

# Coming Up

Sat., Feb.26, 9:30-11 AM - Heart-to-Heart Friendship Fell. - West Wing  
 Sun., Feb.27, 6 PM - February Church Conference & Lord's Supper  
 Sat., Mar.5, 1 - 5 PM - Bible Bowl Round Robin Event - RBBC  
 Sun., Mar.6, after AM Serv. - Missions Comm. Mtg. - rm.212  
 Tues., Mar.8, 7 PM - Deacons' Mtg. - youth building  
 Fri., Mar.11, 6:30 PM - Churchwide Scripture Reading - West Wing  
 Sun., Mar.13, after AM Serv. - Missions Awareness Luncheon - fell.hall  
 Sun., Mar.13 - **Daylight Savings Time Begins**  
 Wed., Mar.16 - **No Awana - Spring Break**  
 Sun., Mar.20, after AM Serv. - Constitution/Bylaws Comm. Mtg. - rm.208  
 Sun., Mar.27, 6 PM - March Church Conference & Lord's Supper  
 Sat., Apr.2, 9:30-11 AM - Heart-to-Heart Friendship Fell. - West Wing  
 Sat., Apr.2, 1 - 5 PM - Bible Bowl Round Robin Event - RBBC  
 Sun., Apr.3, after AM Serv. - Missions Comm. Mtg. - rm.212  
 Fri., Apr.8, 6:30 PM - Churchwide Scripture Reading - West Wing  
 Sun., Apr.10 - **Palm Sunday**  
 Sun., Apr.10, after AM Serv. - Constitution/Bylaws Comm. Mtg. - rm.208  
 Tues., Apr.12, 7 PM - Deacons' Mtg. - youth building  
 Sun., Apr.17 - **Easter**  
 Sun., Apr.17, 6 PM - April Church Conference  
 Wed., Apr.20, 6:30 PM - Awana Store  
 Sat., Apr.23, 6 - 8 PM - **Movements 4 Tomorrow Banquet** - fell.hall  
 Sun., Apr.24, 6 PM - Lord's Supper  
 Wed., Apr.27, 6:30 PM - **Last Night of Awana Club**  
 Sun., May 1, after AM Serv. - Missions Comm. Mtg. - rm.212  
 Wed., May 4, 6:30 PM - **Awana Grand Finale**  
 Sat., May 7, 1 - 5 PM - Bible Bowl Round Robin Event - West Wing  
 Sun., May 8, after AM Serv. - Constitution/Bylaws Comm.Mtg. - rm.208  
 Tues., May 10, 7 PM - Deacons' Mtg. - youth building  
 Fri., May 13, 6:30 PM - Churchwide Scripture Reading - West Wing  
 Sat., May 14, 9:30 - 11 AM - Heart-to-Heart Friendship Fell. - West Wing  
 Sun., May 15, 6 PM - May Church Conference  
 Sun., May 29, 10:45 AM - Lord's Supper  
 Sun., May 29, 5 PM - *Hannah Ministry* - fell.hall

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## 2021-22 RBBC Year of Defending the Faith!

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**Red Bridgers Making News!**  
 Jacob Claxton has a new blog. Go to:  
[www.theyoungtheologian.com](http://www.theyoungtheologian.com)

## Wanda Jackson retiring after 42.5 years!



**Arlie & Wanda Jackson,  
 Greg and Cathie**



**Wanda served  
 as the RBBC  
 Administrative  
 Assistant /  
 Office Manager  
 with Pastors  
 Bud Long and  
 Vic Borden, for  
 over 40 years.**

By Pastor Vic Borden

We have fully launched into our new church theme. Until next fall our focus will be the year of **Defending the Faith!** Believers are given this command in 1 Peter 3:15.

Why this theme? Primarily, it's because I hear reports very frequently about people (mostly young adults) who were raised in Christ-centered homes, and attended Bible-believing churches, who are now struggling with theological orthodoxy. It ought not come as a surprise to any of us that Satan is the chief deceiver. He wants to shipwreck the faith of everyone. The enemy of our souls is so focused on this that he even sought to tempt the Lord Jesus Christ into denying biblical truth (Matthew 4:1-11). Three times Satan attempted to get Jesus to sin, and three times Jesus was victorious by standing on the truth of the inspired, inerrant, and authoritative Word of God!

It's often been said: "If you don't stand for something, then you'll fall for anything." However, we must not stand for just anything, but "...for the faith which was once delivered to the saints" (Jude 3). You see, it's not man's opinion which provides power and brings freedom. It's the Gospel revealed in the Word of God which has the power to save (Romans 1:16). That's because only the truth of Scripture can set the captive free (John 8:32).

Satan knows just where to attack—at the roots. It seems that he is doing this in our day by tempting those who have a faith background, to deny biblical authority. Sin (as identified in Scripture) is no longer sin in the minds of many. By way of example, I just filled out a form for travel to another country. On the form, I was required to indicate my gender. The choices were: "male," "female," and "other." This was a federal document! I'm not too shocked when the unbelieving world is so easily duped by the Devil. What's anguishing is when those who have a history of knowing (and seemingly having believed) the Word of God, turn from the way of righteousness. Scripture gives an alarming warning to those who at one time were instructed in biblical theology, to then knowingly reject it. I offer this, not because I delight in it at all, but to warn those who have departed from the faith.

2 Peter 2:21-22 - "For it had been better for them not to have known the way of righteousness, than, after they have known it, to turn from the holy commandment delivered unto them. But it is happened unto them according to the true proverb, 'The dog is turned to his own vomit again; and the sow that was washed to her wallowing in the mire.'"

In our year of **Defending the Faith**, I purpose to give myself to this; not by spouting my own opinions, but by clearly and passionately preaching verse-by-verse through the written Word of God. Believer: let's serve our glorious Lord together in these last days in **Defending the Faith** in a spirit of love. May God be pleased to continue to anoint the ministry of the Word at RBBC.



# AroundRBBC

## Safely Home:

Bob Ganote, Georgia Beeson, Dorothy Dunn, Dixie Akin, Jim Perry

## RBBC Deacons/Wives 2021 Christmas Banquet [thanks Beth Staley for the photography!]



## Just for Fun! Just for Fun! is a feature in the Vision for the purpose of...well, Just for Fun!



The Fairman & Wainscott families will surely need a longer table in the coming years!

# Road to Bethlehem

Scores of God's people once again served in a dramatic presentation of redemptive history, from the time of Adam/Eve, until the time of the writing of the final Bible Book. Approx. 800 souls witnessed this presentation over four nights. [thanks to director, Molly Claxton]

Nathan the Prophet confronted King David in his sin. One day a perfectly righteous King will sit upon the throne of David!



Ruth and Naomi were key travelers in history on the Road to Bethlehem.



The Prophet Isaiah wrote of the Son's cradle, the Shepherd's crook, the Savior's cross, and the Sovereign's crown. All point to the Lord Jesus Christ!



The focus of redemptive history, and the Road to Bethlehem, is the Lord Jesus Christ!

The Apostle John sharing the Gospel with a Roman guard on the Island of Patmos.

