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Celebrating

101
YEARS

NOVEMBER 2026

Ridgewood Missionary Baptist Church will celebrate its

101st Church Anniversary.

Please join us for a powerful weekend as we celebrate our history and step into our future!

PRE-ANNIVERSARY SERVICE
Saturday, November 21
12:00 – 2:00 PM

CHURCH ANNIVERSARY WORSHIP SERVICE
Sunday, November 22
10:00 AM

THEME:

Remembering Our Heritage; Following God's Commands.

SCRIPTURE: MATTHEW 28:19-20

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DEACONS MINISTRY

Sick and shut-in members who wish to receive Communion at their home or medical facility on the first Sunday are encouraged to contact their Ward Deacon or Deacon Marvin Bryant by the first Sunday of each month. This ensures that arrangements can be made to provide the necessary service and support.

We want to make sure no one in our church family is missing in our communications or care. We are working diligently to refresh our membership. If your address or phone number has changed, please let your Deacon know so we can keep our records and our community up to date.

THANKSGIVING BASKET GIVE-AWAY 2026

Sharing Blessings with Families in Our Church and Community

Sponsored by Ridgewood Missionary Baptist Church
Coordinated by the Senior Missionary Ministry



As we approach this season of thanksgiving and gratitude, Ridgewood Missionary Baptist Church is reaching out to share God's blessings with families in need throughout our church and surrounding community. Through our Thanksgiving Basket Give-Away, coordinated by the Senior Missionary Ministry, we invite our church family to join us in helping provide a Thanksgiving meal for families who may need a little extra support this holiday season.

DONATIONS NEEDED

Members are encouraged to donate canned goods and non-perishable food items, such as corn, green beans, peas, instant potatoes, stuffing mix, cornbread mix, sweet potatoes, and other traditional Thanksgiving dinner items.

COLLECTION DATES

Donation bins will be available at the entrances of the Church and Conference Center from **Sunday, November 1, through Wednesday, November 18.**

TURKEYS OR MONETARY CONTRIBUTIONS

Those wishing to donate a turkey or make a monetary contribution may contact Missionary Gail Hollis or Missionary Geneva P. Stewart, no later than **Wednesday, November 18.**

TURKEY DROP-OFF

Turkeys may also be dropped off at the Church Fellowship Hall on **Friday, November 20, at 3:00 p.m.,** with prior notification.

REQUEST FORMS

To ensure that we can assist families in need, a Thanksgiving Basket Request Form must be completed for each family being nominated to receive a basket. All completed forms must be submitted to **Missionary Gail Hollis** by **Sunday, November 15,** either before or immediately following Sunday worship service.

DISTRIBUTION

The Senior Missionary Ministry will coordinate all arrangements and distribution details for this special outreach effort.

Thank you for your generosity, compassion, and willingness to be a blessing to others!

Missionary Geneva P. Stewart, President, Senior Missionary Ministry

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COMMUNITY *Outreach Ministry*



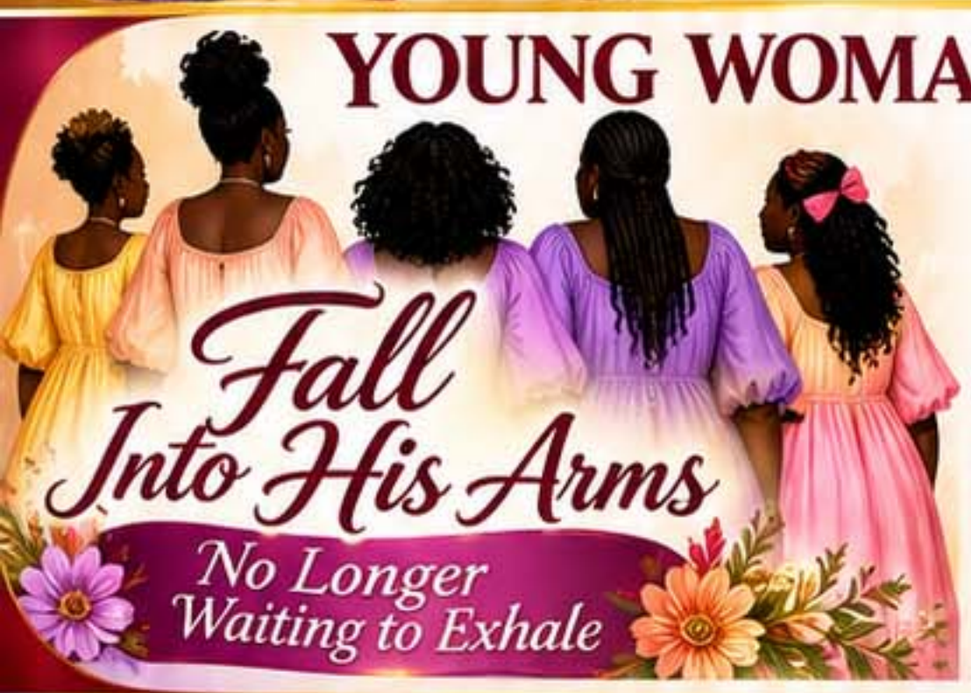
The Community Outreach Ministry will be collecting personal hygiene and cleaning supply items for a Women's Shelter. We will be collecting until **November 8th.** You can give your donations to any Community Outreach member. For any questions, contact Yvette Mason.

Coats for Tots

The Community Outreach Ministry will be collecting new or gently used coats for Jackson Creek Elementary School. We will be collecting until **Sunday, December 6.** You can give your coats to any member. Any questions contact Yvette Mason.



YOUNG WOMAN'S AUXILIARY MINISTRY (YWAs)



SATURDAY,
NOVEMBER 14, 2026
1:00 PM
Fellowship Hall

In celebration of the YWA's anniversary, we will be hosting "Fall Into His Arms, No Longer Waiting to Exhale." We invite all young women ages 18 to 50 to celebrate with us for some good food, games and real talk while making memories in Moo Moos! Come dressed in your favorite Moo Moo ready to let your hair down and just be girls.

RSVP to *Shaunda Prince, Rev. Dee Dee Samuel or Minister Tanya Hollis.*

39th ANNIVERSARY

Sunday,
November 15, 2026
During Worship Service
We ask all YWAs to come dressed in their white with lavender accessories.

SENIOR ADULT MINISTRY
Annual Christmas Gala

SATURDAY,
DECEMBER 12, 2026
3:00 PM

Antioch Baptist Church Gymnasium
5715 Koon Rd. • Columbia, SC 29203

We are asking if you are planning to attend, please see Jacques Stover or Minister Wolfe to sign up.

Minister Diann Wolfe, President

RIDGEWOOD FOUNDATION *Presents:* *New Orleans*



TRIP INCLUDES:

- Motorcoach transportation
- Five nights lodging including three consecutive nights in the New Orleans area
- Eight meals: 5 breakfasts and 3 dinners
- Guided tour of New Orleans
- Admission to New Orleans "Free People of Color Museum, National World War II Museum, and Mardi Gras World"
- Relaxing Riverboat Cruise on the Mississippi River
- Enjoy historic New Orleans French Quarter, visit to a New Orleans Casino and much more.



COST
$874
per person, double occupancy

For more information, contact
Estelle Young
(803) 772-8377

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Rev. Darrius S. Graves
Pastor

"And we know that all things work together for good to them that love God, to them who are the called according to His purpose."
Romans 8:28 (KJV)

WORSHIP SERVICES

Repentance / Communion Service



Sunday,
November 1, 2026
4:00 PM

Christmas Day Service



Friday,
December 25, 2026
8:00 AM

Watch Night Service



Thursday,
December 31, 2026
11:00 PM
A New Year
A Renewed Commitment to God

PRAYER *opportunities*



NOON DAY PRAYER

MONDAYS
12:00 PM – 1:00 PM
Fellowship Hall

You are welcome to join. You may submit your prayer requests using the forms and the prayer request box located near the sanctuary entrance.

CORPORATE PRAYER

EVERY FRIDAY
5:00 AM (Call-In)
(425) 436-6303
Access Code: 349591#

Let's come together in prayer!

STAY CONNECTED WITH OUR CHURCH APP



- Connect with a Ministry
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- Tithes & Offering
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Continue to Pray for the Bereaved and Sick and Shut-in

"Then we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds, to meet the Lord in the air: and so shall we ever be with the Lord."
1 Thessalonians 4:17–18 (KJV)

"Is any sick among you? let him call for the elders of the church; and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord."
James 5:14 (KJV)

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