



FACEBOOK.COM/DEERPARK8875

@DEERPARKBAPTISTCHURCH

@DEERPARKBAPTISTCHURCH



Scan Here...



If you would like to receive periodic text updates from the church, scan this QR code and send the text when it comes up on your phone. We will not blow up your phone with texts, this is just one more way to get you up to date information when needed.



Deer Park Baptist Church Staff - 843.553.1172

- PASTOR.....STEPHEN CARR (SCARR@DEERPARKCHURCH.COM)
- ASSOCIATE PASTOR.....ANDREW BLALOCK (ABLALOCK@DEERPARKCHURCH.COM)
- WORSHIP MUSIC LEADER.....PAM MCCALL (PAMELAHMCCALL@AOL.COM)
- CHILDREN'S MINISTRY LEADER.....JEANNE CARR (JCARR@DEERPARKCHURCH.COM)
- MINISTRY ASSISTANT.....JACKIE WHITELEY (JWHITELEY@DEERPARKCHURCH.COM)
- FINANCIAL SECRETARY....GENE RETHERFORD (GRETHERFORD@DEERPARKCHURCH.COM)
- CDC DIRECTOR.....KATIE GUFFEY (CDC@DEERPARKCHURCH.COM)

www.deerparkchurch.com



From Our Pastor Stephen Carr

2025 has already been an interesting year even though we are only four weeks into it. I don't know if anyone predicted a snow event that would have most of us inside for several days, but it happened. I am thankful for the beautiful snow, and I am thankful that it has all melted away. The snow reminds me that we all need to slow down, enjoy being with our families, and thank the Lord for His many blessings and provisions in our lives.

I want to thank Andrew, our Associate Pastor, for putting together our Acts 1:8 2024 Report. I was encouraged to look back on our mission efforts and celebrate how the Lord used the Deer Park family to touch lives here at home and around the world. I will be the first to say that Deer Park does a really good job of fulfilling Acts 1:8 and we are improving every day. Mission involvement is a big part of the DNA of Deer Park, and I look forward to seeing how we grow in this ministry of our church in 2025. If you have not seen the Acts 1:8 2024 Report, you can pick one up at church, check our social media platforms, or have one emailed to you.

Another big part of the DNA of Deer Park is our time of corporate worship each Sunday morning. I am thankful for Pam, our Worship Music Leader, our praise team, and our tech team that help provide a meaningful time of worship each week. I want to encourage everyone reading this article to commit to take part in our worship service each week. The worship service is the one time each week that our church family comes together to worship the Lord together. Like all families, each person is an important part of what we do, we are better when you are here, and we all need each other.

I also want to thank Jeanne, our Children's Ministry Leader, for planning our Chili Cookoff. We had around fifty people here and the chili and fellowship were all great. I am looking forward to more of our church gatherings, like the Chili Cookoff, throughout 2025.

I am looking forward to experiencing what the Lord has for us to do for His kingdom in 2025. I hope that you will choose to be a part of our mission projects, our Sunday School classes, our worship services, and our fun church gatherings throughout the year.

I look forward to seeing you this Sunday morning at Sunday School at 9:45 and worship at 11:00.

I Love Being Your Pastor!
Stephen

www.deerparkchurch.com





From Our Associate Pastor Andrew Blalock

This Spring semester, our College Ministry, Revive, is partnering with Mountain Movers from Summit Church to host weekly worship gatherings every Tuesday night at 8:00 PM in our fellowship hall. Last night, we kicked off this partnership with an incredible night of authentic worship and clear Gospel proclamation, and we were blown away by what God did! Over 70 students gathered to lift high the name of Jesus, and the excitement was contagious.

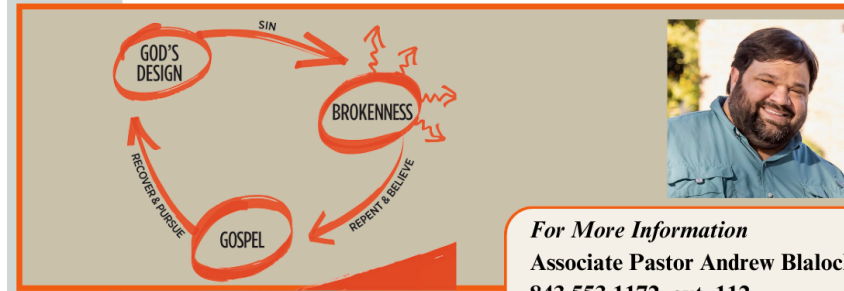


We are so encouraged by this movement of God among college students and can't wait to see what He has in store in the weeks ahead. If you're a college student, come join us on a Tuesday evening at 8:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall—we'd love to worship with you!

Sunday morning (9:45 A.M. at Deer Park REVIVE Sunday School Room)
(Matt Carr and Denise Dawson, Leaders)

Tuesday night
(8:00 P.M. at Deer Park Baptist Church Fellowship Hall with Summit Church) .

REVIVE College Ministry



For More Information
 Associate Pastor Andrew Blalock
 843.553.1172, ext. 112
 ablalock@deerparkchurch.com

UPPER ROOM
 DEER PARK STUDENTS 1 TIM 4:12

From Our Associate Pastor Andrew Blalock

We've got an exciting month ahead for Upper Room! Here's what's coming up:

- **Sunday, 2/2 @ 5:30 -7:00 PM: 3 Circles** - Overview – Learn how to share your faith using this simple and powerful tool!
- **Sunday, 2/9 @ 5:30 PM - Until the Game Ends: Soup or Bowl Party** – Join us for an epic Super Bowl night with food, fun, and fellowship! We'll watch the big game together.
- **Sunday, 2/16: No Upper Room Gathering** – Enjoy the long weekend with your family!
- **Monday, 2/17 @ 10:00 - 11:30 AM: Galentine's Day Brunch (Ladies Only)** – Ladies, celebrate friendship with a fun brunch just for you. Don't miss it!
- **Sunday, 2/23 @ 5:30 - 7:00 PM: 3 Circles - God's Design** – We'll dive deeper into the first part of the 3 Circles model.

Mark your calendars and invite your friends—we can't wait to see you there!

Upper Room Student Ministry



Sunday 2/9 -
(5:30 - Until the end of the game) in the Upper Room
Soup or Bowl Party

Want to stay in the loop with all things Deer Park Student Ministry? Sign up for our text updates! Be the first to know about events, important announcements, and ways to grow in your faith. Students, text "Students" to +1(833)285-1862 to join. Parents, text "Parents" to +1(833)285-1862 to join. Don't miss out—stay connected and informed!





Go-Getter's Senior Adult Ministry

It was good seeing everyone at our January meeting. We all enjoyed Kirstin Tanner's songs. It was good having her back to entertain us.

Our next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, February 11, 2025 at 1:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall. Our entertainment will be our own Jackie Whiteley. Jackie is our Administrative Assistant and has the gift of a beautiful voice. It has been awhile since she has sang for us and we are looking forward to her being with us once again.

Our meetings are open to all of the tricounty area. So if you have a friend or neighbor that you think would like to join us for an afternoon of Christian fellowship, a potluck meal, entertainment and door prizes, please invite them to come along with you.

Please bring a dish to share at our potluck meal.

Travel: Our trip with Get Up 'N' Go Tours in December to Mike's Farm in North Carolina and Carolina Opry in Myrtle Beach was a real treat. Our group had a wonderful time together experiencing the Christmas entertainment, food and fellowship.

Some of us are going with Get Up 'N' Go Tours for a bus day trip to the Narrowway Theatre on March 29, 2025 to see The Fourth Cross. If you would like to join us on this trip, there are flyers on the table with contact information and other important information about the trip. If interested, please contact Sherry Gren with your payment as soon as possible. There is only a short window of opportunity for Sherry to make our reservations. We would love for you to join us.

Missions: We will continue collecting items for the Christmas Prisoner Kits again throughout 2025. The items donated are assembled into kits which are distributed to South Carolina prisoners at Christmas each year. Our featured item for our February meeting is adult toothbrushes which are individually factory sealed; no multi-packs permitted.

Copies of the Christmas Kit Packing List will be on the table at our Go-Getter's meetings. Pick one up and keep it with you so you will know what items we will be collecting throughout the year. Any of the items can be brought to any of our meetings but we will have a featured item each month.

Notice: As a reminder, we ask you to use extra caution when entering the parking lot for our meetings as CDC will be dismissing their children about the same time. Thank you for always looking out for our little ones.

Happy Valentine's Day

Go-Getter's Senior Adult Ministry



Check Out:

thechurch.shop/shop/deer-park/



Classic Dad Hat
\$22.99



Comfort Colors Heavyweight Tee
From \$24.77



Comfort Colors Lightweight Fleece Crewneck Sweatshirt
From \$37.99



Comfort Colors Youth Heavyweight Ring Spun Tee
\$17.99



Deer Park - Ladies Port Authority Silk Touch Performance Polo
From \$28.99



Deer Park - Port Authority Silk Touch Performance Polo
From \$28.99



Gildan Heavy Cotton T-Shirt
From \$13.99



Port Authority Silk Touch Performance Polo
From \$28.99



Port Authority Snapback Trucker Cap
\$21.99



Toddler Jersey Tee
\$14.99





FOR MORE INFORMATION
 CDC DIRECTOR KATIE GUFFEY
 843.553.1172, ext. 113
cdc@deerparkchurch.com

"Hello Deer Park Church,
 We were very excited to add a new teacher to our staff this month. Ms. Jilly has been a wonderful addition to our 3s class. This is a big answer to prayer and we are thankful to God to be fully staffed.

We would ask that you follow our Facebook page, Deer Park CDC, as we will be posting updates, teacher spotlights, photos of the students activities and more! Please invite friends and family to follow as well! We want to continue getting the word out to the community about our wonderful school. You can scan the QR code to connect with the Facebook page.



Child Development Center

Prayer requests for the CDC:

- Praise for being fully staffed
- Pray for our students to continue to grow and mature
- Pray for more families and students to join us
- Pray that scholarships would be available to families next year, as needed

Thank you for your continued support of this ministry!



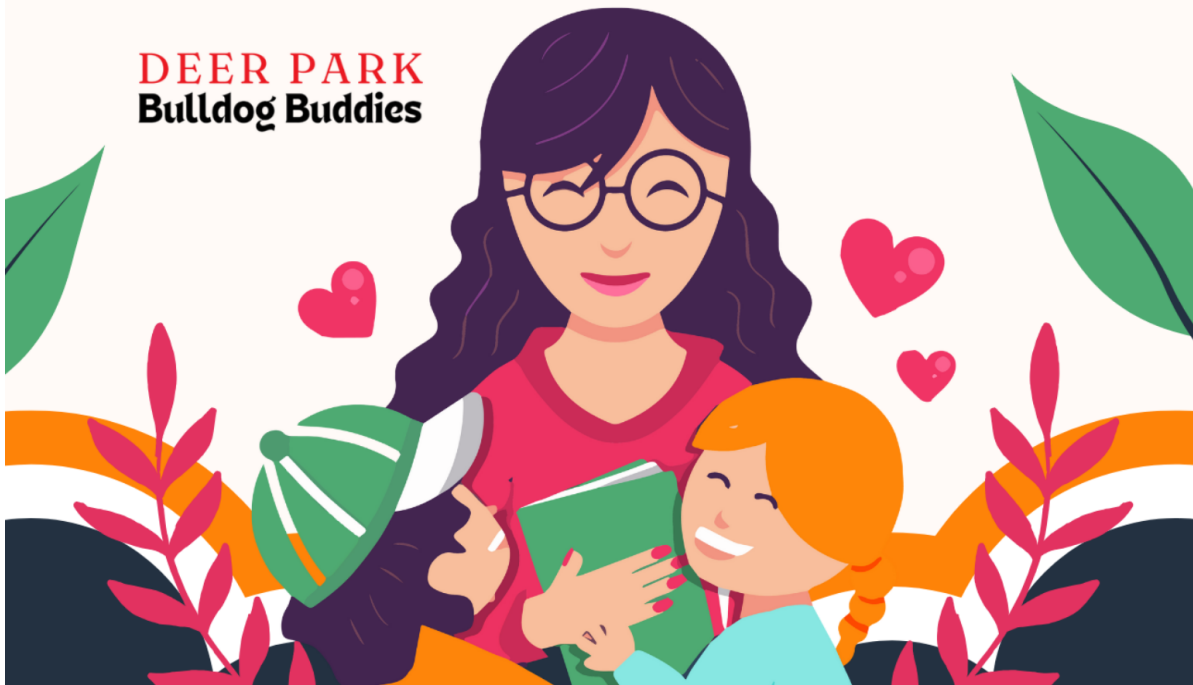
Sincerely,
 Katie Guffey
 Director"



BE A Teacher's Pet

There are several opportunities still available to adopt a teacher or staff member at **A.C. Corcoran Elementary School** for the remainder of the 2025 school year. If you would like more information on how you can make a difference in the life of a teacher, contact *Sondra Kucklick* at 843.834.1228. You may also contact the church office at 843.553.1172, ext. 110.

**DEER PARK
Bulldog Buddies**



20 Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his power that is at work within us, 21 to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, for ever and ever! Amen.

Ephesians 3:20-21

2024

Thank you again for your generosity!
We have met our goal for shipping costs as well!

We also had shoeboxes sent to Peru, Chile, Colombia,
Guinea, Burundi, and Nigeria.

2025

Deer Park's goal for 2025 is 1650 shoeboxes.

February Emphasis: Clothing

NEW Solid Colored T-Shirts in Youth Small and Large
(Michael's, Hobby Lobby, Walmart or online.)

NEW Underwear Briefs and Socks (Boys/Girls – Sizes 4 and 10 – 14)



Operation Christmas Child

FOR MORE INFORMATION
Cindy Watts
843.834.0697