

Morningside Baptist Church
897 South Pine Street
Spartanburg, SC 29302



August 24, 2025

Prelude: “Glorious Is Thy Name” Paula Joye, organ
Welcome, InvocationRev. Laura White
Worship and Praise in Song: “Still Waters”
“I Believe”
Infinite Mercy, Sanctuary Choir, Congregation
Offertory Prayer..... Ralph Boney
Offertory: “All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name” Paula Joye, organ and Gail Medlin, piano
Doxology: “Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow” No. 253
Worship in Song: “God Will Take Care of You” No. 64
Worship in Song: “Trust” Medley Sanctuary Choir
Scripture Reading: Esther 4:1-14 Beth Mitchell
Message: “Stoking Faith”Rev. Brandon Malone
InvitationRev. Malone
Hymn of Decision: “Close to Thee” No. 464
Benediction.....Rev. Malone
Closing Chorus “Grace”
Postlude: “Be Not Afraid” Gail Medlin, piano

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Rev. Brandon Malone, Pastor
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Deacon Election Cycle - 2025-2027 Term

Sunday, August 24 Election of Six Deacons in Fellowship Hall
9:00-9:30 A.M. and 10:30-10:45 A.M. (Fellowship Hall) 12:15-12:30 P.M. (Unity Classroom)
Monday, August 25 Orientation for Newly-Elected Deacons - 5:30 P.M.
Election of Officers - 6:30 P.M.
Sunday, September 7 Deacon Commissioning - 11:00 A.M./Deacon Ordination, if needed

Calendar

Sunday, August 24
Infinite Mercy Rehearsal 9:00
Time of Prayer 9:00
Coffee Fellowship 9:15
Sunday School 9:30
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal..... 10:35
Deacon Election 9:00, 10:30, 12:15
Worship Service..... 11:00
Infinite Mercy Rehearsal..... 4:00
Monday, August 25
Orientation of Newly-elected Deacons .. 5:30
Election of Officers..... 6:30
Tuesday, August 26
Bicycle Ministry 8:00
Staff Meeting 10:00
Stitchers and Sowers 1:15
Scouts 6:30
Wednesday, August 27
Wednesday Night Kick-off /Supper 6:00
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal to Follow
Thursday, August 28
Hearts and Hands Crafters..... 10:00
Friday, August 22
Church Office Closed

Wednesday Night Kick-off
Mexican Buffet, Kick Ball
Sanctuary Choir to Follow
Wednesday, August 27
6:00 P.M. Fellowship Hall
Today is the last day to sign up for our Wednesday Night Kick-off. We will meet in the Fellowship Hall for a delicious Mexican buffet. Afterwards, we will head outside for a game of kick ball and ice cream. Don’t play? Come root for our players and enjoy an ice cream sandwich. Sign up with the QR Code or in the Information Hallway today.



Nursery Schedule - August 24

Please arrive no later 10:35 A.M.
Brenda Young, Shannon Schluder
Martha Allen, Greeter Rylee Foster, Helper

Deacons on Call

August 24-30 August 31-September 6
Rick Byars David Smith
Hugh Martin Ralph Boney

Ministers on Call

August 22-24 Laura White, 828-447-2175
August 29-31 Brandon Malone, 404-861-1872

The Record Speaks

Weekly Needs: \$12,651.49
Received August 17: \$5,784.45

TOTAL Ministries Has Urgent Need

Today is the last day to donate baby wipes, diapers, and pull-ups. Drop off your items in the Church Office or in the yellow tub in the Welcome Center.

Observance of The Lord’s Supper
Sunday, August 31 11:00 A.M.

Please reflect on your relationship with Jesus Christ this week before taking of the bread and cup next Sunday.

Operation Christmas Child

School Supplies Needed: Sharpened pencils, pens, scissors, composition notebooks, crayons, colored pencils, pencil sharpeners, and markers.

Business Meeting

Wednesday, September 10 6:00 P.M.

Plan to attend a Q and A on proposed amendments to Church By-laws in the Fellowship Hall. The vote is scheduled for Sunday, September 14, during Worship.

Fall Festival and Craft Market
Saturday, October 25
10:00 A.M.-2:00 P.M.