

*The Worship of God*  
*July 14, 2024*  
*Baptism Sunday*

Prelude

Welcome and Opening Prayer Gary Ring

Baptisms Pastor Gary Ring  
*Grace Parker, Malachi Bassett*

Worship Song, Hymn No. 518 Lowry  
*"Shall We Gather at the River"*

Worship Song, Hymn No. 275 Van Deventer, Weeden  
*"I Surrender All"*

Children's Message

Special Music Hastings, Lake, Bowe  
*"Gratitude"*

Offertory Prayer Pastor Chris Hilliard

Message Pastor Chris Hilliard  
*"Walk a Straight Line"*  
Proverbs 4

Invitation Song Ken, Fields  
*"Doxology (God Be Praised)"*

Closing Prayer Jerry Pace

Postlude

## **Welcome Guests!**

We are so glad you have chosen to worship with us today. Please come by *The Welcome Center* after worship to receive a free gift on behalf of our church family. It is located on the first floor near the Kidville entrance. It can also be accessed from the main parking lot through the double doors marked Welcome.

First time with us? Please fill out a guest card in the pew and place it in the offertory plate or scan the QR Code.



There are children's activity bags for you in the back of the sanctuary and in the welcome center.

We are excited to have you join us today!

## ***Sermon Notes***

### CHILDREN & YOUTH NEWS:

#### **SAVE THE DATE: VBS!**

When: July 21-25

Time: 6:00-8:30 pm

Who: Children completed Pre-K through 5<sup>th</sup> Grade



Registration is LIVE for VBS! Scan the QR Code to sign up or the link is in the weekly newsletter, Facebook Event, and on the church website!

Snacks are needed for every night for VBS. We are asking for each LIFE Group to bring in an assigned snack. If you are not a part of a life group and would like to donate, please reach out to a member of the VBS team. We are also accepting monetary donations if preferred. Please drop off all donations in the small fellowship hall by July 17<sup>th</sup>. If you have any questions, please contact Jennifer Spencer.

## WEEKLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### **SUNDAY, JULY 14, 2024**

- 8:30 a.m. -Prayer Time, Chapel
- 9:15 a.m. -Life Group Classes
- 10:30 a.m. -Worship Service, Sanctuary
- 10:30 a.m. -Livestream English Worship Service  
(www.wendellbaptistnc.com or Facebook)
- 11:00 a.m. -Hispanic Worship Service, off site
- 11:00 a.m. -Livestream Hispanic Worship Service
- 3:00 p.m. -David Hodges' Bible Study
- 7:00 p.m. -Deacon's Meeting

### **MONDAY, JULY 15, 2024**

- 3:30-5:30 p.m. -Food Pantry Available in the Small Fellowship Hall
- 6:00 p.m. -Budget & Finance Team Meeting

### **TUESDAY, JULY 16, 2024**

- 10:00 am- 2:00 pm -Adult Vacation Bible School, Small Fellowship Hall

### **WEDNESDAY, JULY 17, 2024**

- 6:00 p.m. -VBS Volunteer Training, Large Fellowship Hall
- 6:30 p.m. -David Hodges' Bible Study
- 6:30 p.m. -VBS Set up in Large Fellowship Hall

### **FRIDAY, JULY 19, 2024**

- 6:30 a.m. -Men's Bible Study, Small Fellowship Hall
- 7:00 p.m. -Pastor Edwin Euceda Bible Study

### **Prayer Team Ministry**

Be sure to stop and check out our prayer ministry resources located on the bookcase across from the elevator on the second floor. There are prayer guides, books, gospel tracts and other resources for children and more. Check back often as new items are stocked.

### **PRAYERS**

Hank Naramore, treatments complete on July 15<sup>th</sup> with follow-up testing in 6 to 8 weeks  
Ronald Thompson, home health care  
John Keith, treatment through home meds and out-patient infusion  
Claudette Bass, relocated to Wellington  
Barbara Tarpley, at Wellington with ongoing health issues  
Edith Rowe, outpatient radiation treatments  
Lester Boyd, in-home hospice care for declining kidney function  
Lester's son-in-law Tommy, at home recovering from pacemaker procedure complications  
Joeann Horton, recuperating at home following hospitalization for gastro issues  
Sue Brewer and family

### **DEATH**

Wray Brewer passed away on Wednesday, July 10<sup>th</sup> following a long period of declining health.

## **BIBLE STUDIES**

### **Sunday Afternoon Study:**

Study of Joshua based on Robert J. Morgan's THE JORDAN RIVER RULES: JOURNEY FROM TRANSITION TO TRIUMPH led by David Hodges at 3:00 PM in Room 106

### **Wednesday Night Studies**

Armor of the Lord- led by Pastor Chris at 6:30 PM in Large Fellowship Hall

Study of Second Corinthians: led by David Hodges in Classroom 106

### **Friday Night Study**

Pastor Edwin Euceda's Bible Study Service from 7:00-8:30 PM

Recognizing the importance of Missions to the overall function of the Church, the Administrative Team moves that the Missions Team be included as part of the Administrative Team.

To facilitate this change, we also move that the By Laws be changed in Article VII Section 2.4 to read 9 instead of 8 and Missions be listed. Also, in Article VII Section 5.3.3 it will be noted that the Deacon Nominating Team will be responsible for nominating the Missions Team Leader. This will be handled just like Building and Grounds, Sunday Life Groups and Technology.

This motion will be brought before the church Sunday, July 14th for discussion and vote at the end of Service. If passed, the Missions Teams will become part of the Administrative Team in the August Business Conference.

*Dear Church Family,*

*Thank you for the cards, calls and visits during my recent hospital stay and the days following. I am so blessed to be a part of this wonderful and caring church family.*

*Love,*

*Joyce Turner*

*Beginning in the month of August, we will be switching for online giving completely with Realm. If you are currently donating online through "Clover Give" please update your online giving. You will need to close out the Clover Give account to set up an account with Realm.*

*To create an account with Realm, this can be done through the app or the church website. Online giving can be through credit/debit cards, automatic draft from checking accounts, and more.*

*For questions, contact the church office.*

Recently, our friends at CRU Hungary took a huge leap of faith and sold their office property! They invested in a flat in the center of Budapest called Gönczy. It will serve as their HQ and a place to host events with local students (over 50K of them!)... but they need help to restore it. WE AT WENDELL BAPTIST CAN MAKE IT HAPPEN!

If interested in donating, please mark your envelope "Hungary" or by donating online through our website.

*We join in expressing our deepest gratitude to our WBC family for your thoughts and prayers during Donnie's recent surgery and recuperative period. Healing is ongoing with full recovery expected. We feel God's blessings and healing power through your love for us.  
Debbie, Donnie, Joyce, and family*

**WEEKLY FINANCIAL INFORMATION**

**Week of 06/30 - 07/06**

		<b>Actual</b>	<b>Budget</b>
Contributions YTD	\$267,334.64	\$268,519.20	
Expenses Year to Date	\$270,862.35	\$268,519.20	
Weekly Donations	\$ 19,032.19		

**NC Baptist Hospitals Offering Goal: \$800**

**Contributions to Date: \$460**

**NC State Missions Offering Goal: \$1000**

**FTF Money Market = \$ 100,378.31; FTF CD = \$50,000.00**

Sunday, July 7: Life Group Attendance - 147

Sunday, June 30: Worship Attendance - 161



Bring your favorite homemade ice cream to share & enjoy a slip-n-slide on the back lawn.

Ice cream entries should arrive by 6:20pm & voting takes place at 6:30pm.  
Prize given for 1st place.



Wednesday, July 31 @ 6:30pm  
Large Fellowship Hall



**July 16, 2024  
10:00 am- 2:00 pm**

**ATTENDEE NAME(S):**  
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**ADULT VACATION BIBLE  
SCHOOL**

Sponsored by our WMU

**FOOD, FUN, & FELLOWSHIP!**

Including Bible Study, Games,  
Crafts, and Lunch

**ALL WELCOME!**

**RSVP:**

Sunday Offering

or

Eileen Fournier at 908-809-5132

July 21, 2024

“God’s Rock Solid Truth, Romans 12:2”

VBS Kick Off! (Service in the Large Fellowship Hall)

Pastor Chris Hilliard

**Deacon of the Week: Buddy Hopkins**

**Buddy’s Deacon Families:**

Lestor Boyd, Michael Burkhart, Michelle Pace Davis, Cara Pace Dunnivant, Will & Brianna Hamilton, Jerry & Deborah Pace, Hernan & Sandra Salazar, Hannah, Caroline & Catherine Sasser, Alton & Maude Staples, Ronald & Janet Thompson, Sandy Townsend, John Williamson

**Ushers for July: Preston Peterson, Mark Utley,  
Errol Briggerman, David Morris**

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