

July 19, 2026
Ten O'clock in the Morning

~ Anonymous (ad.), in James Dalton Morrison, ed., Masterpieces of Religious Verse, Baker Books, Grand Rapids, 1948, No. 236.

PRELUDE *Sortie on Simple Gifts* Martin Ellis
Anne McClain, *organist*

† HYMN OF PRAISE 56 *Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah* CWM RHONDDA

The Lord delivers us from the bonds and burdens of our offenses, real and imagined;
the Lord forgives our sins, what we have done and what we have not done;
the Lord pardons our transgressions of thought, word, and deed;
the Lord restores to us the joy of our salvation and gives us peace;
and regardless of all that we are and all that we are not, the Lord is our friend.
Thanks be to God for these, the gifts of grace.

Teach me, O Lord, your way, that I may walk in your truth;
Give me an undivided heart to revere and lift up your name.
 I give thanks to you, O Lord my God, with my whole heart;
I will glorify your name forever and ever.
 For great is your faithful love and mercy toward me;
You have delivered my soul from the depths of the grave.
 You, O Lord, are a God both merciful and gracious;
Slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.
 Turn to me always and be gracious to me;
Keep me in your favor, for you have helped me and comforted me. Amen.

EPISTLE	Romans 8: 18-24	Joe Turlington, <i>Deacon</i>
	Now hope that is seen is not hope; for who hopes for what can be seen? But if we hope for what we do not see, we wait for it with patience.	

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP Mr. Beddingfield

Nursery Today: Carrie Royal
Nursery July 19: Chloe Clayton

† *Worshippers are invited to stand.*

TODAY, July 19th
Sunday School
Friends Class: 9:00 a.m.
Sarah’s Open Door Class: 9:00 a.m.
Children: 9:00 a.m. (Library)
Youth: 9:00 a.m. (Family Life Center)
Worship Service: 10:00 a.m. (Sanctuary)
No Kids’ Church in July
Luncheon to Discuss Proposed Revisions to Bylaws:
immediately following worship (Fellowship Hall)

WEDNESDAY, July 22nd
CHURCH BUSINESS MEETING: 6:30 p.m. (Fellowship Hall)

JULY 2026
26 Sunday School
Friends Class: 9:00 a.m.
Sarah’s Open Door Class: 9:00 a.m.
Children: 9:00 a.m. (Library)
Youth: 9:00 a.m. (Family Life Center)
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28 Nominating Committee Meeting: 6:30 p.m. (Fellowship Hall)

29 Summer Choir Rehearsal IV: 6:30 p.m. (Sanctuary)

31 VBS 2026 HIGH TIDE: 4:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

AUGUST 2026
1 VBS 2026 HIGH TIDE: 10:00 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

2 Sunday School
Friends Class: 9:00 a.m.
Sarah’s Open Door Class: 9:00 a.m.
Children: 9:00 a.m. (Library)
Youth: 9:00 a.m. (Family Life Center)
VBS 2026 and Worship Service: 10:00 a.m. (Sanctuary)
lunch to follow in the Fellowship Hall

5 No Wednesday Night Activities

Ways to Donate to MBC:

- Offering plates during the Offertory portion of our service.
- Mailing a check payable to: Memorial Baptist Church P.O. Box 485 Buies Creek, NC 27506
- Our website at www.memorialbcnc.org by clicking the Donate tab.
- Scanning the QR Code shown here on your mobile device.

Memorial Baptist invites you to join us at BUIES CREEK BEACH

The waves are high, the sun is bright,
Come learn about God’s power and might!
From sandy shores to deep blue seas,
We’ll ride the waves with Psalm 93!

Friday, July 31 — 4-7:30pm
Saturday, August 1 — 10am - 1:30pm
Sunday, August 2 — 10am-Lunch

VBS 2026 July 31–Aug 2

The sound of the water is loud; the ocean waves are powerful,
but the Lord above is much greater. ~ Psalm 93:4

Please contact Meredith Craddock or the church office for more info.

Go to this link to register: https://forms.gle/FP91qQXq6mhME5cUA

APPALACHIAN CHRISTMAS BACKPACKS

For July, we will collect: Socks

Place items in the plastic tote in the hallway.

We also welcome monetary donations to go toward the purchase of backpacks and Bibles. Designate your donation as ‘Backpacks.’

CHURCH MISSION PROJECTS

- Harnett Food Pantry: collecting non-perishable foods
Needed for July - - Canned Fruit
Monetary donations to MBC are also welcome; designate as ‘Food Pantry.’
- Buddy Backpack: collecting sandwich crackers “nabs”
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Other Staff: By Appointment



Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 19, 2026

Memorial Baptist Church is an inviting, inclusive, Christ-centered community of faith open to all persons who want to walk with us in following the way of Jesus. If you mourn and need comfort; if you’re weary and need rest; if you feel friendless and need friendship; if you need a Savior; if you need love; if you need help; whoever you are and whatever your circumstances, we open the door and in the name of Jesus bid you come.

The Rev. Edward Beddingfield, Pastor
Meredith Lanier Craddock, Associate Pastor
Dr. Phillip and Susan Morrow, Ministers of Music
Anne McClain, Organist
Ashley Nelson, Administrative Assistant
Xiomara Felix, Custodian