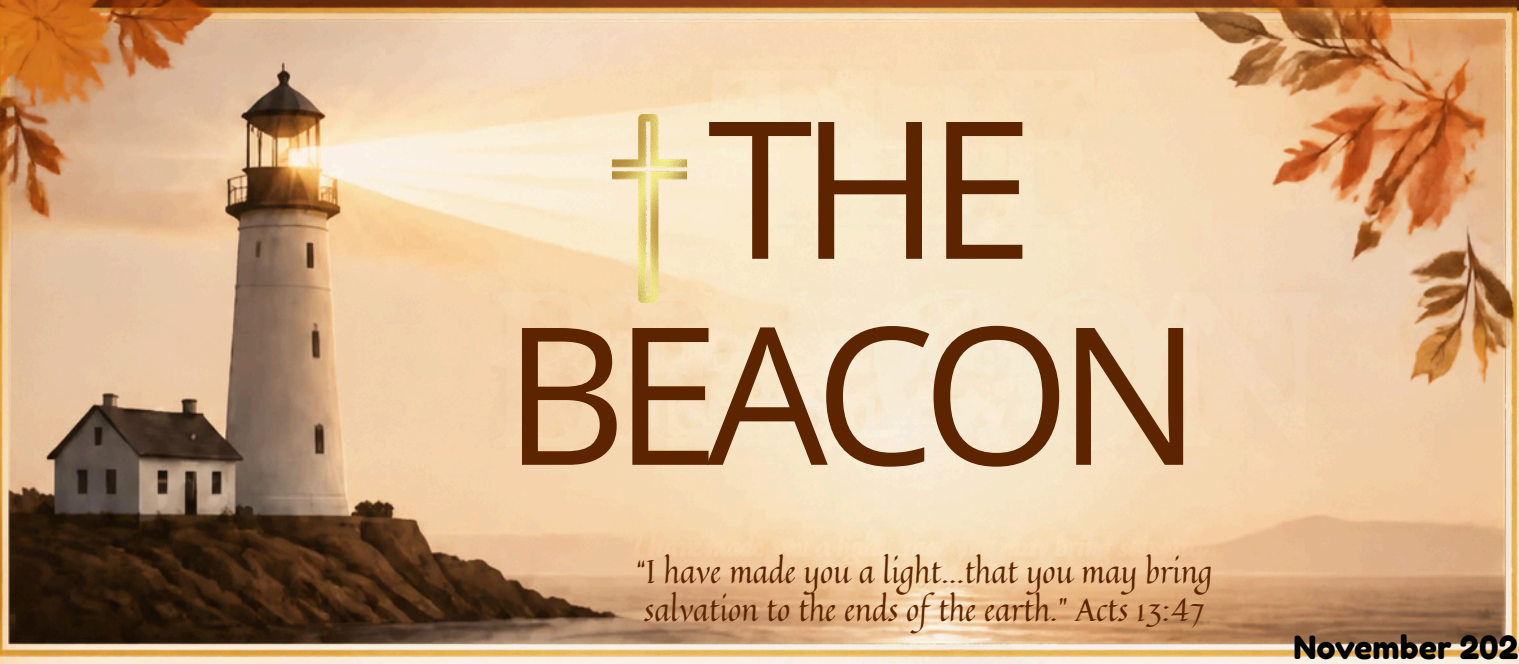


THE BEACON

"I have made you a light...that you may bring salvation to the ends of the earth." Acts 13:47

November 2026

Happy Thanksgiving

Fall Festival

November 7th 1-3pm



Car Show 🍂 Inflatable Slide 🍁 Cake Walk 🍃 Games 🍂 Food 🍁 Hayride
Inflatable Obstacle Course 🍂 and much more. 🍁 All for Free!



Bring your family and friends and join us for a fun filled afternoon!

Church family, please park at NRMBC across the road so we'll have room for our guests to park at our church.
The van will shuttle members to and from church to your vehicles.

Lunch & Thanksgiving Service at New Red Mountain Missionary Baptist Church

Sunday, Nov. 15th ~ 12:30pm

We are invited to a Thanksgiving Lunch and Worship Service with our Sister Church across the road. Please make plans to join us for this uplifting time of Fellowship, Praise & Worship.

Thanksgiving Covered Dish Meal

Tuesday, Nov. 24th ~ 6:30pm FLC

Join us for our annual Thanksgiving Covered Dish Meal. Bring enough food / dessert for your family and a guest. Pastor Dave will give a short devotion and then dinner will be served.

RMBC COMMUNITY EVENTS & NEWS:

- ·We extend our sympathy and prayers to Joan Hill and her family in the death of her sister, Mary Evan's
- ·We received a thank you note from Delora Roberts and Jimmy & Norma Roberts

Deacons and Trustees

Deacons:

- Dan Carpenter
- Steve Copley
- Justin Crabree
- Lane Ellis
- Don Garrett
- Joe Glenn
- Josh Taylor
- Owen Gentry

Trusteees:

- Gary Bowers
- Scott Grinstead
- Ray Moore



Pastor Daves Message of the Month:

Luke 17 tells us the account of Jesus healing the ten lepers. They see Jesus from a distance and cry out for Him to have mercy on them. Jesus gives them some instructions; they follow His instructions and then they are healed. After they are healed only one of the lepers returns to Jesus to thank Him. In Luke 17:17 Jesus asks, “Were there not ten cleansed? But where are the nine?” The nine lepers got what they wanted from Jesus and they forgot about Him. Only one was thankful for the impact that Jesus had on his life.

If we are not careful, we can Je likest the nine. We can get what we want from Jesus and we can be a Thessalonians 5:18 tells us, “In everything give thanks; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.” It is God’s will for us to thank Him in every circumstance of life. Whether we are going through good times or bad times we are to give God thanks. We can thank Him because His is in control. He is with us and He will see us through. As we enter this Thanksgiving season Lets strive to be like the one leper who was thankful to Jesus.

For His glory,
Pastor Dave

Womens Ministry



“I praise you because I am fearfully and wonderfully made; your works are wonderful, I know that full well”
Psalms 139:14

Monday, Nov. 16th @ 7pm

Men's Ministry



“As Iron sharpens iron, So a man sharpens the countenance of his friend.”
Proverbs 27:17

Monday, Nov. 16th @ 7pm
Young Men’s Bible Study will meet:
on Nov 5th, Nov 12th, Nov 19th, & Nov 26th @ 7pm

FUN BUNCH



The Fun Bunch is going to the Ruby Theater on Friday, December 11th for Christmas Show. Tickets are $35 dollars each. Please sign up in the Welcome Center and the deadline to sign up/pay is Sunday, November 15th.

Coming Up in December :

- 9th 6:30pm Christmas Caroling
- 11th Ruby Theater Christmas Show
- 13th Christmas Play and Fellowship
- 20th Family Christmas Service
- 25th MERRY CHRISTMAS

Roxboro Christian Women’s Club

Thursday, November 12th 12 - 1:30pm Homestead Steak House
Speaker Caroline Fish, “Mercy Came Running”
Feature: Roxboro Police Dept. - Safety in Today’s World.
RSVP: Norma Johnson 919-818-7119 or
Foy Harrell 336-364-2283 by 11/10
Cost is $14

Operation Christmas Child Shoebox

We are continuing to collect shoeboxes through Sunday, Nov. 8th Place your shoeboxes in the Welcome Center with a note on the box if shipping was paid online or check/money is inside shoebox. On Nov. 11th we will be preparing the boxes for the processing center, if anyone would like to come. If anyone, ages 13 and up, is interested in going to the processing center in Charlotte please sign up in the Welcome Center. See Ashley Cndtree or Jennifer Taylor if you have any questions.

Pack your shoeboxes and bring them to the church by November 8th
Shoeboxes, labels, etc. are available in the Welcome Center while supplies last. For gift ideas, please visit: **https://www.amazon.com/shop/operationchristmaschild**

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for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you."

1 Thessalonians 5:18

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 Daylight Saving Time Ends Deacons Meeting 12:30 PM	**2**	**3**	**4** Emma Rae Riggs	**5** Young Men's Bible Study 7 PM Karma Karangelan Courtney Martin Haley Hall Tonya McDaniel	**6** Set up for Fall Festival Rachel Denny	**7** Fall Festival 1pm – 3pm James Powell
8 Honor our Veterans 8:45 & 11 AM End Collection for OCC Shoeboxes Mason Perkins Mavis Seagroves	**9**	**10** Erika Bowers	**11** Veterans Day Missions Night 7 PM Process OCC Shoeboxes Justin Crabtree	**12** Young Men's Bible Study 7 PM Brooks Ellis	**13** Steven McFarland John Mangum	**14** J.D. Coates Adam Ashley
15 Lunch at New Red Mountain 12:30 PM & Community Thanksgiving Service at 2pm Cindy Jeffries	**16** Ladies and Men's Bible Studies 7 PM Wendy Murphy	**17** Robby Yow	**18** Fun Bunch Mountain trip Monthly Business Meeting 6:45 PM Isaac Bowers Laura Chase	**19** Young Men's Bible Study 7 PM Josh Craven	**20**	**21** Bobby Coates
22 Youth & Parent Lunch – 12noon Allen Bowers Carly Grinstead Pete McGrath	**23** Diane Poole Nell Smith	**24** Thanksgiving Covered Dish Meal 6:30 PM	**25** No Evening Services Wed. Night Service 7p Nancy Shuler	**26** Happy Thanksgiving Delora Roberts	**27** Heather Young	**28** Ashley Farrell Michael Hall
29	**30** Dennis Dunn					

Here are some ways Christians can live daily with grace and gratitude:

Start the Day in Prayer: Begin each morning by thanking God for His grace and asking for His strength to walk in it.

Meditate on Scripture: Reflect on Bible passages that speak of God's grace (e.g., [Ephesians 2:8–9, Titus 2:11–14) to keep your heart aligned with His truth.

Confess and Receive: Humbly confess sin when it arises, and receive God's forgiveness with gratitude—reminding yourself that His grace is sufficient.
Cultivate a Grateful Heart: Keep a gratitude journal or mentally note at least three things you're thankful for each day.

Respond with Obedience: Let grace inspire holiness—not as a way to earn God's favor, but as a loving response to what He's already done.

Serve Others in Love: Extend grace to those around you through acts of kindness, patience, and forgiveness.

Sing and Worship Daily: Make worship a regular habit—not just on Sundays—to express your gratitude to God with your whole heart. While it is important not to "forsake the assembling" of fellow believers in worship services, you can also worship while driving to work, cleaning the house, or mowing the lawn.

Speak Gracefully: Let your words be seasoned with grace, lifting others up and pointing them to Christ.

Remember the Cross Often: Regularly reflect on the sacrifice of Jesus as the ultimate expression of grace, fueling continual thankfulness.

Trust God in Trials: When life is hard, choose to thank God in faith, trusting that His grace is present even when feelings waver.

By consistently practicing these habits, believers can grow in living a life marked by grace and overflowing with gratitude.

https://www.lwf.org/articles/grace-and-gratitude-how-gods-grace-transforms-the-christian-life

A Prayer for Veterans



Jesus, you said, 'There is no greater love than to lay down one's life for one's friends.' Today we pray for those men and women who have, in their military service, sacrificed their time, strength, ambition, health and even their lives on this earth to benefit 'friends,' known and unknown.

Many of our warriors carry scars in their hearts as well as on their bodies. Dark memories haunt their dreams at night. Fears cloud their waking hours. Jesus, you came to give us abundant life by providing a way for us to release our pain to you. On the cross you bore our sorrows and brokenness and when we trust you, we can exchange our wounds for your joy in a future unhindered by fate. Bring this gift now to the veterans of our nation who bear tangible and intangible wounds. Heal them, Jesus.

Bless the families of soldiers who bear these pains vicariously. Give them patience and wisdom and strength to endure, and more than endure to hope in faith for a blessed life. God, not everything that happens in life is good. But you promise to work all things together for good to those who love you and align their lives with your purpose. Create good in the families of veterans who have experienced pain and loss. Do this miracle, we pray.

We honor our veterans in your name. We thank you – as we thank them and their families – for their sacrifice. We ask you to return to them the favor of your blessing, a gift we on our own could never offer. We ask that you would give our veterans a peace beyond the peace they fought to secure, a peace in their own hearts, wrapped in the joy of a life touched by your strong hand.

In Jesus we pray, Amen.

https://thedeaconsbench.com/no-greater-love-a-prayer-for-veterans/