

“And Ruth said, Intreat me not to leave thee, or to return from following after thee: For whither thou goest, I will go; and where thou lodgest, I will lodge: thy people shall be my people, and thy God my God:”

Ruth 1:16

May 18, 2025

Preparing Our Hearts for Worship	Sandy Michaux-Pam Leslie
Call to Worship	“Majesty” No. 10
Welcoming Our Guests and Announcements	Pastor Mike Leslie
Offertory Hymn	“’Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus” No. 581
Offertory Prayer	Deacon of the Week
Worship with Tithes and Offerings	Sandy Michaux-Pam Leslie
Choir in Worship	“I Got Saved”
Hymn of Praise	“Fill My Cup, Lord” No. 702
Special Music	Della Brindley
Message	“Small Decisions Have Big Consequences” Ruth 1:1-6 Rev. Mike Leslie
*Hymn of Invitation	
Benediction	Brian Clark
Going Out with Joy	

*\*The members of this fellowship invite you to commit your life to Jesus Christ as your Savior and Lord. If you have received Christ as your Savior, we encourage you to publicly acknowledge Him. We invite you to join our church by statement of faith and obedience through believers’ baptism or promise of a letter from another church. Our pastor will greet you and receive your request during the hymn of invitation. You are welcome here.*

<b>Read the Bible Through in 2025</b>			
<b>Sun.</b>	1 Kings 16-17; Luke 20:27-47	<b>Thurs.</b>	2 Kings 1-3; Luke 22:24-53
<b>Mon.</b>	1 Kings 18-19; Luke 21:1-28	<b>Fri.</b>	2 Kings 4-5; Luke 22:54-71
<b>Tues.</b>	1 Kings 20-21; Luke 21:29-38	<b>Sat.</b>	2 Kings 6-7; Luke 23:1-12
<b>Wed.</b>	1 Kings 22; Luke 22:1-23		

\*\*Deacon nomination forms are available in the office.

<b>Today</b>	<b>9:45 - 10:45 AM</b>	Sunday School	<b>11:00 AM</b>	Morning Worship
	<b>10:15 - 10:45 AM</b>	Sanctuary Class		
	<b>6:00 PM</b>	I Am a Church Member Class (3 <sup>rd</sup> class)		
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>6:00 – 7:00 PM</b>	Baptist Men, WMU, RA's, GA's, Mission Friends		
	<b>6:45 - 7:45 PM</b>	Youth – Chosen Series		
	<b>7:00 - 7:45 PM</b>	Children's Choir Practice		
	<b>7:00 - 7:45 PM</b>	Bible Study – Revelation Connection		
	<b>7:45 PM</b>	Choir Practice		
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Thursday, May 22	<b>Senior Adult Luncheon</b> @ Long Shoals Baptist Church @ 11:00 AM			
	<b>VBS Volunteer Meeting</b> 6:30 PM. Light dinner will be provided.			
Friday, May 23	<b>Mission Work in Burnsville</b> – Meeting @ 7:00 AM			
Saturday, May 24	<b>Crafts with Beverly</b> @ 9:00 AM in fellowship hall			
Sunday, May 25	<b>Graduate Recognition</b>			
	<b>Brixton's Birthday Party</b> – 6:30 PM @ Broyhill (He will be 5 Years Old) Sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board			
Thursday, May 29	<b>Family Care Ministry</b> @ 1:30 PM – 3:30 PM Sign-Up sheet is on the bulletin board.			
Sunday, June 1	<b>HOMECOMING</b> – Fields of Grace will be with us. Service will start @ 10:30 AM			
Friday, June 6	<b>Senior Trip</b> – Strawberry Hill – Sign-up sheet is on bulletin board			
Sunday, June 8 – 12	<b>Vacation Bible School</b> 6:00 PM – 8:30 PM			
Friday, June 13	<b>Layla's Birthday</b> – Broyhill (She will be 11 Years Old) Sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board			
Saturday, June 14	<b>Family Day in Brevard.</b> 9:30 AM – 2:00 PM Fishing, Hiking, Lunch, & Corn Hole			

**BIRTHDAYS:** 18 Zachary Rainwater, Meredith Leslie 19 Shannon Allen, 20 Landyn Jaynes, 21 Sheila King, Buddy Flynn, 22 Alvin Bumgarner, Kristen Rhinehart, Avery Sprinkle, 23 Gary Rakes  
**Anniversaries:** 18 Jim & Tammy Barker, 22 David & Cindy Brown

**SHUT IN OF THE WEEK:** **Bessie Sheppard**  
68 Georges Branch Rd., Candler, NC 28715

**Nursing Home:** Nancy Fowler, Janet Blankenship, Clifton Johnson, Gail Shope  
**Home Bound:** Gary Welch, Bessie Shepherd, Barbara Dalton, Doris Shope  
**Special Concerns:** Tracy Penland, Judy Lowe, Waylan B. Hensley, Harry Mullins, Rick & Mandy Bradley, Joey Parker, Betty Johnson, Kenny Blaylock, Charlie Garner

**DEACON OF THE WEEK:****May 18** Doyce Burnette**May 25** Michael Stamey**DEACON SUPPORT TEAM:** Dillon Michael, Jim Hall, Eddie Taylor,  
Daryl Cowe, Robert Wilson, Charles Ford**NURSERY WORKERS:****May 18**      **9:45 AM Sunday School**      Shelly Flynn  
                 **11:00 AM Worship Service**      Katie Ford, Meredith Wilson,  
   Charles Ford**Wednesday Night, May 21** Shelly Flynn**May 25**      **9:45 AM Sunday School**      Lisa Sellers  
                 **11:00 AM Worship Service**      Sherry Hall, Anita Brock,  
   Wendy Clark**Wednesday Night, May 28** Amy Rhinehart**CHILDREN'S CHURCH WORKERS: 4 Year-1<sup>st</sup> Grade****May 18**      Carolyn Wilson & Misty Warren**May 25**      Brittney & Kaleb Rice**JUNIOR CHURCH WORKERS:****May 18**      Meredith Leslie & Jennifer Crowe**May 25**      Jennifer Crowe & Kymber Rainwater**VIDEO: May 18** Alex Rhinehart      **May 25** Alex Rhinehart**SOUND: May 18** Beverly Goodson      **May 25** Bridgett Stamey**GREETERS: May 18**      **Side Door:** Buddy Flynn  
   **Front Door:** Beverly Harris, David Harris,  
   Barbara Flynn**GREETERS: May 25**      **Side Door:** James Reece  
   **Front Door:** Phil Hawkins, Karen Hawkins,  
   Katie Davis**USHERS: May 18**      Zach Rainwater, Jerome Gaddy, Drew Parker,  
   Eddie Warren, Jeff Warren, Robert Wilson**USHERS: May 25**      Lee Gibson, Mike Singleton, Michael Stamey,  
   Eddie Taylor, David Flynn, Glenn Wilson**FLOWER COMMITTEE:****May:** Jennifer Garner & Katie Ford      **June:** Donna Fowler & Sheila King**Sunday School** 121      **Morning Worship** 182      **Contacts** 47**Offering:** Unified \$5,409.00    Local \$1,180.00    Perp Care \$26.00    Baptist Men \$50.00  
Online Giving \$1,090.00    Annie Armstrong \$500.00    GA's Annie Armstrong \$83.00[One Call Now-1-877-698-3261](tel:1-877-698-3261) Option 1[ridgewaybaptistcandler@gmail.com](mailto:ridgewaybaptistcandler@gmail.com)[www.ridgewaybaptistchurch-candler.org](http://www.ridgewaybaptistchurch-candler.org)[vimeo.com/event/621179](https://vimeo.com/event/621179)Office Hours: Monday - Thursday  
9:00 AM - 2:00 PM**Ridgeway Baptist Church***Loving God. Loving People. Changing the World.***May 18, 2025**

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