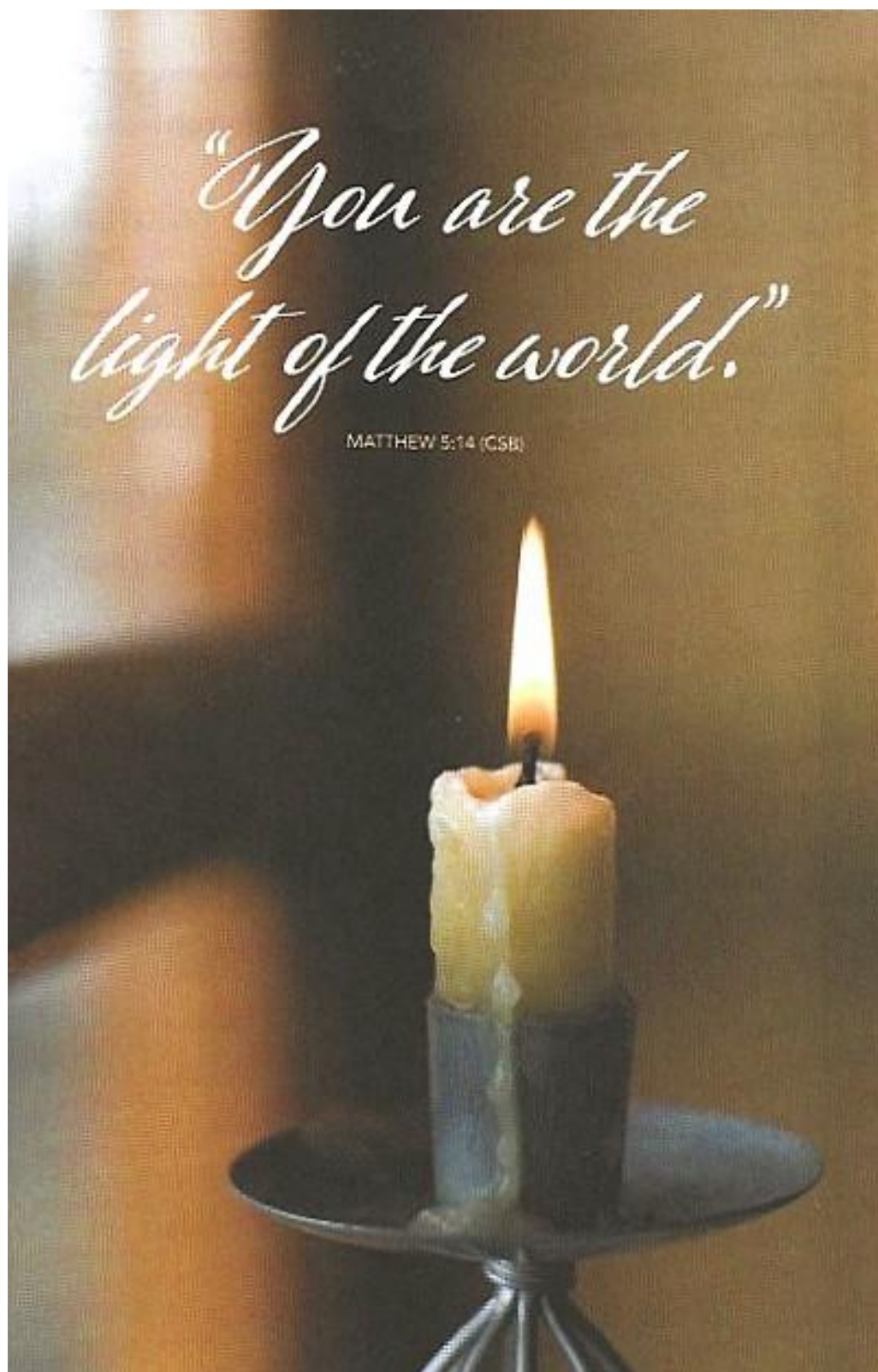


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Welcome to Blue Ridge Baptist Church



Sunday, December 7, 2025

Rev. John Carney

Emily Roney, Bro. John

Linda Graydon

Susan Hansen

Jim Harris

David Brown, Buddy Davis, Dan Bass, Vince Bennett, Jim Harris, Scott Stevenson Sound Engineers

Pastor

Worship Leader

Pianist

Financial Secretary

Web Master

Thank you to Linda Graydon and Bro. John for leading us in Worship today.

Welcome and Family News

Rev. John Carney

Call to Worship 89

"O Come, All Ye Faithful"

Hymn 91

"Silent Night"

Fellowship Hymn 87

"Joy to the World!"

Worship Through Our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Hymn 100

"Angels We Have Heard on High"

Special Music

Linda Graydon

Children's Sermon and Children's Church

Morning Message

Rev. John Carney

Invitation Hymn 330

"Amazing Grace"

Come to pray sitting on the two front pews, pray with Bro. John at the altar, or pray at the altar. Come and declare your faith in Christ as your Savior. Join this great church family by transferring your letter, by statement that you are a baptized believer, to share your desire to be baptized, or to share your decision for a recommitment to Christ as your Lord and Savior.



Baptism of Jim and Joni Musser

Closing Hymn 95

"Go Tell It on the Mountain"



Today We Celebrate the Ordinance of Baptism with Our Newest Members,
Jim and Joni Musser



*Please Join Us for our Annual
Churchwide Christmas Dinner
Next Sunday, December 14
At Five o'clock in the evening.*

*Bring your friends and family and your favorite Christmas
Dinner side dishes and desserts. The
Social Committee will provide the turkey and ham.*



Our Christmas Angel Families are Here!

See the angels and parents on the bulletin board outside Jackie's office.
You may take a picture of the angel(s) you want to give Christmas gifts to
and be sure you sign up your name, the Angel you will provide for, and
gifts you plan to give. If you don't know what gifts you will give today, text
or call to let us know. This way, we will be sure to cover their list. The full
custodial father and his children have recently lost their home in a fire.
They could use any household goods you want to share, WalMart gift
cards, along with their Christmas wishes. The other family is still in a
secured place through the Sunshine Center. See Jackie if you have
questions. You will receive a blessing as you give to these in need.

Please have your wrapped gifts here by Wednesday, December 17th.

Blue Ridge This Week

December 7, 2025

- 9:45 am Coed II Sunday School
10:00 am Coed I Sunday School, Preschool and Children's Classes
11:00 am Morning Praise and Worship
5:00 pm Bible Study with Bro. John

Monday, December 8

- 7:00 pm Visit prospects and absentees with Bro. John

Wednesday, December 9

- 5:00 pm Bible Study



Our Ladies' Ornament Exchange Breakfast in the Church Fellowship Hall this morning was fun as we celebrated our love and thankfulness of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ at His birth. Thank you to our wonderful 'Kenee' Miller for providing a big delicious breakfast.



We traveled to Eclectic for the Walk Through Nativity this past week. Everyone enjoyed their very nice presentation.



Deck the Halls of the Church

Thank you to our Flower Committee and friends who came together yesterday morning at 9:30 am to prepare our church inside for our celebration of our Savior's birth. Be sure to tell them how pretty everything looks. Our decorators were: Buddy and Shirley Davis, Fay Milton, Bonnie Ryals, Jim and Joni Musser, Jim Beck, Linda Graydon, JoAnn Woodfin, David Funchess, Bro. John and Jackie, who did her part on the night before. Thank you to Joni Musser for the gifts of the pew bow arrangements and to, Bonnie Ryals and Mary Ryals for helping her. They are beautiful!

Reminder:

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If you have extra tithes and offerings you would like to send, please turn them in to the church by Tuesday, December 30 for your tax records.

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Thank You for the Beautiful Poinsettias



Given in Memory of

Cheryl Lynn, their daughter by Jim and Barbara Harris

Peggy Beck, his wife, by Jim Beck

Gary Ryals, her husband, by Bonnie Ryals

Their parents, by Rocky and Wendy Aldridge

Louis and Deetsie Rogers, her parents by Brian and Susan Hansen

Joe and Kate Hansen and Bill Hansen by Brian and Susan Hansen

Their Mothers, Donna Miller and Carol Johnson by Dave and Becky Miller

Her parents by JoAnn Woodfin

Ruby Burnette, Shirley's Mom, by Buddy and Shirley Davis

Ruby Holley, Buddy's Mom, by Buddy and Shirley Davis

Their Parents and Grandparents, by Bro. John and Jackie Carney

Given in Honor and Memory of

Their Family, by Bro. John and Jackie Carney



Poinsettias for the Sanctuary



Please fill out this form if you would like to provide a poinsettia in Memory or in Honor of someone special to you. They will beautify the Sanctuary for this Christmas. You may take them with you on Sunday, December 21 after our Candlelight and Carols Service. The cost of a large plant is \$18.00 and the small is \$9.00.

Your Name _____

In Memory of _____

In Honor of _____

How many _____ Size _____



How to Share Your Tithes and Offerings Today

You may place your tithes and offerings in the plates at the two doors of the Sanctuary. Please place your visitor's information and prayer requests there. You may give online, www.blueridgebaptistchurch.net through the Baptist Foundation where all giving is private and secure.



Welcome to Our Visitors



Come and worship in God's peace and beauty of Blue Ridge. We welcome our visitors today. Thank you for joining us. Please fill out the attached visitor's form and place it in the offering plate.

Visit us at www.blueridgebaptistchurch.net to see events, pictures, sermons, and a private, secure giving site, all done by our Webmaster, Jim Harris. There are so many pictures to see and information to gather. Thank you, Jim, for an excellent website. It is always up to date!



WEEK OF PRAYER *for International Missions*

2025 PRAYER GUIDE



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November 30–December 7, 2025

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