



Welcome guests! We are so glad you're here! We would like to make a personal connection with you. Please scan the QR code or fill out the connection card located in the church pew. And, be sure to stop by our Welcome Desk as you leave to say hello and receive a gift! Thank you for joining us!



## Workers

**THIS WEEK - Oct. 9 - 15**

**Sunday School:** Kristia Noble, Michelle Tynch

**Morning Worship:** Rene` Smith,  
**Need another volunteer!**

**Sunday Evening:** Tiffany Hirst,  
**Need another volunteer!**

**Wednesday Evening:** Laura Turner,  
**Need another volunteer!**

**NEXT WEEK - Oct. 16 - 22**

**Sunday School:** Chris & Susan Sykes

**Morning Worship:** Kristia Noble, Michelle Tynch

**Sunday Evening: Need volunteers!**

**Wednesday Evening:** Carolyn Bassett, **Need another volunteer!**

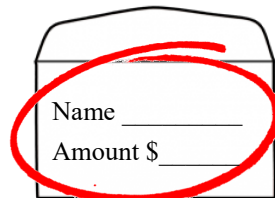
Today, October 9th is designated as the day to receive the **World Hunger / NC Baptist Children's Homes Offering**. We will continue to receive contributions throughout the month of October. Special envelopes for this offering are provided in your boxed set, or you may use a pew envelope, but please be sure to indicate that your offering is for World Hunger / NC Baptist Children's Homes.



 Hand Bell Choir practice has resumed. We are meeting on Sundays at 4:30 PM and are in need of one more ringer! Contact Susan Nixon.

**Starting November 6th**, children will be in the sanctuary at the beginning of Worship until "Jesus Loves Me" is played. At that time, they will go to Children's Church.

When giving an offering, please be sure to write the **amount** on your offering envelope. If you use a pew envelope or a plain white envelope, be sure to include both your **name** and the **amount**. Otherwise, your contribution cannot be recorded.



### ATTENTION ALL RHBC COMMITTEES USING A BUDGET LINE ITEM . . .

It is that BUDGET time of year again! All Committee chairpersons should meet with their committees for next year's planning and then make a written 2023 Budget Request to the Finance Committee by **TODAY, October 9th!** Thank you for all you do!



It's almost time to pack a shoebox for **Operation Christmas Child!** Items are needed for boys and girls ages 2 - 14. Some great ideas are small trucks or cars, small stuffed animals, dolls, or any toys that are able to fit in a shoebox. Other items include toothbrushes, combs, school supplies, socks, sunglasses, flashlights with batteries. Shoeboxes and labels will be available in the vestibule soon. This ministry helps to reach

children all around the world in the name of Jesus. Help us take the Gospel to the ends of the earth! Be on the lookout for further information about the Operation Christmas Child Packing Party. Contact Michelle Tynch or Meredith Tynch for more information.

**Please Donate Cake Mix!** Once again this year, the Edenton-Chowan Food Pantry will be providing a turkey and all the "fixins" for approximately 250 families at Thanksgiving. Rocky Hock Baptist Church is being asked to collect 125 boxes of cake mix to help feed these food-insecure families. If you would help us fulfill this need, please put your donation in the Food Pantry basket in the Connecting Corridor by October 30.

The **Annie Leary Circle** will meet on Monday, October 10th at 7 PM at the home of Robin Nixon.

On Tuesday, October 18th beginning at 2 PM, the Chowan Baptist Association will have their **Annual Meeting** at Macedonia Baptist Church. Richard Childress, Vice President of the NC Baptist Foundation, will offer the theme interpretation and Bob Young will be delivering the sermon. All Church Messengers are encouraged to attend. With lots of information to share about the activities of the Association and a promised great meal provided by the kind folks at Macedonia, there's a lot to look forward to!



**RHBC's Trunk or Treat** will be on Saturday, October 22nd from 6:30 - 8 PM on the Church Grounds. We will be collecting candy for this event beginning in October. Please contact the Church Office or Pastor Justin if you would like to decorate your trunk. We would like to have at least 40 trunks this year!



### PRAYER LIST

#### Hospitalized, Recovery, Treatment, etc.

|                             |                          |                     |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|
| Jimmy & Nancy Baker         | Penny (Lee) Baker        | Mary Bivens         |
| Joy Boyd                    | Arlyn Bunch              | Lorene Bunch        |
| Ada Butler                  | Emily Byrum              | Sandra Byrum        |
| Parker & Barbara Copeland   | Neil Chesson             | Jo Copeland         |
| Carlton Dail                | Shannon Drake            | Billy Elliott       |
| Fenton Eure, Jr.            | Vickie Faherty           | Alan Forward        |
| Bill Gorman                 | Steve Griffin            | Roland Haddock      |
| Sonny Hall                  | Wayne Harrell            | Tammy Hudson        |
| Parker Joyner               | Edsel Lassiter           | Robert Lewis        |
| Phil Long                   | Jim Morton               | Kurt Ownley         |
| Heath Patrick               | Jerry Peele              | Ann Peterson        |
| Lisa Phipps                 | Edith Plancarte          | Alan Sawyer         |
| David Sawyer                | The Seliquini Family     | Erin Siegrist       |
| Fred Smith                  | Julie Spivey             | E. C. Toppin        |
| Sam & Lorraine Spruill      | Carolyn Trueblood        | Jacob Ullom         |
| Peggy Weiss                 | Jamie Wendling           | Joanne White        |
| Joanne Wilkins              | Phyllis Winborne         | Brandon Winslow     |
| Norman Young, Jr.           | Our Armed Forces         | Our Church          |
| Our Country                 | Our Leaders              | Ukraine             |
| COVID patients              | RHBC Search Committees   |                     |
| CBA Churches / Missionaries | Phyllis Story Family     | Reggie Terry Family |
| Nancy Spivey Turner Family  | Vida Lane Goodwin Family |                     |

#### Nursing Home & Homebound Members

**Chowan River Nursing:** Nola Jean Bass

**Edenton Prime Time:** Mildred Boyce, Maxine (Elton) Bunch, Katie Nixon

**The Landings of Albemarle:** Jeanette Baker, Sherlon Layton, Jean Leary, Nancy Noble

**Atria Virginia Beach:** Louvenia Stewart

**Homebound:** Joe Asbell, Dianne Bass, Lois Bryant, Frances Byrum, Johnny Gosser, Clara Peele, Joanne White

The **Baptist Women** will be collecting white crew socks for women prisoners. (WHITE SOCKS ONLY! NO COLORS!) If you would like to donate, you may place the socks in the designated bin in the Connecting Corridor. The collection deadline is October 24th.



***This Week at RHBC . . .***

Sunday, October 9

9:45 AM - Sunday School for all ages  
11 AM - Worship - Sanctuary (Nursery & Children's Church available for 3 & 4 year olds - No Kingdom Kids - K - 5th Grade)  
**The Lord's Supper; World Hunger / NC Baptist Children's Homes Offering**  
3 - 9 PM - Special Function Room & Kitchen Reserved  
4:30 PM - Hand Bell Choir Practice  
5 PM - Children's Bible Drill - 2nd & 3rd Grade Sunday School Room  
6 PM - **Evening of Praise & Worship** - Everyone will meet in the Gym

Tuesday, October 11

10 AM - Young at Heart Bible Study - Carey Evans SS Room

Wednesday, October 12

7 PM - Adult Prayer Meeting / Bible Study, Mission Friends, GA's, RA's, INCREASE Student Ministry  
8 PM - Sanctuary Choir Practice

***Next Week . . .***

Sunday, October 16

7:30 AM - **Baptist Men's Breakfast** - Special Function Room  
9:45 AM - Sunday School for all ages  
11 AM - Worship - Sanctuary (Nursery & Children's Church available for up to 5th Grade)  
4:30 PM - Hand Bell Choir Practice  
5 PM - Children's Bible Drill - 2nd & 3rd Grade Sunday School Room  
6 PM - Sundays @ SIX

Tuesday, October 18

10 AM - Young at Heart Bible Study - Carey Evans SS Room  
1 - 2 PM - Senior Nutrition Food Distribution - Multi-Purpose Bldg.  
2 PM - Chowan Baptist Association Annual Meeting @ Macedonia Baptist Church  
7 - 9 PM - **Creative Ministries Team Meeting** - Conference Room

Wednesday, October 19

7 PM - Adult Prayer Meeting / Bible Study, Mission Friends, GA's, RA's, INCREASE Student Ministry  
8 PM - Sanctuary Choir Practice

**Deacon Team of the Week**

This Week (10/9/22-10/15/22):

Wayne Bunch, Keith Rollins, Allen Nixon

Next Week (10/16/22-10/22/22):

Keith Nixon, Scott Noble, Phil Smith

**October Deacon Greeters**

Senior Adult SS Center:

Chris Turner

Sanctuary Main:

Sam Tynch

Connecting Corridor:

Chris Sykes

Multi-Purpose Main Entrance:

Allen Peele



**October Ushers:**

Adam Bunch, Wayne Copeland, J. C. Forehand, Allen Nixon, Mike Nixon, Bill Smith, Jay White

**October Offering Team:**

Phil Smith (Chair), Adam Bunch, Allen Peele, Keith Rollins, Chris Sykes, Oscar White

**Oct. Counting Committee:**

Emily Byrum, Jasper Evans, Lee & Ruth Jordan, Bill Smith



**Week of October 2nd**

Attendance Sun. School: 191  
Morning Worship: 237  
Sunday Evening: 120  
Wednesday Evening: 88

**OCTOBER 9, 2022  
MORNING WORSHIP - 11 AM**

Welcome & Announcements Pastor Justin Smith

Call to Worship Pastor Justin Smith & Praise Team  
"Hosanna (Praise Is Rising)" with "Just a Closer Walk with Thee"

Offertory Prayer Deacon

Special Music Sanctuary Choir  
"Living Hope"

Presenting Our Tithes & Offerings

Message Rev. Bob Young

Scripture: Mark 1:35 - 2:12  
Title: Throughout Galilee

The Lord's Supper Rev. Bob Young and Deacons

Prayer Rev. Bob Young

Invitation Pastor Justin Smith & Praise Team  
"Softly and Tenderly"

Closing Prayer Pastor Justin Smith

**AN EVENING OF PRAISE & WORSHIP - 6 PM**

**with The Milepost 13 Band  
from Nags Head Church**

(Everyone will meet in the Gym)

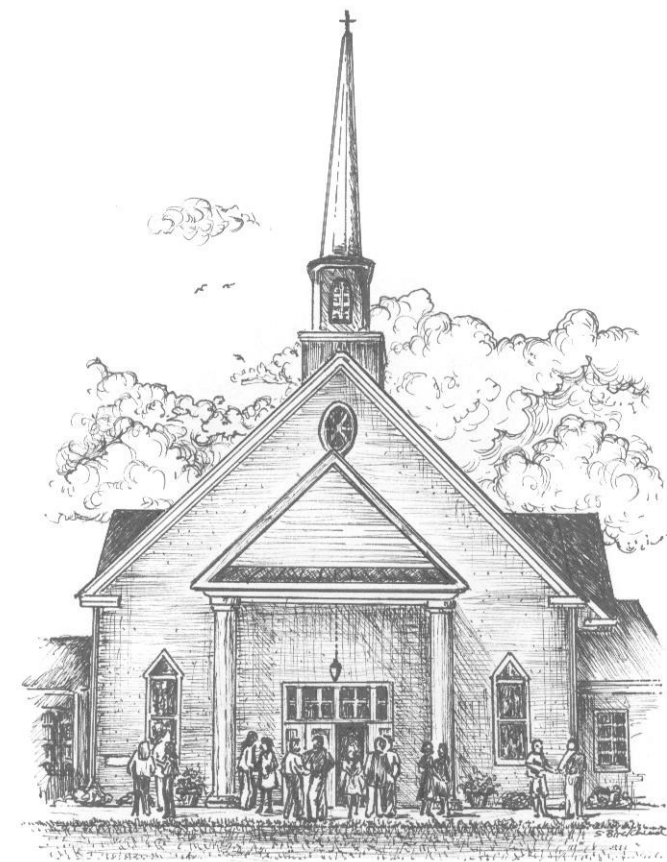
*This free event is open to the community!  
Invite your friends and neighbors!*

**Rocky Hock Baptist Church**

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Office Hours: Monday - Friday, 8 AM - 4:30 PM  
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**The mission of Rocky Hock Baptist Church is  
to magnify Christ and make disciples of all people.**



**Find us on**



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