

Red Bank UMC  
2909 Old Barnwell Road  
Lexington, SC 29073-7730  
Phone: (803) 359-4031  
Email: office@rbumc.com  
Website: www.rbumc.com

 **Red Bank United Methodist Church, Lexington SC**

 **@RedBankUMC**

 **@RedBankUMC**

**Return Service Requested**



## Red Bank United Methodist Church

November 2021



Be Encouraged!

It is not if, it is *only when* the things of life will get hard. The storms will come. When things do get difficult, it can feel like your base... your foundation underneath your feet are giving way. No matter how much faith you have, your feelings can be overwhelming.

Feelings can and will betray you. It is good to remember in a time of feeling lost and deeply separated from God that God never leaves your side. Your foundation is firm, based on the finished work of Jesus Christ for us, not based on how we feel. That is Biblical knowledge! That is assurance in your compass (the Triune God) in the midst of the storm.

There are some things that remain true at all times because you are a child of God. Let these truths encourage you in both your mind and your heart.

Maybe it will help you to read these aloud.

*I am lavishly loved with Grace. (Ephesians 1:4-14)*

*I am secure. (John 10:28-29)*

*I am forgiven. (Colossians 2:13)*

*God is with me. (Hebrews 13:5 and the Gospels)*


Keep these handy for when the storms come. Tape them to the bathroom mirror if you need. **Just don't forget them!** Jesus, who calmed the storm, will be your ever-present help in times of trouble. Be encouraged!

In Christ,

Pastor Clay




The RBUMC Youth Group would like to help the less fortunate this holiday season. They will be doing Thanksgiving baskets this year. There will be a insert in the bulletin if you would like to help with donating the items to fill the baskets. If you have any questions, please contact Ashley Reynolds at [Children@rbumc.com](mailto:Children@rbumc.com)



Sonshine kids will start back **Wednesday**, 6-7:45pm

Sonshine Kids is our Wednesday night program for kids ages 3 (fully potty trained) through 6<sup>th</sup> grade. Every Wednesday we have bible stories, music, play time and dinner is included. If you have any questions, please see Ashley Reynolds, or email her at [children@rbumc.com](mailto:children@rbumc.com).



Youth group will start back **Wednesday**, 6-7:45pm at the Hut.

Youth group is our Wednesday night program for Kids 6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade. Every Wednesday we have fellowship, dinner, activities and a bible lesson. If you have any questions, please see Ashley Reynolds, or email her at [children@rbumc.com](mailto:children@rbumc.com).


Please make sure you like the children's Ministry Facebook page and youth group Facebook pages to make sure you stay up to date on things.

<https://www.facebook.com/rbumcchildrensministry/>




**Youth Small Groups Wednesday, 6-7:45 Sunday, 3-4:30 at the Hut**

<https://www.facebook.com/RBUMC-Youth-Group-110439074172219/>

If you have any questions about Children's or Youth Programs, please contact Ashly Reynolds at [children@rbumc.com](mailto:children@rbumc.com)



## MEMORIAL GIFTS

### Memorials to the General Fund:

In Memory of: **Milton Taylor**  
By: **C.M. & Josephine Miller**

### Memorials to the Building Improvement Fund:

In Memory of: **Milton Taylor**  
By: **Mr. & Mrs. Darrell Harbour**

In Memory of: **Mildred Rowe**  
By: **Mr. & Mrs. Darrell Harbour**

In Memory of: **Milton Taylor**  
By: **Donna & Joel Smith**

In Memory of: **Mildred Rowe**  
By: **Donna & Joel Smith**

In Memory of: **Mildred Rowe**  
By: **C.M. & Josephine Miller**

### Memorials to the Cemetery Fund:

In Memory of: **Milton Taylor**  
By: **Gloria T. Clingan**

In Memory of: **Mildred Rowe**  
By: **Gloria T. Clingan**

In Memory of: **Mildred Rowe**  
By: **Gerald & Judy Moore**

In Memory of: **Milton Taylor**  
By: **Gerald & Judy Moore**

### Memorials to the Preschool Playground Equipment Fund:

In Memory of: **Brandon Lambert**  
By: **Mr. & Mrs. Darrell Harbour**

### Memorials to the Land Fund:

In Memory of: **Brandon Lambert**  
By: **Walter & Deborah Moore**

In Memory of: **Milton Taylor**  
By: **Walter & Deborah Moore**

In Memory of: **Mildred Rowe**  
By: **Walter & Deborah Moore**





## RBUMC Preschool would like to invite all Veterans,

church members and preschool parents to join the children in the cemetery behind the church (weather permitting) for a short program and placing of the flags on Thursday November 11, 2021 at 11:15 am.



### UMC Preschool and Loving Beginnings: Parents Morning Out



Mission statement: Our goal as a Christian preschool is to introduce and nurture the Christian faith in young children, to assist families in providing the best opportunities for emotional, physiological, and spiritual growth in their children, and to prepare little minds for kindergarten and beyond.

Preschool: Days of operation are Monday through Friday. beginning at 8:15am –12:00pm (drop-off begins at 8:15)



We offer Early Bird drop off that begins at 7:15am (Children are more than welcome to bring their breakfast)

We offer a Lunch Bunch program from 12:00pm-2:00pm (children must bring their own lunch that does not need to be refrigerated)

Contact: **Betsy Stone/ Phone: 359-0329 / [preschool@rbumc.com](mailto:preschool@rbumc.com).**



### Red Bank UMC after-school program



Red Bank UMC offers an After-school program for children grades PM 4k-7th grade.

We offer snacks, play time, fun activities, homework time and devotion. We pick up from Carolina Springs Elementary, Saxe Gotha Elementary, Deerfield Elementary, Red Bank Elementary, and Carolina Springs Middle.

We are able to keep children till 6pm during the school year. The cost is \$60/week for Elementary, \$50.00/week Middle School pick up. Space is limited, enroll soon!

Red Bank UMC After School also offers AM 4k pick up from Carolina Springs Elementary. The cost is \$60/week till 2pm or \$120/week till 6pm. Children would need to bring their lunch, snacks are provided. Children would have devotions, schoolwork time, play time and fun activities.

Contact Ariel Williams/ phone 803-359-0329/ [afterschool@rbumc.com](mailto:afterschool@rbumc.com).



RBUMC After School is looking to add teachers to our afternoon program. If you or anyone you know is interested. Contact Ariel Williams/ phone 803-359-0329/ [afterschool@rbumc.com](mailto:afterschool@rbumc.com).



**The Friendship Circle** - Meets the 3rd Monday of each month in the John Wesley Classroom at 6:30pm. Contact: **Amanda Smith at 803-429-4131**

**Searching Sisters** Bible Study class each Tuesday morning at 10 am. **The Book of 1st Samuel** what we will be studying, facilitated by **Mrs. Nancy Mattes**. Please bring your Bible. For more information, contact **Robin Smith at 803-260-1555**.

**Sisters By Faith** - Meets Tuesdays in the John Wesley Class room from 6 to 8 . See **Christian McConnaughay at (803) 603-0317**

**The United Methodist Women** - meets quarterly. Open to all women in the church. Encourages and supports all women. Contact **Lauren Corley at: 803-521-6297 or Megan Whittle at 803-394-5282**

**The United Methodist Men** meet at 6:30pm on the 4th Monday of each month.



### A Friendly Note to Servant Leaders:

Members that have graciously volunteered/agreed to serve as a Servant Leader on Sundays, please be sure to check the "Servant Minister Schedule" in the newsletter each month. Then you will know if you have been scheduled in any area for that month. Anytime you have a conflict with your scheduled date, please try to switch with another member scheduled for that month. Please remember to notify Tracy or Kathy Lybrand if there is a switch in schedule or if you need help with getting a replacement for your scheduled date.

A grateful Thank You to all servant leaders who assist in our worship services each Sunday.

God Bless.  
Many Thanks,  
Kathy Lybrand



"A big THANK YOU to everyone for your kindness to me and my family during Pastor Appreciation Month! I am so thankful to be your pastor and I certainly feel appreciated. Y'all are the BEST!"



The Mission Committee met on Oct 14<sup>th</sup> to start our planning for our Christmas Community Tree. This year we are planning to add the residents of at least one nursing home to the tree. Further details will come from pulpit announcements on Sunday and additions to the bulletin.

The Christmas Community Tree will be in the Narthex on November 14<sup>th</sup>. These families are all from the Red Bank area. The gifts are to be wrapped and the tag you pick from the tree is to be firmly attached to the gift. The gifts are to be returned, under the tree with tags, no later than Sunday Dec 12<sup>th</sup>.

More info will come from Sunday announcements. I thank the congregation for your very generous giving in the past and look forward to many people having a Christmas this year.

We have also decided to give a \$50.00 gift card to our home bound members. We will have the see thru church at the alter to accept any donation going to purchasing the gift cards.

I am happy to report the quartet has been very well received and has been spreading the love of RBUMC to the community.

Our next meeting is  
November 4th, at 6:30  
JKH Classroom

God bless and everyone keep safe and healthy.

**Paul McKeever**  
Chair, Missions Committee



### Tithes & Offerings:

Rec. YTD as of 09/30/2021	\$	302,567
Spent YTD - 09/30/2021	\$	286,764
Net received	\$	15,803

### General Funds

Needed Each Week	\$	8,518
------------------	----	-------

### Building & Land Account: 9/30/2021

Building Loan Balance	\$	303,472
Building & Improvements	\$	33,847
Land Purchase Fund	\$	18,117

**Church Vision Plan** - God calls us to go forth and make disciples for Christ.

As part of that we need room to grow. If you would like to specifically donate to this above and beyond your regular tithing, please mark your contribution as:

**Land Purchase.**

Thank you for believing in our future!

\*For your convenience Online Giving is

offered at: [www.osvhub.com/rbumc](http://www.osvhub.com/rbumc)



## SCOUT NEWS November 2021

### Pack 518:

We have begun the New Year with excitement. Welcomed new scouts into the Tiger, Wolf and WEBELOS dens. All leaders have been working with their dens on achievements and you can tell looks on the Cubs faces that they are really enjoying themselves. We will have our first Pack Meeting on October 26th for these Cubs to receive their achievements for the activities completed and to recognize their accomplishments. We will also be having our fall family campout during the first part of November which is always an adventure for all involved. For a lot of the Cubs and families this may be there first time really getting time to spend outdoors, seeing, and enjoyed what God made for us. We will wrap up the month with our November Pack meeting and Thanksgiving. Contact: [reynoldsbs1579@yahoo.com](mailto:reynoldsbs1579@yahoo.com)

### Troop 518:

The Boy Scouts have begun the new Year with some exciting times as well. During the month of September, the went camping at the Congaree National Park and got to enjoy the beauty of a resource that is so close to home here in Lexington. During scout meetings and on their own, the scouts are working on rank advancement and merit badges. During October the Scouts picked up some Community Service hours at Red Banks own Pumpkin Patch. They worked both the day the Pumpkins arrived to help unload and two evenings selling the Pumpkins. October is always a fun month where they have participated in a Pumpkin carving contest, went to a campout to solve a Zombie Apocalypse, and help cook and handout hotdogs at Trunk or Treat. During the month of November, they will continue to work on rank advancement and will have a day event at Peach Tree rock to get some hiking in and learn how to pack in and cook a trail meal. Contact: [cdwillijr@gmail.com](mailto:cdwillijr@gmail.com)

### Troop 9518:

9518 kicked off our camping season with a campout at Lee State Park. We also took on the Lock, Clock and Peril Escape rooms. We were undercover agents and tomb raiders racing against the clock to solve a variety of puzzles to find clues and escape before time ran out. This took a lot of teamwork, but the scouts were up to the challenge! Our next adventure will be filled with zombies at the October camporee in Camp Barstow. Come join us to learn scout skills, leadership and teamwork! Contact: [loritnorris@gmail.com](mailto:loritnorris@gmail.com)

### Girl Scout Troop 2323:

Girl Scout Troop 2323 started their new year participating in the annual Pinwheels for Peace Service Project, the girl placed over 200 pinwheels at the Lexington Starbucks to celebrate the International Day of Peace on September 21st. There troop is super excited for their trip to Chimney Rock State Park in North Carolina to participate in their Girl Scout Day event. They'll camp for the weekend at Girl Scout Camp Mary Elizabeth in Spartanburg, where they'll have some outdoor fun including campfire sing-along, making smores, hiking and outdoor exploration. The troop's top cookie sellers for 2020 and 2021 are headed to New York City for a five-day visit, they have planned to take in all the sites and scenes they can in the short time. These girls worked really hard and sold over 1000 boxes of cookies to earn this reward. Our troop leaders continue to provide the safest scouting experience and keeping all our kids safe and sound during these trying times. The troop is still accepting new members, if you would like more information, please contact Joanne Shaw at [jshawgs2323@gmail.com](mailto:jshawgs2323@gmail.com).

**Greeters - 8:50**

- 07- Darrell & Mary Harbour
- 14- Rita Sox & Teresa Lawn
- 21- Paul & Peggy Jones
- 28- Bill & Anna Barrier

**Worship-Leaders - 8:50**

- 07- Rica Sheehan
- 14- Chris Folsom
- 21- Natalie Spence
- 28- Jimmy Spence

**Ushers - 8:50**

- Jimmy & Natalie Spence

**AV Team**

- Karen Folsom

**Trustee of the Month**

**Mackey Booth**

**803-767-5953**

[boothmackey@gmail.com](mailto:boothmackey@gmail.com)

**Servant Minister Schedule**

Questions? Want to Volunteer? Contact the office at **803-359-4031** or email - [office@rbumc.com](mailto:office@rbumc.com)

**November**

**Safety Team**

- 07- Jack Percifull, Joe Hart & John Mintz

- 14- Hunter Sheehan, Rob Bedenbaugh & Ashley Corley

- 21- Mackey Booth, Max Booth & Ronnie Taylor

- 28- Tim White, Price Smith & Robert Brittain

**Acolytes - 8:50am**

- 07- Charlotte White
- 14- Catherine White
- 21- Maddie Fitzsimons
- 28- Catherine White

**Acolytes - 11:00**

- 07- Sadie Smith
- 14- Jake Dye
- 21- Barry Lynn Mears
- 28- Sarah Cress

**Greeters - 11:00**

- 07- Gerald & Judy Moore
- 14- Terry & Anne Reynolds
- 21- Eddie Fox & John D. Sease
- 28- Chris Swinson & Lori Swinson

**Worship-Leaders - 11:00**

- 07- Ashley Reynolds
- 14- Angi Barton
- 21- Jimmy Jordan
- 28- Freida Snelgrove

**Ushers - 11:00**

- Grady Shull, Price Smith
- Larry & Christen McConnaughay

**AV Team**

- 07- Amanda Smith
- 14- Chris Smith
- 21- Weston Faircloth
- 28- Ed McDaniel



Charge Conference is November 21, 2021 at 3pm



All Saints Sunday November 7, 2021 At all services



Over the past few years, the church has been very generous and supportive of the Blessing Box Ministry. Several individuals and groups fill the blessing box and donate to it during the week. Unfortunately, the need is still great in this area. We need more help keeping the blessing box stocked during the week. If you would like to volunteer for a time during the week to fill the blessing box, please email Ashley Reynolds at [children@rbumc.com](mailto:children@rbumc.com) to be added to the schedule. Thanks in advance for all your help and love for those less fortunate in our community.



In Glory to God, we place flowers on his altar

**November Altar Flowers Given By:**

- 07- Mrs. Diane Kyzer and Ms. Melanie Kyzer
- 14- Mrs. Mo Reese
- 21- Mrs. Virginia Berry
- 28- Mrs. Richard Purday



- November Birthdays**
- 03 - Margaret Boggess
  - 04- Ariana Kinzie
  - 07 - Bella & Andre Huffines
  - 08 - Ryan Southworth
  - 10 - Faye Hutto
  - 10 - Benny Boggess
  - 10 - Jenny Kennedy
  - 10 - Sarita Franks
  - 10 - Megan Morrison
  - 11 - Joannie Kyzer
  - 11- Jennifer Arant
  - 13 - Wesley Taylor
  - 14 - John L. Sease
  - 16 - Sarah Kyzer
  - 17 - Karen Folsom
  - 17 - Matt Snelgrove
  - 18 - Alannah Huffines
  - 18 - Aaron Gates
  - 18 - Jackie Barr
  - 18 - Mark Wooten
  - 18 - Britt Yarrington
  - 19 - Anthony Boatwright, Jr.
  - 20 - Robert Brittain
  - 21 - Tony Leaphart
  - 21 - George Jeffcoat
  - 22 - Layne Snelgrove
  - 22 - Edie Key
  - 22 - Johnny Smith
  - 25 - Trey Taylor
  - 26 - Gerry Scheppmann
  - 26 - Christine Tindall
  - 26 - Joe Hart
  - 27 - Roy Bedenbaugh
  - 27 - Brian Gunter
  - 28- Carolyn McLean
  - 28- Cynthia Painter
  - 29 - Marie Lambert
  - 29 - Joye Jones
  - 30 - Lisa P. Busbee
  - 30 - Cody Kyzer



- 04- Wayne & Jennifer Arant
- 05 - Terry & Elaine Taylor
- 06 - Doug & Nancy Huffines
- 06 - Gerry & Jean Scheppmann
- 08 - Garry & Paula Ash
- 08 - Gavin & Jennifer Huffines
- 12- Robert & Stephanie Cameron
- 15- Tim & Lori White
- 19 - Scott & Carla Gable
- 23 - Mike & June Kinzie





**AMPLIFIED CHURCH**  
Join us Sundays  
at 10:00 am



**AMPLIFIED CHURCH**

We congratulate Everleigh Lynn Sheehan on her baptism on October 13th in Amplified! Everleigh is the daughter of Jennifer and Camden Sheehan



**VOLUNTEER TRAINING**

There will be a short training for harvest fest volunteers, **November 7th** at 11 am in fellowship hall after Amplified service and Sunday school and also after the 11 am service in the sanctuary. Everyone who volunteered just needs to attend one of those!



**HARVEST FEST** RED BANK UMC

10AM TO 2 PM  
SAT, NOV 13TH  
OUTDOOR EVENT

CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES  
VENDORS  
COUNTRY STORE  
DELICIOUS FOOD BY OUR UMM






















We need your help with Harvest Fest!!! This is a church wide fundraiser for our church and a GREAT way to reach out to our community! How can you help?

- Donate baked goods or homemade crafts to our country store
- Volunteer to help with children's activities
- Volunteer to help setup or cleanup
- Volunteer to help at welcome table
- Volunteer to help keep eating tables cleaned and sanitized

Be part of a prayer team

Ashley Reynolds and Suzy Bolick will be making volunteer sign-up sheets available in early October at all 3 services.

You can sign up online at <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0C48ADA928A7FB6-harvestfest> or at church or feel free to reach out to Suzy at [suzybolick408@windstream.net](mailto:suzybolick408@windstream.net) or Ashley at [children@rbumc.com](mailto:children@rbumc.com) if you would like to help with this event.

November						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	<b>1</b>  <b>Finance Meeting</b> 6:30pm	<b>2</b> <b>Searching Sisters</b> 10 am *Sisters By Faith 6pm *Amplified Band Practice 6:30pm   <b>Trustee's Meeting</b> 6:30pm	<b>3</b>  <b>Choir Practice</b> 6:30pm <b>Sonshine Kids</b> 6pm <b>Youth Small Group</b> 6pm	<b>4</b>  <b>SPRC Meeting</b> 6:30 pm	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>  <b>Fall BACK!</b> SET CLOCKS BACK ONE HOUR BEFORE BED SATURDAY NIGHT
<b>7</b> <b>Services 8:50 &amp; 11am</b> <b>AMPLIFIED CHURCH 10am</b> <b>All Saint Sunday</b>	<b>8</b>  <b>Church Council Meeting</b> <b>Council Meeting</b> 6:30pm	<b>9</b> *Searching Sisters 10 am *Sisters By Faith 6pm *Amplified Band Practice 6:30pm	<b>10</b>  <b>Choir Practice</b> 6:30pm <b>Sonshine Kids</b> 6pm <b>Youth Small Group</b> 6pm  	<b>11</b>  <b>Mission Meeting</b> 6:30pm  	<b>12</b> 	<b>13</b>  <b>Harvest Fest</b> 10am to 2pm
<b>14</b> <b>Services 8:50 &amp; 11am</b> <b>AMPLIFIED CHURCH 10am</b>	<b>15</b>  <b>Amplified Meeting</b> 6:30pm	<b>16</b> *Searching Sisters 10am *Sisters By Faith 6pm *Amplified Band Practice 6:30pm	<b>17</b>  <b>Choir Practice</b> 6:30pm <b>Sonshine Kids</b> 6pm <b>Youth Small Group</b> 6pm	<b>18</b>  <b>Vision Meeting</b> 6:30pm	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>21</b> <b>Services 8:50 &amp; 11am</b> <b>AMPLIFIED CHURCH 10am</b>   <b>Charge Conference</b> 3pm	<b>22</b>  <b>UMM 6:30</b>	<b>23</b> *Searching Sisters 10am *Sisters By Faith 6pm *Amplified Band Practice	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>  <b>OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED</b>	<b>26</b> <b>OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED</b>	<b>27</b>
<b>28</b> <b>Services 8:50 &amp; 11am</b> <b>AMPLIFIED CHURCH 10am</b>  <b>1st Sunday of Advent</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b> *Searching Sisters 10am Sisters By Faith 6:00pm *Amplified Band Practice 6:30pm	 <p>This is the <i>Day</i> that the Lord has made, let us <i>Rejoice</i> and be glad in it. Psalm 118:24</p>			