

The BEACON

August 2025



Carrolls Creek Baptist Church
14247 Highway 69 North
Northport, AL 35475



***We exist to glorify God
by making disciples
and loving our community.***

CHURCH NEWS

- The Joy Group will not meet in August. We will resume our meetings in September.
- Diaper and Wipes shower. They have bottles, booties, bibs and more so let's shower them with diapers and wipes galore! Join us as we collect diapers and wipes for Calli and Sam Boswell. Donations will be collected in the Welcome Center, August 17th through August 24th.



HANK PARKER

To Register
Visit <http://carrollscreek.org>
or Scan the QR code below



FREE DINNER

FOR THE FAMILY
(CHILDCARE AVAILABLE FOR 11 & UNDER)

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 14TH
5:00 PM

REGISTRATION REQUIRED
TO GUARANTEE MEAL & SEAT

HEAR FROM HANK PARKER

TWO-TIME BASSMASTER CHAMPION
BASS FISHING HALL OF FAME

Register by **September 7th**

FOR MORE DETAILS, CALL CCBC AT 205-339-1742



Gather

Summer Schedule

Sunday Morning:

Sunday School at 9:30 am
 Sunday Morning Worship and
 Children's Church at 10:45 am

Sunday Evening:

No Services

Wednesday Evening:

Small Groups, Children's Activities,
 Youth Group, and College Group at 6:30 pm
 Worship Choir Practice @ 7:30 pm



Grow & Go

When did God's mission begin?

Like many people I had always thought God's mission started when Jesus came to Earth, or when He commissioned His followers to "Go and make disciples." The truth is that our God is a missionary God, and he had a mission for His people way back in the very beginning—in Genesis.

Now the LORD said to Abram, "Go from your country and your kindred and your father's house to the land that I will show you. ² And I will make of you a great nation, and I will bless you and make your name great, so that you will be a blessing. ³ I will bless those who bless you, and him who dishonors you I will curse, and in you all the families of the earth shall be blessed." Genesis 12:1-3

One word is repeated five times in just three short verses. Do you see it? God says to Abram, "I will bless you...and you will be a blessing...and I will bless those who bless you...and not only that...all people on earth will be blessed through you." Wow! There it is right in Genesis 12. God's first strategy for reaching the world was "blessing."

The best way to accomplish God's mission of helping people love each other and come to know the love of God is for His people to become "Blessers!"

Dave Ferguson and Jon Ferguson

Are You A Blessers?

B—Begin with Prayer

Who will you commit to praying for today?

L—Listen to someone

Who will you commit to listening to today?

E—Eat or share a meal with someone

Who will you commit to share a meal with today?

S—Serve someone

Who will you commit to serve today?

S—Share your story

Who will you commit to share your
 salvation story with today?



Give

JUNE 29

TITHES/OFFERINGS	\$ 7,248.00
BUILDING FUND	\$ 0.00
LOVING YOU JESUS	\$ 10.00

JULY 6

TITHES/OFFERINGS	\$13,651.37
BUILDING FUND	\$ 225.00
LOVING YOU JESUS	\$ 125.00

JULY 13

TITHES/OFFERINGS	\$ 5,026.99
BUILDING FUND	\$ 0.00
LOVING YOU JESUS	\$ 0.00

JULY 20

TITHES/OFFERINGS	\$ 6,621.80
BUILDING FUND	\$ 0.00
LOVING YOU JESUS	\$ 125.00

JULY 27

TITHES/OFFERINGS	\$13,013.91
BUILDING FUND	\$ 0.00
LOVING YOU JESUS	\$ 0.00



Chuck Eavenson



*"Let no one despise you for your youth, but set for the believers an example in speech, in conduct, in love, in faith, in purity."
1 Timothy 4:12*

Promotion Sunday on the Lake

August 3rd

5:30pm – 7:00pm

Join us for Promotion Sunday on the lake. We will meet at Stan and Kristi Acker's house, 15715 Cove Circle, Northport, AL 35475, at 5:30 pm. Come enjoy the food, fellowship and fun,

Six Flags Trip

August 16th

What better way to start the school year off. Youth will need to purchase their tickets online, the cost per person looks like \$35.00 plus taxes and fees. The bus will leave at 7:30am and we plan to be back at 10:30pm. Youth will also need lunch and dinner money for food and especially drinks. It will be hot and staying hydrated is very important. I would suggest that youth have at least \$40.00 for food and drinks.

Praying for Students, Parents, Teachers, Administrators, and everyone involved with the Tuscaloosa County School System.

Wow, it is hard to believe summer break is almost over and school will be back in full swing August 7th. The Youth summer camp was amazing. We are so proud of all the youth. Especially grateful for Elbie and the decision she made to follow Christ. Pray that the students will remember who they are in Christ and for them to be a strong witness for Him everywhere they go. Pray for their safety and the safety of all the Tuscaloosa County Employees.

Prayer Champions

Pray Pray Pray

The ministry that began several years ago is still one of the greatest highlights and joys of the youth and members of CCBC. The prayer Champions have consistently stood in the gap and prayed for and with our students every year since this ministry began. Words cannot express how thankful Tanya, and I are for all those who have been a Prayer Champion. We will be updating our list of youth and letting members pick their new students very soon.

Welcome to the Youth Group

Wednesday August 13th 6:30pm-7:30pm the youth ministry will have a special night to celebrate the youth that have moved up. We are excited to have you join us and looking forward to seeing all that God will do in your lives as you grow and experience Christ with us.



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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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3	4	5	6 Wednesday Night Prayer & Bible Study 6:30 pm	7	8	9
10	11	12	13 Wednesday Night Prayer & Bible Study 6:30 pm	14	15	16
17	18	19	20 Wednesday Night Prayer & Bible Study 6:30 pm	21	22	23
24	25	26	27 Wednesday Night Prayer & Bible Study 6:30 pm	28	29	30
30 United Appeal Offering						



CCBC KIDS

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GATHER

- Sunday School: 9:30
- Children's Church: 10:45
- Wednesday Night: 6:30
- Promotion Day lake party celebrating Jacob Griffin at the Acker's Aug 3rd 5:30-7pm
- Next big event: Fall Festival

GROW

We love seeing new faces on Sunday mornings! Please continue to encourage and invite!

GIVE

Your prayers! We always need to be in prayer that while the kids are having fun, seeds of faith are being planted

GO

School is back in session. It's a busy time of year. In the midst of the chaos, remember that this is also an opportunity. New friendships are forming. Start off friendships by sharing the Gospel of Jesus!



AUGUST

"From the Rising of the sun, to its setting, the name of the LORD is to be praised."

Psalms 113:3



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

August 1	Randy Hall
August 4	Kalynn Cabaniss
August 5	Levi Crain
August 6	Sam Boswell
August 7	Alyson Clardy, John Powell
August 9	Bill Darling
August 10	Kaylee Simmons, Lynn Richardson
August 14	Nina Ericson, Phillip Gurganus, Alesia Darling,
	Lexy Griffin, Marlo Hagler
August 16	Donnie Lake
August 22	Leigh Boswell, Tina Powell
August 24	Kelly Bailey
August 26	Rod Ericson, Beverly Lockridge
August 27	Sue Hamner
August 29	Chris Dunn, Susan Howell
August 30	Richie Shinholster

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