

HOPKINS CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH  
ORDER OF WORSHIP  
Pastor Earl Roach  
December 28, 2025

Announcements

Prayer

Call to Worship "I Am Resolved" #301  
"From Everlasting (Psalm 90)"

Mission Focus/Intercessory Prayer Gerald English

Gathering Tithes & Offerings – Instrumental Handbells

Special Music – Jadyn, Jillian & Josie Burk "Breath of Heaven"

Message David Grindstaff

Hymn of Invitation "I'd Rather Have Jesus" #550

Benediction

At the end of the service today, members of our Deacon Body will be at the front of the platform should you desire prayer & counsel.

\*\* In order to enhance your worship service with us today, we ask that all mobile devices be set to quiet or vibrate.

If you are a first-time guest, we want to offer you a warm **Welcome to Hopkins Chapel Baptist Church**. Thank you for joining us this Lord's Day. We hope you find your worship with us to be spiritually uplifting. Please fill out the "Welcome" card on the back of the pew in front of you. Hand your card to one of our ushers or the pastor. That is your gift to us. Please see one of our ushers for our "**Welcome Packet**" which contains information on the missions and ministries of our church. Again, thank you for gracing our service with your presence today.

• **No Mid-Week Services** on Wednesday, December 31st. We will resume Wednesday Bible Study, Prayer Meeting and AWANA on January 7, 2026.

• **Deacons Meeting** is next Monday, January 5th at 6:30 p.m.

For proper year end credit, be sure to have all tithes and offerings into the church by today.

Don't forget to get your **Christmas Cards** in the fellowship hall.

Our next **Pop-Up Food Event** is scheduled for Friday, **January 9th** from 10:00–12:00 noon or until the food runs out. The volunteer signup sheet is located on the board in the hallway behind the sanctuary.

The **2026 Daily Bible Reading Calendars** are available one per family on all the entrance tables.

If you would like to learn more about the various Kennedy Home Ministries in Kinston NC, you will find a newsletter from director Matt Chilson on the bulletin board in the hallway behind the sanctuary.

We have some good reading material for **January** in the literature rack in the hallway behind the sanctuary and in the Library. You will find the monthly copy of **Mature Living**. There are still a few **Open Windows** for Winter. All are free! Please help yourself.

The **January** newsletter is available on all the entrance tables.

Men – it's time to sign up for the annual **East Coast Men's Bible Conference**, March 13 & 14, 2026 at Englewood Baptist Church in Rocky Mount. Visit [www.ecmbc.org](http://www.ecmbc.org) for details. The cost of **\$50.00** (early bird discount through January 31st) includes dinner on Friday evening and all conference sessions. The price increases to \$60 on February 1st. The sign-up sheet is on the table next to the church office.



Rev. Michael Clifton at Rock Spring Baptist Church is planning a Mission Trip to the Dominican Republic, June 22-29, 2026. While there you will be working with SCORE International in the area of outreach and gospel saturation. Rev. Clifton needs to know by the end of December if you would be interested in going. To sign up for the trip or for further information, contact Rev. Clifton at:

[michael.clifton@mac.com](mailto:michael.clifton@mac.com).

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Every Monday morning at 9:00 a.m., we have a season of prayer to intercede for the church, its leaders, teachers, and outreach activities. Please come and join us as often as your schedule will allow.  
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December 2025 Ushers: John Lawhorne, Mike Nessell, Nelson Pearce  
Tony Perry and Andy Woodlief

Nursery Schedule Today: Janet Alford & Patricia McCraw  
January 4, 2026: Kayelynn Penrod & Susan Pierce

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| Weekly Need for <b>2025/2026</b> budget | \$6,238.00          |
| Offering December 21, 2025              | \$8,550.00          |
| <b>YTD – (Shortage)</b>                 | <b>(\$3,511.14)</b> |
| Lottie Moon Christmas Offering          | \$7,155.00          |

# GOD SO LOVED THE WORLD

that he gave his only Son, so that  
everyone who believes in him  
won't perish but will have

## ETERNAL LIFE.

JOHN 3:16

