

**Announcements & Upcoming Events**

**MORNING WORSHIP - 10:00 AM**

<i>CHILDREN'S WORSHIP</i>	<i>ROOM 210-211</i>	
<i>ANNOUNCEMENTS</i>	<i>PASTOR PAUL TURNER</i>	
<i>CALL TO WORSHIP</i>	<i>"It's Christmas"</i>	<i>CHOIR</i>
<i>PRAISE &amp; WORSHIP</i>	<i>"O Come All Ye Faithful"</i>	<i>CONGREGATION</i>
	<i>"Angels From the Realms of Glory"</i>	
<i>PRAYER</i>	<i>PASTOR PAUL TURNER</i>	
<i>OFFERTORY HYMN</i>	<i>"Joy to the World"</i>	<i>CONGREGATION</i>
<i>DECLARING OUR BLESSINGS THROUGH GIVING</i>		

*The Adult Choir Presents*  
**"PEACE HAS COME"**



**TONIGHT**  
**6:00 - 7:00 PM**

**CHURCH MINISTRIES**

<p><b><u>BABIES</u></b></p> <p>Today AM Leslie Looper &amp; Maria Page PM Drop-In Communion</p>	<p><b><u>TODDLERS</u></b></p> <p>Joanna Williams &amp; Pam Redding</p>
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**HOMEBOUND OF THE WEEK**  
Bill Belt  
611 East Hampton St.  
Room 419  
Anderson, SC 29624

**DEACON OF THE WEEK**  
Jason Looper  
607-0925

**CONGRATULATIONS**

The rose bud in the sanctuary is in honor of our newest addition, Sophia Madelyn Arrowood. Congratulations to Mackenzie Arrowood in the birth of her daughter. She was born on Friday, December 14, weighed 6 lb.13 oz. and was 19½" long. Proud grandparents are JJ and Cynthia Arrowood.

**ADULT CHRISTMAS MUSICAL**

The Adult Choir will present "Peace Has Come" this morning at 10:00 AM. Please pray for the choir and everyone involved in this presentation and worship service.

**DROP-IN COMMUNION**

**Tonight**  
**6:00 - 7:00 PM**

You may drop in anytime from 6:00 - 7:00 pm to share communion. This will take the place of our regular service and is a special time as our Pastor and Church Staff serve communion and pray with each family.

**CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE**

The church offices will be closed Monday and Tuesday, December 24th and 25th in observance of Christmas.

**PLEASE NOTE**

There will be no Wednesday services or activities - this week (Dec. 26) or next week (Jan. 2).

**2019 OFFERING ENVELOPES**

Contribution envelopes for next year are ready to be picked up. These are located on the desk in the Welcome Center and are in alphabetical order.

**LOTTIE MOON CHRISTMAS OFFERING**

**Church Goal - \$6,000**

**Received To Date: \$2,325**

Thank you to all those who gave to our Christmas offering for Foreign Missions. If you have not had a chance to give, we will continue receiving donations through the end of the month. Every gift is important and is used to spread the gospel of Christ around the world.

**OUTSIDE RENOVATION PROJECT**

**Approximate Cost - \$50,000**

**Received To Date: \$26,515**

Please help us reach our goal. Contributions may be given either by: (1) enclose your gift in an envelope and drop it in the offering plate; (2) online through Pushpay; (3) contact the secretary in the church office (442-5320).

**EVENTS OF THE WEEK**

**Sunday, December 23**  
9:00 AM Sunday School  
10:00 AM Christmas Musical  
6:00 PM Drop-In Communion

**Monday, December 24**  
Church Offices Closed

**Tuesday, December 25**  
Church Offices Closed  
*Merry Christmas*

**Wednesday, December 26**  
No AM Bible Study, PM Services or Activities

## PRAYER CONCERNS

### Christmas Musical (Today)

President Donald Trump & Leaders  
Our Nation  
Lost Souls  
Good News Club  
Released Time  
MOPS  
Gideon Ministry  
Youth & Children's Ministry  
LifeHouse Ministry  
Connie Maxwell  
Cincinnati Missions  
Michael & Missy Rains  
Austin & Meryl O'Donald  
Faith Baptist Church/Praise FM - (Nova Scotia)

### Those Serving in the Military:

James Battiest  
John Preston  
Oliver Setzer  
Quinton Setzer  
Jason Constance

Drew Collins

Kevin Raines  
Austin Setzer  
Cory Smith

### CURRENT CONCERNS

Family of Doris Davis  
Family of Joy Guy Hamilton  
Janice Greenhouse  
Lena Durham  
Pearl Kelley  
Cullen Bonham  
Billy Gilstrap  
Deb Berryhill  
Deena Street  
Robbie Cox  
Jim Ed Looper  
Nicolas Roberts  
Frank Looper  
Jerry Somerville  
Pam Porter  
Donnie & Ginger Reeves  
Howard Crocker  
Dana Sanders  
Jerry Cisson  
Matthew McDonald  
Roger Grant  
Joyce Jones

### CURRENT CONCERNS CONT.

Ruby Lewis  
Andy Anderson  
David Simmons

### CONTINUED CONCERNS

Tom Bray  
Ralph Page  
Lewis Davis  
Belle Richardson  
Terry Williams  
Duane Brown  
L.T. Harbin  
Kenneth Couch  
Pat Looper  
Edward & Margaret Richardson  
Linda & Ronnie Taylor

### Please Remember to Pray for Our Homebound

Bill Belt	Virginia Clark	Sue Green
Audrey Robinson	Jean Sexton	Gail Stribling
Betty Williams	Dorothy P. Williams	

### FINANCIAL REPORT

December 16, 2018

Weekly Budget Required -	\$ 8,464.00
Budget Offerings Received -	15,393.80
Memorial (Betty O'Shields) -	250.00
Memorial (Toni Looper) -	50.00
Lottie Moon -	1,775.00
Israel Missions -	1,500.00

### SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

December 16, 2018

Members	-	81
New Members	-	0
Visitors	-	0
Total	-	81

## OUR CHURCH STAFF

### Rev. Paul Turner

Pastor

859-1542 (Home)  
paul@mcbc.church

### Rev. Phillip Jewell

Associate Pastor/Student Minister

884-6926  
phillip@mcbc.church

### Wi-Fi Password -Sanctuary

mcbcwifi

### Beth Turner

Minister of Music

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### Church Office

442-5320  
charlene@mcbc.church

### Ministry Line

442-5320 (Press 8 After Hours)



# December 23, 2018

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