



Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness.
For we do not know what to pray for as we ought,
but the Spirit himself intercedes for us
with groanings too deep for words.

ROMANS 8:26 (ESV)



BLUE RIDGE BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday, March 22 2026

Rev. John Carney
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Sound Engineers: David Brown, Buddy Davis, Dan Bass, Vincent Bennett, Jim Harris, Scott Stevenson

Thank you to Robert Wynn and Bro. John for leading us in Worship today.

Welcome and Family News

Rev. John Carney

Call to Worship Insert

"Sweeter Than the Day Before"

Hymn 438

"Heaven Came Down"

Fellowship Hymn 544

"Redeemed, How I Love to Proclaim It"

Offertory Hymn 256

"Father, I Adore You"

Worship Through Our Tithes and Offerings

Special Music

Robert Wynn

Morning Message

Rev. John Carney

Hymn of Invitation 606

"I Gave My Life for Thee"

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.

Closing Hymn 243

"Sweet, Sweet Spirit"



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. You may include any prayer requests or hand them to Bro. John as you are leaving.

Sermon Notes
"Who's Your One?" Week Four

The Holy Spirit is their ONLY Hope. Eph. 1:13

Pray that they will be _____ by the Spirit. Ezekiel 11:19

Pray that the Holy Spirit will _____ them that they need Jesus.

John 16:8

When will they receive the Spirit?

What is Your part?

Their Heart must be READY. Mark 4:3-9

The seed is the _____. The soil is their _____.

Pray that their heart will be _____. Matthew 19:24-26

Our hope and prayers are found in verse 9.

Obstacles Must Fall. Mark 10:21-22

Three Thoughts: Jesus _____ them and they _____ to follow Him, but they think that the _____ is too high.

We must convince them that Jesus is the _____ Treasure.

Matt 13:45-46

You are in the _____ Business.

"How to Be a Contagious Christian"

Be Ready to Share. Acts 2:37-38

It is great to take them to a Gospel Presentation, but it is even better for _____ to share it with them.

Two Last Thoughts:

The World is _____, I Cor. 15:54-57

God is _____ for your ONE. II Peter 3:8-9

Who is Your One?

Have you invited them to Easter at Blue Ridge?

The Roman Road

Stop One Rm. 3:23 Our Need

Stop Two Rm. 5:8 His Love

Stop Three Rm. 6:23 Consequences and Hope

Stop Four Rm. 8:1 What is Offered

Stop Five Rm. 10:9,10,13 How to Receive

Sweeter Than the Day Before

ROBERT C. LOVELESS

WENDELL P. LOVELESS

Ev - ery day with Je - sus Is sweet - er than the day be - fore;

Ev - ery day with Je - sus, I love Him more and more;

Je - sus saves and keeps me, And He's the One I'm liv - ing for:

Ev - ery day with Je - sus Is sweet - er than the day be - fore.

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Palm Sunday is Next Sunday, March 29, 2026

Our Palm Sunday Processional in Morning Worship

Our BRBC Players Present Our Easter Play in Morning Worship

Then....

Our Annual Easter Egg Hop out in front of the church 3:00-5:00 pm

*The kids will hop from car trunk to car trunk for Easter treats
and will play games with our church family.*

A Chicken nugget and hotdog supper will be prepared for all.

Announcement:

We will not have our Youth Fundraiser Lunch this week because we will have our Easter Egg Hop and a snack supper next week.



Christ Is Risen! Join Us In Worship and Praise

- 9:00 am** Our Beautiful Courtyard Service
- 9:30 am** Easter Morning Breakfast
- 10:00 am** Bible Study Meetings for All Ages
- 11:00 am** Our Morning Worship Celebration

**Support Home Missions in the U.S. and Canada
Through your Prayers and Offerings.**



Offering Envelopes are located next to the Offering Plates.



Our Love and Sympathy

Our Christian love and sympathy are expressed to the family of Dee Blake, her husband Henry, daughter Donna, and her family, and her son, Hank and wife Becky in her passing. She had a large family. She loved Blue Ridge and our church family. We will truly miss her.

† Blue Ridge This Week †

Today, March 22, 2026

9:45 am Coed II Sunday School Class
10:00 am Coed I, Preschool, Children's, and Youth Classes
11:00 am Morning Praise and Worship
5:00 pm Afternoon Bible Study

Wednesday, March 24

5:00 pm Bible Study with Bro. John

Thursday, March 25

10:00 am Lunch Bunch



Our New Church Directories Are Here!

Every year Jackie puts a new directory together with all our addresses and phone numbers, but this year we have added pictures of all who were willing. This has been a two month long work of information. We sought to get updated addresses, email addresses, and phone numbers Thank you to Joni and Jim Musser for taking professional pictures starting in January. Then Bro. John called everybody who missed out on that to be sure they sent photos in to be included if they wanted to be included. They were sent to Jackie where she and Bro. John placed them in computer files that helped alphabetize all pictures. We sent those to Jim Harris who then put the directory together and added the spiral connection and the nice clear cover pafe. They look very nice!

Important:

PLEASE DO NOT COPY THE DIRECTORY INTO YOUR COMPUTER, FACEBOOK, OR ANY DOCUMENT OTHER THAN YOUR OWN FAMILY PICTURE. THIS PREVENTS LAWSUITS AND OTHER LEGAL PROBLEMS.

Prayer
Changes
Things



Afternoon Bible Study and Prayer Time at Blue Ridge
We offer great Bible Study two times every week for everybody to join us in the Fellowship Hall.

Wednesdays at 5:00 pm

Characters: The Prophets of the Bible

Sundays at 5:00 pm

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