

Welcome to Grace Baptist Church

The Grace Church family welcomes our guests today. As a guest, you are invited to register your presence today on the 'Encouragement Pad' as it is passed during the service. Our desire is to simply get to know you as well as share what God is doing through Grace Baptist Church.

THIS WEEK @ GRACE

DEACON OF THE WEEK: Gordon MacKenzie (843) 992-5516

SUNDAY, August 10

Morning Fellowship (coffee, snacks, etc. available in the CLC) Bible Study Groups for all ages 9:30 am Morning Worship with the Lord's Supper 10:30 am Nursery available for infants on the Children's Wing Kids Worship (Preschool - 2nd Grade dismissed after Children's Sermon)

MONDAY, August 11 (Ecclesiastes 1-4)

TUESDAY, August 12 (Ecclesiastes 5-8)	
Ladies Mid-Morning Bible Study	10:00 am
Building Steering Team	6:30 pm

WEDNESDAY, August 13 (Ecclesiastes 9-12)

Children in Action	6:30 pm
GBC Students Ministry	6:30 pm
Adult Discipleship Groups	6:30 pm
Pastor's Prayer & Bible Study Group	6:30 pm

THURSDAY, August 14 (Song of Songs 1-3)

Men's Study Group @ Long Grain Restaurant 6:15 am

FRIDAY, August 15 (Song of Songs 4-8)

SATURDAY, August 16 (Psalm 34)

The scripture references listed above correlate to the church's Bible Study passage in The Gospel Project. You are encouraged to read and reflect on each passage this week while asking God to speak to you.

FOLLOW GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH



@ Grace Baptist Church (Florence, SC)





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GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH OFFICE

Hours: Monday - Thursday (8:30 am - 1:00 pm) Email: aracebaptistch@bellsouth.net **Phone:** 843.662.5122

You Can Join the Grace Baptist Church Family In One of the Following Ways

- *By profession of your trust in Jesus followed by baptism.
- *By baptism. If you have previously made a public profession of your trust in Jesus but have not followed Jesus in baptism. (We practice immersion.)
- *By statement. If you have previously made a public profession of your trust in Jesus and have followed Him in baptism (by immersion) but do not belong to a Baptist church.
- *By transfer from another Baptist church. We will write to request your letter of membership.

For more information about your desire to join Grace Baptist Church please fill out the "Worship Registration" form on the website or call the church office and schedule time to talk with the pastor.



GraceBaptist**Church**

August 10, 2025

2400 W. 3rd Loop Rd., Florence, SC 29501 (843) 662-5122 www.gotogbc.com

> John M. Collins, Pastor (843) 687-5298

Matt Sims, Worship Leader

We're making disciples who love the Lord, love one another and love the lost.



The Choice

Joshua 24:1-28

21 Days of Prayer for Florence - August 4-22

Followers of Jesus from churches throughout Florence are gathering to pray for God to move in Florence believing this time will be a powerful season of unity. You are invited to be a part of this prayer time Mon-Fri, 6:00 am - 7:00 am. A different church is hosting each week. Here are the host chuches for the coming weeks: August 11-15 @ Strong Tower (320 E National Cemetery), August 18-22 @ Trinity Presbyterian (1021 Ebenezer).

OPPORTUNITY TO HELP THE MANNA HOUSE

The Manna House is a soup kitchen and food pantry for those in need in the Florence community. Items are being collected by the Tuesday Morning Ladies Bible Study Group for the Manna House and you can help. During the month of August the following THE MANNA items are requested: Cereal, grits, oatmeal, bottle water, toilet paper, paper towels HOUSE and wet wipes.

If you would like to donate please bring the items by Sunday, August 31st. A collection box is in the Community Life Center.

Darlington Raceway Ministry

Under the leadership of the Florence Baptist Association, churches are engaging in ministry at the NASCAR race events on the weekend of August 30-31. Grace Baptist is forming a team of volunteers to serve on Sunday, August 31 from 3:00 pm - 6:00 pm assisting at the ministry tent passing out water and helping with packing up at ministry tent. If you would like to be involved please contact Pastor John or call the church office.



The Grace Church family collected 54 "Welcome Bags" for

Baptist Collegiate Ministry the Baptist Collegiate Ministry at Francis Marion University.

Please pray for the BCM as they share the gospel with the FMU students.



Engaging Students Grades 6-12 with Jesus

BIBLE STUDY - Sundays @ 9:30 am YOUTH GROUP - Wed. @ 6:30 pm

GBC KIDS

KID'S WORSHIP

Kids, Preschool - 2nd Grade, are dismissed and escorted to the Kid's Worship following the Children's Sermon during Worship. Parents are asked to pick-up their children after Worship in the Children's Wing.

Kid's Worship Leaders

Todav: Bill & Rita Russell 08/17: Marcie Bailey & Ashton Kinney 08/25: Leigh Coker & Angie Hill

CHILDREN IN ACTION

Kids meet on Wednesdays, 6:30 pm, to engage in missions, both learning about missions & hands CHILdren, In -on mission projects.

Is God Calling You?

Opportunities are available to share the love and gospel of Jesus with elementary school children through the Good News Club at Delmae Elementary beginning Thursday, September 11.

Training will be provided and a background check is required. To volunteer or simply to



receive more information please contact Marcie Bailey (843.992.4335).

A planning meeting is scheduled for Thursday. August 28 at 1 pm.

Thank You for all who donated to help the A Choice to Make "Baby Bottle Campaign".



Total Amount Given of \$729.16

FINANCIAL RECORD

Giving for the Weeks of August 5, 2025 Weekly Budget Needs - 6,389,47

Budget Gifts 5.902.00 Buildina Fund 883.00 Loving the Lost 265.00 Stewardship Expenses 15.80 Vacation Bible School 20.00 Benevolence 138.00

Total Gifts 7.223.80

2025 Budget (as of August 5, 2025)

Needs: \$ 198,073.57 \$ 180,209.16 Receipts: Expenses: \$ 189,484.32

Thank you for your faithful gifts.

