The Church Gathers for Worship
November 8, 2026 at 9:35 AM
Order of Worship

The Prelude..... ..Musicians
The Prayer For Straying Believers.....Dea. Eugene Williams
Dea. Jeffrey Sligh

Praise & Adoration:
The Call to Worship..... Min. Simone Teague
The Invocation..... Min. Simone Teague
The Prayer Response.. ....."The Lord's Prayer"
The Hymn of Praise....."*Lift Him Up*"..... Choir/Congregation
The Scripture in Response.....*James 5:13-20*..... Min. Simone Teague
The Greetings ..... Min. Simone Teague
The Musical Selection .....Angels of Hope Choir

Thanksgiving
The Offertory Prayer & Period of Giving .....Pastor Simmons
The Pastoral Reflections.....Pastor Simmons
"The Scholastic Ministry 1st Quarter Recognition ..... Sis. Thaya Posley

Hearing from God
The Musical Selection .....Angels of Hope Choir
The Spoken Word... *"Let Us Pray" Part #4 (The Straying Believer).* Pastor Simmons
The Call to Discipleship.. .....Pastor Simmons
The Hymn of Invitation ..... *"I Surrender All"*
The Altar Call & Prayer..... Min. MacArthur Black
The Hymn of Benediction ..... *"Let The Church Say Amen"*
The Benediction .....Pastor Simmons

Hymn of Invitation
"Lift Him Up"

Verse 1
How to reach the masses, those of ev'ry birth? For an answer Jesus gave the key: "And I, if I be lifted up from the earth; will draw all people to Me.

"Refrain:
Lift Him up, lift Him up, still He speaks from eternity:
"And I, if I be lifted up from the earth, will draw all people to Me."

Verse 2
O the world is hungry for the living bread, lift the Savior up for them to see. Trust Him, and do not doubt the words that He said: "I'll draw all people to Me." [Refrain]

Verse 3
Lift Him up by living as a Christian ought, let the world in you the Savior see. Then saints will gladly follow Him who once taught: "I'll draw all people to Me." [Refrain]

Announcements

REMINDER!
Don't forget to sign the Attendance Card located on the clipboard on your pew.

The PRISMA Mobile Unit will be at Reedy Fork Baptist Church on Thursday, November 12, 2026 from 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM.

Reedy Fork family! ETO Endowment Fund, Inc., is pleased to invite you to support the 2026 Cotillion, a signature fundraising event benefiting the Fund's mission to provide scholarships and support charitable initiatives that strengthen our community. Our very own Jordan Thomas will be a debutante this year. The event will be held on Saturday, December 19 at 7:00 pm. Tickets to attend are $50. To purchase a ticket, or to make a donation of any amount toward Jordan's fundraising efforts, please see Bro Avery & Sis. Keesha Thomas or Dr. Matrissa Bennett. Make checks payable to ETO Endowment Fund, Inc. or donate via Zelle. The sponsorship deadline is November 1st. Thanks for your support!

Dear Pastor Simmons and the Reedy Fork Baptist Church Family, Thank you all from the depth of our hearts for your prayers, get well cards, calls, text messages and other expressions of love for Deacon Cleveland Beaufort during his recent health issues. Your thoughtfulness is greatly appreciated and will always be remembered. May God richly bless you all for your many acts of kindness.
Deacon Cleveland, Angela and Beaufort Family

A heartfelt thank you to my RFBC family for the prayers, calls, cards, and meals during my recovery from surgery. Your love, kindness, and support meant so much and made the recovery process a little easier. I am truly blessed to be part of such a caring church family. Thank you all from the bottom of my heart!
Sis. Kimberly Grady

We're Back! UCAA 2026-2027 Basketball Season - Registration is now open for the upcoming basketball season! Registration Fee: $50 per person (deadline is 12/20/26).
Age Groups: 4-5, 6-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15-18.
Practice Times: Week of 11/9, Week of 11/16, Week of 12/7, 12/14

- **Monday & Tuesday: Ages 12-14 (6-7 PM), Ages 15-18 (7-8 PM)**
- **Thursday: Ages 4-5 & 6-8 (6-7 PM), Ages 9-11 (7-8 PM)**

Volunteers Needed: We are seeking dedicated Coaches, Bookkeepers, Scoreboard Operators, and Concession Attendants.
How to Register: Sign up on the church app or visit www.reedyforkbaptist.org
Questions? Contact Deacon Eugene Williams at 864-906-8305 or Sis. Angela Simmons at 864-275-4745. We look forward to your participation!

Homegoing services for Sis. Betty Williams are scheduled for Saturday, November 14, 2026 at 2:00 PM at Watkins, Garrett and Woods Funeral Home. Burial will be held at Resthaven Memorial Gardens. Sis. Williams is the sister of Sis. Clara Ann Young (Mason). Friends can send condolences to 201 Hudders Creek Way, Simpsonville, SC 29680 or call 864-288-8894.

RFBC Week at a Glance: November 8th , 2026 – November 14th , 2026

Time	Ministry	Location
Sunday, November 8th		
6:33 AM Intercessory Prayer Line	***Cynethia Allison***	267-807-9605, 769-622
9:30 AM	Student Recognition Sunday Morning Worship	FLC,RFBC App, & Facebook Livestream
Monday, November 9th		
6:33 AM Intercessory Prayer Line	***Joenelle McDaniel***	267-807-9605, 769-622
9:00 AM – 5:00 PM	**Church Office Hours**	
9:00 AM – 5:00 PM	Janice Alford – Grief Counseling	Community Office
3:00 PM – 5:30 PM	After School Initiatives	FLC
Tuesday, November 10th		
6:33 AM Intercessory Prayer Line	***Tamara Scott Wilson***	267-807-9605, 769-622
9:00 AM – 5:00 PM	**Church Office Hours**	
3:00 PM – 5:30 PM	After School Initiatives	FLC
5:30 PM	New Members Class	Conference Room
7:00 PM	Voices of Praise Choir Rehearsal	Choir Room #205
Wednesday, November 11th		
6:33 AM Intercessory Prayer Line	***Pauline Kelly***	267-807-9605, 769-622
9:00 AM – 5:00 PM	**Church Office Hours**	Administrative Building
10:05 AM	AM Bible Study (In-Person)	Choir Room #205
3:00 PM – 5:30 PM	After School Initiative	FLC
7:05 PM	PM Bible Study (In-Person)	Choir Room #205
Thursday, November 12th		
6:33 AM Intercessory Prayer Line	***John & Sheila Williams***	267-807-9605, 769-622
9:00 AM – 5:00 PM	**Church Office Hours**	Administrative Building
3:00 PM – 5:30 PM	After School Initiative	FLC
Friday, November 13th	**(OFFICE CLOSED)**	
6:33 AM Intercessory Prayer Line	***Kendall & Melody Samuel***	267-807-9605, 769-622
3:00 – 5:30 PM	After School Initiative	FLC
Saturday, November 14th		
6:33 AM Intercessory Prayer Line	***Denise Cleveland***	267-807-9605, 769-622
9:00 AM	***Usher's Meeting***	Sanctuary
11:00 AM	Voices of Praise Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary
9:00 AM	Adopt-A-Highway	
12:00 PM	Boy Scout Meeting	Room 202

HOSPITAL/CONVALESCENT CENTER

Sis. Mary Dennis Sis. Mary Garrett Sis. Winnie Tubbs	N.H.C. Mauldin, 850 E. Butler Rd. Greenville, SC 29607 Windsor House, 1931 Pelham Rd. Greenville, SC 29615 Brookstone Terrace Chanticleer, 355 Berkman Ln Greenville SC

PRAY FOR SICK AND SHUT IN

Tawanna Burke-Lewis	Teresa Evans	Willie R. Lewers	Kenneth Robinson
Bobby Chapman	Mary Evans	Jennifer McKinney	Michael Robinson
Dea.Cleveland Beaufort	Doris Grady	Mattie McKinney	Vanessa Robinson
Brittany Copeland	Kimberly Grady	Aimee Nava	Joyce Shockley
Ray Dennis	Barbara Harris	Elizabeth Robertson	Maude Stevens
Lonnie Epps	Joe G. Hawthorne	Melvina Robertson	Albert Sweeney
Dorlee Evans	Tamica Hawthorne	Connie Robinson	Jessie Thomason
	Wayne Henderson		

If you or a member of your family are sick, in the hospital or has passed away, please notify the church ASAP. (864-234-3495 Ext. 0 – Admin Asst or Ext. 1 – Pastor Simmons or your deacon.)

The Call to Worship

Leader: **The God of our ancestors has called us here!**

Congregation: We are witness.

Leader: **The wisdom of the ages has called us here!**

Congregation: We are witnesses.

Leader: **The choice to follow God has called us here.**

Congregation: We are witnesses.

Leader: **The Lord of life has called us here.**

All: *We are witnesses*

The Scripture in Response: James 5:13-20 (v.19-20) (NIV)

Leader: **13 Is anyone among you in trouble? Let them pray. Is anyone happy? Let them sing songs of praise.**

Congregation: 14 Is anyone among you sick? Let them call the elders of the church to pray over them and anoint them with oil in the name of the Lord.

Leader: **15 And the prayer offered in faith will make the sick person well; the Lord will raise them up. If they have sinned, they will be forgiven.**

Congregation: 16 Therefore confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous person is powerful and effective.

Leader: **17 Elijah was a human being, even as we are. He prayed earnestly that it would not rain, and it did not rain on the land for three and a half years.**

Congregation: 18 Again he prayed, and the heavens gave rain, and the earth produced its crops.

Leader: **19 My brothers and sisters, if one of you should wander from the truth and someone should bring that person back,**

All: *20 remember this: Whoever turns a sinner from the error of their way will save them from death and cover over a multitude of sins.*



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9:35 AM In-Person Worship



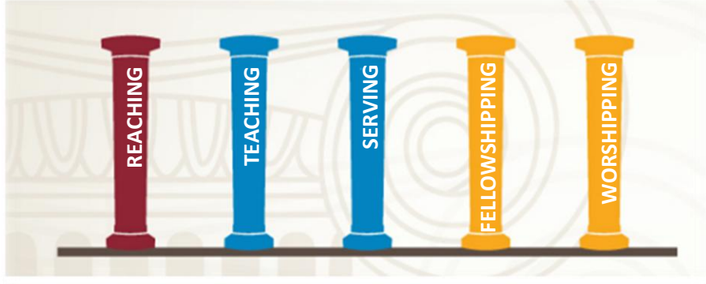
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Our Mission

This church seeks to glorify God by **Reaching** people for Christ; providing **Teaching** opportunities for them to grow in Christ. **Ministering** to the needs of the congregation, community, and the world; devoted to enjoying **Fellowship** of one another, and continually **Worshipping** together.



Our Vision

"Reaching The Unchurched For Christ"

Come walk with us; we will do thee good!