



Randolph Baptist Association

BANNER

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Member Churches

*Antioch
Asheboro FBC
Balfour
Beulah
*Cedar Falls
Cedar Grove
*Center Cross
Central Falls
Cross Road
*Deep River
*El-Shaddai
Firelight
at Greystone
Forest Park
Franklinville FBC
*Glenola
Gravel Hill
Growing Faith
Highland (Mission)
Huldah
Iglesia Bautista
Emmanuel
Liberty FBC
Maple Springs
Mt. Pleasant
Oakhurst
*Oakwood Park
Panther Creek
Ramseur FBC
Randleman FBC
Richland
Riverside
Russell's Grove
Sandy Creek
Seagrove FBC
Shady Grove
Sophia
Staley
Triad Cowboy Ch.
Trinity
Union Grove
Unity Baptist
Fellowship
*Victory
West Asheboro
Westfield
White's Memorial
Worthville

*Pray for our churches seeking senior pastors.
Pray for their interims and search committees.



NC Missions Offering

September is NCMO month!

Your donations:

- Provide disaster response
- Plant churches
- Mobilize NC Baptists for missions

Learn more & donate at:
ncmissionsoffering.org



RBA Annual Meeting

Monday, October 26th

notice date change!

5:00-6:15pm - Fellowship Dinner
6:30-7:30pm - Celebrating Ministry
7:30-8:30pm - Worship & Word
with Pastor Steve Scoggins

Cross Road Baptist Church
1566 Old Cox Rd.
Asheboro, NC 27204



Women on Mission

Coats for Kids

RBA & FBC Asheboro
are collecting gently used
scarves, gloves, and coats
for Randolph County kids (ages 5-13).



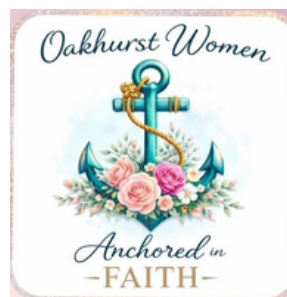
Drop off donations by
October 31st
at the RBA Office.

Women's Conference

Sept 26 at 11am

Oakhurst Baptist Church

Doors open at 10:15am



\$10/person, includes
catered lunch.

Call 336-625-3856
to register.

2225 S. Fayetteville St.
Asheboro, NC 27205

As summer winds down and we transition back into the routine of school schedules and fall church calendars, our hearts are overflowing with gratitude for what God has been doing across our association.

Summer Ministry & VBS Praises

We have received wonderful reports from our church families regarding their Vacation Bible School efforts this summer. Children and families were reached with the gospel, and we are praising the Lord for many reported salvations and several baptisms already taking place or scheduled in the coming weeks!

Global Missions Spotlight: Scotland Mission Trip

At the end of July and into early August, two teams totaling 28 mission team members—including 25 from four of our own RBA churches—traveled to Scotland to partner with The Heralds Trust. It was a powerful time of international outreach and ministry through “Street Café” and “Redbox,” as well as distributions of the Gospel of John and work with local churches. Thank you to everyone who prayed for, supported, and sent this team to share the hope of Christ overseas!

"Reach Randolph" Crossover Event

Dates: Saturday, October 24 – Monday, October 26, 2026

Mark your calendars! Reaching Randolph is a special 3-day crossover ministry initiative where our sister RBA churches will come alongside Cross Road, Oakhurst, Panther Creek, Richland, and Russell's Grove in unified efforts to reach their surrounding communities with the gospel of Jesus Christ.



2026 RBA Annual Meeting

Date: Monday, October 26, 2026

Location: Cross Road Baptist Church

Join us as we wrap up our 3-day Crossover event with our annual gathering of worship, fellowship, and ministry updates. See the meeting schedule on the front page.

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

6	Tracy Jackson	Pastor's Wife, Beulah
9	Tommy Brown	Pastor, Huldah
22	Carolyn Ashley	Pastor's Wife, Firelight
23	Sarah Smith	Pastor's Wife, Richland
24	Garry & Emma Reeder	Pastor, Westfield
26	Thomas & Sarah Smith	Pastor, Richland

CHURCH ANNIVERSARIES

Thomas Smith	48 years	Richland
Doug Davis	22 years	Triad Cowboy
Pastor K'Them	17 years	Highland Mission
Eddie Hill	4 years	Panther Creek
Doug Huttleston	3 years	Franklinville FBC

Staff Recognition & Appreciation

We extend our heartfelt appreciation to Erica for 4 years of faithful service to the Randolph Baptist Association family. Thank you, Erica, for your dedication, hard work, and ministry heart for our churches!

Your servant in Christ,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jeff", with a stylized flourish at the end.

FINANCES & CALENDAR

Church Receipts 2026	August	YTD
Antioch	-	-
Asheboro 1st	791.67	6,333.36
Balfour	2,373.71	20,582.40
Beulah	1,200.00	9,600.00
Cedar Falls	-	150.00
Cedar Grove	100.00	800.00
Center Cross	730.00	1,032.50
Central Falls	167.32	1,156.60
Cross Road	500.00	4,000.00
Deep River	150.00	1,200.00
El Shaddai	-	-
Firelight at Greystone	123.06	1,382.37
Forest Park	-	200.00
Franklinville 1st	-	-
Glenola	716.13	3,205.60
Gravel Hill	-	500.00
Growing Faith	-	440.00
Highland Christian Church	188.43	2,471.53
Huldah	-	1,002.85
Liberty 1st	-	3,746.40
Maple Springs	-	2,789.71
Mt. Pleasant	400.00	3,600.00
Oakhurst	387.71	3,341.14
Oakwood Park	-	1,000.00
Panther Creek	-	-
Ramseur 1st	226.12	1,972.42
Randleman 1st	-	-
Richland	-	420.00
Riverside	-	600.00
Russell's Grove	-	1,100.00
Sandy Creek	-	5,321.09
Seagrove 1st	-	2,892.00
Shady Grove	269.00	2,118.00
Sophia	-	1,050.00
Staley	-	748.70
Triad Cowboy Church	300.00	2,400.00
Trinity	1,099.00	6,664.01
Union Grove	706.74	5,752.86
Unity Baptist Fellowship	125.00	1,250.00
Victory	-	-
West Asheboro	-	750.00
Westfield	300.00	300.00
White's Memorial	300.00	2,400.00
Worthville	100.00	1,000.00
Other Undesignated	-	4,203.96
Total Undesignated	11,253.89	109,477.50
Total Income	12,672.56	130,217.33
Total Expenses	12,565.11	125,366.80
Net Income (Loss)	107.45	4,850.53
2026 Budget: Needed:	13,754.84	110,038.72
2026 Budget: Received:	11,253.89	109,477.50
Over or Under Budget:	(2,500.95)	(561.22)

Mark Your Calendars

- September - NCMO month, see front page
- Sept 19 - Walk for Life with YCR, see back page
- Sept 26 - Women's Conference, see front page
- Oct 3 - Kids' Missions Day, see back page
- Oct 5 - Church Memorial Lists due, see below
- Oct 7 - OCC Speaker Tour at Balfour
- Oct 10 - OCC Project Leader Workshop
- **Oct 26 - RBA Annual Meeting, see front page**
- Nov 7 - Christmas Backpacks due, see back pg.
- Nov 15-17 - NC Baptist Meetings, see below

NC Baptist Meetings

Nov 15-16 - Pastors' Conference

Register at ncbaptist.org/nc-pastors-conference/

Nov 16

NC Baptist Ministers' Wives Meeting

Register at ncbminwives.wixsite.com/ncbmw/events

Nov 16-17 - Annual Meeting

ncbaptist.org/annual-meeting/



ATTN Church Secretaries!

During our Annual Meeting, RBA will honor church members who have passed away this year.

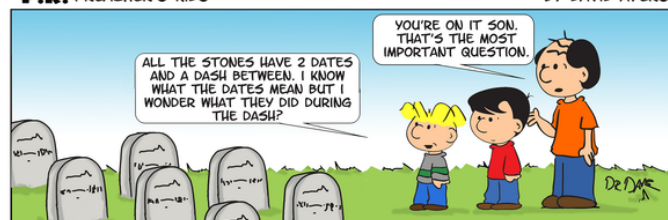
Please send your **Memorial Lists** to RBA by Oct 5th.

2025 ACPs can still be submitted!

Learn more & complete the ACP at ncbaptist.org/acp

P.K. PREACHER'S KIDS

BY DAVID AYERS



Taken from: baptistpress.com/resource-library/comics/monday-august-20-2018-3/

The deadline for submitting material for the next Newsletter is 11am on September 20.

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NEWS & UPCOMING EVENTS

Kids' Missions Day

Teaching kids to serve

Saturday, Oct 3rd
8:30-3:30pm

For 1st-6th graders
\$10/person

Learn more & register at:
bit.ly/kids-missions



Walk for Life

Your Choices Randolph
Saturday, Sept 19
Zoo City Sportsplex

Learn more at:
friendsofycr.org



Pastor Appreciation Month



Don't forget!
October is Pastor Appreciation Month!

Appalachian Christmas Backpacks



Collection Day:
Nov 7th from 9-12pm

Unity Baptist Fellowship
4918 Old Marlboro Rd, Sophia, NC 27350

A Baptists on Mission Project
Learn more: bit.ly/Christmas-backpacks

Question? Contact Jeff Leviner, 850-218-6142

Operation Christmas Child

Special Speaker Tour

Wed, Oct 7, 6:30-7:30pm

Project Leader Workshop

Sunday, Oct 10, 10am-12pm

Balfour Baptist Church
1642 N Fayetteville St., Asheboro, NC 27203



If you'd like to receive emailed Newsletters or be taken off our mailing list,
please contact Erica at 336-625-4175 or rbaoffice2022@gmail.com. Thank you!



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Don't forget!
Saturday
September 19th
10:00am



2026

FriendsofYCR.org

WALK *For Life*

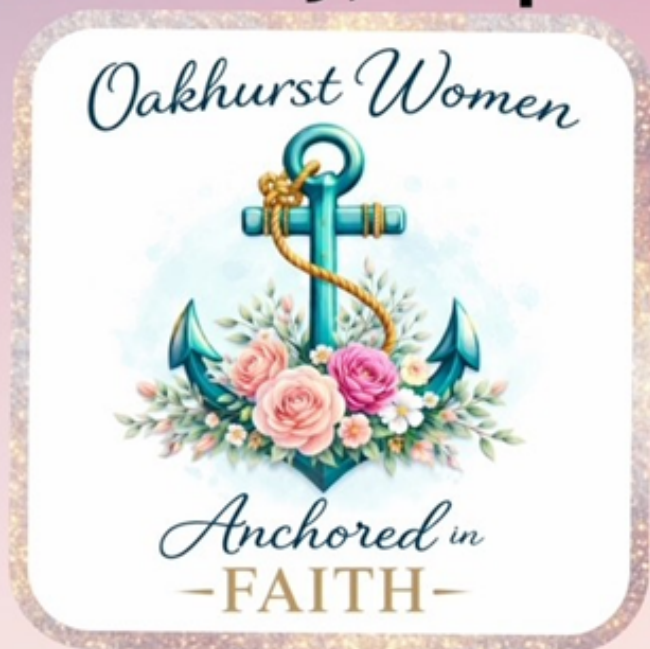


Come celebrate
LIFE with us!

**You can still join us!
Join your church's team.**

friendsofycr.org/walk-for-life/

Saturday, Sept. 26, 2026 11:00 am



**Oakhurst Baptist Church
2225 S. Fayetteville St
Asheboro, NC 27205
(336) 625-3856**



**Worship
Leader**

Danielle Kelly



Guest Speaker

Tiffany Johnson

**Shark Attack
Survivor**

On June 2, 2017, her world completely changed. She was attacked by a shark, losing half of her right arm. But God took a tragedy and turned it into a redemptive story.

**\$10.00 includes
catered lunch**

Be an overcomer. Choose joy. Shift your perspective



Discover how God used an Operation Christmas Child shoebox in my life ...



Pastor Mark and Cherry Brumbelow
Grace Baptist Church in Wild Peach, Texas

The church was small,

with 30 members, but its goal to pack more than 500 shoebox gifts in 2014 was big. Pastor Mark Brumbelow and his wife, Cherry, believe that God likes to exceed goals that seem impossible in order to call His children to deeper faith. The church in Wild Peach, Texas, reached their initial goal and has set an even higher one each year. In 2017, they packed over 8,000 shoeboxes and collected the suggested donation for each one, despite many of their homes being flooded by Hurricane Harvey. Their annual shoebox totals are in the five digits, and the church has grown by the dozens. Hear how focusing on God's faithfulness has energized the congregation to expect Him to do great things.

Speaker Tour

Date: Wednesday, October 7, 2026

Time: 6:30pm-7:30pm

Place: Balfour Baptist Church
1642 N Fayetteville Street
Asheboro, NC 27203

Join us at Balfour Baptist for their Wednesday evening service with Special Guest:
Mark and Cherry Brumbelow



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Project Leader Workshop

Date: Saturday, October 10, 2026

Time: 10:00am-12:00 pm

Place: Balfour Baptist Church
1642 N Fayetteville Street
Asheboro, NC 27203

Calling all Project Leaders to come get equipped and encouraged for the 2026 collection season. Special guest speakers: Mark and Cherry Brumbelow