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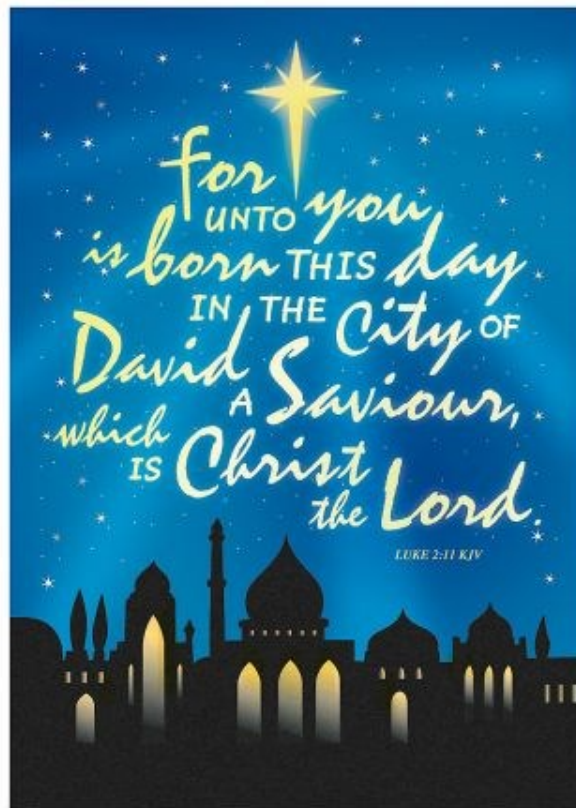
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**Merry Christmas from SACA !**

## Ministry Happenings ...

Save the dates—**The Advent Christian Village**, Dowling Park, FL, will hold its annual Winter Retreat March 5-8, 2022. More detailed information will be provided closer to the date.

**Garner AC Church**, Garner, NC, sponsored an Angel Tree for local families. The church members were able to show the love of Christ by generously providing Christmas for 35 children this year.



## ACGC Leadership Conference



Please make plans now to join us February 2-4 at the Advent Christian Village in Live Oak, Florida for the 2022 AC Leaders' Conference.

The keynote speaker is **Dr. Justin Irving** who serves as Professor of Leadership at the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, Kentucky. Prior to this, Dr. Irving served at Bethel Seminary in St. Paul, Minnesota for 20 years in a variety of roles. Dr. Irving's previous roles also include serving as pastor of leadership development and outreach in the local church, worship leader, assistant youth minister, homeless shelter chaplain and adjunct instructor of Bible at the University of Northwestern, St. Paul. He is the author of "Leadership in Christian Perspective: Biblical Foundations and Contemporary Practices for Servant Leaders." Our Coordinator of Leadership Development Matt Larkin has consulted with Dr. Irving on his doctorate. Matt is excited about Dr. Irving's sharing with our pastors and leaders.

**Advent Christian Village** will be graciously hosting us for this conference. Located on 1,200 acres along the Suwannee River in north Florida, the village consists of beautiful housing, places to eat, shops, walking trails, meeting space, Bixler Memorial church, library and fitness center.

[Register](#) by clicking here!

## Meet the New SACA Team Members



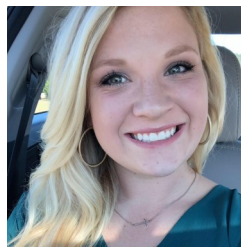
Julie Barefoot is from Benson, NC, and is the new SACA Treasurer.

She has attended Stones Creek Advent Christian Church her entire life. She is currently a Sunday School teacher, children's music director, member of the choir, member of the YLA, and assistant church treasurer.

Julie is very involved in Relay For Life of Johnston County and the Rotary Club of Cleveland School.

Julie is a graduate of NC State University, with a Bachelor of Science and Master of Accounting degrees. She became a CPA in 2006 and works with John D. Adams & Company, CPAs, PLLC in Garner.

Julie loves to sing, go to the beach and spend time with family.



Mackenzie Honeycutt is a resident of McGees Crossroads, NC, and a 2018 graduate of South Johnston High School. She is also recent graduate of Johnston Community College with a degree in Cosmetology. She has been working in Smithfield, NC, since February.

Mackenzie is the new SACA Director of Student Ministries.

For the past four years, she has been the Children's Ministry Director at Banner Chapel Church in Benson, NC. Mackenzie has had the opportunity to minister to children from ages 3-10 years old.

Mackenzie has recently started working with the Banner Chapel senior citizens, as well.

She has attended many SACA events like, Big Splash and Big Ski, and knows the impact that it has on a young persons life.

Prayers of blessing upon both of these servants!

### IT'S ANNUAL REPORT TIME

It's time again to complete annual reports for conferences, churches, pastors and other groups. Please remember that your conference, region and ACGC all use the information in these reports to keep records up-to-date, to track how long pastors have served and for issuing current credentials. Even if you are retired, please fill out the report and send in the basic information.

All of these reports can be filled out easily online. When you use the online system, your reports are automatically sent to the appropriate conference, region and ACGC. You can simply go to [acgc.us/reporting-2/](https://acgc.us/reporting-2/) and select which report you are responsible for and follow the instructions to complete the report.

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## Coming Events...

December 25	Christmas Day
January 1	New Year's Day
February 2-4	ACGC Leadership Retreat, Dowling Park, FL
February 26	ENC Conference Meeting, Camp Dixie, Fayetteville, NC

### **Philippians 1:4-6**

<sup>4</sup> In all my prayers for all of you, I always pray with joy <sup>5</sup> because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now, <sup>6</sup> being confident of this, that he who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus.