



Newsletter | November 18, 2023



Food Pantry Items Needed | Now - Dec. 12th

Our food pantry was depleted after this week's food distribution. We had 66 families that we served this week. Please help us replenish our food pantry before our next distribution on Dec. 12th. Items needed include: canned meat, macaroni & cheese, spaghetti, spaghetti sauce, canned fruit, canned vegetables, peanut butter, and jelly.

Bridge Point Stocking Ministry | Now - Dec. 3rd

BBC Women's Ministry is collecting items to fill Christmas stockings to give the residents of Bridge Point Center in Florence. We will be filling stockings for both men & women. All items should be returned by **Sunday, Dec. 3rd**. Place the donated items in the containers next to the Welcome Desk. For items needed, please see the flyer at the Welcome Desk.

Men's Breakfast | Nov. 18th | 8 am

All men are invited to our next breakfast on Saturday, Nov. 18th in the Lower Level Fellowship Hall of the Main Building. Come join us for good food, fun, and fellowship! Please register by clicking [here](#).

Men's Shoot at Elk Creek | Nov. 18th | 10:00 am

BBC Men's Ministry would like all men to join them at Elk Creek Sporting Clays in Owenton to shoot sporting clays. The cost is \$45 and includes 100 targets. If you have questions, please see Brad Rathbun. Please register by clicking [here](#).

Surviving the Holidays | Nov. 19th | 2 pm

Grief is harder around the holidays. Facing this season while grieving can sometimes feel like taking one step forward and 2 steps back. This 2-hour Surviving the Holidays event will prepare you to navigate the season's changes. If you've lost a loved one, please feel free to join us in the Children's Multipurpose Room in the Lower Level for this event. For more information or questions, please see Aimee Grant.

Run Turkey Run | Nov. 23rd | 9 am

Join us for our 12th Annual Run Turkey Run 5k Run/Walk at Idlewild Park. The run is chip-timed. We will only be accepting online registrations. Please click [here](#) to register.

All Day Crafting/Scrapbooking | Nov. 24th

If you craft or scrapbook, please join us in the lower level fellowship hall for a fun day of crafting. If you need more information, please contact Rhonda House at 859-802-8128.

Hanging of the Green Service | Nov. 26th | 6:00 pm

Join us as we kick off and celebrate the Christmas Season during our annual Hanging of the Green Service.

Student Ministries Open House | Nov. 29th | 6-8 pm

All parents are invited to come & worship, enjoy pizza, and study God's Word with your student(s).

6-6:30 | Pizza & Hangout

6:30-6:40 | Worship

6:40-7:10 | Middle School Bible Study

7:10-7:40 | High School Bible Study

7:40-8:00 | Parent Meeting (Sharing Info about upcoming events & camps)

Annual Holiday Dinner | Dec. 3rd | 5:30 pm

Join us in the Activities Center for our annual Holiday dinner. The meal will be catered and the Deacons will serve us. New this year, we will have an "Ugly Christmas Sweater Contest" and prizes will be given, a craft table for children, as well as photo area for a photographer to take your picture! Our annual Christmas Tree ornament will be available for each family to take home. Come out and enjoy the food and fellowship!

What's Happening

This Week

Sunday: 11/19/23

8:30 am | On-Campus Worship Service
9:30 am | Bible Study Groups Meet On-Campus
10:45 am | On-Campus Worship Service
2:00 pm | Surviving the Holidays
5:30 pm | Married Life (Tony & Kierra Ramsey's House)
6:00 pm | Upward Basketball Celebration

Monday: 11/20/23

9:30 am | Blessed Women's Bible Study
1:00 pm | Women's Bible Study
7:00 pm | Church Council Meeting

Tuesday: 11/21/23

6:30 pm | Choir Practice

Wednesday: 11/22/23

6:30 pm | Running Group

Thursday: 11/23/23

9:00 am | Run Turkey Run

Friday: 11/24/23

9-5 | All Day Crafting & Scrapbooking



Nov. 19th | Evan Miller, Abby Rayford
Nov. 20th | Peggy Martin
Nov. 21st | Jessica Pakulski, Devin Esterline
Nov. 22nd | Jessica Keefe, Jennifer Rider, Barb Mahan, Laura Allen, Carol Boutot, Cierra Scott
Nov. 23rd | Isabella Perry
Nov. 24th | Jordan Hull, Patsy Raleigh, Jessica Graham
Nov. 25th | Georgia Sargent, Susan Poston, Terry Mahan
Nov. 26th | Celeste Mackey, Josh Moermond, Bronson Keefe
Nov. 27th | Connor Graves, Dwight Poston, Bode McKinley, Faye Watkins, Rob Seaver, Sophia Rayford
Nov. 28th | Donna Cantrell, Jeremy Hankins, Amy Webb, Wyatt McDine
Nov. 29th | Don Ahlman, Donnie Flynn, Brooke Gillette, Laura Kirby, Tyler Scott
Nov. 30th | Lora Burke, Billy Boehne, Beth Maynard
Dec. 1st | Greg Ammon, Taylor Pahl, Molly Boehne
Dec. 2nd | Kim Kinman, Carl Clark, Hunter Laux, Easton Chable, Lesli Curley, Rub Sieja

SERVING
TEAMS

DEACONS ON CALL FOR NOVEMBER

Josh Duckworth | 513-365-1251
Troy Robinson | 859-801-8094

DOLLAR CLUB MEMBERS FOR NOVEMBER

Kevin Flerlage | 859-640-2668 & Amber Flerlage | 859-393-0435
Ken Ford | 859-802-2620
Kayla Ford | 859-620-5122

FIRST IMPRESSION & COUNTING TEAMS

11/19: Team 3
11/26: Team 4

MEDICAL TEAM

11/19: Stacey Weber
11/26: Kim Hoskins



Christmas in Boone County (Light Up Burlington) | Volunteers are needed on Sat., Dec. 2nd, from 4-7, to serve hot chocolate at Burlington Commons for the Boone Co. Parks Dept., Christmas in Boone Co. Event. The event is free and is a great way for BBC to serve our community! Please contact the church office to volunteer for this outreach opportunity.

Ambassadors to New Members | Volunteers are needed to "mentor" or be an ambassador to new members that join our church. Please contact Jenny Lainhart at 859-866-3454, jlainhart@gmail.com for more information or if you would like to volunteer.

Our **Diaper "Doo-ty" Ministry** offers 6 mos of diapers for active members of BBC! We need diaper sizes 1, 2 & 3's. Not only do our members receive diapers, but our craft group includes a baby blanket as well! So, if you are expecting, please be sure to notify Beth Claxon, Joanne Ford or Rowena Bush.

Our next **Commodities Food Distribution** will be Dec. 12th. The supplemental items needed are: Personal Hygiene Products, Deodorant, Shampoo, Soap, Toothbrushes/Toothpaste, and Laundry Detergent. Thank you for supporting our food pantry!



Radical Church

Nov. 19th | Fellowship That Changes the Church | Acts 2:24-27

Nov. 26th | Joy in Generous Partnership | Philippians 1:3-5



Weekly Budget: \$22,614.00

Last Week's Giving: \$17,654.75

Budgeted YTD: \$1,040,244.00

Giving YTD: \$951,440.60

Difference: **-\$88,803.40**

Other Designated Gifts: \$230.00

Sunrise Children's Services: \$1,942.00

Sunrise Children's YTD: \$4009.37



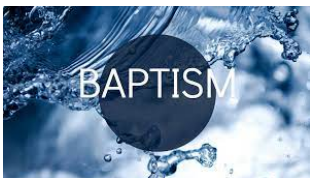
ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK

8:30 Service: 170

10:45 Service: 294

Online: 35

Total Sunday Services: 464



Upcoming Baptisms

Addyson Johnson | Nov. 19th | 2nd Service



Dear Burlington Baptist Church Family & Staff,
Thank you for the cards, your prayers, and your concern during my illness. I have seen you demonstrate this kind of love for others over the years as I served as your pastor. It meant a lot to me during my treatments to know that you cared. The chemotherapy treatments are over and the doctor has diagnosed me cancer free.
God has been so good to me. He has been so good to Burlington Baptist Church. Sand and I continue to pray for you daily. May God bless you and your new pastor. Blessings, ~Terry Wilder

Special thanks for those that made our widow and widower's breakfast such a success on Tuesday. Courtney Hudgens and Evan Miller did an awesome job with the music, while Carl Smith, Jim Westphal, Ronnie Barrett, Rod Ball, and yes, the one and only Danny Delph cooked and served omelets for the crowd. All were truly blessed. Thanks for attending and thanks for serving! ~Julian Allen



Out of Hand

This is what the Lord says—he who made a way through the sea, a path through the mighty waters, who drew out the chariots and horses, the army and reinforcements together, and they lay there, never to rise again, extinguished, snuffed out like a wick: “Forget the former things; do not dwell on the past. See, I am doing a new thing! Now it springs up; do you not perceive it? I am making a way in the wilderness and streams in the wasteland. The wild animals honor me, the jackals and the owls, because I provide water in the wilderness and streams in the wasteland, to give drink to my people, my chosen, the people I formed for myself that they may proclaim my praise. **Isaiah 43: 16-21**

This week we continue our study on Old Testament application in the current times, and of course, I would be remiss not to include at least one, but more likely a few, selections from the book of Isaiah. Isaiah is often called a mini-Bible, for a number of reasons. The first is that there are 66 chapters in the book, and 66 books in the Bible. More interestingly, in every chapter of Isaiah, there is a connection to the book that each represents chronologically. It is interesting to look into these connections, and I urge you to do so.

Is there ever a time during worship on Sunday, where we bring all our burdens, past and present, and leave them at the foot of the cross as we are instructed? Is there also a time where we gather them back up on Monday and shoulder them through the week? I can only speak from my own personal experience, but that is a pattern that I have unfortunately practiced most of my adult life. This is detrimental to our spiritual and emotional health, and in direct opposition to God's instruction.

The next time that this happens, and you start to dwell on a burden that you have prayed about and asked the Lord to take from you, remember the passage above. Verse 18 clearly states, “Forget the former things; do not dwell on the past.” We have no control over things in the past, but we must allow God to direct our hands and hearts in the future.

Have a great week!

~Danny

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