

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Church Directory

We are going to print a new directory! Each family who is photographed will receive a free 8x10 picture and a Printed Church Directory. Our current picture dates are March 18-21. To sign up for a time slot, visit [www.ucdir.com](http://www.ucdir.com). The church code is **sc323**, the password is **Catawba**. Pictures will be available for purchase only if desired. For help signing up, or if you cannot make those dates, please contact Rebekah in the church office.

## 2026 Celebrators Conference

Monday-Thursday, October 12-15

Leconte Center, Pigeon Forge, TN

Speakers – Dr. David Jeremiah, Phil Waldrep

Music Guests – Charles Billingsley, Sandi Patti, Steve Green, Gaither Vocal Band

\$475/person dbl. occ; \$25/person deposit due at sign-up. Lodging – The Ramsey Hotel

See Chuck to reserve your spot; the deadline to sign up is March 8th.

## Carbondale Mission Trip

The Carbondale mission trip date is June 8-15. A \$50 deposit is due March 1. We have room for a few more people. If you have questions, contact Donna Strickland.

## Marty and Dena McAnally

Marty and Dena McAnally will be leaving Thailand at the end of April 2026. Any gifts given after April of 2026 will be sent to the Isaan team in Thailand per Marty McAnally. Marty has communicated that he will no longer be able to receive these funds directly for their use.



## "Things Above"

The reason we are doing 50 Days of Purpose is to encourage us as individuals and as a church to focus on the priorities of Jesus as seen in the Great Commandment, the Great Commission, and the admonition to let our lights shine for the glory of God. Paul talks of priorities in Colossians 3:1-4. "If then you were raised with Christ, seek those things which are above, where Christ is, sitting at the right hand of God. Set your mind on things above, not on things on the earth. For you died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ who is our life appears, then you also will appear with Him in glory."

If we have trusted Christ as Savior, we are new creatures in Christ, dead to sin and raised to walk in newness of life. Our focus should be on things above, not things on the earth. Unfortunately, often our focus is on earthly things. But most of us realize that God should be our first priority. And if God is our first priority, we will be doing what He wants us to do.

Evaluate your personal finances and your calendar and make sure that you are putting Christ first in reality and not just in theory. Life will be much more rewarding and fulfilling if you do.

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**Catawba Baptist Church**

Sunday, March 1, 2026 @ 10:30 a.m.

# CHURCH LIFE AT CATAWBA

## SUNDAY

8:00 | Men's Prayer Time

9:15 | Sunday School Life Groups

10:30 | Morning Worship

12:00 | Guest Luncheon

## MONDAY

2:00 | Mission Team Meeting

## TUESDAY

6:30 | Men's Bible Study (Connection)

## WEDNESDAY

10:30 | Chuck's Study (Fellowship Hall)

12:30 | Praying for our Nation

6:00 | KIDS JAM, Youth, Young Adults

6:15 | Chuck's Study (Chapel)

7:30 | Celebration Choir Rehearsal

## THURSDAY

6:30 | Unchained Rehearsal

## CATAWBA SPORTS

7:00 - 10:00 Friday - Games

9:00 - 4:15 Saturday - Games

# UPCOMING EVENTS

## Guest Luncheon

There will be a guest luncheon today in the Fellowship Hall following the Morning Service for those who have signed up.

## Baseball signups!

Catawba Sports sign-ups for baseball are live online. The early-bird price is \$60 per player **through today**. Visit [catawbalive.com/baseball](http://catawbalive.com/baseball) for more information and to register. The season begins on March 16th.

## Chuck's New Study: "The Promise of Heaven"

Begins Wednesday, March 11

- 10:30 a.m. in Fellowship Hall or
- 6:15 p.m. in the Chapel

Christians can live in this chaotic world with quiet confidence, knowing that something far better is ahead. Colossians 3:2. Sign up in the Foyer!

## Daylight Saving Time

Daylight Saving Time starts next week on March 8<sup>th</sup>.

## Week of Prayer for North American Missions

March 1 through 8 is our Week of Prayer for North American Missions. Please read the insert in the bulletin and pray for our missionaries each day. Our goal for Annie Armstrong Easter offering is \$10,000.00. We received \$9,706.00 last year. Thanks for your offerings and prayers for those who answered the call to go and witness.