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401 South College Street, Walhalla, SC 29691



ORDINANCE OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Sunday, 1-12-25, 10:30 a.m.

***INFORMATIONAL PARENT MEETING FOR
"STRENGTH TO STAND" YOUTH CONFERENCE
AT 12:00 NOON, SUNDAY, 1-12-25***



**RECREATION APPRECIATION
DINNER**

SUNDAY, 1-12-25, 5:30 P.M., FLC

Leaf through a good
BOOK.....



VISIT THE CSBC LIBRARY

- ◆ Open before and after each church service.
- ◆ Self check-out.
- ◆ Contains Christian fiction books, Bible study books, self-help books, church history books, DVD's and more.
- ◆ Resources for adults, youth and children.

If you need assistance or have questions, please contact one of the Library Committee members: Rhonda Haltiwanger, Angela Long or Anita Stancil.



CSBC CLOTHES CLOSET NEWS FOR 2025

Ms. Connie Springs will be the new coordinator for our Clothes Closet as of 2025.

Following is a note from Ms. Connie:

The Clothes Closet is in need of donations of all kinds, especially shoes, coats, bedding and towels. Donations can be brought to the Clothes Closet on Mondays or Tuesdays between 10:00 a.m. & 1:00 p.m. If you are unable to bring the donations directly to the Clothes Closet, you can contact the church office at 864-638-2986 to make arrangements for drop off.

Attendance Report

Weeks of 12-01 - 12-31-24 (Averages for above dates)

Average 10:30 AM Worship Service Attendance (5 Wks.)	198
Average Sunday School Attendance (5 Wks.)	153
Average Weds. PM Adult Bible Study Attendance (Est.)	40
Wednesday PM Youth & Children (5 Wks.) (Est.)	42



SAFETY AM SCHEDULE

<u>Sunday Services</u>	<u>Team</u>
January 12	4
" " 19	5
" " 26	1
February 2	2
" " 9	3

CSBC MEDIA & SOUND SCHEDULE

1. Sunday, January 12, 2025 -
Media: Brandon Pearson
Sound: Joe Rukat
2. Sunday, January 19, 2025 -
Media: Tracy Tichenor
Sound: Jeremy Tichenor
3. Sunday, January 26, 2025 -
Media: Brandon Pearson
Sound: Mike Oakley. Sr.
4. Sunday, February 2, 2025
Media: Tracy Tichenor
Sound: Jeremy Tichenor
5. Sunday, February 9, 2025
Media: Brandon Pearson
Sound: Joe Rukat



CSBC CLOTHES CLOSET UPDATE

CLOTHES ARE AVAILABLE
FOR FAMILIES IN NEED
AT 301 SOUTH LAUREL STREET.
WALHALLA, SC 29691

OPEN ON MONDAY AND TUES-
DAY
10:00 AM UNTIL 1:00 PM

Month of December 2024

Total Clients - 43
Total Number of Family
Members - 150
Number Under Age 18 - 64
Number Over Age 60 - 19



MISSION STATEMENT

College Street Baptist Church strives to live on mission by engaging, equipping, and empowering people to fulfill their God-given purpose in life.

METHODS OF TITHING

- ◆ Online With *EasyTithe* (now *Ministry Brands Amplify*)
- ◆ During 10:30 AM Sunday Service
- ◆ At the CSBC Food Bank (Mondays and Tuesdays)
- ◆ Church Office During Office Hours



CSBC NEW MAILING ADDRESS

CSBC no longer has a post office box address.

*Our mail now should be addressed to our street address which is **401***

***South College Street,**
Walhalla, SC 29691*

Please make a note that any future items being mailed to the church should use the above address.

RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

College Street
BAPTIST CHURCH
401 SOUTH COLLEGE STREET
WALHALLA, SC 29691

THANK YOU NOTE

Dear College Street Family,

I want to thank the loving and compassionate church that I was fortunate to be a part of for 50+ years. You showered me with cards and love during Christmas. It made me homesick but I know I am where I need to be as the birthdays take their toll on my body.

I miss you and love you. My prayer is God will continue to bless College Street Baptist Church.

With Love,
Ann Yelton



HOMEBOUND MEAL TEAMS SCHEDULE JANUARY - MARCH 2025

15-Jan	Sharon McManamay and Mildred Dodd
22-Jan	Brenda Gibson and Brenda Turner
29- Jan	Eugenia and Greg Tichenor
5-Feb	Rhonda Barker and Misty Stephens
12-Feb	Mary and Paul Tichenor/Betty and Bob Barker
19-Feb	Candy and Donnie Lee
26-Feb	Kathy Alexander & Angie & Theresa Kelley
5-Mar	April Riggs and Carren Coker
12-Mar	Vanessa Conway and Connie Springs
19-Mar	Sharon McManamay and Mildred Dodd
26-Mar	Brenda Gibson and Brenda Turner
	FIRST UP April 2 – Eugenia and Greg Tichenor



FOOD PANTRY
OPEN MONDAY & TUESDAY
10:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m.

Month of December 2024 Information

Total number of households served: 111
Total number of people in the families served: 225
Total number of seniors (65+) served at our pantry: 46
Total number of people between 19-64 served: 119
Total number of children (under 19) served at our pantry: 60
Total veterans served: 6

Music Ministry Notes

Rev. Tim Moon, Minister of Music



Another amazing Christmas season is behind us, not the least of which was our “One Night at Christmas” dinner theater experience. What an incredible difference our new acoustical panels made! Many thanks to all who helped make that possible.



Even though I’m already enjoying a briefly lighter schedule for January...

Now’s the time to think about those former choir members or potential new recruits who need to be part of what we’re doing.

I call it “Jubilant January” (I know, slightly cheesy). This will entail brief rehearsals, with familiar, 1 rehearsal anthems. The idea is to expose former and new people to a stress-free choir experience, in the hopes of adding to our musical community.

Here’s what I’m thinking so far:

- Written in Red-Jan 12 (for Lord’s Supper)***
- Worship team on January 19 (since I’m preaching)***
- Jerusalem-Jan 26 (southern gospel crowd pleaser)***

Take a moment to exhale after the clamor of the Christmas season and anticipate what God will do with 2025. Never fear, Easter prep will begin soon for handbells, orchestra, and choir. Also children will begin practicing VBS songs in prep for summer.

Isaiah 43:18-19 “Forget the former things; do not dwell on the past. See, I am doing a new thing! Now it springs up; do you not perceive it? I am making a way in the wilderness and streams in the wasteland.”

