	THE WORSHIP OF GOI)	ANTIPHON	My Life Is In You	Daniel Gardner	+ BENEDICTIO
Com	<i>Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Ti</i> munion Sunday and The Sunday before I		My life is in You, Lord; my strength is in You, Lord; My hope is in You, Lord; in You, it's in You. (<i>Repeat)</i>			Go now remem by God
September 4, 2022Memorial Baptist ChurchTen O'clock in the MorningBuies Creek, North Carolina				I will praise You with all of my life. I will praise You with all of my strength. With all of my life, with all of my strength,		and by now an
				All of my hope is in You.		POSTLUDE
GATHERING			OLD TESTAMENT	Jeremiah 18: 1-11 The Potter's House:	Mrs. Craddock	† The congregati
MUSIC FOR GATHERING				The word that came to Jeremiah from the Lord: "Come, go down to the potter's house, and there I will let you hear my words."		
PRELUDE	This Is My Father's World/ For the Beauty of the Earth	Craig McGibbon	SERMON	Location, Location, Location	Mr. Beddingfield	
	Anne McClain, organist					PRAYER FO
WELCOME Edward Beddingfield, Pastor			RESPONDING			<u>Members</u> : Sco Pentony, Davio
+ INVOCATION	NVOCATION Ad. in part fr. <i>The Book of Common Prayer,</i> Mr. Beddingfie "For Commerce and Industry"		† HYMN OF INVIT	ATION 294	ADELAIDE	Pauline Callow
Almighty God, by whose will and work the earth was formed and all that is in it, and whose Son Jesus Christ in his earthly life shared our toil and blessed our labor: Be present with all your children where we work; make those who carry on the industries and offices, the shops and commerce of this land responsive to your will and respectful of all who labor; give to us all, whatever our task, a pride in what we do; and grant to all who need one a work to perform, a job to fulfill, and a fair and just return for their labor; in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord, whose chief work was our redemption and reconciliation. Amen.			Have Thine Own Way, Lord stanzas 1, 3 and 4 (Those wishing to respond to the invitation may meet the pastor at the front of the sanctuary.)			Family and Fri Tony Malden (<i>Roberts),</i> Harrol of Susan Johnson
			OFFERTORY	He Leadeth Me	Larry Shackley	Emerald Healt
			PRAYERS OF THE	PEOPLE and The Lord's Prayer (unison)	Mrs. Craddock	<u>Oak Hill Assist</u>
			VOCAL WITNESS	Hymn of Heaven Johnson, Mariamarta Conrad, vocalist	/Wickham/Davenport	<u>Prayers of Co</u> King in the dea is also the grar
+ HYMN OF PRAISE	43 This Is My Father's World	TERRA PATRIS	HOLY COMMUNIC	DN		is also the Bran
CALL TO PRAYER (responsively) Isaiah 45: 9 and 64: 8, Mr. Beddingfield				Mrs. Craddock	In order to keep of month we will ren	
Romans 9: 20-21, and II Corinthians 4: 7 Woe to those who strive with their Maker, earthen vessels with the potter. Does the clay say to the one who fashioned it, "What are you making?" or "Your work has no handles!" Yet you, O Lord, are our Creator, and we are the clay; you are the potter, and we are all the work of your hand. But who are we, mere mortals, to argue back to God? Will what is molded say to its molder, "Why have you made me like this?" Has the potter no right over the clay, to make out of the same lump one vessel to be admired for its beauty, and another for common use? But we have this treasure in earthen vessels,				Mr. Beddingfield	period, please not gfield	
				John 6: 56, 54 esus said, "Those who eat my flesh and drink my blo ve in me, and I live in them; and they have eternal li and I will raise them up at the last day."		
			The Cup	John 7: 37-38 Jesus said, "Let anyone who is thirsty come to me, and let all who believe in me drink."	Mrs. Craddock	Deacon Deacon
to show that the transcendent power belongs to God, and not to us. CONFESSION and ASSURANCE Mr. Beddingfield		The Promise	I Corinthians 11: 26 For as often as you eat this bread and drink this cup you proclaim the Lord's death till he comes again.	Mrs. Craddock	<u>Ushers</u> Linda Lur <u>Ushers</u> Howard	
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CHILDREN'S SERMON

Meredith Lanier Craddock, Associate Pastor

LIFE IN THE COMMUNITY

Mr. Beddingfield

Ad. fr. John Claypool

Mr. Beddingfield

v into God's world as those who are called to be God's people, abering as you go that by God's goodness you were born into this life, I's grace you have been kept to this very hour, God's love, fully revealed in Jesus Christ, you are being redeemed, and forevermore. Amen.

Postlude in D

arr. Michael Ryan

ion is invited to stand.

R OUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS:

otty Scarborough, Jimmy Jung, Joyce Sills, Ofelia Hoyle, Tammy d Price, Carolyn Walker, Jeanne Barker, Linda Smith, Mary Lou Ellen, vay

iends: Family of Mindy Lee Phillips (grandmother of Stacie Hogan), (friend of Will Roberts), Lennie Hamilton and wife (friends of Will old Bunnells (brother-in-law of Jeanie Kornegay), Margo Ardelean (friend n), Steven Hoyle and Christopher Hoyle (sons of Ofelia Hoyle)

th and Rehab Center (Lillington, NC): Pat Stiller

ed Living Center (Angier, NC): Frances McQuade

mfort are extended to the family of Frances Lloyd and Catherine ath of Frances' brother and Catherine's cousin, Archie Lynch. Archie ndson of Archibald Campbell.

our prayer list current, we will place names on the list for one month. After one nove names from the list. If there is a need for a name to be on the list for a longer tify us and we will be happy to comply.

ns for September: Cherry DeVane and Derek Hogan ns for October: Laura Rich and Tammy Scarborough

<u>**Today</u>**: Al Hardison, Randall Johnson, Susan Johnson and nney</u>

<u>for September 11</u>: Siu-Ki Wong, Brandon Brown, Beverley and Matthew Sadler

<u>ldren's Sunday School Today</u>

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TODAY, September 4th

Friends Class - Sunday School: 8:45 a.m. (In Person & Online) Sarah's Open Door Class - Sunday School: 9:00 a.m. (In Person & Online) Youth - Sunday School: 9:00 a.m. (Fellowship Hall) Worship Service: 10:00 a.m. (Sanctuary) * No Children's Sunday School

MONDAY, September 5th Church Office Closed for Holiday

TUESDAY, September 6th Nominating Committee Meeting: 6:00 p.m. (Fellowship Hall)

WEDNESDAY, September 7th

RESUME WEDNESDAY NIGHT ACTIVITIES

Children's Choir: 5:30 p.m. (Choir Room) **Pizza Supper:** begin serving at 5:45 p.m. (Fellowship Hall) Adult Bible Study: 6:30 p.m. (Fellowship Hall) Children's Missions Groups: 6:30 p.m. Youth Council Meeting: 6:30 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal: 7:30 p.m. (Sanctuary)

SATURDAY, September 10th

Deacon Retreat: 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. (Fellowship Hall) Retreat for incoming and outgoing deacons

Friends Sunday School Class Dessert Fellowship:

7:00 p.m. (Family Life Center)

This fellowship time is open to any adult that does not already attend a Sunday School class. Children are welcome to come.

SEPTEMBER 2022

11 Friends Class - Sunday School: 8:45 a.m. (In Person & Online) Sarah's Open Door Class - Sunday School: 9:00 a.m. (In Person & Online) Youth Class - Sunday School: 9:00 a.m. (Fellowship Hall) Children's Class - Sunday School: 9:00 a.m. Worship Service: 10:00 a.m. (Sanctuary) Kid's Church: 10:15 a.m. (Fellowship Hall) Wedding Shower Honoring Catherine Godwin and **Jaxon Anderson**: 3:30 p.m. (Fellowship Hall)

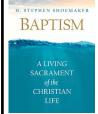
- 12 **Deacon's Meeting**: 7:00 p.m.
- 14 Children's Choir: 5:30 p.m. (Choir Room) Simple Supper: 6:00 p.m. (Fellowship Hall) Children's Missions Groups: 6:30 p.m. Adult Bible Study: 6:30 p.m. (Fellowship Hall) **Chancel Choir Rehearsal**: 7:30 p.m. (Sanctuary)



Communion Paraments

Even in the church's "Ordinary Time" there are special days, such as the days we share the Lord's Supper. Partaking together of bread and wine reminds us of the unique fellowship we share with the Lord as His people. We are surrounded by reminders of the sacrifice of His body and blood for our salvation. The pulpit parament and stoles serve as additional tokens of His atonement for us.

The paraments are made and given to the church by Jac and Kathy Whatley in honor of Anne McClain with appreciation for her twenty years of faithful service to Memorial Baptist Church.



WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY

Bible study begins this Wednesday, **September 7**. Join us as we study Stephen Shoemaker's book on the significance of baptism, both as a practice and a model for Christian faith. Shoemaker an annual ministers' discussion group with our pastor and is pastor of Grace Baptist in Statesville. He has served churches in Louisville, Ft. Worth and Charlotte.

Purchase of the book is NOT required for the study, but if you want a copy for \$13.00, call or email Ashley in the office & we will order you one.



We are still working to fill 24 backpacks for our Christmas mission project. We are **BACKPACKS** collecting items each month to fill the bags.

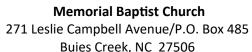
For the month of **SEPTEMBER**, we are collecting Fresh, Wrapped Candy (no chocolate or peanut products) and FULL-SIZED Body Wash, Shampoo and Deodorant.

Please deliver to the church office during the week or place in the basket in the narthex on Sunday mornings.

CHURCH MISSION PROJECTS

Clothes Closet: September 24, 2022

• Harnett Food Pantry: collecting - non-perishable foods and egg cartons Needed for September - - Canned Green Beans You may also make a monetary donation to Memorial Baptist Church and put 'Food Pantry' on the memo line.



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Church Office Hours: Monday - Friday: 9am - 5pm Other Staff: By Appointment





MEMORIAL **BAPTIST CHURCH**

Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time Communion Sunday and The Sunday before Labor Day

September 4, 2022

Memorial Baptist Church is an inviting, inclusive, Christ-centered community of faith open to all persons who want to walk with us in following the way of Jesus. If you mourn and need comfort; if you're weary and need rest; if you feel friendless and need friendship; if you need a Savior; if you need love; if you need help; whoever you are and whatever your circumstances, we open the door and in the name of Jesus bid you come.

The Rev. Edward Beddingfield, Pastor Meredith Lanier Craddock, Associate Pastor Dr. Phillip and Susan Morrow, Ministers of Music Anne McClain, Organist Mariamarta Conrad, Worship Assistant Ashley Nelson, Administrative Assistant Wayne Smith, Custodian