

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

TIME TO BRING IN YOUR SHOEBOXES!

Our collection ends tomorrow, 11/23. Bring shoeboxes to the Education Lobby.

(After tomorrow, please take your shoeboxes directly to the OCC Collection bay at Samaritan's Purse. THANK YOU! :)

SCHEDULING NOTE: NO WEDNESDAY EVENING SERVICES OR ACTIVITIES NEXT WEEK, NOV 25 ~ HAPPY THANKSGIVING!

MV NEWS

MOUNT VERNON BAPTIST CHURCH BOONE, NC Interim Pastor, Dr. David Horner November 22, 2025



SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 23 MORNING SCHEDULE

NO LIVE STREAM ON 11/23/25

WORSHIP SERVICES - 8:30 & 10:00 AM

LIFE GROUPS - 8:30 & 10:00 AM

Senior Pastor Candidate will preach in both morning worship services. Join us!

Schedule for Pastor Candidate Visit

Friday-Sunday, November 21-23

He and his family will be in Boone and on campus at MVBC.

Saturday, November 22

• 7:00-8:00 PM - Meet & Greet with MVBC Staff & Spouses

Sunday, November 23

Morning Services: Our candidate will preach in both services in view of a call
to the Senior Pastor position.

Sunday, November 23

- 3:00–3:45 PM Town Hall Q&A with Candidate (Sanctuary)
- 4:00-6:00 PM Congregational Drop-by Meet & Greet (Meadow View Room;

refreshments provided; Join us!)

Sunday, December 7

• Business Meeting & Vote by ballot immediately following each service.

Click below to view the introduction brochure.

As a reminder, the pastoral search process is confidential. We respectfully ask that you do not share the candidate's name or any related information on social media or other public platforms at this time.

PLEASE NOTE: Worship Services tomorrow, Sunday, NOV 23, will not be streamed or available online.

Thank you for your prayerful support of this important process. If you have any questions, please reach out to <u>Al Houck</u>, Chairman of the Pastor Search Team.





Information for Congregational Review – Please Maintain Confidentiality

Candidate Brochure

Let's continue to pray for the members of our Senior Pastor Search Team.

Search Team Members



2026 CHURCH BUDGET PROPOSAL Distribution, Q&A, & Church Vote Info

The Finance Team has prepared the 2026 church budget proposal, which has been received and approved by the Elders.

Please review the attached budget <u>here</u> or pick up a paper copy at the Welcome Center or church office this weekend.

A Q&A Session was held on Wednesday, Nov. 19. The Finance team set aside time for members to bring their budget questions or gain more clarity.

From the Elders:

The 2026 budget presentation was a celebration of God's faithfulness and a recognition of SO MUCH dedicated work from the (Finance) committee members, the staff, and from the pastors. Thank you for your leadership. The Elders enthusiastically agreed to move the budget proposal on to the congregation as per the Bylaws.

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THE VOTE ON THE 2026 BUDGET PROPOSAL WILL FOLLOW MORNING WORSHIP SERVICES ON SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 30.

Click on the image below and enjoy these songs this week as you prepare your heart for Sunday worship!



NC BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOME ANNUAL OFFERING Our MVBC Goal - \$30,000 Our Gifts so far - \$11,740



Our Offering Changes Children's Lives!

Every day through Baptist Children's Homes (BCH), Christian men and women answer God's call to care for "the least of these" (Matt. 25:40). NC Baptist churches, like ours, answer the call in many ways, including being a part of BCH's Annual Offering. Our gifts impact the lives of children, families, and individuals served through BCH ministries. Most importantly, our gifts empower the gospel to be shared as more than 80% of those served come to BCH unchurched and unreached for Jesus.

BCH Week of Prayer

SENIOR ADULTS
OCC SHOEBOX PROCESSING OPPORTUNITY
Volunteer spots remaining - claim yours!



HAVE LUNCH AT SP! :)

MV Senior Adults, would you like to join us on Thursday, Dec. 4, at the OCC Processing Center in Boone for a morning of preparing shoeboxes to be sent around the world? We will meet at Samaritan's Purse at 8:45 AM, work from 9 AM - 1 PM, and then enjoy lunch fellowship together (Dutch treat) at the Samaritan's Purse cafeteria. Spots are limited, so contact Angie in the church office as soon as possible to get registered.

Email angie @mvbcb.org

ADVENT BEGINS NOV 30



Draw near to God, and he will draw near to you. (James 4:8)
Gather your candles, find your log, select your devotional, and prepare your heart for the Advent season!

Prepare now to make the celebration of the season memorable and meaningful for you and your family!

WORSHIP MINISTRY

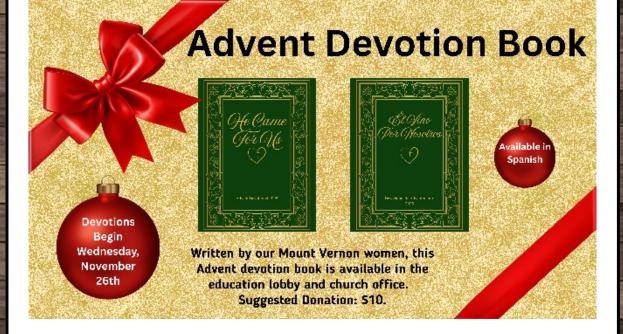


THE COOKIE COLLECTION IS OUR OPPORTUNITY TO GIVE GOODIES TO BE SERVED FOLLOWING THE *CHRISTMAS COMES TO THE MOUNTAINS* PERFORMANCES. :) THANK YOU!





WOMENS MINISTRY



DEVOTION BOOK ORDERS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR PICK UP ON SUNDAY.



Boone Rebuild Update: Volunteers Needed

As summer has wound down and school has started back, our volunteer numbers have dropped. But the workload hasn't slowed down! The Boone Rebuild site currently has 27 active jobs, with two brand new home constructions just getting underway—and more requests for help continue to come in every week.

We're reaching out to our local churches and community for extra hands. Even a few days—or evenings—of help next week would be a huge blessing to both our Rebuild team and the homeowners we're serving.

Next week's projects will be in Ashe County, primarily late-stage rebuild tasks such as:

- · Drywall work
- Painting

- LVP floor installation
- Trim-out and finishing touches

If you're available to serve—even for a short shift—we'd love to have you join us. Evening opportunities may also be possible, depending on homeowner situations.

Email: Boone.rebuild@ncmissions.org

Call/Text Gerald Hodges: 910-857-1123

Thank you for helping us share Christ's love in practical ways through disaster recovery and rebuild ministry.

Email Gerald Hodges

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TO COOK MEALS

Baptist on Mission needs 4 - 5 people to cook breakfast and dinner for the volunteers that will be staying at Rutherwood Baptist Church. There are many dates available to volunteer! If your group is unable to do both meals and can only do breakfast or dinner, they are flexible. Please get in touch with Amanda with Boone Rebuild at 910-857-1118 if you have a group interested in volunteering.

ALSO, if your group is interested in making desserts, please get in touch with Amanda.

VISIT OUR CHURCH LIBRARY

MV Library Online

Disaster Relief Service Opportunities – Get Involved!







Church Family,

Gifts to our Helene Disaster Relief Fund are still appreciated as we continue to assist our neighbors in need with various repairs from the hurricane.

Disaster Relief Information and Serving Opportunites

Volunteer for Cleaning & Meals

Volunteer for Splitting Firewood

Click here for Disaster Relief Application Form

ON THE HORIZON

Sunday, NOV 23

Regular Schedule

8:30 am and 10:00 am Worship Services, Worship Center PASTOR CANDIDATE PREACHING BOTH SERVICES - NO STREAMING

Wednesday, NOV 26 NO MIDWEEK EVENTS (HAPPY THANKSGIVING!)

Sunday, NOV 30
Regular Schedule
8:30 am and 10:00 am Worship Services, Worship Center
BUDGET VOTE FOLLOWING MORNING SERVICES

Tithes & Offerings

Give Online

Prefer to send your tithes and offerings to the church? You may mail to: Mount Vernon Baptist Church 3505 Bamboo Road Boone, NC 28607

Gifts can be given through Mount Vernon for Helene Disaster Relief

Helene Disaster Relief



Weekly Financial Report for 11/16/25 & Year-to-Date:

Tithe Needs - \$43,350.71 Tithe Gifts 11/16/25 - \$25,883.00

YTD Budget Needs - \$1,994,132.66 YTD Gifts -\$2,011,514.83 BCH Offering Gifts so far - \$11,740.00

MVBC MAIN OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday 8:30 - 4:30

Friday - 8:30 - 1:00

THE CHURCH OFFICE WILL CLOSE

AT 12:30 PM ON WED., NOV. 26,

AND WILL BE CLOSED NOV 27-28 FOR THANKSGIVING.

When weather affects our schedule, we send out MV News updates and post to our <u>website</u>, <u>Facebook</u>, and <u>Instagram</u> profiles.



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