Announcements

Sun. Oct. 24 th	Sunday School	9:15 a.m.	
	Worship Service	10:30 a.m.	
	"The Secret of Salvation" John 3:1-21		
	Choir Practice	2:00 p.m.	
	Neuse Baptist Associaton Annual Mtg	6:00 p.m.	
Mon. Oct. 25 th	Long Range Planning Meeting	11:00 a.m.	
Sun. Oct. 31 st	Sunday School	9:15 a.m.	
	Worship Service	10:30 a.m.	
	"The Water and the Woman" John 4:4-29		
	All Saints Day – Service of Remembrance		
	Choir Practice	2:00 p.m.	
Tue. Nov. 2 nd	Election Day		
Wed. Nov. 3 rd	Wednesday Bible Study in FH	3:00 p.m.	



October 31, 2021 10:30 a.m.

Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes Collection Week is November 15-22, 2021 There are 2 ways you can help!



1. You can pick up a box in the back of the sanctuary, pack it and enclose \$9.00 for each box for shipping.

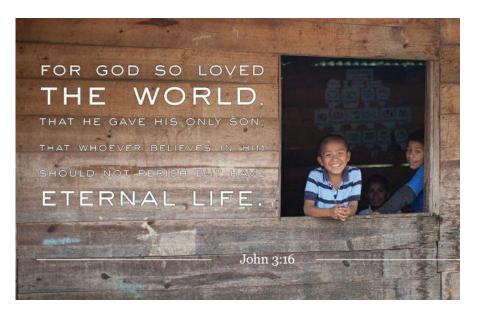
2. You can build a box online for \$25.00 using the link below, or you can make a check out to the church and we will purchase the box for you. https://www.samaritanspurse.org/operationchristmas-child/buildonline/

SPILMAN MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH

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October 24, 2021

We will be broadcasting via Facebook Live from the Sanctuary at 10:30 a.m.



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The Worship of God – October 24, 2021

Meditation and Silent Prayer

PreludeMichael Cowan and Michell Eguez Hymns of Faith

Welcome, Announcements, and ConcernsDr. H. Powell Dew, Jr.

PRAISE AND ADORATION

> 1. There is sunshine in my soul today, More glorious and bright Than glows in any earthly sky, For Jesus is my light.

> > *Chorus:* O there's sunshine, blessed sunshine, When the peaceful, happy moments roll; When Jesus shows His smiling face, There is sunshine in my soul.

- 2. There is music in my soul today, For when my Lord is near, The dove of peace sings in my heart, The flow'rs of grace appear. *Chorus*
- 3. There is gladness in my soul today, And hope and praise and love For blessings which he gives me now, For joys "laid up" above. *Chorus*

Prayer of Adoration and InvocationShorty Hill

Responsive Reading	.Number 693
Salvation (see insert)	

- Hymn of Joy and Triumph......Hymn 441 Since Jesus Came into My Heart by Rufus H. McDaniel
 - What a wonderful change in my life has been wrought Since Jesus came into my heart! I have light in my soul for which long I had sought, Since Jesus came into my heart!

Chorus

Since Jesus came into my heart, Since Jesus came into my heart, Floods of joy o'er my soul like the sea billows roll, Since Jesus came into my heart.

- I'm possessed of a hope that is steadfast and sure, Since Jesus came into my heart! And no dark clouds of doubt now my pathway obscure, Since Jesus came into my heart! *Chorus*
- There's a light in the valley of death now for me, Since Jesus came into my heart! And the gates of the city beyond I can see, Since Jesus came into my heart! Chorus
- 4. I shall go there to dwell in that city, I know, Since Jesus came into my heart! And I'm happy, so happy, as onward I go, Since Jesus came into my heart! Chorus

WORSHIP THROUGH WORD AND PRAYER

Scripture Reading	John 3:1-21
Prayer of Intercession	Dr. Dew

(Please review our prayer list and pray for those listed.)

Children's Lesson......The Gospel in a Nutshell



Theme: The basic thing we need to know about God's love for us.

Object: A Bible and a nut shell. (A walnut that can be separated in half and the meat removed is ideal.)

Scripture: For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life. John 3:16 (NIV)

Suppose that you wanted to tell your best friend about God's love. What would you say? Everything you need to know about God's love is in the Bible. You could take your Bible and go to your friend's house and read about God's love from the Bible. Let's see, what should you read? The Bible is divided into the Old Testament and the New Testament, sixty-six books, 1189 chapters, and 31,173 verses. That is a little bit scary, isn't it? It would be easy to for you to get lost and confused. What if we could shrink the message of God's love down so small that it could fit inside this nutshell? That would be great, wouldn't it? Well, I think we can do that this morning.

I did a search on my computer for the top 10 verses in the Bible. I searched for the top ten verses that people know, love, and read the most often. Can you guess what the number one verse is? John 3:16! How many of you can say that verse with me? *"For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life."* That is good news, isn't it? That is everything you need to know about God's love. Now let's take a closer look at what this verse tells us.

Who is this verse about? – God What does God do? – loves Who does God love? – the world (that includes you and me) What did God do to show his love? – gave his one and only Son What must we do in return? – believe that Jesus is the Son of God What is our reward? – eternal life The Bible is full of the promises of God's love. You and I should be ready to share those promises with our friends. We should read our Bible daily and study to learn more about it, but when it comes time to share God's love, remember the "Gospel in a Nutshell" that we studied this morning. It is a message that the whole world needs to hear. "God so loved the world that he gave his only Son."

Our Father, we thank you for your love — a love so great that you gave your one and only Son so that we could have eternal life. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

Children's Sermon is from www.sermons4kids.com)

Hymn of Invitation and Acceptance......Hymn 317 Only Trust Him by John H. Stockton

> 1. Come ev'ry soul by sin oppressed, There's mercy with the Lord, And He will surely give you rest By trusting in His word.

Chorus

Only trust Him, only trust Him, only trust Him now; He will save you, He will save you, He will save you now.

- 2. For Jesus shed His precious blood Rich blessings to bestow; Plunge now into the crimson flood That washes white as snow. *Chorus*
- 3. Yes, Jesus is the truth, the way, That leads you into rest; Believe in Him without delay And you are fully blest. *Chorus*
- 4. Come, then, and join this holy band, And on to glory go, To dwell in that celestial land Where joys immortal flow. *Chorus*

WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC AND GIVING

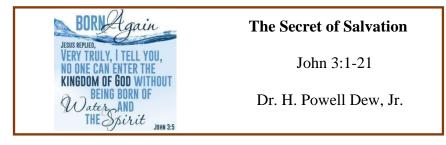


An offering plate is placed in the vestibule for your tithes and offerings. You may also use the enclosed envelope in your weekly packet to mail your tithes and offerings to the church.

Special MusicChancel Choir *I Owe it All to You Lord* Anonymous

Instrumental MusicMichael Cowan and Michell Eguez Victory in Jesus Arr. Cowan

WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION



WORSHIP THROUGH COMMITMENT

 The cross upon which Jesus died, Is a shelter in which we can hide; And its grace so free is sufficient for me, And deep is its fountain as wide as the sea

Chorus:

There's room at the cross for you, There's room at the cross for you, Tho millions have come, There's still room for one Yes, there's room at the cross for you.

- 2. Tho millions have found Him a friend, And have turned from the sins they have sinned, The Savior still waits to open the gates And welcomes a sinner before it's too late. *Chorus*
- The hand of my Savior is strong, And the love of my Savior is long; Through sunshine or rain, through loss or in gain, The blood flows from Calvary to cleanse every stain. *Chorus*

BenedictionDr. Dew

PostludeMichael Cowan and Michell Eguez Hymn of Faith

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