



Calendar – August 2025

- 8/4 – Deacons Meeting @ 6:30 p.m.
- 8/7 – Pop-Up Food Distribution Event @ 9:00-11:00 a.m.
- 8/10 – Men's Brotherhood Breakfast @ 8:00 a.m.
Noah's Park @ 11:00 a.m.
Deacon Wives Fellowship & Prayer @ 6:00 p.m.
- 8/23 – Young Adult & Youth (16+) Cookout @ 6:00 p.m.
- 8/31 – Communion Sunday

Midweek Schedule

- Youth & Children Bible Study: 6:30-7:30 p.m.
- Young Adult Bible Study: 6:30-7:30 p.m.
- Adult Bible Study & Prayer Meeting: 6:30-7:30 p.m.
- Adult Choir Practice: 7:45 p.m.

Ushers – August 2025

Steve Brown
Ted Dugue
Nelson Pearce
George Rucker
Andy Woodlief

Nursery Schedule – August 2025

- 3 Deborah Mitchell & Susan Pierce
- 10 Mike Nessell & Vicky Nessell
- 17 Janet Alford & Cindy Ellington
- 24 Kayelynn Grindstaff & Wendy Geigel
- 31 Bill Ausley & Jewel Ausley

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For the past year, I have used this space in the newsletter to work our way through the Lord's Prayer in Matthew 6:5-15. The final petition of this prayer in verse 13 says, "And do not lead us into temptation, but deliver us from evil, or the evil one." This verse reminds us that as Christians we are in spiritual warfare with evil. Some people pretend as if the devil doesn't really exist. They see him as little more than a caricature of some Halloween figure with a pitchfork and a long tail. Don't be fooled believer. The Bible clearly teaches that the Devil and his demons are real and that these invisible enemies are bent on destroying your spiritual life. This is not the time to be complacent in matters of spiritual warfare. As Christians, if we truly read our Bible and embraced the teaching on demonic powers, we would come to church on Sundays celebrating the fact of our redemption from the power and domain of darkness through Christ Jesus our Lord. Before I run out of space, Albert Mohler, in his book on the Lord's Prayer, gives three reasons why we need this petition. 1) We must recognize that temptations are a real and daily threat to communion with God and with Christ. Adrian Rogers said, "Satan can't keep God from answering your prayers, but he will keep us from asking." 2) This petition reminds us that we are not able to resist temptation by our own power. The Bible does not teach that God helps those who help themselves; instead, God helps those who are at the end of themselves. 3) We must pray for endurance in the fight against temptation. This is a model prayer, which means these are types of petitions that should characterize our prayer life this day and all the way to the grave. Now, does God lead us into temptation? We'll answer that question next month.

Praying for you!
Pastor Earl



August 2025 Birthdays

2 Amanda Medlin
6 Charles Blackley
7 Cheryl Sultan
9 Patsy Cook
10 J.W. Reel
12 Pat Dugue
13 Helena Coffey
14 James Pierce
15 Debbie George
Charity Lambeth
18 Victoria Williams
22 Tim Perry
Faye Perry
26 Nelson Pearce
30 Ricky Anderson
Eugenia Williams

August 2025 Anniversaries

2 Sam & Nadine Head
Nate & Maria Sealey
4 Scott & Sondra Lester
21 James & Susan Pierce

Remember those in Rest Homes and Assisted Living

Louisburg Nursing & Rehab Center
 202 Smoke Tree Way
 Louisburg, NC 27549
 Ronnie Perry – Room #307

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Intercessory Prayer List

Jewel Ausley	Sherria Johnson
Deborah Brannan	Janelle Medlin
Bethany Brown	Mike & Vicky Nessell
Inez Brown	Alice Overton
Melody Brown	Faye Pearce
Milton & Gina Bryant	Faye Perry
Ramona Bunn	Hazel Perry
Richard & Susan Chait	Nancy Perry
Doris Champion	Ronnie & Debbie Perry
Jimmy Ellington	Joe Price
Hilda Fowler	Lindberg Ray
Marie Gay	Chuck Robertson
Mary Godfrey	Nate Sealey
Gryder Family	James & Brenda Vaughan
Sam Head	Judy Whitley
Donald & Janet Jackson	