# **NOVEMBER 21, 2025**

# **CONGRATS!**

Pastor Cory has been voted President-Elect of the SC Baptist Convention. He'll learn the ropes the next year, before serving as President in November '26. This is a great opportunity for Brushy Creek to shine, as we all work to spread the gospel.

## GO. OFFERING

Won't you help spread the gospel around the world? Our GO. Offering is open, with a goal of collecting \$250,000 for mission projects. When you give, make sure you designate GO. Offering or "missions" on your check, <u>drop-down tab</u> or envelope.

# **THANK YOU**

Roughly 1,200 toy-filled shoeboxes are on their way to Samaritan's Purse to eventually land on the laps of children in need. Thank you for helping introduce Jesus in this unique way!

# **CHRISTMAS EVENTS**

Kids Christmas Choir: K3-5<sup>th</sup> graders are invited to join the Worship Team and sing during this year's Christmas Concert! Our next rehearsal is Sunday. Register at BrushyCreek.org.

**Women's Christmas Dinner:** Individual tickets are now on <u>sale</u> for this December 2 dinner, with virtual guest speaker Kelly Minter. Only a dozen tickets are left.

The Road to Bethlehem: Walk the road to Bethlehem starting December 7, with Pastor Cory. Tag along with Mary and Joseph on this divine road trip, providing new context to the Christmas story.

Reason for the Season: The Brushy Creek Choir, Orchestra and special guests will present the "Reason for the Season" on Dec. 5, 7:30pm and Dec. 7, 3pm. No ticket required. This is an outreach event, please invite your unchurched friends, neighbors and co-workers.

Christmas Schedule: December 12: YP Christmas Party, December 14: Student Christmas Party, December 16: Senior Christmas Gathering, December 21: Happy Birthday to Jesus Party, December 24: Christmas Eve Services at 4 & 6pm.

# **CAROLINA MEN'S CONFERENCE**

Registration is open for this January 30-31 event at FBC Simpsonville. No beating around the bush, just men pursuing God and doing what He says. Visit our website's event page for more.

#### **S**TUDENTS

**Pray:** Please pray for all the students who have been on their fall retreat this weekend. May they commit themselves to following Jesus and deepen their love for Him.

**Friendsgiving:** It's a huge communal dinner for Middle & High School Students November 30 at Connect. Grab your friends, and join us for this extra-special night of fun at 6pm.

## 2026 BUDGETS

Copies of next year's budget are available at the Information Desk. Members will vote this Sunday during morning services.

## **BRUSHY CREEK MEMBERS**

An additional vote will take place after the budget vote this Sunday. As outlined in our bylaws, this notice informs you that the Pastor and Deacons recommend removing the Building/Grounds and Recreation Committees from our Bylaws. Over the past twenty years, church growth has led to the responsibilities of these committees being transferred to staff personnel. Please contact our church office if you have any questions.

#### **NEW MOMS**

On Sunday mornings, please feel free to use the Hospitality Room across from the Sanctuary to spend time with your baby or nurse.

# **OFFICE CLOSURE**

Please note, the office will be closed November 26-28 for the Thanksgiving Holiday.

# **BAPTISM SERVICES**

Want to show the world you follow Jesus? Our next Baptism Services are December 14 & January 18. Visit the Next Steps station in The Lobby to explore if one of these works for you.

# KIDS BLAST

What a fantastic fall! We've averaged 250 children every Wednesday night, having fun and learning about Jesus! K2-5<sup>th</sup> graders will start meeting again on January 14. Thank you to the many volunteers who help us overwhelmingly love the next generation.

#### **SAVE THE DATE**

**December 5:** GO Ambassadors, **December 19:** NextGen Volunteer Movie Night, **January 11:** Winter Starting Point

#### **BY THE NUMBERS**

Budget Needs \$3,640,729 Budget Receipts \$3,826,884

#### **GO. OFFERING**

Check next week for updated numbers.

# LAST WEEK'S ATTENDANCE

In Person 1273 | Online 998

# **PLEASE PRAY FOR**

Teresa and Eric Lamb, Derrick and Allison Thompson and their families on the passing of Teresa and Derrick's father.

# THIS WEEK SUN 11/23

**Budget Vote** 

8:00am Worship

9:30am Worship & Life Groups

11:00am Worship & Life Groups

4:00pm Bonus Rehearsal

#### **MON 11/24**

9:00am Women's Bible Study

# WED 11/26-FRI 11/28

Office Closed

#### **SUN 11/30**

8:00am Worship

9:30am Worship & Life Groups

11:00am Worship & Life Groups

4:00pm Bonus Rehearsal

6:00pm Student Friendsgiving