



704-694-4090 on Sept. 27.

# Fall Revival At First Baptist Church, 722 Sikes Ave, Wadesboro

"Thriving & Advancing Together." Tue-Pastor Lucretta Toney of Mt. Zion UMC in Maxton; Wed-Dr. Barbara Peacock of The Park Church in Charlotte; Thu-Dr. Kim Baker of The Park Church, all at 7pm. You are invited. **SEPTEMBER 17 - 18** 

Annual Women's Conference At Johnson Chapel Holiness Church. 7pm nightly. Wed - Pastor Lenora Bennett, Thur - Bishop Carol Hall. All are welcome **SEPTEMBER 20 & 21** 

Friends & Family Weekend New Grove Missionary Baptist Church. Sat at Little Park in Wadesboro, 12-4pm. Sun-11am service at New Grove. **SEPTEMBER 21** 

### Concert

**SEPTEMBER 16 - 18** 

At Cathedral Baptist Church, 1215 Old Lilesville Rd in Wadesboro, with the group Driven at 11am & 7pm. 26th Pastoral

Anniversary for Rev. Robert L. Morrison, Sr. at Henderson Grove Missionary Baptist Church, 1574 W. Wall St. in Lilesville. Dinner served at 1:30pm. 2:30pm evening service with Rev. Nathaniel Floyd, Pastor of Mt. Pleasant MBC in Wadesboro. Everyone is invited. **SEPTEMBER 21 - 24** 

Revival At Cathedral Baptist Church, 1215 Old Lilesville Rd in Wadesboro, with Pastor Jeremy Holt at 7pm nightly. On Sun the group Driven will perform at 11am & 7pm.

### **SEPTEMBER 28** Family & Friends Day

At Divine Unity House of Restoration Ministries Fellowship Hall, 3760 Hwy 109 S, Wadesboro. 3pm with Pastor Terry Little of West Deep Creek Baptist Church. Food, games & lots of fun for everyone! SEPT. 30 & OCT. 1

Fall Revival At Henderson Grove Missionary Baptist Church, 1574 W. Wall St. in Lilesville, with Dr. Michael Marsh, Pastor of Henderson Grove Presbyterian Church in Mint Hill, at 7pm nightly. All are invited. OCTOBER 5

### Homecoming

At Cathedral Baptist Church, 1215 Old Lilesville Rd in Wadesboro, with founding Pastor R.J. Hammond. **Trustee Program** 

At New Grove Missionary Baptist Church, 2:30pm with Bishop Walter Ellerbe of New Parker Grove.

### OCTOBER 5 - 8

### **Annual Homecoming & Revival**

At Johnson Chapel Holiness Church. Sun 11:45am -Pastor Pearl Taylor. No afternoon service. Mon - Bishop Jerry T. Hardison, Tue & Wed - Pastor Sylvia McLendon. All at 7pm nightly. All are invited.

### **OCTOBER 6 - 12**

### 63rd Annual

Convocation Revival At Grace Temple Church, 717 Firetower Rd in Lilesville. Pre-Musical on Mon at 7pm. Services are Tue-Sun 10am & 7pm & all are welcome to any or all of the services.

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### **OCTOBER 12** Appreciation Program

Celebrating God Servant Rev. JoAnn Bennett, 2pm at Ebenezer Missionary Baptist Church with Rev. Barbara Thomas. You are invited. Pastor Rev. Alban Burney.

Women of Grace At New Grove Missionary Baptist Church 2:30pm featuring 5 speakers: Pastor Samantha Bowden, Min. Lilly Ingram, Rev. Maudie Parsons, Rev. Teresa David & Pastor Cynthia Martin.

### **OCTOBER 18**

Fall Festival At Harmony Community Church, 1984 Pulpwood Yard Rd in Peachland, 5:30pm. FREE EVENT! Info 704-272-7127.

**OCTOBER 25** 

50 Years of Ministry Celebration For Dr. T.J. Horne at Harvest Ministries Outreach Center in Wadesboro, 4-7pm with Pastor Diane Barrino & other musical guests. Donated tickets are \$10, formal event attire is black & silver.

### **OCTOBER 26** 15th Pastoral

Anniversary At Rock Hill Missionary Baptist Church for Pastor T.J. Horne at 11am with Rev. Eddie Maye, followed by dinner. Rev. LaGrant Maye at 3pm.

# Events

### **SEPTEMBER 22 NAACP Meeting**

They invite you to attend. 6:30pm at Ebenezer Baptist Church, located at 612 Salisbury Street in Wadesboro. They welcome everyone. For info: Sinic Marsh mrshs6@yahoo.com or 704-254-0630.

### **ONGOING EVENTS**

### Compassionate

Friends Meet on the 2nd Thursday of each month at 7pm, at the Training Room at First Baptist Church, Lee Avenue in Wadesboro. Bereaved parents, family and friends who have lost a child of any age are invited. Info 704-

Senior Box Program at Feed My Lambs starts the third Tuesday each month for seniors only. Located at 2290 Hwy 74 West, Wadesboro. 704-695-1820.

Food Pantry Free food every Wed, 9-11am at Burnsville Recreation & Learning Ctr. 704-826-8182.

After School Program

Kid Cafe Mon-Fri from 2:30-5:30p.m. at the Burnsville Recreation & Learning Center, 704-826-8737

### **TOWN OF WADESBORO**

CDBG INFRASTRUCTURE - OLD LILESVILLE SEWER OUTFALL REHABILITIATION REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS/QUALIFICATIONS FOR GRANT ADMINISTRATIVE & ENGINEERING SERVICES

has received a Community Development Block Grant- Infrastructure (CDBG-I) award in the amount of \$3,000,000 by the North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality (NCDEQ) for The proposed project will meet the following community and housing needs of the Town with the rehabilitation / replacement of approximately 4,000 lf of 8-inch through 24inch aging gravity sewer outfall and abandonment of approximately 3,100 lf of 15-inch gravity sewer. The project area is located beginning at Hwy 52 South continuing through a wooded area (not located on a street or road), paralleling Old Lilesville Road, and ending East of Myrtle wood Drive in the Town of Wadesboro.

The Town of Wadesboro is soliciting proposals and qualifications for grant administration and professional engineering services to assist the Town in the: administration of the grant; developing a final engineering report, and subsequent engineering design and bid package services and construction inspection services once release of funds is received. All work for this project will be conducted to ensure compliance with all applicable federal requirements and regulations under the CDBG-I program. The fee for grant administration services/grant management will be paid with CDBG-I funds. Engineering payment terms will be negotiated with the selected firm. The fee for professional engineering services will be paid with CDBG funds.

Copies of the detailed request for qualifications (RFQ) and request for proposals (RFP), including a description of the services to be provided by respondents, the minimum content of responses, and the factors to be used to evaluate the responses, can be obtained by contacting Wiley Ross Jr. 124-126 E Wade Street, Wadesboro NC 28170.

The above information should be submitted no later than (September 24, 2025, by 5PM, (Town Hall, 124-126 E Wades Street, Wadesboro NC). For more information, contact Town Clerk, Debbie Cox at (704-994-8944).

The <u>Town of Wadesboro</u> is an Equal Opportunity Employer and invites the submission of proposals from small and minority and women-owned firms, veteran-owned, historically underutilized businesses, and certified/registered Section 3 businesses concerns.

This information is available in Spanish or any other language upon request. Please contact (Monica Deleon) at (704-694-5171) or at (124-126 E Wade Street, Wadesboro NC 28170) for accommodations

for this request. Esta información está disponible en español o en cualquier otro idioma bajo petición. Por favor, póngase

en contacto con (Monica Deleon) al (704-674-5171) o en (124-126- E Wade Street, Wadesboro NC

28170) de alojamiento para esta solicitud.

Date: September 9, 2025 Authorized Representative: Town Manager, Wiley L. Ross

## Be SepticSmart and Safeguard Health and Well-Being of North Carolinians

# to keep things flowing smoothly

North Carolina is flushing away ignorance this September with the 13th annual SepticSmart Week, recognized statewide September 15–19, 2025. The North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services, in partnership with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, wants to remind everyone that what you put down the drain matters,

because nobody enjoys a surprise geyser in the backyard.

About half of all occupied homes in North Carolina relv on septic systems—also called on-site systems, decentralized wastewater treatment, cluster systems, or if you're less polite, "the tank out back." These quiet underground heroes treat wastewater and keep drinking water safe, but only if they get a little love and maintenance. Proper care not only prevents waterborne diseases but also protects property values, preserves the environment, and spares homeowners from costly repair bills (and awkward backyard puddles).

Governor Josh Stein has officially proclaimed September 15–19 as SepticSmart Week in North Carolina, encouraging residents to follow the EPA's advice and keep things running cleaner than a freshly pumped tank.

Tips from the EPA's SepticSmart campaign

- Think At The Sink! Grease and food scraps belong in the trash, not your septic system. Your pipes are not a buffet line
- Don't Overload The Commode! Toilets are for three things—none of them include cat litter, cigarette butts, or disposable wipes. • Don't Strain Your Drain! Spreading laundry
- and showers throughout the week keeps your system from feeling like it just ran a marathon. • Shield Your Field! Keep cars, cows, and tree roots off
- your drainfield. It's not a parking lot, pasture, or arboretum. Keep It Clean! Test your drinking water regularly to ensure
- your septic system isn't sharing more than just good vibes. Protect It And Inspect It! A regular check-up for your system costs a little now but saves a fortune laterkeeps your neighbors from giving you the side-eye.

The EPA's SepticSmart initiative is a national education campaign offering practical resources for homeowners, community leaders, and local governments. Because while septic systems may be underground, the consequences of neglect are anything but hidden.

So this SepticSmart Week, remember: love your tank, and your tank will love you back. Or at the very least, it won't ruin your weekend barbecue.

## Chair Exercise Classes at the Library

The Hampton B. Allen Library is hosting chair exercise classes every Thursday. Class begins at 10:00 a.m. in the library's Pritchett Room. Everyone is welcome.