THE SENTINEL SOUTHSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH

May 2024

And I am sure of this, that he who began a good work in you will bring it to completion at the day of Jesus Christ. ~ Philippians 1:6



Welcome

We are glad you're here!
Southside is a place where you can
Connect with God,
Connect with each other,
Connect with our community.

Sundays at Southside

Join us on Sundays at 10:15 for worship.

Children's Church is available.

We offer Bible Studies during Sunday School at 9am for all age groups.





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Senior Adult Recognition Sunday

Join us on Sunday, May 5th as we honor our Senior Adults and all they do in serving the Lord at Southside.



Congratulations 2024 Graduates!

High School Graduates

Eli Franklin - General Educational Diploma Ethan Leitch - Mooresville High School

College Graduates

Peyton Hayes - East Carolina University (Criminal Justice)
Eliana Henderson - Appalachian State University (Industrial Design)
Ethan Young - Appalachian State University (History Education)



Southside Memorial Service

Join us on <u>Sunday, May 26th</u> during the worship service for a special time of remembrance of our church members who have passed away since last year. A reception for families will follow in the fellowship hall.



Baby Bottle Boomerang

A fundraiser to support the Community Pregnancy Center of Lake Norman

Here's How it Works:

- Take a bottle home bottles will be available Sunday, May 12th
- Pray for the ministry
- Fill the bottles with coins, cash or *checks
- Bring the bottles back on Sunday, June 16th

Online options are available @ PregnancyCenterFriends.org
*If paying by check make payable to Community Pregnancy Center of
Lake Norman





Vacation Bible School

is almost here and we need your help to make it happen! To volunteer see the VBS bulletin board or visit our website www.sbcmooresville.com

VBS is June 10th-14th from 6-8:30pm.

Pre-K4 to 6th Grade

Volunteer Opportunities: teacher/teacher helper, greeter, music, crafts, games, snack, decorations, tech/media

Youth Fort Caswell Summer Camp

June 3rd-June 7th
Camp Fee: \$150 per camper and
is due by <u>Sunday, May 19th</u>

Snacks for Camp

Please consider donating <u>pre-package snacks, juice boxes</u> and bottled water for Fort Caswell summer camp. These items will be collected thru <u>Sunday, June 2nd</u>.

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From the Pastor's Desk...

Every May we make room in our worship service to honor people in our congregation. This May, we honor our seniors on the first Sunday, mothers the second, graduates the third, and last we remember those who have died in the previous year. I say we make room because honoring people is an appropriate way to worship the Lord. By recongnizing our members we glimpse the Lord at work in their lives, and respond in appropriate praise. It's still worship.

My sermon series this month is the book of Esther. In the book you will not find God mentioned by name. The people of God show very little commitment to God's law. The deliverance is brought about by a pagan king's decree. It's all about people. But because Esther is included in the Bible we can see the events and persons in it as fulfilling the plan of God. God can put the spotlight on people and still get His glory!

In a marvelous comment from Joyce Baldwin's commentary she confesses, "As a young and uninformed Christian I had a flawed understanding of how to know God's will for my life. I was looking for something to happen, for some sign, that would clearly tell me where God wanted me to be and what he wanted me to be doing." She continues, "I failed to realize that God's will for my life was being revealed day by day in the unfolding of ordinary events." I would add to that, and ordinary people. "The true test is living for Christ at this present moment, in the place where one happens to be, in whatever situation one finds herself or himself." I pray you have an opportunity to see how the Lord has worked in the lives of our people this May, and give Him glory for it.

~Pastor David Klinedinst

Notes from Director of Music

Much like the sound of birds chirping, Spring rain showers and gentle breezes are music to our ears, so the month of May brings more music to Southside Baptist! Our choir will be singing for our May 5th Senior Sunday Service as well as our May 26th Memorial Day service. If you would like to be a part of the choir or play an insturment and would like to take part in our praise team, please feel free to contact me at ssbcmusicdirector@gmail.com. I pray as God moves at Southside and continues to create new beginnings this spring, He will move within your own walk with Him as well.

Emmalee Rudd SBC Music Director



Calendar or Events

- May 5th- Senior Adult Recognition Sunday & Luncheon
- May 7th- Senior Adult Outreach Breakfast | 8:30am | Corine's Cafe
- May 12th- Mother's Day
- May 12th Community Pregnancy Center Baby Bottle Boomerang begins
- May 16th- Sunshine Club Meeting | 10:30am
- May 19th- Graduation Recognition Sunday
- May 21st- Widowed Luncheon | 11:30am
- May 26th- Southside Memorial Service
- May 27th- Memorial Day | Church Office Closed
- May 28th- Senior Birthday Celebration | 11:30am
- Monday Evenings
 - o REFIT | 6:30pm
- Wednesday Evenings
 - Youth | 6pm-7pm
 - o Prayer Meeting | 6pm-7pm
 - o Praise Team Practice | 7pm-8pm
- Thursday Evenings
 - Choir Practice | 5:30pm | Celebrate Recovery | 6:30pm
- 2nd & 4th Sunday of the Month Youth Bible Study for 7th-12th grade unless holidays or other events conflict



The Sunshine Club will meet on the **2nd Thursday, May 16th,** instead of the usual 2nd Tuesday in May. This change is due to the Iredell County Board of Elections using the fellowship hall on the original day.



The Southside calendar is available on our website at <u>sbcmooresville.com</u> for viewing or printing.



Attendance & Stewardship and Designated Giving April 2024

Attendance			
Date	Sunday School	Worship	
April 7	111	167	
April 14	127	166	
April 21	98	142	
April 28	125	165	

Stewardship Weekly Needs: \$9,383.00			
Date	Tithes	Year to Date	
March 31	\$9,207.00	\$141,821.00	
April 7	\$11,362.00	\$153,183.00	
April 14	\$9,330.00	\$162,513.00	
April 21	\$11,406.00	\$173,919.00	
April 28	\$7,769.00	\$181,688.00	



To give online visit our website sbcmooresville.com and click the giving tab.

Designated Giving		
Celebrate Recovery	\$75.00	
Panama Mission Trip	\$2,350.00	
Annie Armstrong	\$97.00	
Benevolence	\$175.00	
Pregnancy Center	\$40.00	
Church Missions	\$80.00	
Special Ministries	\$515.00	

Memorials/Honorarium

Church Missions:

In memory of Harriet Stewart by Tom & Cindy Nixon; in honor of Shirley Childers by Tom & Cindy Nixon

Special Ministries:

In memory of Harriet Stewart by Jack Combs, Bobbie Towery, Barbara Newton, Patty Lineberger, Joan Bustle, Harriet Moore, Larry Blythe, Ken Rhye, The Wall Family,

Celebrate Recovery:

In memory of Shannon Delp's father by Linda Cox; In memory of Ronald Hockensmith by Earl Underwood

Panama Mission Trip

The Panama Mission team will soon begin to raise funds for our summer mission trip. Each member has to raise \$1,700. More information will be coming soon, so please be praying about how you can support our team.

~Panama Mission Team