



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 - November 13 - 19

Sunday School: Kristia Noble, Michelle Tynch

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

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

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

NEXT WEEK - November 20 - 26

Sunday School: Chris & Susan Sykes

Morning Worship: Kristia Noble, Michelle Tynch

Sunday Evening: Need volunteers!

Wednesday Evening: Chris & Susan Sykes

Baptist Women's Meetings

The **Audrey Gordan Circle** will meet on Monday, November 14th at 11:30 AM for a lunch meeting at Burger King. The **Inabelle Coleman Circle** will also meet on November 14th at 7 PM at the home of Julie Blanchard. The **Annie Leary Circle** will meet on Tuesday, November 15th at 7:30 PM at the home of Sherlynn Smith.

Our **Deacon Election** will take place on Sunday, November 20th at the end of the Morning Worship Service. Sample ballots are in the bulletin today. Please begin praying now about those whom you would call upon to serve as Deacons in 2023!

Join us for a **Thanksgiving Service and Soup & Sandwich Meal** on Wednesday, November 23rd at 6:30 PM in the Gym.

Our next **Quarterly Church Conference** will be in the Gym on Wednesday, November 30th beginning at 6:30 PM with a meal, followed by the meeting at 7 PM.

You may sign up for both of these events on a connection card and place it in the offering plate or simply call the Church Office.

Neighbor to Neighbor is sponsoring the **3rd Annual Holiday Sock Drive** now through December 12th. Please drop your new prepackaged socks in sizes infant, children, boys, girls, men, and women adult sizes on Monday - Friday between 8 AM - 4 PM at the Recreation Department, 730 Granville Street, Suite C, Edenton. For information call Gloria (333-0801) or Debbie (331-3495).



It's 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 are available in the vestibule. This ministry helps reach children around the world in the name of Jesus. **Our church-wide Packing Party is tonight, Sunday, November 13th at 6 PM in the Gym.**

As of 11/13/22, a copy of the **Proposed 2023 Operating Budget** has been made available by the Finance Committee for your review and consideration. Note that a motion from the Deacons regarding a delay in some hiring activities is attached to the budget copy - approval of this motion would result in a change in the final total budget amount that is proposed for 2023. This motion and budget draft will be presented for discussion at 4th Quarter Church Conference on Wednesday 11/30. The Final Operating Budget will be voted on after Worship on Sunday 12/4. Please be in prayer as we prepare together for 2023!

The following items will be placed into business for consideration at the November 30th Church Conference.

1. **Personnel Committee Job Description Revision**

The Deacons in consultation with the Personnel Committee, recommend the following revisions to the Personnel Committee Job Description.

- Removal of the requirement for the secretary to submit Personnel Committee Meetings Minutes to the Deacons.
- Pay compensation considerations for all staff and fee-for-service employees be a joint decision between the Personnel Committee and the Finance Committee. (Senior Pastor pay compensation considerations will be the responsibility of the Deacons.)
- Removal of staff pastors in the nomination process of Personnel Committee Members.

2. **Vote Percentage for Calling & Hiring of Pastoral Staff**

The Deacons recommend that the following policy be adopted by Rocky Hock Baptist Church: "The calling and hiring of any Pastoral Staff by Rocky Hock Baptist Church will require a positive vote of no less than 80% of the Church membership present and voting at the meeting designated for such purpose."

The following motion came from the November 6th Deacons Meeting and will be discussed at the November 30th Church Conference, along with the Proposed 2023 Budget: **In consideration of our fiscal responsibilities, the Deacons recommend the following:** The temporary pause of hiring actions for the positions of (a) Associate Pastor of Student Ministries and (b) Director of Family & Children's Ministries until such time that (1) a Senior Pastor is called and (2) a review of the responsibilities and duties of all ministerial/director positions for their alignment with church needs and fiscal feasibility is completed.

"Chase Bateman Memorial Blood Drive" **Tuesday, November 22 from 2 - 7 PM in the Multi-Purpose Building**

A recent decline in blood donations may soon make it tough to keep blood on the hospital shelves. We need eligible donors to come forward and give blood. This is a very special Blood Drive in memory of Chase Bateman. Let's make this drive our most successful ever! **DONATE FOR CHASE!** Make your appointment now by visiting redcrossblood.org and enter RHBC.

PRAYER LIST

Jimmy & Nancy Baker	Penny (Lee) Baker	Rhonda Bass
Buddy Belch	Bonnie Bond	Joy Boyd
Arlyn Bunch	Sandra Byrum	Neil Chesson
Parker & Barbara Copeland	Jo Copeland	Carlton Dail
Shannon Drake	Billy Elliott	Fenton Eure, Jr.
Vickie Faherty	Alan Forward	Bill Gorman
Roland Haddock	Sonny Hall	Wayne Harrell
Tammy Hudson	Parker Joyner	Edsel Lassiter
Robert Lewis	Phil Long	Jim Morton
Open Arms Ministry (Cliff & Effie Beaman)	Jerry Peele	Kurt Ownley
Heath Patrick	Edith Plancarte	Ann Peterson
Lisa Phipps	Alan Sawyer	Howard Robertson
Josh & Lynse Rivenbark	Erin Siegrist	David Sawyer
The Seliquini Family	Tammy Spruill	Fred Smith
Art Slaughter (Debbie Bicknell's husband)	Carolyn Trueblood	Julie Spivey
Sam & Lorraine Spruill	Jamie Wendling	E. C. Toppin
Ricky Toppin, III	Phyllis Winborne	Murray Tynch, Jr.
Jacob Ullom	Our Armed Forces	Joanne White
Joanne Wilkins	Our Leaders	Brandon Winslow
Norman Young, Jr.	Ukraine	Our Church
Our Country	Mary Bivens Family	COVID patients
RHBC Search Committees	Jack Habit Family	
CBA Churches / Missionaries		
Emberly Schwarm Family		

Nursing Home & Homebound Members

Chowan River Nursing: Nola Jean Bass, Lorene Bunch

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

ATTENTION PARENTS OF CHILDREN AGES 3 - 5TH GRADE! If you have a child (or children) who participate(s) in (or would like to participate in) RHBC's Children's Ministry, please sign up for the new REMIND account. There are 2 ways to sign up: online at <https://www.remind.com/join/rockyhoc> OR text the message @rockyhoc to the number 81010.

UPCOMING EVENTS FOR CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

LIGHTS & CAKE - Wednesday, December 7th from 5:30 - 8 PM - We'll ride the Church Bus to Bertie County to see the Christmas Lights and have cake, too!

MILK & COOKIES - Sunday, December 11th from 2:30 - 5:30 PM - We will be decorating Christmas cookies!

POLAR PLUNGE - Sunday, January 1st from 2 - 5 PM - Join us for s'mores and hot chocolate at the Brabandt home as we take a quick dip in the pool!

More details about these and other activities for children will be communicated to parents via the REMIND app.

This Week at RHBC . . .
Sunday, November 13
9:45 AM - Sunday School for all ages
11 AM - Worship - Sanctuary (Nursery & Children's Church for up to 5th Grade);
Veterans Day Service
4:30 PM - Hand Bell Choir Practice
5 PM - Children's Bible Drill - 2nd & 3rd Grade Sunday School Room
6 PM - **Operation Christmas Child Packing Party** - Everyone meets in Gym

Monday, November 14
11:30 AM - **Audrey Gordan Circle** - lunch meeting @ Burger King
7 PM - **Inabelle Coleman Circle** with Julie Blanchard

Tuesday, November 15
10 AM - Young at Heart Bible Study - Carey Evans SS Room
1 - 2 PM - Senior Food Distribution - Multi-Purpose Building
7:30 PM - **Annie Leary Circle** with Sherlynn Smith

Wednesday, November 16
7 PM - Adult Prayer Meeting / Bible Study, Mission Friends, GA's, RA's, INCREASE Student Ministry
8 PM - Sanctuary Choir Practice

Thursday, November 17
3:30 - 5 PM - 4 H Meeting - Multi-Purpose Building

Friday, November 18
10 AM - 2 PM - Kitchen & Gym Reserved

Next Week . . .
Sunday, November 20
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 for up to 5th Grade);
Harvest Day Offering; Deacon Election
4:30 PM - Hand Bell Choir Practice
5 PM - Children's Bible Drill - 2nd & 3rd Grade Sunday School Room
6 PM - Sundays @ SIX

Week of November 20 - 26
Decorate Church Campus for Christmas

Deacon Team of the Week
This Week (11/13/22-11/19/22):
Fenton Eure, Ruston Howell,
Fred Smith

Next Week (11/20/22-11/26/22):
Lee Bass, David Spruill,
Oscar White

November Deacon Greeters
Senior Adult SS Center:
Wayne Bunch

Sanctuary Main:
Lee Bass

Connecting Corridor:
Carroll Evans

Multi-Purpose Main Entrance:
Bill Smith

November Ushers:
Billy Elliott, Jasper Evans,
Danny Lewis, Phil Smith,
Gail Boyd, Josh White

November Offering Team:
Carroll Evans (Chair), Lee Bass,
Wayne Bunch, Ruston Howell,
Allen Nixon, Bill Smith

Nov. Counting Committee:
Ed & Judy Hughes,
Leon Hemmings, Keith Rollins

Week of November 6th
Attendance Sun. School: 188
Morning Worship: 229
Sunday Evening: 99
Wednesday Evening: 93

NOVEMBER 13, 2022
MORNING WORSHIP - 11 AM
Veterans Day Service

Welcome & Announcements	Pastor Justin Smith
Call to Worship	Pastor Justin Smith & Praise Team
<i>"Our God" with "In the Sweet By and By"</i>	
Offertory Prayer	Deacon
Special Music	Sanctuary Choir
<i>"Salute to the Armed Forces"</i>	
Presenting Our Tithes & Offerings	
Children's Church for Grades K - 5	
Message	Rev. Bob Young
Scripture: Matthew 1:1-2, 5-6, 11-12, 16-17	
Title: Matthew's Genealogy	
Prayer	Rev. Bob Young
Invitation	Pastor Justin Smith & Praise Team
<i>"Just As I Am"</i>	
Closing Prayer	Pastor Justin Smith

Starting today, children in Grades K - 5 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 in the Multi-Purpose Building. Also, children in Grades K - 5 will join their families in the Sanctuary for the entire Worship Service on 5th Sundays, Communion Sundays, and other special Sundays throughout the year.

EVENING WORSHIP - 6 PM
Operation Christmas Child Packing Party
Everyone meets in the Gym

Our Annual **Harvest Day Walk Offering** will take place on Sunday, November 20th during the Morning Worship Service. 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 "Harvest Day."

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The mission of Rocky Hock Baptist Church is to magnify Christ and make disciples of all people.

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