



## 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: Derman Hodge (843) 407-8402

#### **SUNDAY, August 31**

Morning Fellowship (coffee, snacks, etc. available in the CLC)

Bible Study Groups for all ages

9:30 am

Morning Worship

10:30 am

Nursery available for infants on the Children's Wing

Kids Worship (Preschool - 2nd Grade dismissed after Children's Sermon)

Darlington Raceway Ministry

3:00 pm - 6:00 pm

#### **MONDAY, September 1** (1 Kings 11:1-13)

**Church Office Closed - Labor Day**

#### **TUESDAY, September 2** (1 Kings 11:14-43)

Ladies Mid-Morning Bible Study

10:00 am

#### **WEDNESDAY, September 3** (1 Kings 12:1-19)

Grace 242 Meal & Fellowship

6:30 pm

Worship Choir Begins

7:30 pm

#### **THURSDAY, September 4** (1 Kings 12:20-24)

Men's Study Group @ Long Grain Restaurant

6:15 am

#### **FRIDAY, September 5** (2 Chronicles 9:29 - 11:4)

#### **SATURDAY, September 6** (Psalm 72)

*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)



@gbcflo



@gracebaptistchurch1567



### GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH OFFICE

Hours: Monday - Thursday (8:30 am - 1:00 pm)

Phone: 843.662.5122

Email: [gracebaptistch@bellsouth.net](mailto:gracebaptistch@bellsouth.net)

### 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.*



# GraceBaptistChurch

August 31, 2025

2400 W. 3rd Loop Rd., Florence, SC 29501

(843) 662-5122

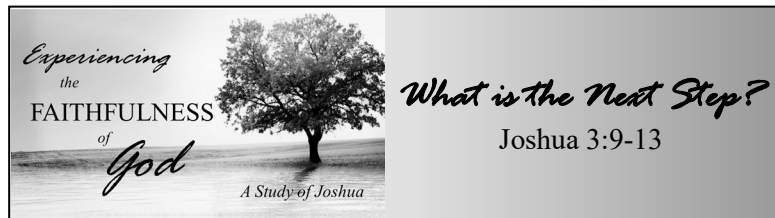
[www.gotogbc.com](http://www.gotogbc.com)

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.*



### FBA Senior Adult Rally

Tuesday, September 16th at 10:00 am  
Calvary Baptist Church, 915 Cherokee Rd.

*Don't miss this great opportunity to enjoy fellowship and encouragement.*

The program will feature the music of **The Singing Churchmen** and **Humorist Glen Ward**.

While there is no cost for this event but a love offering will be received.  
No lunch will be served.

### 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 items are requested: Cereal, grits, oatmeal, bottle water, toilet paper, paper towels and wet wipes.

**If you would like to donate please bring the items by Today.**

A collection box is in the Community Life Center.



### Grace Family Night Fellowship Meal

Wednesday, September 3 - 6:30 pm

**Menu:** Beef Stew with Potatoes & Carrots, Rice, Green Beans, Bread, Dessert and Drink

**COSTS:** \$5.00 for adults (12 & older), \$3.00 for children (ages 3-11) or a maximum of \$20.00 per family.

**RESERVATIONS ARE NEEDED BY TUESDAY, September 2nd.**

To make reservations call or email Laura, our Ministry Assistant, (843) 662-5122 or gracebaptistch@bellsouth.net or write on the encouragement pad.

### GRACE WORSHIP CHOIR REHEARSAL RESUMES

Now is the time to join the Worship Choir as they resume practice and begin preparing for Christmas. Rehearsals will be Wednesdays, 7:30 pm beginning Sept 3.

For more information see Matt.

### GBC KIDS

#### KID'S WORSHIP

Kids, Preschool - 5th 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

Today: Jean Sims & Ashlynn Bailey (P)  
Rita Russell & Caleb Bailey (C)  
09/07: Melanie Collins (P),  
Teri Brehio & Brodie Hickson ©  
09/14: Ruth Sims & Maria Buie (P)  
Abbie Bailey & Hilary Faircloth (C)

#### CHILDREN IN ACTION

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



#### GRACE KIDS CHOIR

Kids, 1st—5th Grade, are invited to join in the preparation of the Christmas Musical. Practice begins on Sunday, September 7, 5:00 pm.

### 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).



**Grace Student Ministry**

Engaging Students Grades 6-12 with Jesus

BIBLE STUDY - Sundays @ 9:30 am

YOUTH GROUP - Wed. @ 6:30 pm

### FINANCIAL RECORD

#### Giving for the Weeks of August 27, 2025

Weekly Budget Needs - 6,389.47

Budget Gifts	6,619.19
Loving the Lost	110.00
Building Fund	235.00
Stewardship Expenses	.50
Kingdom Growth	1,865.07
<b>Total Gifts</b>	<b>8,829.76</b>

*Thank you for your faithful gifts.*

