

*We are excited to worship with you today! You're invited to join us this week as we serve and grow in the Lord together.*

<u>Today</u>		<u>Tuesday</u>	
8:45am	Life Journey Classes	6:30pm	WMU Meeting
10am	Morning Worship / Kids Worship	7pm	College & Career Christmas Gathering
11:30am	Life Group Leaders' Meeting		
4pm	Choir Practice		
5pm	Life University		<u>Wednesday</u>
6pm	Always A King Christmas Cantata	7am	Prayer Breakfast at Bazens'
7pm	Student Life Christmas Party	7pm	Prayer & Worship
			KidsTown Great Adventures
			<u>Friday</u>
		6pm	Sidekicks' Christmas Dinner

**Life Group Leaders' Meeting** - All Life Group leaders are asked to meet in the Dorriety class **today**, immediately following Morning Worship for a brief meeting.

**Tonight's Kids Explosion** - We will not be having our regularly scheduled Kids Explosion this evening. They will be practicing and participating in the Christmas Celebration. We will have the infant nursery available for the program.

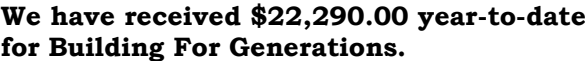
**Tonight-** You are all invited to our multigenerational Christmas Celebration, *Always A King*, which will be held **this evening beginning at 6pm**. Come hear the Christmas Story presented through scripture readings, narration, and music. Then join us for dessert in the Fellowship Hall while enjoying more Christmas music presented by members of our choir.

**Student Life Ministry Christmas Party** - All students in grades 6th-12th are invited to our Student Life Christmas Party being held in the Worship Café **this evening at 7pm.**

**Women On Mission Meeting** - Our December WMU meeting will be held this Tuesday, **Dec. 14th at 6:30pm**. All ladies are invited to attend.

**College & Career Christmas Gathering-** Our College & Career Life Journey class members are invited to the home of Travis & Krista Martin on this Tuesday, **Dec. 14th at 7pm.** We plan to decorate gingerbread houses during our Christmas gathering.

**Family Christmas Ornaments** - We would like to have a “Family Christmas Tree” in our foyer this year. Each family that would like to participate is asked to place an ornament on the tree that represents *your* family.



**Lottie Moon Christmas Offering–** We are taking up our Annual Lottie Moon Christmas Offering from now **through Dec. 28th.** Through this offering, Southern Baptists have given over \$5 billion to international missions. In 2020 there were 422 new missionaries, 18,380 new churches, 86,587 people baptized, 144,322 new believers, and over 769,494 people heard the Gospel!

**Wednesday Night Supper–** We will not be having Wednesday night meals through the remainder of this month. We'll begin again in January.

**Stewardship Meeting & Church Business Meeting–** There will be a Stewardship Meeting on **Dec. 15th at 6pm** in the Conference Room. We will also be having a church business meeting on **Dec. 26th** after Morning Worship.

**SideKicks' Christmas Dinner**– SideKicks are invited to sign up for a Christmas Dinner being held on **Dec. 17th at 6pm**. We will be serving salad, baked potatoes, either steak or grilled chicken breast, and dessert. We will also be doing a Chinese Christmas exchange. Each male and female who would like to participate can bring a wrapped gift of \$10-\$15. You must sign up **today** if you are eating. Please also note how you would like your steak cooked.

**Christmas Mission Project for Five Sparrows–** We are planning to take up a Love Offering on Sunday, **Dec. 19th** for our Christmas Mission Project for the Five Sparrows House. This Love Offering will be used to purchase gifts for the ladies staying there. We will also be providing them with a dinner at their home on Monday, **Dec. 20th**. Please see the sign-up sheet on our Connection Board if you would like to help by providing a dish for this dinner.

**Christmas Baskets for Shut-Ins-** We will be giving gift baskets to shut-ins on Dec. 19th while we are caroling. If you would like to help, please see the list of needed items on the Connection Board. You can sign up next to the items that you would like to donate. These need to be turned in next Sunday morning, **Dec. 19th.**

**Caroling, Soup & Santa**– We'll have Soup & Santa on **Dec. 19th** after we come back from church-wide Christmas caroling. Caroling is scheduled to begin at **4:00pm**. We plan to carol at the homes of some of our shut-in members. Please sign up if you plan to come. Also, please see Troi Gasque if you would like to help by providing soup.

**Acts Six Ladies' Fellowship**– Acts Six ladies are invited to bring a friend and fellowship on **Dec. 20th at 1pm**. We'll have a devotion, special craft, and snacks. Please sign up if you plan to attend.

**Christmas Eve Candlelight Service–** Invite your friends and family to our Christmas Eve Candlelight & Communion Service being held on **Dec. 24th at 5pm.**

**New Year's Eve Celebration**– Invite your family & friends to join you as we celebrate the beginning of a new year. We will have a breakfast supper at **7pm** followed by fireworks at **8:15pm**. Hot cocoa will be available during the fireworks. Please sign up if you plan to attend.



**If you are visiting with us today, we'd love to get to know you better. Please fill out the information below. You may place this tab in the offering plate or stop by our Conference Room after worship. We'd love to have a moment to speak with you!**

       I am a first time guest.

**\_\_\_ I am a return guest.**

**I am a guest of:**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

City/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:**\_\_\_\_\_

**Phone: Home:**\_\_\_\_\_

**Cell:** \_\_\_\_\_

           **Married**                 **Single**

\_\_\_\_\_ College      \_\_\_\_\_ Youth

**Adults, please indicate your age range:**

**\_\_\_ Under 20    \_\_\_ 20's    \_\_\_ 30's**

\_\_\_ 40's      \_\_\_ 50's      \_\_\_ 60+

**I would like to know more about becoming a Christian.**

**I would like to know more about  
South Florence Baptist Church.**

**I would like to speak with  
someone about church membership.**

**\_\_\_ I would like a visit from a Pastor.**

*December 12th, 2021*

## Prayer Requests

*How may we pray with you?*

**Prayer Request:**

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**Would you like to be added to  
our weekly prayer list?**

## Update Information

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***If you are a member of SFBC  
and need to update contact  
information, please list it below.***

**Your Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Information to Be Updated:**

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*Serving South Florence Today*

Deacon Of The Week- Gary Miller

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PreSchool Ministry AM: Denise Poston, Leslie Ervin, Ashley Miller, Hanna Elmore, Ann Caudle, and Peggy Williamson

PreSchool Ministry PM: Lynn Kelley and Kathy Miller (Infant class only)

PreSchool Wednesday: Open

**Greeters:** Harold & Pam Byrd and Gary & Laura Miller

Medical: Sunday AM– Leslie Rogers Sunday PM– Travis Martin Wednesday PM– Chireen Hyler

Ushers: Wayne Purvis, Shane Cassidy, Ian Isenberg, Charles Moore, Wayne Dorriety, Ethan Hudson, Jamie Hickey, and John Kelley

**Serving South Florence Next Week**

Deacon Of The Week- Robert Euten

Camera: Sunday– Laura Miller      Wednesday– No Service

PreSchool Ministry AM: Kody & Christen Cannon, Amber Sellers, Victoria Hudson, Karian Griggs, and Stephanie Stokes

PreSchool Ministry PM: Church-Wide Caroling and Soup &amp; Santa

PreSchool Wednesday: No Service

**Greeters:** Shelby Dawkins, Jennifer Grigg, and Steve & Rosa McCutcheon

Medical: Sunday AM– Leslie Ervin Sunday PM– Mary Lynn Kleinknecht Wednesday PM– Chireen Hyler

Ushers: Jerry Lynch, Phillip Gates, Ricky Green, Matthew Euten, Bob Kleinknecht, Gary Flohr, and Carl Springs



Therefore, brethren, having boldness to enter the Holiest by the blood of Jesus, by a new and living way which He consecrated for us, through the veil, that is, His flesh, and having a High Priest over the house of God, let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith, having our hearts sprinkled from an evil conscience and our bodies washed with pure water. Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for He who promised is faithful. And let us consider one another in order to stir up love and good works, not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as is the manner of some, but exhorting one another, and so much the more as you see the day approaching. *Hebrews 10: 19-24*

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The logo for South Florence, featuring a stylized blue 'S' and 'F' intertwined, with the words 'South' and 'Florence' in a blue serif font to the right. A thick, dark blue brushstroke curves under the letters.