 YO: Cody & Haley Lewis	T&T: Adam & Ashley Embrey, Adam Stewart, Jeanette Stewart, Justin & Jamye Seale, Taylor Bucurel, Lynn Martin, Joe & Sylvia Mercado Sparks: Destiny Covington, Stone & Madison Alexander
12/10	Babies & 1 YO: Jordan Bucurel, Destiny Covington 2 YO: Wevone Scarbrough, Lynda Warren 3 YO: Stone & Madison Alexander	T&T: Bailey Googe, Jada Harris, Curt & Candace Maye, Spencer & Jessica Dickerson, Tarah Rose, Lisa Scarbrough, Amanda Brewer, Kristi Smith, Danny & Donna Cook Sparks: Haley Lewis, Meagan Anderson
12/17	No Services	No Services
12/24	No Services	No Services
12/31	No Services	No Services

Church Schedule:

SUNDAY

Sunday School — 9 AM
Morning Worship —10 AM
Worship Center
Nursery and Children's
Church available

WEDNESDAY

AWANA—6:15 PM
Sanctuary
Youth—6:30 PM
Upstairs Youth Hall
Refresh — 6:30 PM
Dining Room

Office Hours

Monday—Thursday 8:00 AM—4:00 PM
Friday 8:00 AM—12:00 PM
Phone: (601)737-8331

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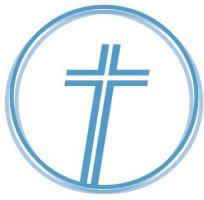
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Monthly Manna

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*For to us a child is born,
to us a son is given;
and the government shall be
upon his shoulder,
and his name shall be called
Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God,
Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.
Isaiah 9:6*



BEGINNING
January 4, 2026
WE WILL BEGIN HAVING 2 SERVICES
ON SUNDAY MORNINGS
1st Service- 8:00 am
Sunday School- 9:30 am
2nd Service- 10:30 am

*Please contact the church office with any questions
601-737-8331*

Financial Review: November 2025

Monthly General Offering:	\$58,852.56
Monthly Budget Needs:	\$53,223.00
Yearly General Offering:	\$697,678.19
Monthly Fellowship Forward Gifts:	\$7,774.03



Reflections

Caleb Hughes

Lead Pastor

The Light of the World

For this month's entry, I was inspired by my reading in my advent devotional book. Day 1 of 25 of *Recapturing the Glory of Christmas* by Dr. Albert Mohler gave heavy emphasis to the role of light in the Christmas season.

My children "light up" when we are driving at night in December. Houses that they would normally not give a moment's glance suddenly become a spectacle—even from a great distance! Isn't that what Christmas lights do? While they are not easily observed or admired in the daylight, darkness has a way of heightening the illuminating presence of light.

Isn't that a wonderful picture of the gospel? I believe that is why the motif of light/darkness is so prevalent in the gospel of John.

"In him was life, and the life was the light of men. The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it."
— John 1:4-5 —

The wonders of Christmas are powerfully seen—just like Christmas lights—in contrast to the spiritual darkness that we would be in without Christ. Like those beautiful spectacles we enjoy on the side of the road, as we walk through the valley of the shadow of darkness, we not only easily *observe* the Light, but we are also able to *admire* Christ, the light of the world, the light of life.

This Christmas, my prayer is that when you see lights in dark places and as your eyes are drawn to them, that you would be reminded that so too should your eyes be drawn to the presence of Jesus in the dark places of this life. There are glories of Jesus to behold this Christmas season. Are you looking for them? And if this holiday season feels especially dark for you, I urge you to consider that the Light should be especially visible for you *this* Christmas perhaps more than all the rest.

I hope you have a merry Christmas, but when it doesn't feel that way, remember that the Light has come but is also coming.

DECEMBER MINISTRY TEAMS

DEACONS

Terrell Temple
Jimmy Harper

Jason Bass

GREETERS

Paul Lane
Connie Lane

COUNTERS

Terrell Temple
Don Boyette

BUS MAINTENANCE

Chuck Luse

December Adult Sunday School Scriptures

December 7- When Your Faith Falls Short

Matthew 17:14-20

December 14- When Your Circumstances Fall Short

2 Corinthians 1:8-10; 12:6-10

December 21- When Your Understanding Falls Short

Luke 1:26-38

December 28- When Your Provisions Fall Short

1 Kings 17:5-16



CHRISTMAS CAROLING

Join us in our annual Christmas Caroling to our Shut ins. Children are welcome. We will also hand out our Sunshine Baskets at this time.

Wednesday, December 17
at 6:00 PM

Following we will return to the church for a time of Fellowship, Hot Chocolate, Cider and Cookies.

*Church will provide Hot Chocolate and Cider. Please bring cookies or Christmas goodies of your choice.



Christmas Card Mailbox

The Christmas Card Mailbox is available in the Gathering Space. Use it to share Christmas Cards with Church Family.



Donate money in the bucket you would have spent on postage to go to Lottie Moon/International Missions Board.

Just Older Youth
50+
PLEASE JOIN US FOR
CHRISTMAS LUNCH
Thursday, December 11th
11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

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9325 Fellowship Road Meridian, MS 39001
Sign up at Welcome Desk or Call Church Office

