

Church & Candidate Profile

**Kids Ministry Assistant
Brookstone North Campus**



Brookstone Church

Church History

Brookstone Baptist Church, formerly North Asheville Baptist Church, has long stood as a testimony to God's faithfulness since the church was called into existence in 1910. First located on Forsythe Street in North Asheville, the church was a satellite of First Baptist Church of Asheville. NABC grew in membership and influenced the community with the Gospel of Christ.

In 1969 the church body began to grow and a need for a larger facility to reach more people with the Gospel became apparent. This led NABC to go forward in faith as a 1.5 acre tract of land was purchased near I-26 and UNC-Asheville. Construction began and on Easter Sunday, 1972 NABC held its first worship service at that location.

In August of 1989, Jim Dykes was called as pastor, and, in 1994, NABC purchased eight acres on Reynolds Mountain Boulevard. The first service in the new church was held on November 25th, 1995. Such growth occurred that two Sunday morning services were required and eight adjoining acres of land were purchased due to projected growth.

In 2001, the church family moved once again, into a multi-purpose building on the same property. The former building now houses Reynolds Mountain Christian Academy, established in 1999 as a ministry of NABC, originally under the name North Asheville Christian School.

On Easter Sunday, 2017, after 106 years under the same name, North Asheville Baptist Church officially became Brookstone Baptist Church in anticipation of the relocation to a new, 100-acre campus in Weaverville. The church celebrated opening day at its new location on November 12, 2017. This campus includes a large worship space, conference facilities, classrooms, counseling space, student center, a community park, pavilion, walking paths, soccer fields, hiking trails and more. Opening this campus to the community has enabled the church family to reach thousands of people with the Good News of God's love for them in Christ!

October 2nd, 2022 marked the launch of Brookstone's East Campus in the auditorium of Charles C. Bell Elementary School. This is the first of several planned satellite campuses strategically located to reach Buncombe County with the Gospel and to equip God's people of all ages to live intentionally every day.

January 14th of 2024 marked the grand opening of the Brookstone West Campus at Enka Intermediate School in Candler. This was the second planned satellite campus reaching souls in the western part of Buncombe County.

We celebrated the opening of the Student Center on January 7th, 2024, located at the North Campus. The new Student Center speaks volumes to our students and to everyone in our community that we are serious about investing in the next generation.



North Campus



East Campus



West Campus



Student Center

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What does it look like?

Worship Service



We believe life-giving worship is centered on Jesus, informed by the Word, and powered by the Holy Spirit. Emphasizing the singularity of Christ's exaltation and the value of congregational participation, we prayerfully envision having that culture.

When you arrive at the worship center, our ushers can help you find a seat. Our focus during this time is dynamic worship with Jesus. You will hear practical Bible teaching designed to encourage and grow your faith.

What to Wear

We have a casual environment and want you to be comfortable walking in. Our people wear everything from jeans and t-shirt to their Sunday best. You'll fit in no matter what you wear.



In the essential beliefs, we must have unity (Ephesians 4:4-6)
In the non-essential beliefs, we have to have liberty (Romans 14-15)
In all our beliefs, we have to have love (I Corinthians 13)

What does this mean?

All of us come from different backgrounds and cultures where we have developed preferences which are called non-essential beliefs. These are beliefs that we hold very dear because it is what we have learned to become accustomed to, and because of this, we will sometimes differ in our opinion on certain topics. The non-essential beliefs can be found in the style of Christian music we listen to, in the type of clothes we wear to church and in the translation of scripture we read. Whatever your preference, it must never bring division in the body of Christ.

In the area of essential beliefs, those areas where the Bible is very clear, we must stand united together and never compromise these Biblical truths. Examples of these essential beliefs are listed below. Our convictions rest solely on biblical doctrine and not preference.

List of essential beliefs

1. We believe in the Holy Scriptures as the very Word of God (II Tim 3:16)
2. We believe there is only one God eternally existent in three persons (I John 5:1-8)
3. We believe in the deity and virgin birth of Jesus Christ (John 1:1-14)
4. We believe in the person and ministry of God the Holy Spirit (John 16:7-14)
5. We believe that heaven and hell are both real and eternal places (Rev. 20-21)
6. We believe all men are by nature and choice sinful and lost (Rom 3:10-23)
7. We believe salvation is by grace through faith in Jesus Christ (Eph. 2:8-9)
8. We believe in the existence and final defeat of Satan (Rev. 20:1-10)
9. We believe in the second coming of Jesus Christ (I Thess. 4:13-18)
10. We believe in the eternal life and preservation of all saints (John 6:40)
11. We believe in the priesthood of the believers (Heb. 4:15-16)
12. We believe the New Testament Church is an organized body of believers (Eph 4:11-16)
13. We believe that the church has two God-given ordinances: Baptism and The Lord's Supper (Matt. 28:16-20; I Cor. 11:23-24)
14. We believe that the church is financially supported by the faithful giving of believers through their tithes and offerings. (I Cor. 16:1-2; Malachi 3:6-10)

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The Area of Weaverville

North of Asheville sits the unique, scenic town of Weaverville, North Carolina, home to entrepreneurs and artisans alike. With a thriving downtown district offering an array of businesses and plenty of parking, Weaverville draws visitors from all around to its quaint, picturesque Main Street and lush public spaces. Living in Weaverville offers the best of all worlds: quiet country living just a stone's throw from a thriving in-town commercial district, with a 15-minute drive to Downtown Asheville.

In the 1800s, Weaverville was home to grand hotels with visitors escaping the heat of southern summers. Author O. Henry spent some of his last days here, regaining his health before returning to New York City. Today, Main Street offers a lot for visitors with some impressive restaurants, galleries, and artist studios. And it's only ten minutes from both downtown Asheville and the Blue Ridge Parkway.

Residents and visitors to Weaverville can enjoy two public parks within its jurisdiction: Lake Louise Park and the Main Street Nature Park. Well-maintained areas prized for passive recreation, the parks offer walking paths lined with volunteer-maintained flower beds and educational information celebrating Weaverville's rich heritage.

For those looking for nearby nature adventures, Weaverville boasts an entrance to the Blue Ridge Parkway, miles of local hiking trails, cycling routes, scenic drives, wildlife, and native plants. In addition, the Town of Weaverville hosts several community events throughout the year celebrating its unique roots in Western North Carolina, including a Memorial Day Observance at Lake Louise, Fire on the Lake: July 4th Celebration at Lake Louise, a 9/11 Observance at Lake Louise, a Veterans' Day Observance at Lake Louise, and a Town Christmas Parade downtown.

Brookstone Forest Friends

Brookstone Forest Friends ministers to the littlest... from newborns to three year olds with birthdays in January - June. Children have a safe, fun, and loving environment to play and learn about Jesus. The two and three year old classes will experience worship, Bible story time, and crafts!



On Wednesday evenings, the little ones in Forest Friends dig deeper into their lesson from Sunday morning. They create new crafts, watch an interactive Bible Story, have play time and engage in activities that reinforce the weekly lesson. We want to instill Biblical principals in their hearts and minds early on, and teach them that God made them, God loves them, and Jesus wants to be their friend forever.

Brookstone Treehouse

Our staff and volunteers work hard to create a safe and meaningful class experience for our preschool children. They will spend time each week in small group classrooms as well as having a large group time with a Bible lesson, and worship.



Camp Brookstone

Kindergarten through third grade kids gather during every service at Camp Brookstone for a fun small group and engaging large group experience. We want to capture children's imaginations through worship, skits, and dramatic telling of God's Word. We want kids to know they can trust God no matter what, that they need to use God's Word to make wise choices, and that they need to treat others the way they want to be treated.



Wednesday Nights

Kids need an escape in the middle of the week! Parents need an escape every once in a while! Even Jesus escaped when He withdrew from the crowds to seek the will of the Father. Every week at Brookstone there is a Wednesday Night Escape for your kids to engage in Bible Teaching, hilarious games, scripture memorization and creative ways of hiding God's Word in their heart while being led by a team of Godly adults.



Trail 45 Preteen Ministry



Trail 45 is the Preteen Ministry of Brookstone Kids. 4th and 5th graders gather for worship, a Bible teaching created especially for the pre-teen age group, and spend time in small groups.

It is our goal your preteen knows they are created to pursue an authentic relationship with their Creator, they belong to Jesus Christ and can define who they are by what He says, and they exist every day to demonstrate God's love to a broken world.

Homeschool Hub

The Homeschool Hub fosters friendships and spiritual growth for students and parents as well as encourage mentor/mentee relationships among adults. We will act in accordance with Romans 8, to humbly serve our homeschool community using the various gifts and talents we can share while uplifting one another. We strive to create a “safe haven” for the homeschool parent and student and be a light of encouragement in the community.



Brookstone Park

Gather with your family for an afternoon picnic by the creek.

Meet up with your friends or co-workers to relieve some stress or get active by taking advantage of a community walking trail.

Load the kids up in the car to head to your new favorite play area, complete with a playground and general play space for activities such as kick ball, wiffle ball, etc...

Watch your child and their sports team play on well-maintained soccer fields that the community can take advantage of.

Enjoy an evening of praise and worship with friends and family at an outdoor pavilion.

Stretch your legs and enjoy the fresh mountain air and lush scenery on scenic hiking trails.

The Pavilion area is always available on a first-come, first-served basis; however, groups may reserve the pavilion for birthday parties, picnics, etc...by completing the Brookstone Pavilion Request Form. Groups with reservations will then have priority use of the Pavilion.



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Kids Ministry Assistant Job Description

PURPOSE:

The Brookstone Kids Ministry Assistant supports the Kids Pastor and Preschool Director, and facilitates effective communications among the Brookstone Kids volunteers, ministry leaders, and parents.

QUALIFICATIONS:

1. Must be a member of Brookstone Church in good standing or willing to become a member.
2. College graduate or equivalent work related experience.
3. Strong computer skills are imperative (Google Docs, Google Sheets, Willing to learn Keynote, Pro7, Planning Center, Basecamp, etc).
4. Proficiency in the use of standard office tools and machines.
5. Have excellent command of English composition, grammar, and punctuation.
6. Background or experience in creating graphics.

OTHER GENERAL EXPECTATIONS INCLUDE:

- Should always exhibit integrity, honesty, and professionalism, demonstrated by well-groomed appearance, conscientious work ethic, accountability and a teachable spirit.
- Should be ever-conscious of the need for confidentiality.
- Should always exercise discernment and wise judgment.
- Should be a person who gives extreme attention to details with an eye for excellence.
- Should be willing to seek new information, training, and resources as needed.
- Should be self- starter, good at multitasking and prioritizing projects.
- Should possess strong administrative skills and the ability to work independently without supervision.
- Should possess the ability to handle complaints and problems with tact, patience and diplomacy.

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RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Assist with administrative tasks related to Brookstone Kids and possibly Next Gen Team Ministries
- Coordinate planning for special events (Ex. Summer Splash and Family Outreaches)
- Manage Kids Pastor's calendar; events, appointments, etc.
- Process and maintain Kid's Ministry department forms (Ex. Volunteer applications and forms, Medical forms, Background Checks, etc.).
- Keep accurate department records including attendance records via Planning Center and Church Metrics.
- Make all necessary preparations for and attend Kid's Ministry team meetings.
- Manage financial needs such as check requests, and ordering of supplies for the Brookstone Kids department
- Maintain accurate receipts for credit card purchases using Bill.com
- Manage the editing, proofreading, and publication of department brochures, flyers, postcards, posters, and information displays/signs as requested.
- Be available to help Brookstone Kids Assistants print curriculum, order widgets, upload necessary items and schedule volunteers in Planning Center when needed. Coordinate volunteer tasks as necessary.
- Show care and Christian concern for parents, ministry partners, and children on the telephone, in the office, and at church.
- Monitor and route all incoming phone calls and make outgoing calls to females for the Kids Pastor.
- Notify Kids Pastor of births, hospitalizations or illnesses of children for follow-up (also applies to parents of children).
- Process and send out email newsletter to parents regarding Brookstone Kids ministry; process all mailings for Kids ministry, and respond to emails.
- Book and reserve spaces for Brookstone Kids events on Planning Center and coordinate with Facilities Team to ensure classroom and space needs are met.

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PERSONAL DISCIPLESHIP:

- Maintain a vital and growing relationship with the Lord through consistent time in the Word, prayer, and regular worship attendance.
- Commit to EE training.
- Strive to maintain and protect biblical priorities in the home.
- Model the practice of wise stewardship.
- Seek to maintain accountability through participation in a relational environment.

HOURS:

Monday - Thursday 9am-5pm. Wednesday evenings 5:30pm-8:30pm. Sunday mornings 7:30am-1:00pm. Additional hours may also be required depending on church programs and events.

SALARY:

A competitive salary wage commensurate with experience will be provided.