



Butner, NC

***“REACH,  
TEACH,  
PREPARE,  
SEND”***

**Sunday, April 12, 2026  
11:00 a.m.  
Worship Service**

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**Order of Service**  
**April 12, 2026**

**Welcome, Announcements, & Invocation** Blaine Britt

**Prelude** Evelyn Davis  
*“All Hail King Jesus Medley”*

**Hymn of Praise** Congregation  
*“Goodness of God”* Ben Fielding; Brian Johnson; Ed Cash;  
Jason Ingram; Jenn Johnson

**Morning Prayer** Dr. Jeff Beckett

**Offertory Hymn, No. 231** Congregation  
*“Come, Christians, Join to Sing”* MADRID

**Offertory Prayer** Jimmy Walker

**Offertory** Evelyn Davis  
*“Because He Lives”*

**Doxology, No. 253** Congregation  
*“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”* OLD 100<sup>TH</sup> (altered)

**Choral Anthem** Adult Choir  
*“How Can It Be?”* arr. Russell Mauldin

**Message** Dr. Jeff Beckett  
*“A Post Easter Quiz”*  
*John 19:16-18*

**Hymn of Invitation, No. 210** Congregation  
*“My Jesus, I Love Thee”* GORDON

**Benediction** Dr. Jeff Beckett



*The flowers in the Sanctuary today are placed to the Glory of God and Jesus  
Christ our Savior given by Jean & Steve Boone.*



## Service Notes

Intro: Today, in the aftermath of Easter, I think we can benefit from some review on the critical but often overlooked “details” of the events around the cross and tomb... *Great events often create “overlooked” details. Let’s take an Easter Quiz! The answers may not prove you are smarter than a 5<sup>th</sup> grader, but they could change your life!*

1. How heavy was the cross Jesus carried and died on?
  - a. John 19:16-18
  - b. Matthew 27:46
  - c. The cross was without a doubt the heaviest object in history considering the combined weight and the prerequisite strength (Isaiah 53:4-5)
2. Why is a torn curtain important when the Savior is dying on a cross?
  - a. Matthew 27:50-51
  - b. Hebrews 10:19-22
  - c. Jesus is the curtain... in flesh... torn for the sins of us all, making a way to God
3. Does an empty tomb really make a difference to my life?
  - a. 1 Cor 15:17-20
4. Why do you seek the living among the dead?
  - a. Eccl 2:11
  - b. Prov 11:19

## Announcements

### Baptist Children's Food Roundup

Providing food for the children and families served through Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina (BCH) is not the end result - it's where compassion begins. When NC Baptists collect needed items for the Food Roundup, you help us serve hundreds of thousands of meals and snacks to children across the state each year. What you do not only opens children's eyes to the compassion and generosity of God's people but, most importantly, it is a first step in opening their hearts to Christ's love. *Collection list is on the board in the office hallway.*

### Baptist Missions Conference

The 2026 Baptist Missions Conference will be held at Hickory Grove Baptist Church, Charlotte, NC 7200 E. WT Harris Blvd, Charlotte, NC 28215 from **Friday, April 10<sup>th</sup>** at 4:30pm to **Saturday, April 11<sup>th</sup>** at 4:00pm. Special features include 100 different breakout sessions, Friday missions' supper, mission testimonies, mission exhibits and much more.

### You're Invited!

The ladies of our church are warmly invited to join the *Ruth Helms Prayer Group* for our monthly time of prayer and fellowship. Our next meeting will be **Tuesday, April 14<sup>th</sup>** at 10am in the Fellowship Hall. Come enjoy a meaningful time of prayer, encouragement, and connection with other women of faith. Whether you've attended before or this will be your first time, we would love to have you join us. We look forward to gathering together in prayer!  
Blessings, Ruth Helms Prayer Group

### Charity Mission Camp – Rose Hill, NC

Join us for a meaningful time at Charity Mission Camp on Thursday, May 21<sup>st</sup> through Saturday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>. Stay Options: Come for the whole weekend, one night, or just a day. Cost: \$25 per night.

**Register by: April 19<sup>th</sup>.** This event is organized by the Heart Sisters and is open to everyone - we'd love to have you join us! Questions? See Tammy Duke for more details. Come connect, serve, and grow - we hope to see you there!

### Scholarship Application

If you are a graduating senior from a public, private, charter school, or are home-schooled and are actively involved at First Baptist Church of Butner, you are eligible to apply for our scholarship. The scholarship application is due **Monday, April 21<sup>st</sup>**, no later than 4pm.

## FRBA Women's Conference

Flat River Baptist Association will have a Women's Missionary Conference on **Friday, May 15<sup>th</sup>** with a dinner starting at 6:30pm located at Brassfield Baptist Church in Creedmoor. All women are invited to attend. We want this to be a time of fellowship, networking, and praising the Lord. The mission project for this Conference is to collect gift cards to Amazon, Walmart, and Food Lion so that Mother Love INC. can purchase what is needed. If you plan to attend, please fill out the registration form **no later than Wednesday, May 6<sup>th</sup>** so that the host church can prepare the meal. You can get the registration forms from Leslie at the Church office.

## VBS 2026 Illumination Station

VBS will be **July 19<sup>th</sup> - 23<sup>rd</sup>**. There will be classes for all ages, and we need lots of volunteers! The sign-up is available in Realm to volunteer. If you have questions about how you can help serve, please contact Cecily. This will be a fun theme with a great message! We hope to see you all there!



## Butner Church Council Food Pantry Needs

Canned no salt added vegetables, mac & cheese, muffin or biscuit mix (such as Jiffy or Martha White, but any kind will do). Anything in the above and more would be greatly appreciated. May you be blessed by the mercy you extend to others, and may it come back to you in your own time of great need. ***Special Needed Items:*** Toilet paper, sanitary items, diapers (any size) and baby wipes.

**CCM Toy Ministry:** Items for Christmas Stockings:

**April** – Ladies socks size 4-10

**Central Regional Hospital:** In continuous need of used magazines.

- ❖ Collection bins for all mission needs are labeled and are in the office hallway unless otherwise noted.

**Luke 1:37**

**For with God  
nothing shall be  
impossible.**

**Hospital/Health Concerns:**

Jimmy Walker  
Jane Frost  
Paul Medlin  
John Howell  
Allan Kempinski  
Lynda James  
Nancy & Robert Rogers  
Fran Strickland

**Homebound:**

Joy Hicks  
Paulette Duke  
JoAnne Fields  
Jack Parrish  
Goldie Woodlief  
Frances Blackley  
Mary Ellen Forsythe

**Nursing/Retirement/Rehab:**

Hazel Andrews, Terra Bella  
Hillsborough  
Maxine Rogers-Byrd,  
Eno Pointe

***Remembering you  
in prayer...  
keeping you close  
in thought.***



## WEEKLY CALENDAR

### Sunday, April 12

- 9:30 a.m. Sunday School (Nursery-Adult)
- 11:00 a.m. Worship Service
- 12:00 p.m. Special Called Business Meeting (Voting)
- 12:15 p.m. Parent Summer Camp Meeting (FH)

### Monday, April 13

- 6:30 p.m. Heart Sisters Meeting (FLC)

### Tuesday, April 14

- 9:30 a.m. Staff Meeting and Bible Study (Ends at 11 a.m.)
- 10:00 a.m. Ruth Helms Prayer Group

### Wednesday, April 15

- 5:45 p.m. Fellowship Meal: Chick-Fil-A (Ferrell Team)
- 6:30 p.m. Younger Children's Bible Study
- 6:30 p.m. Older Children's Bible Study
- 6:30 p.m. Youth Bible Study
- 6:30 p.m. Young Adult Bible Study
- 6:30 p.m. Adult Bible Study
- 7:30 p.m. Choir Practice

### Thursday, April 16

- 8:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study (FH)

### Saturday, April 18

- 9:30 a.m. Heart Sisters Meeting for Cookout Plans (FLC)
- 11:00 a.m. Praise Pals (Gym)
- 5:00 p.m. Mischief (FLC)

### Sunday, April 19

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- 11:00 a.m. Worship Service



<b>Children's Helpers</b>		
<b>Location:</b>	<b>April 12</b>	<b>April 19</b>
Nursery	Meghan & Matt Harrison	Cecily McDowell & Mandy Davis
Pre-K Church	Deborah & Tracy Ferrell	Liz Davis
Children's Church	Cecily McDowell & Lisa Clark	Tracy & Jeff Teal

<b>Deacon Assignments</b>		
	<b>April 12</b>	<b>April 19</b>
Deacon of the Week Main Door	Jimmy Walker	Esper Wilkins
Sunday School Door	Esper Wilkins	Tommy Faircloth

**Attendance For Last Sunday**

Sunday School  
 Members in class – 55  
 Members On-Line – 2  
 Worship Service – 215

**Financial Report**

**Receipts for April 2026  
 available 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of May**

**April 2026  
 General Budget Needs  
 \$35,691.20**

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 for Giving**

