



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!



THIS WEEK - November 20 - 26
Sunday School: Chris & Susan Sykes
Morning Worship: Kristia Noble, Michelle Tynch
Sunday Evening: Need volunteers!
Wednesday Evening: Chris & Susan Sykes

NEXT WEEK - Nov. 27 - Dec. 3
Sunday School: Carolyn Bassett, **Need another volunteer!**
Morning Worship: Laura Bass, Carolyn Bassett
Sunday Evening: Need volunteers!
Wednesday Evening: Robin Nixon, Sherlynn Smith

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.

Senior Adult Shopping Trip
Tuesday, December 6th



The church bus will depart from RHBC at 7:30 AM. We will grab a fast food breakfast on the way before arriving at Hamrick's in Raleigh. From there, we will most likely go to Crabtree Valley Mall (may go to a different Shopping Center) where lunch will be on your own. After leaving Raleigh, we will stop at Cracker Barrel in Rocky Mount for supper. Sign-up sheets are in the Senior Adult Building and the Connecting Corridor. Although this shopping trip is sponsored by the Senior Adult Committee, anyone can go! There is no deadline to sign up.

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).



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.

- a. Removal of the requirement for the secretary to submit Personnel Committee Meetings Minutes to the Deacons.
- b. 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.)
- c. 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

Our Blood Drive in Memory of Chase Bateman is THIS TUESDAY! It's not too late to make your appointment. Visit redcrossblood.org and enter RHBC. If you want to be put on a wait list or if you cannot make your appointment, please call Rhonda Bass at 252-337-5766. Make sure you eat well and drink extra liquids. On the day of the drive, go to redcrossblood.org/rapidpass, read your pre-donation material, and answer the required questions. Save it to your phone or print and bring it with you. There is a Red Cross App that makes it very easy and tracks your donations. This will save you time at the drive. You must have an ID or blood donor card. If you have the APP on your phone, your digital card can be pulled up. Very convenient! We hope to see you Tuesday for our Blood Drive in Memory of Chase. As Chase would say, "WE'VE GOT THIS!"

The **RA's Christmas Party** will be on Thursday, December 8th from 6:30 PM - 8 PM in the Special Function Room.

PRAYER LIST

Jimmy & Nancy Baker	Penny (Lee) Baker	Rhonda Bass
Buddy Belch	Bonnie Bond	Joy Boyd
Arlyn Bunch	Audrey Bunch	Sandra Byrum
Parker & Barbara Copeland	Neil Chesson	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
Shelton McNair, Jr.	Jim Morton	Bill Norville
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	Shirley Waff	E. C. Toppin
Ricky Toppin, III	Joanne Wilkins	Murray Tynch, Jr.
Jacob Ullom	Norman Young, Jr.	Jamie Wendling
Joanne White	Our Country	Phyllis Winborne
Brandon Winslow	COVID patients	Our Armed Forces
Our Church	Jack Habit Family	Our Leaders
RHBC Search Committees		Ukraine
CBA Churches / Missionaries		Katie Nixon Family

Nursing Home & Homebound Members

Chowan River Nursing: Nola Jean Bass, Lorene Bunch
Edenton Prime Time: Mildred Boyce, Maxine (Elton) Bunch
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

In this season of Thanksgiving, we count the members of Rocky Hock Baptist Church in our blessings. When Beckie passed away, you rallied around our family with visits, food, cards, prayers, and donations to the PQ Band (one of Bec's passions when the kids were growing up). You continue to reach out to us in our grief and it really does mean a lot to us. May God undergird you as you continue to minister to those in need.

With Love,
Pete Perry, Sheila Evans, and Family

The family of Lillian Hollowell Perry acknowledges with grateful appreciation your kind expression of sympathy. We are so thankful for you, the Rocky Hock Baptist Church Family! The meal you provided was fabulous! Enjoyed by all. The set up of tables and the big screen TV was perfect for sharing Mother and memories so all in attendance could cherish memories, share in grief, and share love by being in the room all together. Thanks for the hospitality!

In Christ's Love,
Joe & Starr Christen & Family

This Week at RHBC . . .

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;
Note Burning**
4:30 PM - Hand Bell Choir Practice
5 PM - Children's Bible Drill - 2nd & 3rd
Grade Sunday School Room
6 PM - Sundays @ SIX - Adults in Special
Function Rm., Children in Sanctuary

Week of November 20 - 26

Decorate Church Campus for Christmas

Tuesday, November 22

10 AM - Young at Heart Bible Study -
Carey Evans SS Room
2 - 7 PM - **Chase Bateman Memorial
Blood Drive** - Multi-Purpose Bldg.

Wednesday, November 23

6:30 PM - **Thanksgiving Service with
Soup & Sandwich Meal** -
Everyone meets in the Gym
8 PM - Sanctuary Choir Practice

Thursday & Friday, November 24 & 25
Church Office Closed for Thanksgiving

Next Week . . .

Sunday, November 27

9:45 AM - Sunday School for all ages
11 AM - Worship - Sanctuary (Nursery &
Children's Church for up to 5th Grade)
4:30 PM - Hand Bell Choir Practice
NO Children's Bible Drill today!
6 PM - Sundays @ SIX - Adults in Special
Function Rm., Children in Sanctuary

Monday, November 28

7 PM - **Deacons Meeting** - Conference
Room

Tuesday, November 29

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

Wednesday, November 30

6:30 PM - **Meal & Church Conference** -
Everyone meets in the Gym
8 PM - Sanctuary Choir Practice

Deacon Team of the Week

This Week (11/20/22-11/26/22):

Lee Bass, David Spruill,
Oscar White

Next Week (11/27/22-12/3/22):

Donald Bass, Carroll Evans,
Chris Turner

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 13th

Attendance Sun. School: 187
Morning Worship: 239
Sunday Evening: No
Attendance Taken
Wednesday Evening: 84

Children in Grades K - 5 are now 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.

**MORNING WORSHIP - 11 AM
NOVEMBER 20, 2022**

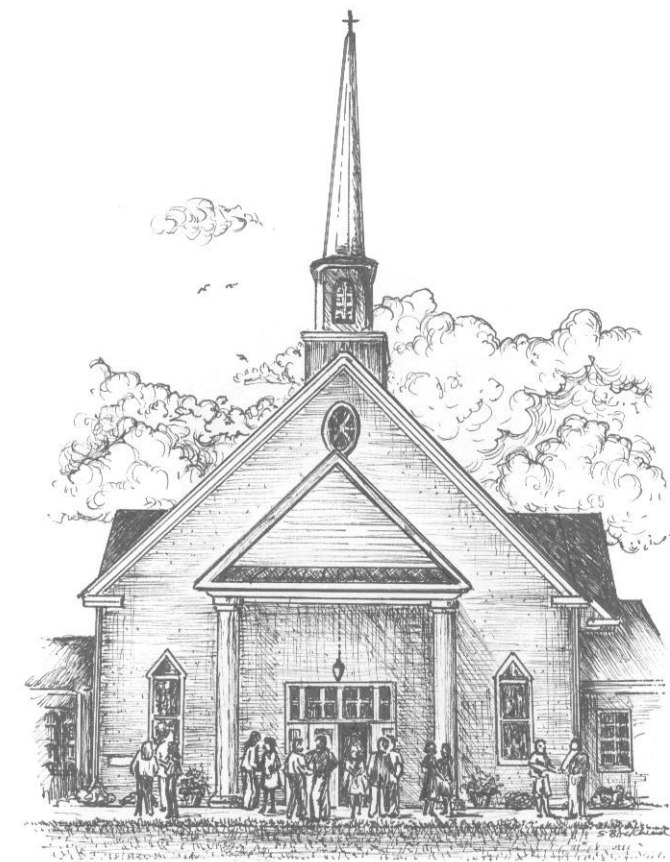
Welcome & Announcements Pastor Justin Smith
Call to Worship Praise Team
"Are You Washed in the Blood" with "I'll Fly Away"
and "How Great Is Our God"
Offertory Prayer Deacon
Special Music Sanctuary Choir
"So Much God"
Presenting Our Tithes & Offerings
Children Dismissed for Children's Church (Grades K - 5)
Message Rev. Bob Young
Scripture: Luke 1: 5 - 25
Title: Zacharias
Prayer Rev. Bob Young
Invitation Praise Team
"10,000 Reasons"
Deacon Election Mr. Keith Rollins
Building Note Burning Ceremony Mr. Chris Turner
Closing Prayer Mr. Keith Rollins

Harvest Day Offering taken at the doors

**EVENING WORSHIP - 6 PM
Sundays @ SIX
Adults in Special Function Room
Youth in Youth Suite
Children in Sanctuary**

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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.**



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