

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Men's Event featuring Connor Shaw @FBC FM

On Thursday, May 28, at 6:45 pm, First Baptist Church in Fort Mill is hosting a Men's Ministry Event featuring guest speaker Connor Shaw. The cost is \$15 until May 1 and \$20 from May 1-21 and includes a meal. Register online:  
<https://www.fbcfm.com/events>.

## Graduation Sunday

On Sunday, May 17, we will celebrate our graduates! If you would like to participate in Graduation Sunday, contact Tyler or the church office. We will be collecting photos and information for each graduate. Please reach out by Sunday, April 26.

## Operation Christmas Child

Our Operation Christmas Child packing party is coming in November! Approved item lists are available on the mission table, with a drop-off bin located beneath the communication center by the choir. An Amazon wish list will be shared soon for those who prefer to give that way—watch the bulletin and Facebook for updates. We encourage everyone to still pack their own boxes or pack online.

Please pray for the mission trip team heading to Carbondale, Illinois, June 8-15. This week, pray especially for their spiritual preparation.



## "God's Mercy and Grace"

Are you grateful for God's mercy and grace? Mercy is God not giving us what we do deserve, which is judgment. Grace is God giving us what we do not deserve, His forgiveness and blessing. The author of Hebrews, in 4:16, exhorts us to "come boldly to the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy and find grace to help in time of need." We should come before God in prayer and expect Him to do what He has said.

Baptism is part of what we should do as obedient Christians. Going under the water symbolizes Jesus dying on the cross and being buried, and coming out of the water symbolizes Jesus being raised from the dead. When we are baptized, we are declaring that we believe in Jesus and that we are committed to living for Him, to being dead to sin and walking in newness of life. Please let us know if you would like to be baptized.

Thanks to everyone who has helped with the church directory project, which enhances fellowship here at Catawba. Makeup pictures are scheduled for April 26-27. See Rebekah in the foyer today for details and signing up or call the church office tomorrow.

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**Catawba Baptist Church**

Sunday, April 19, 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

10:30 | Baptism

## 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

11:30 | Widow's Luncheon (Wagon Wheel)

6:30 | Unchained Rehearsal

## FRIDAY

5:30 | Rambler's Fish Fry (Catawba Fish Camp)

## SATURDAY

8:00 | Men's Breakfast

## Catawba Sports

Practice | Monday, Tuesday & Thursday at 6:00 pm

Games | Saturday, 9:00 - 12:00 pm

# UPCOMING EVENTS

## YBA Senior Adult Rally

This will be held at First Baptist Church on Monday, May 11, at 11:30 am. The cost is \$15 per person; you must pay and **register today**. To register, put your name and money in an envelope and mark it clearly as YBA Rally. Or see Rebekah in the church foyer.

## Widow's Luncheon - for all widows

April 23 at 11:30 am at the Wagon Wheel. Meet at the Connection at 11:00 am if you want to carpool.

## Rambler's Fish Fry

On Friday, April 24, 5:30 - 7:30 pm, the Catawba Ramblers (senior adults) will be going to the Catawba Fish Camp, 6131 Lancaster Hwy, in Fort Lawn. If you are riding the church bus, meet at the church at 4:00 to leave at 4:45 pm. Sign up in the foyer!

## Men's Breakfast

April 25 at 8:00 am, in the Fellowship Hall, the men will have a pancake breakfast with sausage, bacon, and eggs. Please sign up in the foyer.

## Guest Luncheon

On Sunday, May 3, we will have a Guest Luncheon following the morning service in the Fellowship Hall. If you are interested in more information about the church, please sign up to come! You can register online or in the foyer.