

Welcome!

First-time Guests

LET'S GET ACQUAINTED CARD

We want to get to know you! Please fill out the attached card on the opposite page, tear off entire page, and drop it in the offering plate.

THIS WEEK'S OPPORTUNITIES

Sunday	9:45 AM	Sunday School (Children, Youth & Adults)
	11:00 AM	Morning Worship
Wednesday	8:30 AM	Seniors' Breakfast @ Sharpe's
	6:45 PM	Bible Study (Adults & Children)
	7:30 PM	Choir Rehearsal

MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS

Deacons of the Week
Don Mills & Marty Tucker

Unlock & Lock Buildings
August - Kris DiStefano

We are having ongoing issues with our AC system. The AC contractor has advised us on how to set the thermostats in an effort to resolve some of the issues.

PLEASE DO NOT TOUCH THE THERMOSTATS.
See a member of Building & Grounds if you need assistance.

Children's Sunday School

Volunteers Needed
Possibly only one week per month or less. Please see Connie Perkins.

Pastor's Thoughts to Ponder

The wicked shall see it, and be grieved; he shall gnash (grind) with his teeth, and melt away: the desire of the wicked shall perish.
~ Psalm 112:10 ~

Psalm 112 only has ten verses. When reading this short Psalm, it almost seems that this tenth verse is out of place. Verses 1-9 speak about the righteous man and how the Lord blesses him in so many ways. He is seen as a person who greatly reverences the Lord, and deeply loves His Word. His family is said to be blessed of the Lord in many ways, and they are a blessing to others that live around them. This man is known as one who trusts in the Lord no matter what the circumstances are and is the kind of person who should be honored in this world, and will certainly be honored in the world to come.

So, getting back to vs 10, this is what the wicked saw. This is what had them grinding their teeth, grieved in their hearts, and dying in their disappointment. The one thing that so consumed the lives of the wicked was the presence of the godly! It is undeniable that the godly made the world a much better place to live. The godly would make the place where they dwelled a holy, happy, and harmonious place. Serving the Lord, seeing the families blessed, and showing kindness to those in need was the way of the righteous. Yet, all the good things that the godly did only made the wicked more bitter.

When Jesus Christ came into the world to seek and save the lost, to heal the sick, raise the dead, feed the multitudes and so much more, the wicked had one desire: to kill Him. They hated Him for all the good that He did, and even hated those for whom He did good!

Psalm 112:10 is a reminder that wickedness and righteousness cannot get along. When we live a life that is pleasing to God, and making our community a better place, it's a thorn in the flesh to unbelieving people. Yet, we must take the stand of the Psalmist in vs 7, "He shall not be afraid of evil tidings, his heart is fixed, trusting in the Lord".

II Timothy 3:12, "Yea, and all that will live godly in Christ Jesus shall suffer persecution."

John 15:18-19, "If the world hate you, you know that it hated me before it hated you. If ye were of the world, the world would love his own, but because ye are not of the world, but I have chosen you out of this world, therefore the world hateth you."

*You are in good company when
the wicked are against you.*

Today is the kickoff for the SYBA Appalachian Backpack Ministry.

The cost of the backpacks is \$10.00. A list of the items you are requested to purchase will be provided. Backpacks will be available for purchase following the service today and next Sunday. Filled backpacks need to be returned to the church in the fellowship hall no later than **Wednesday, September 30th**. Our goal is to fill at least 30 backpacks to be delivered to the school in Kentucky on November 12-13. We ask for your prayers and support for this ministry.



Sunday, September 6th
DEACONS MEETING
@ 3:00 PM

September Birthdays

2...Leo Dahlia
8...Karen Johnson
Sandra Daniels
9...Jeff Hammond
11...Connie Perkins
12...Chris Somers
13...Janice Burns
14...Allen Ladd
15...Sharon Ladd
Sonya Trivette
17...Lorren Dahlia
18...Don Wall
Bill Abel
19...Kade Hammond
24...Keith Holmes
Danny Bustle
27...Phyllis Pegram

September Anniversary

19...Allen & Sharon Ladd

BAPTIST MEN'S BREAKFAST

Sunday, September 6th
@ 8:00 AM
in the Fellowship Hall

Let's Get Acquainted

To know you better & minister to you more effectively, please complete this card and drop it in the offering plate. THANK YOU!

Name

Address

City/State/Zip

Phone Number

E-mail

AUGUST 30, 2026

Hymn *I'll Fly Away*

**Welcome, Announcements & Prayer
- Pastor Tony Daniels -**

Hymn *What a Day That Will Be*

Offertory Prayer Don Mills

Offertory Joann Anderson
I Have Decided to Follow Jesus

Worship in the Word

Message Pastor Tony Daniels

Invitation *I Have Decided to Follow Jesus*

The Ordinance of Communion

Hymn 518 *Shall We Gather at the River*

The Ordinance of Baptism

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Minister of Music:	Facts & Figures
Chase Prevette	August 23, 2026
Phone: 336-984-9021	Sunday School Attendance 52
	Morning Worship Attendance 78
	Wednesday PM Attendance 33
Secretary:	Tithes & Offerings
Ginger Whalen 704-873-8086	General Funds Receipt.....\$2,479.00
Office Hours:	Designated Receipt.....\$0.00
Mon. - Thur. 8:00 AM - 1:30 PM	Total.....\$2,479.00
	Weekly Budget Needs.....\$4,280.79
	Under Budget.....\$1,801.79

PRAYER REQUESTS

OBC Members & Concerns

Julie Payne - recovery from back surgery

Tiffany DiStefano - compressed vertebrae

Natalie Tucker

Caryle Joines - recovering from kidney removal surgery

David Whitesides - receiving physical therapy

Carol Hendrix - recovering at home from carpal tunnel surgery

Don Mills - recovering from procedure

Nursing Homes/Homebound

Grover Lackey - in nursing home in Raleigh

Jenny Lackey - in nursing home

Nora Jenkins - health issues

Don Stephens - Maple Leaf - gained some weight!

Billy Morris— doing well

Other Needs

Dick & Cheryl Hughes (Sue Baker's friends) - Dick - prostate cancer/AFIB/
tests to determine heart issues

Dick Hughes' brother, Chuck— prostate cancer & liver failure

Eddie Liles (Jerry Somers's son-in-law) - doing well

Mike Hershey (Marty's cousin's husband) - vascular surgery successful/
diabetic ulcers on foot

Mike Davidson (Mark Johnson's friend) - doing better

Colten Sipes (Gage Tucker's friend, 12 years old) - physical therapy/no
clear diagnosis/will be homeschooled

Gloria Patterson (Sue Baker's aunt) - Hospice Care in Indiana/improving

Mike Barnette - stage 4 cancer/treatments

Tommy Combs (Mark Johnson's uncle)

Jean Kennedy (Tiffany DiStefano's friend) - collapsed lung/chest tube

*This week's
Nursery Workers...*
Kaylie Holmes
Samantha Hammond



*Next week's
Nursery Workers...*
Kaylie Holmes
Carolyn Johnson

Oakdale Baptist Church
Pastor Tony Daniels