



Welcome

Dear Friends,

We joyfully welcome each of you today to Rivermont Baptist Church! Whether a long-time member or a first-time visitor, we are delighted you chose to be here this morning for worship.

Today's message, "The Waiting Church", is the first message of a three-sermon series. This morning, we turn our attention to the beginning of the Acts of the Apostles, where the Scriptures record for us the New Testament church in its earliest days – called not to rush ahead, but to wait upon the promise of God.

In our text this morning, Acts 1:1-7, we find the early church in a posture of waiting – not in idleness, but in obedience and expectation of the Father's promise. They were called to wait and wholeheartedly trust, to believe, to pray and obey Him. "The Waiting Church" reminds us that God's timing is always perfect, and that His promises never fail.

It is my earnest prayer that no one leaves here today unchanged, but that each heart is drawn closer to the Savior. May God richly bless you as we worship Him in spirit and in truth.

Love in Christ,
Pastor Justin Dove
Acts 20:24

October 5, 2025

SUNDAY SERVICES

Sunday School
10:00 AM
Morning Worship
11:00 AM
Jr. Church (3yrs-6th grade)
11:00 AM

NO EVENING SERVICE

WEDNESDAY

Prayer and Bible Study
6:00 PM
Teens4Christ
6:00 PM

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UPCOMING

Tea, Talk and Testimonies w/ Hannah

10/7 @ 10:00 AM
Dove Home

Soul-Winning & Visitation

10/7 @ 6:00 PM
Fellowship Hall

Jolly 60's

10/16 @ 11:00 AM -1:00 PM
Fellowship Hall

Nurse Workers

10/5-Betty Jenkins and
Katrina Burkhart
10/12-Marie Campbell and
Ann Cliborne

Junior Church Schedule

October-Amanda Clatterbuck
and Diane Stevens
November- Debra Speck and
Wendy Fletcher

Songs

482- Dwelling in Beulah
Land
564- Sweet By and By

Birthdays

10/5-Refa Blakely

Anniversaries

Missionary of the Week

The
Gorman
Family



Armed
Forces,
USA

Dear Friends, Prayer Partners, and Faithful Supporters,

We appreciate all your prayers for our family and our ministry! We have just returned from a 3,600-mile road trip to take Caleb and Anna to college. Caleb is a junior now and is studying Criminal Justice. He desires to make a difference for the cause of Christ in the Law Enforcement field. Anna is studying Graphic Design and is a freshman. With the skills she learns, she wants to be able to help local churches with websites, invitations, and gospel tracts. We miss them both tremendously! They are such a big part of our family and ministry and were such a great help with church plant needs.

We have run into a few difficulties lately. We returned home from our big road trip to a mess as our chest freezer in the garage had stopped working. We kept meat there that we bought in bulk, and it was all bad. Right before we left, our refrigerator had stopped working. We lost some food then, but we tried to salvage some by putting it in the – you guessed it – garage freezer. So, please pray for us for wisdom about meals. A mechanic looked at the fridge today (now that we are home) and said it will be at least a week until he can get the parts to fix it. We have also had several major car repairs over this time and still have more to repair. Last month, Ethan broke his nose and required surgery. We have unexpected medical bills associated with that injury. If you would like to help with any of these needs, please let us know.

Amid the challenges, we do have a huge praise to share with you! We are now able to teach weekly Bible classes on base to military children! Pray that the unsaved children who come will receive the gospel and be saved and share it with their family. Thank you for all your prayers and support!

Reaching our Heroes for Christ,
The Gorman Family



Missionaries

Faith and Sharon Dawson - Venezuela
Gary and Marie Dawson - Venezuela
Mike and Keila Dawson - Venezuela
Billy and Annette Dudley - Puerto Rico
Paul and Sarah Johnson - Japan
Matt and Nikki Brown - Cambodia
Justin and April Grinstead - Argentina
Matt and Amanda Green - United Kingdom
Justin and Danielle Sauder - Zambia Africa
Michael and Freda Yoo - South Korea
Tim and Leandra Hawes - Papua New Guinea
Jon and Tina Gorman - U.S.A.

Military

Logan Acosta
Noland Whitmere

Unspoken Requests

Pastor Diane
Hannah Debbie
Stephen Joel

Salvation

Laura N.
Oscar
Jennifer
Wardell
Susan
Lost Loved Ones

Cancer Patients

Peanut Tharpe
Les Keplinger
Larry Fox
Terry LeCompte
Wyatt Lamb-leukemia
Richard
Heather Alger-esophagus
Stanley Wallace
Vickie
Shelia Ellis
Patty Gunnels
Tina Mullins-brain
J.P. -esophageal
Jett Hedgepath
Henry Snider-leukemia
Doris Dean
Shelia Ellis
Pastor Young
Kerry Young
Mark Johnson-kidney
Tomme Profit
Clyde Burkhart
Eric VanTilbury
Jeanne Bennett
Melissa Nelson
Sally Conklin
Katrina Wotring
Mrs. Collins
Joe Shell

Previous Requests September 24th

Bud and Louise Clatterbuck-health issues
Connie and Bunky Woods
Jimmy Brinklow-continued healing
Ashley Johnson-vascular thoracic outlet syn.
Sally Anne (Diane Steven's sister-in-law)-surgery recovery and salvation for her and her husband
Kathleen Mauck-recovery from surgery
Red Shackelford-sores and skin cancer
Karen Collins-skin cancer
Gene-mass on vocal chords

Andrea Fleishman- health
David Rudacille- health issues
Clyde Burkhart-cancer treatments
James Boyette-severe back pain
Rocky Morris-heart catheter/healing
Katrina-broken wrist recovery
Wanda Carroll family- bereavement
Wanda Lawson-recovery from fall
Duane Vaughn-stroke and salvation
Mark (Stephen's friend)-chest pain

October 1st Requests

Israel/Ukraine
Country-need for revival
President/Gov't Officials
Our Pastor and Hannah
Our Church
Johnny Sears-health issues
Tommy Proffitt-pain control, healing, blood transfusion

Michelle Fanning's little cousin-just diagnosed w/leukemia
Eva Fanning's sister-diagnosed w/leukemia/bone marrow treatment
James Vaughn-diagnosed w/cancer
Abigail Stallard-upcoming surgery
Patsy Grove-toe
Airport Rd family
Steve Smith-brain cancer

Reading the Bible in a Year 2025

Day 278-Matt. 4; Luke 4-5; John 1:15-51
Day 279-John 2-4
Day 280-Mark 2

Day 281-John 5
Day 282-Matt 12:1-21; Mark 3; Luke 6
Day 283-Matthew 5-7
Day 284-Matt 8:1-13; Luke 7