

Church Calendar

BORDEAUX WORSHIP CENTER
• Services at 10:30 a.m. on Sundays.

BUFFALO BAPTIST
3699 Hwy. 28 N.
• Worship service at 11 a.m. Sunday school at 10 a.m. Services can also be viewed on Sundays on the Buffalo Baptist Facebook page at 11 a.m. The Rev. Martin Wiles is pastor.

FIRST BETHANY BAPTIST
853 Hwy. 378 E., McCormick
• Sunday school is held at 10 a.m. each Sunday. Church worship is held at 11 a.m. each Sunday. Mask,

gloves and hand sanitizer are available. Social distancing is practiced. Services are also available on the church Facebook page and the website. Nursery and children's church are open during Sunday morning service. Adult Bible study is held each Wednesday night at 6:30 p.m. Starting Jan. 12, Wednesday activities will include a meal at 6 p.m. and class at 6:30 p.m. for all ages. Bible study is also available on the church Facebook page and the website. For more information, contact the Rev. John Alexander at revjohnalexander@gmail.com.

HOLLOWAY'S THURSDAY HOUR OF POWER
Hardy Foundation Building, Carolina St.
• Thursdays at 6 p.m. The congregation will be spacing and worshipping. All are welcome. Bring your Bibles. The Rev. Dr. R.C. Holloway is founder and pastor.

HOLY SPRING BAPTIST
226 Kennedy Rd., P.O. Box 389
• Regular worship service each Sunday at 10 a.m. COVID-19 precautions will be observed. Please meet at "The Spring" and arrive 15 minutes prior to service. Dr. Linda Murray Tucker is pastor.

LITTLE MILL BAPTIST
• Little Mill has resumed in-person morning worship at 11 a.m. Wednesday evening Bible study at 6:30 p.m. The Rev. Gregory Allen is pastor.

McCORMICK FIRST BAPTIST
• Beginning Feb. 1, 2022, Women's Bible study will be held Tuesdays from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. "Trustworthy." "Overcoming our greatest struggles to trust God." Beginning Feb. 28, 2022, Women's Bible study will also be held Mondays from 6:30 to 8 p.m. "Twelve women of the Bible." "Life changing stories for women of today. Call 852-2640 for more information or to sign up.

MODOC BAPTIST
• Sunday school at 10 a.m. Worship at 11 a.m.

MT. ZION A.M.E.
185 Mt. Zion Church Rd.
• Worship begins at 9:30 a.m. on Zoom. Zoom information is <https://zoom.us/j/99823046889> or dial 1-301-715-8592 with Meeting ID 998 2304 6889. No in person services until further notice. For more information, call 864-391-2986 or email mtzionamecc@wctel.net. The Rev. Lebbie Ligon is pastor.

NEW HOPE MISSIONARY BAPTIST
1680 New Hope Rd.
• In-person worship services are returning at 10 a.m. on Sundays with limited seating. Masks are required, and social distancing will be observed. Services may still be attended online at <https://www.gotomeet.me/JohnJordan2/newhope-missionary-baptist-church-services> or by phone by dialing 1-872-240-3212 and using Access Code: ID) 331-565-389. Prayer on Conference Call may be attended Wednesdays at 7 p.m. by dialing 1-425-436-6200 and using access code

297139. The Rev. Michael A. Butler is pastor.

NEW MACEDONIA F.B.H.
209 Deason St.
• Sunday service with Sunday school at 10 a.m. and worship service at 11 a.m. Wednesday prayer at 6 p.m. The Rev. Ronald Williams is pastor.

PINE GROVE A.M.E.
317 Pine Grove Church Rd., Plum Branch
• No more service until further notice. Services will be virtual. The Rev. H.D. Milling Jr. is pastor.

PLUM BRANCH BAPTIST
106 Church St.
• All services and classes are meeting except Sunday evening worship. Current sermon series, "Growing in Spiritual Maturity." Masks are no longer required but are welcome for those who feel them to be necessary. Social distancing is still observed, and sanitizing stations are available.

REPUBLICAN UNITED METHODIST
865 Chamberlain's Ferry Rd.
• Sunday school 10 a.m. Church Service 11 a.m.
• Youth ages three and up meet every first Sunday at 5:30 p.m.

SPIRIT AND LIFE
615 Hwy. 378 West
• Sundays: Corporate prayer at 9:30 a.m., Sunday school at 10 a.m., worship experience at 11 a.m.. Communion service every first Sunday.
• Wednesdays: Telephone Bible study at 6 p.m. Dial in number is 701-802-5425, and the access code is 517164. Guest teachers from South Carolina, Georgia, New York and Pennsylvania.
• Bishop Donn M. Lee is founder and pastor.

SPRINGFIELD A.M.E.
776 Chamberlain Ferry Rd.
• Back in the church. Sunday worship services at 10 a.m. Church school at 6:30 p.m. Wednesdays. Bible study at 6:30 p.m. Thursdays. Call toll free to listen: 1-760-548-9927. The Rev. Marilyn Galbreath is pastor.

ST. PAUL UNITED METHODIST
301 Edgefield Rd., Plum Branch
• Sunday service at 9:45 a.m. Come as you are. Bible study at 9 a.m.

VILLAGE CHURCH OF CHRIST
• Village Church of Christ meets Sundays at 9 a.m. Contact Michael Kolb at 864-391-4543.

WILLINGTON PRESBYTERIAN
• Services are held on the first, third and fifth Sundays of the month at 10:45 a.m.

Lander University announces Fall 2021 graduates

GREENWOOD - Lander University conferred bachelor and master degrees upon 198 students during the University's 164th commencement ceremony on Dec. 15, 2021. Dr. Jonathan Bassett, a psychology professor and chair of Lander's Department of Psychological Science and Human Services, delivered the keynote address during two formal programs held inside Finis Horne Arena.

The Fall Class of 2021 includes graduates from local communities and cities in the state of South Carolina and across the U.S., as well as internationally. The names of graduates are listed alphabetically by city, and are also available online at www.lander.edu.

Graduates receiving honors for their academic achievements are noted with the award received. Descriptions of those awards are below.

- Summa cum laude is a distinction awarded to graduates with a cumulative GPA of 3.90 or higher.
- Magna cum laude is a distinction awarded to graduates with a cumulative GPA of 3.75-3.89.
- Cum laude is a distinction awarded to graduates with a cumulative GPA of 3.50-3.74.
- Golden L. Award is given to graduates who earned a cumulative GPA of 3.50 or higher, during the last 60 hours of instruction at Lander.
- Thayer Award is given to the graduate with the highest grade point average of any member of the University's graduating class for Fall 2021.

Local graduates include Kaisha Houston of Clarks Hill, B.S. in Interdisciplinary Studies, Golden L. Award, and Ryan Fyffe of McCormick, B.S. in Computer Information Systems, cum laude and Golden L. Award.

Founded in 1872, Lander University is a state-assisted, four-year institution that serves approximately 3,800 students. Located in Greenwood, the institution offers over 90 areas of study in the liberal arts and sciences, with professional programs in STEM, education, business and nursing. To learn more about Lander, go online to www.lander.edu.

Cadets and students named to The Citadel's fall 2021 dean's list

CHARLESTON - The dean's list is a recognition given to cadets and students who are registered for 12 or more semester hours and whose grade point average is 3.20 or higher, with no grade of I (Incomplete) and no grade below C for work in a semester.

The more than 1,300 cadets and students recognized for their academic achievements during the fall 2021 semester include Dietrich Heinz of Clarks Hill.

Cadets who are named to the dean's list receive a medal, which is worn on their uniform during the semester following their academic achievement. Non-cadet students on the dean's list are presented a certificate; veteran and active duty students are also awarded challenge coins.

Academics at The Citadel are divided between five schools: the Tommy and Victoria Baker School of Business, the School of Engineering, the School of Humanities and Social Sciences, the Swain Family School of Science and Mathematics and the Zucker Family School of Education.

The Citadel, with its iconic campus located in Charleston offers a classic military college education for young men and women focused on leadership excellence and academic distinction. The approximately 2,400 members of the S.C. Corps of Cadets are not required to serve in the military, but about one-third of each class earn commissions to become officers in every branch of U.S. military service. Citadel alumni have served the nation, their states and their communities as principled leaders since 1842. The Citadel Graduate College, founded more than 50 years ago, offers dozens of graduate degree, graduate certificate and evening undergraduate programs in the evening or online. The Citadel was consecutively named Best Public College in the South by U.S. News & World Report for 11 years and No. 1 Best Public College for Veterans in the South for four years.

"Today's Blessings"

Whatever is happening in your life, don't preoccupy yourself with the question why, but rather ponder more on where these events will be taking you. If you keep your faith, keep your trust and keep the right attitude, you will see God open new doors. Have faith in God and declare your victory. God is in charge.

2 Chronicles 7:14
Matthew Ch. 24
2 Timothy Ch. 3

-The Modern Day Noah
Submitted by Evangelist Brenda Moore


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themccormickmessenger.com/event-calendar/

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McCormick United Methodist Church
A Stephen Ministry Congregation
We Welcome You to Join Us in Worship this Week
Reaching Up
Sundays at 10AM
Rev. C. Nels Ledwell.....Pastor
Reaching Out
200 Gold Street mccormickumc.org (864) 852-2394

GOOD SHEPHERD CATHOLIC CHURCH
Invites you to attend services
 Saturday at 4 p.m. • Sunday at 11 a.m.
Wednesday and Friday at 9 a.m.
Confessions: Saturday 3 - 3:45 p.m.
Wednesday and Friday 8:15 - 8:45 a.m.
First Friday Mass, Eucharistic Adoration and Benediction 9-10 a.m.
1401 Greenwood Hwy., McCormick
Father JP Narichetti
For additional information call 852-4722

McCormick First Baptist Church
Chris Gullede, Pastor
Stacey Gullede, Director of Children & Youth
108 S. Oak Street, POB 416, McCormick, SC 29835
www.mccormickfbc.org • 864-852-2640
Sunday: Sunday School 9:45 AM
Morning Worship 11:00 AM
Wednesday: Study/Prayer 6:00 PM

