

HOPE IN ACTION

SANDY RUN MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH (SRMBC)

SUNDAY SERVICE

Rev. Dr. Joel D. Churchwell

Facebook Live 8:30 a.m.
Sunday School 9:15 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.

YOUTH CHURCH

Director Jennifer Cooper

1st & 3rd Sundays of the Month
During 10:30 a.m. Worship Service
(currently for ages 6-12 yrs)

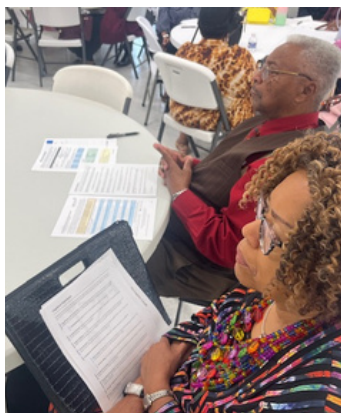
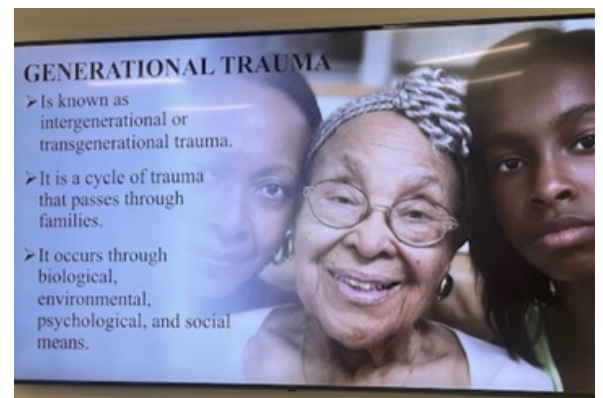
VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Director Regina Steward


June 15-19, 2026
6:00 p.m.-7:30 p.m.
Registration forms available

Healing Minds, Renewing Hearts, and Strengthening Communities

Sandy Run Missionary Baptist Church hosted its second powerful Mental Health Awareness Workshop on May 17, 2026, led by presenter Robert L. Wilder, Jr., MSW, LCSWA, with a focused exploration of trauma. He guided participants through key concepts such as cognitive distortions, core beliefs, and childhood trauma, highlighting how our thoughts, emotions, and behaviors are deeply interconnected. The session sparked meaningful discussion and offered practical insight that resonated with everyone in attendance. This workshop reflects Sandy Run's sustained commitment to being a Hallmark of Hope as we continue to reduce stigma and strengthen mental wellness in our community.



Sandy Run MBC 2026



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“The Hallmark of Hope”

Rev. Dr. Joel D. Churchwell - Pastor/Teacher



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 Bro. Grover C. Lewis, III-Instructor ~ Sis. Tikishia Smiley-CLS Technology Facilitator ~ Dean Felicia Churchwell-Instructor/Dean of Record, Rev. Dr. Joel D. Churchwell-Pastor/Teacher & Instructor ~ Rev. Eddie White, III-GBSCNC State President Congress of Christian Education, Dean Deborah J. Harvey-CLS Dean/Instructor ~ Sis. Regina Steward-Director General/CLS Secretary ~ Dea. Wendell Boykins-Instructor

Our Christian Leadership School’s “CLS Week 2026” experienced a wonderful and exciting start at its General Assembly during the opening night on May 18th. After greetings from our Pastor, we were blessed to receive greetings from our special guest of the evening, Rev. Eddie R. White, III of the General Baptist State Convention of North Carolina (GBSCNC). Rev. White currently serves as the State President of the Congress of Christian Education. As a nationally accredited and certified teaching entity under the auspices of the National Baptist Convention, USA, Inc., Rev. White commended Sandy Run Missionary Baptist Church’s (SRMBC) Christian Leadership School for being the flagship CLS, leading the way for the state of North Carolina since becoming accredited in 2017.

The SRMBC team of certified instructors and staff has an unwavering commitment to provide excellence in Christian education. The CLS courses “Christian Stewardship”, “Christian Character and How It Develops”, “Leading Change”, and “The African-American Church and Social Justice” were all developed to impart a wealth of biblical knowledge across a wide spectrum of educational subjects as a means to aid spiritual growth. There was an obvious abundance of excitement in the air, an eagerness to study, to learn, and to share God’s Word as attendees were dismissed to the various classes. To God be the glory for the 72 persons who intentionally set aside time for our CLS Week to engage in a wonderful atmosphere of Christian learning.

Get Hooked on the Word of God

When
June 15th
 thru
June 19th

Classes
 for all
ages!
starting at 2 years old

Time
6:00pm
 to
7:30pm

HAPPY FATHER'S Day

HONORING THE FAITHFUL MEN WHO LEAD, LOVE, AND LEAVE A LEGACY



“The righteous man walks in his integrity; his children are blessed after him.”

PROVERBS 20:7



Throughout Scripture, God calls men to the sacred responsibility of leading their households in devotion to Him. He has placed within them a diligent spirit, steadfast courage, and a God-given strength to labor faithfully, endure hardship, and lead their families with love, conviction, and grace.



This Father's Day, we pause with gratitude to celebrate and honor the physical and spiritual fathers among us. We thank God for the men who lead with faith, serve with compassion, and pour into the lives of others with unwavering love and devotion—not only their own children, but also those they mentor in our local schools, the young Marines who visit our church, members of our congregation, and people throughout our community.



From one father to another, know that the prayers you lift up today are planting seeds of legacy that will bless generations to come. As Proverbs 20:7 declares, “The righteous man walks in his integrity; his children are blessed after him.”



REV. DR. JOEL D. CHURCHWELL, PASTOR/TEACHER
SANDY RUN MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

FAITH IN ACTION: Shaping our City Together

Attending City Council meetings allows us to have a voice on issues that shape our neighborhoods. Let's show up in faith and help our city reflect God's heart for justice, compassion, and community.

City Council Regular Meetings
 *Third Tuesday of each month at 5:30 p.m.
 *Council Chambers at City Hall.
 *(910) 938-5225 for additional information.

Future Connections

Sunday, June 14, 2026

Graduate Appreciation Day &
 Jacksonville Osprey Baseball Team Visits SRMBC
 Dessert/Meet & Greet
 Immediately following Morning Worship Service

Sunday, June 21, 2026

Deacon Ordination
 During Morning Worship Service

Monday-Friday June 15-19, 2026

Vacation Bible School
 Theme: "Hooked!-Reeled In to Serve God"
 6:00 p.m.-7:30 p.m.

Monday-Friday June 15-August 21, 2026

(Excluding June 19 and July 3)
 United Way/SRMBC Summer Feeding Program
 SRMBC Fellowship Hall
 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Monday, July 13, 2026

Be A Hopeful Friend Outreach
 Carolina Rivers Nursing & Rehabilitation Facility
 6:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.

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