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February 2026

WINTER GREETINGS!!!!

Well, the New Year has started off with traditional NC weather: Sunny and 45* in the afternoon and a Cold and freezing 16* at night!!! Then, Freezing Rain, Sleet and Snow with extremely Cold temperatures as January ends.

I do pray that everyone has stayed safe and warm during this Wintery weather. The forecast has more snow for the last of January and first week of February. The Ground Hog had better see his/her shadow on February 2nd or he/she better stay in hiding!!!! Someone commented recently that, "I'd rather have sand castles than snow flakes!!" I'm sure we all are anticipating warmer temperatures.

Please continue to pray for Friendship as they are searching for a Pastor. Bill Messer and others are helping to fill the pulpit.

Much attention is placed on the Super Bowl when two competing teams seek to be the Champions! With this in mind, please remember the Yadkin Christian Ministries/Tri C/Store House for Jesus Food Pantries as they are in need of food donations. Many Churches will have a "Souper Bowl" fundraiser for these Ministries.

As an update, my total knee replacement surgery has been postponed until a later date. Thank you for your continued prayers as I await a new surgery date.

February is known as the "Love Month" because of Valentine's Day. Stores and advertisers will emphasize all of the material things we will need to "get" our Valentine: jewelry, flowers, chocolates, cards, etc. to show our love and affection. May we be reminded that God demonstrated His love to us by sending His Son! What greater Love is there than this Free Gift of Salvation?!!!

We are planning some upcoming training sessions at the YBA for Spring: for Church Clerks; for Church Treasurers; Tax Information for Ministers; Outreach/Evangelism; and effective way to reach our Communities with the Good News! Please let me know of any ideas or suggestions for other training sessions that you or your Church would be interested in having.

Applications are being accepted for anyone going on their first International Missions trip with their Church. Please have the form returned to me at least 30 days prior to the trip so that the Committee can review each application.

As always, please let Brenda or me know if we can be of any help to you or your Church!

Dennis

YBA ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pray for this Church Without a Pastor: FRIENDSHIP.

Sandy Springs Baptist Church: We are delighted to announce the birth of Adalyn Faith Carmack born on January 10th, 2026 at 4:39am. Adalyn and her parents (Curtis & Paige) are doing well.

Charity Baptist Church's Care (clothing) Closet will be open on the third Saturday of each month from 9am to 12pm.

Enon Baptist Church's Clothes Closet is open on the first Saturday of each month from 9am to 12pm.

Charity Baptist Church: On Wednesday, February 4th, 2026 at 6:30pm will host the Starmount Girls Basketball team for a meal and Devotions. On Sunday, February 8th, 2026 will be Scout Sunday and Souper Bowl campaign for Yadkin Christian Ministry. On February 21st, 2026, 5pm, we will host a chili supper and a Hee Haw Show.

Aspire Class: The Aspire Class will be held on Tuesday, February 3rd, 2026 at 10am at the YBA office.

YBA Ministers Meeting: The YBA Ministers meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, February 17th, 2026 at 11:30am at the YBA office.

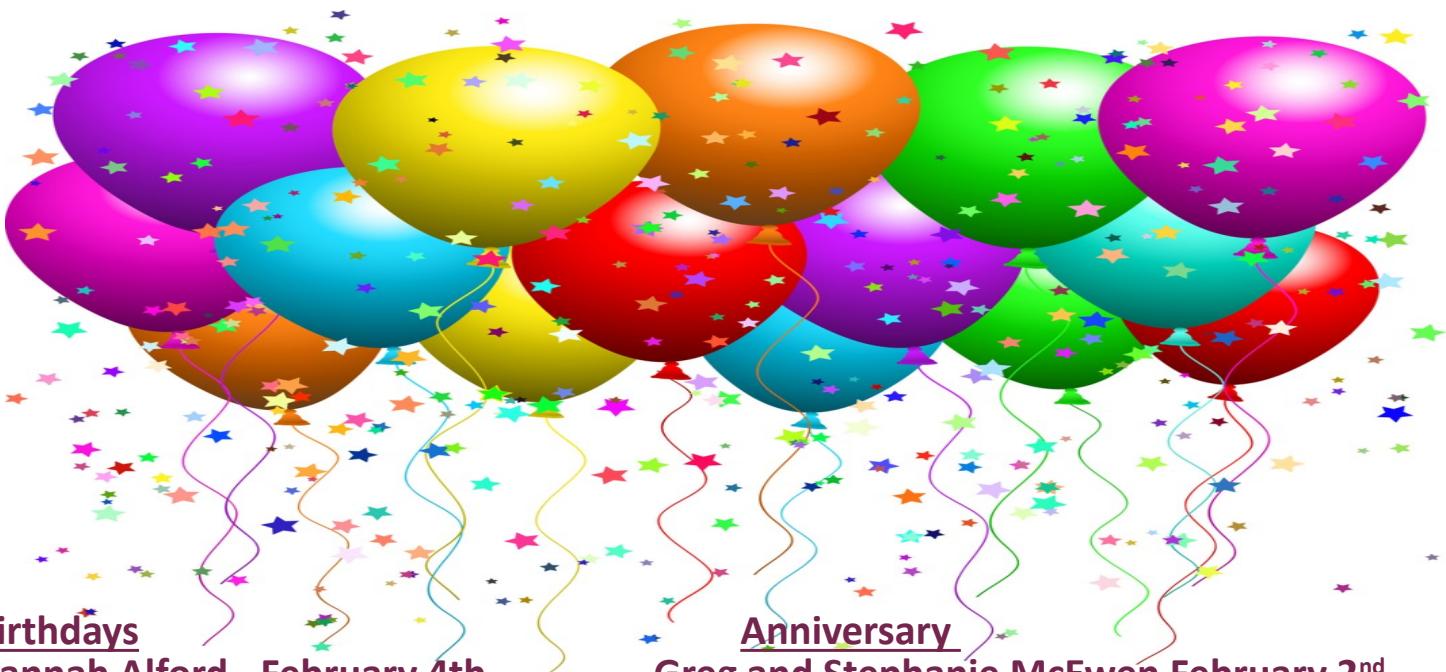
Region 7 Mission Rally 2026: This rally on February 23, 2026 will highlight the variety of opportunities NC Baptists have to be involved in missions across our state, in our nation, and around the world. Featured will be worship, testimony, mission video, and a prayer time for missions. These rallies are for men, women and youth- everyone interested in missions is encouraged to attend. A main focus of these rallies will be state, national, international partnerships and projects (including Disaster Relief) and the NC Missions Offering. Please see the YBA website, calendar tab for more information.

Disciple-Making Conference: Join NC Baptist from across the state to learn from experienced ministry leaders and expand your disciple-making capacity on February 24th, 2026 in Charlotte, NC. Please see the YBA website calendar for details.

22nd Annual Women's Conference: Mountain View Baptist Church's Women's Ministry will be hosting this event on March 7th, 2026 from 9am to 2pm. To register or get more information go to their website: www.knowmvbc.info or on the YBA website.

2026 Vacation Bible School Preview: The 2026 VBS Preview sponsored by the Yadkin Baptist Association will be held on March 22nd, 2026 at Shady Grove Baptist Church from 3-5pm. More details will follow as we move closer to the event date.

Mountain View Baptist Church: Our church will be hosting a one day Missions Conference on Sunday, March 22nd, 2026. We will have two speakers: 10:30am with IMB Missionary Speaker and 6pm with NAMB Missionary Speaker. All are invited to attend.



Birthdays

Hannah Alford

Anita Boggs

Peggy Beavers

February 4th

February 22nd

February 24th

Anniversary

Greg and Stephanie McEwen February 2nd



Union Grove Baptist Church is looking for a part-time Worship Music Leader capable of leading the congregation in worship; directing the Praise Team; giving leadership to the musicians; directing the choir; conducting rehearsals for the praise team and choir. As well as, planning music for special services (Christmas, Easter and Revivals) and ability to develop and oversee the music budget. If interested, please contact Union Grove Baptist Church for more information by phone: (336) 361-5792 or email your resume to Union Grove Baptist Church at ugbcmministry@gmail.com.

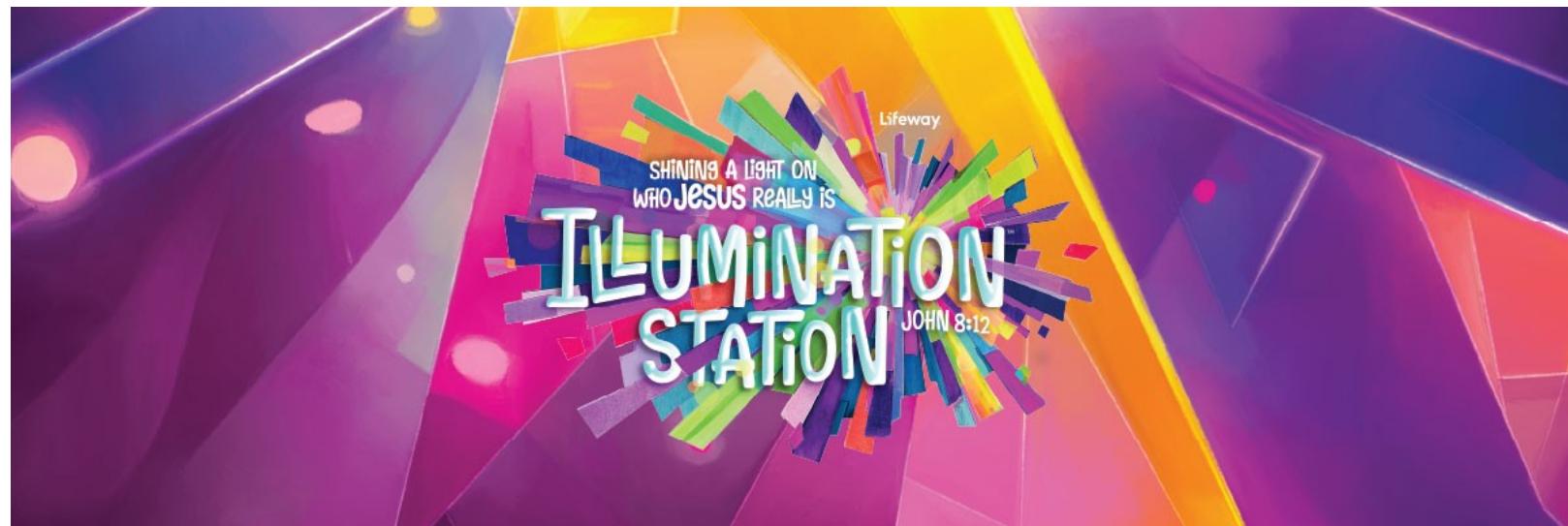
Deep Creek Baptist Church is looking for a Part-time Church Secretary. The work schedule is two days each week from 9am to 2pm. Duties include: production and distribution of the weekly bulletin and monthly newsletter; record and distribute the phone tree messages; forwarding phoned-in benevolence requests to Deacons; taking applications for Fellowship hall rental; and keeping the calendar of church activities (usually from a quarterly planning meeting with the committee chairmen).

NOTE:

Job posting information can be emailed to the YBA office at yadkinbaptist@yadtel.net to be included in our Monthly newsletter. Additional job postings can be found on our website at yadkinbaptistassociation.org.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR YADKIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
CONTRIBUTIONS FROM THE CHURCHES
December and Year to Date Ending December 31, 2025

	<u>December</u>	<u>YTD</u>		<u>December</u>	<u>YTD</u>
ARLINGTON	\$194.54	\$2,459.94	JONESVILLE		\$100.00
BEAR CREEK		\$6,000.00	MAPLEWOOD	\$350.00	\$4,200.00
BETHEL	\$200.00	\$2,400.00	MOUNTAIN VIEW	\$200.00	\$2,400.00
BOONVILLE		\$3,125.00	RICHMOND HILL	\$1,351.10	\$14,467.42
BREAD OF LIFE		\$1,200.00	ROCK SPRING	\$270.00	\$3,925.00
CHARITY	\$512.00	\$6,309.00	SANDY SPRINGS		\$2,400.00
COURNEY	\$1,500.00	\$6,000.00	SHADY GROVE		\$5,400.00
DEEP CREEK	\$1,000.00	\$4,000.00	SOUTH OAK RIDGE		\$7,200.00
EAST BEND	\$67.00	\$804.00	SWAIMS		\$600.00
ENON		\$12,000.00	TRIPLE CROSS		\$300.00
FLAT ROCK	\$175.00	\$2,100.00	UNION GROVE		\$10,000.00
FORBUSH	\$146.47	\$2,080.74	WEST YADKIN		\$2,000.00
FRIENDSHIP	\$125.00	\$1,500.00	FBC YADKINVILLE	\$100.00	\$1,500.00
HSPNC CHURCH		\$2,361.65	ZION	\$125.00	\$1,375.00
HUNTSVILLE		\$2,100.00	TOTAL	\$6,316.11	\$110,307.75
			Other Revenue	\$205.34	\$4,397.21
2025 Budget (Church Contributions) - \$109,584			Total Revenue	\$6,521.45	\$114,704.96
Projected Contributions needed per month - \$9,132					



VBS 2026 Associational Incentive Plan

Dear Associational VBS Promoter:

We continue to celebrate how God worked through Magnified! VBS in 2025!

At Lifeway we know that the local church partnerships you invest in contribute significantly to the success of the VBSs in your community. So, we humbly thank you for your associational VBS leadership and for allowing us to come alongside you in that endeavor. One of the ways we want to support you is through the Association Incentive Plan. The plan is simple. When you register to host a VBS training event, your association becomes eligible to receive a 15% commission on VBS orders placed by the churches attending your in-person or virtual training.

If churches attend your associational training and order VBS 2026 Illumination Station resources from Lifeway, you will receive a check in the amount of 15% of the total church orders. For example, if 10 churches in your association attend the VBS training that you provide and those churches' orders total \$5,000, then your association is eligible to receive 15% or \$750 as an incentive to host the training.

[Click here for the steps to participate in the Association Incentive Plan.](#)

Please contact [Lisa Jennette](#) or [me](#) if you have any questions regarding the 2026 VBS Associational Incentive Plan.

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22ND ANNUAL WOMEN'S CONFERENCE



MARCH 7, 2026

From 9:00AM - 2:00PM

♥Lunch Provided

♥FREE Entry (love offering)

Guest Speaker
MEGAN DICKERSON
meganlisedickerson.com



Guest Testimony
Courtney Sellers

1232 Mountain View Ch Rd Hamptonville, NC 27020

REGISTER NOW

For More Information
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