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Youth Directors

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WISE BAPTIST NEWS

A PUBLICATION FOR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS OF WISE BAPTIST CHURCH

February 21, 2023



Dear Church Family and Friends,

When trouble comes, human instinct is to avoid it.

When storms come, cows try to avoid it by running away from it. But the storm always catches up. Buffalo, instead, run toward the storm.

The result? The cows are affected by the storm longer. Why? Because they run away from the storm, it takes longer for the storm to hit them. Also, because they run away from the storm, it takes a little longer for it to pass over them.

It is just the opposite for the buffalo. Because they run toward it, there's less time before the storm hits and less time for them to be in it.

Are you more like the cows or the buffalo? What storms do you avoid that you need to face?

"Even youths grow tired and weary...but those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength." (Is. 40:30-31)

Love, Pastor Mike

How to Join Wise Baptist Church:

Express one of the following to the Pastor during the closing hymn:

† Transfer of Letter

† Baptism † Statement of Faith

† Watch Care

Transfer membership to Wise Baptist Church Desire to express faith in Christ through baptism Baptized believer not on a membership roll

Desire to be connected to our Church family without official membership

IMPORTANT DATES

Reading the Bible Through 3-21-22 to 3-20-23

Wed. Fellowship Meal February 22, 6pm

Bible Study Wed. Feb. 22, 7pm

Choir Practice Wed. Feb. 22, 7:45pm

The Chosen: Season 2, Episodes 1 & 2 Sun. Feb. 26, 6pm

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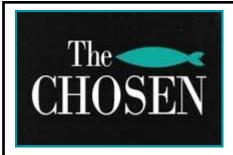
DEACONS 2022 - 2023

John Mark Adrian	328-5564
Gil Blackburn	328-0046
Jeff Cantrell	275-9427
Jim Collie	393-1710
Jorge Hersel	594-9077
Butch Hutchinson	393-5008
Stan Kunigelis	870-2227
David Mullins	870-0005
John Ponish	870-1593

Deacon Emeritus:

Bob Adkins

ANNOUNCEMENTS



FEB. 19 6pm

Season 1, Episodes 7 & 8

If you haven't had a chance to watch "The Chosen", you can easily do so on Sunday evenings in the Fellowship Hall each Sunday evening at <u>6pm</u>!

Join us for Episodes 1 & 2 of Season 2 on February 26 & enjoy a light supper, popcorn & great fellowship!

We are beginning with Season 1 and showing two episodes each week, followed by Seasons 2 & 3.

* We will skip April 9.



As you pray, please remember...

Hannah Glass, family of Kelly Hammond (Beth Snodgrass' niece), Graham Hawes, Glenna Ruth Horne, Jeff Carty, Lois Stallard, Rachel Helton, William "Twig" Bolling, Pat Boggs, Rowyn Renee Adkins (great-niece of Teresa & Billy Glines), Irene Humphreys, John & Kathy Kennedy & Suzy Bailey, Clyde Vance & family, David Dykes, Gigi & Scott Pippin, Harold Stallard, Paula Coffey, Butch Hutchinson, Mike Smith's sister Lynn, Artie Bailey, Beth Snodgrass, Adele Plester (Brenda Kunigelis' sister-in-law), Roger Viers & family, Jim & June Dotson, Lorna Wherry & family, (sister of Brenda Kunigelis), Natalie Luther, Cooper Carlson, Russell, Miles & Mason Wampler, Brenda Lee, Phyllis Hatcher, Ray Jones & family, John & Kay Wright, doctors, nurses & all medical/ pharmaceutical personnel, law enforcement & emergency personnel, all the cancer patients in our area, and our men & women in the military.

Our Shut Ins: Andrew Johnson (Cyndi Newlon's dad) Lakeland, FL, Jeanne Stallard

*If you know of other prayer concerns, please contact the church office (328-6247).



Scripture for the Week:

Isaiah 40:30-31

"Youths may faint and grow weary, and young men stumble and fall, but those who trust in the LORD will renew their strength; they will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary; they will walk and not faint."

ANNOUNCEMENTS



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

to Lois Stallard

who will be 96 on February 23!

Lois has the distinction of being our oldest church member!

She has recently been moved to rehab in Kingsport: NHC Healthcare, Room 123 2300 Pavilion Dr. Kingsport, TN 37660

Visitation Hours: 10am - 7pm



There's No Family Like Church Family!

You are invited to join us each Wed.

evening for supper at 6 pm, followed by

Bible study in the sanctuary & youth

group in the youth building at 7 pm.

Choir Practice begins at 7:45 pm.

Invite a friend—dinner is

complimentary the first time

someone joins us.



On **Sunday, March 26**, we will celebrate

ONE YEAR

of reading through the Bible!

Join us for this

special worship service
at 11am on March 26!

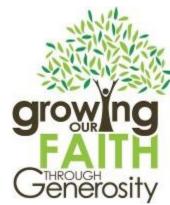
Stewardship...Managing God-Given Resources for God's Work

Stewardship at Wise Baptist Church is utilizing and managing all resources that God provides to us, for the glory of God and the betterment of His creation. We, as Christian stewards, are not only responsible for the financial blessings provided by God, but also the spiritual gifts that are given to us through the Holy Spirit.

God wants us to be His stewards in His work at Wise Baptist Church. Thank you for your giving attitude, for yielding to God, and for expressing your love and gratitude for God ... all through your stewardship.

* For those who cannot physically attend Sunday morning worship services in the sanctuary, your tithes and offerings may still be mailed to Wise Baptist Church, PO Box 777, Wise VA 24293,

or brought by the Church anytime during



MUSIC, YOUTH, CHILDREN

Nappy Birthday!

February 21 Amy Yun

February 22 Juanita Wells

February 23 Lois Stallard

February 24 Mark Lardieri

February 25 Chad Blanton

Hunter Farmer

February 26 Amy Beth Bridges

James Clasby

Joanne Kennedy

February 27 Meisha Addington

Eric Smith

February 28 Sam Farmer

March 3 Michael Allio

Regina Cantrell

Britney Edmiston

Flock News (WBC Youth)

Each week...

<u>Wed.</u> - 7pm, Youth Gathering Youth Building

Youth Leaders...

Lloyd & Carlie Tomlinson 276-337-4997





WBC Music Ministry

From the time we are born, music is a part of our world...parents hum or sing to babies as they rock them, toddlers can't help but bounce & move when they hear music, school children are taught to sing their ABC's & multiplication facts!

Research shows that we are naturally & more easily able to remember information when we can sing it. Many beautiful hymns & Christian songs are simply scripture set to music:

"Great Is Thy Faithfulness" Hymn #43 (Lamentations 3:22-23)

"The Lord's My Shepherd" by Stuart Townsend (Psalm 23)

> "Thy Word" Hymn #272 (Psalm 119:105)

"I Know Whom I Have Believed" Hymn # 409 (2 Timothy 1:12)

> "As the Deer" by Marty Nystrom (Psalm 42)

How many of these "children's" songs can you still sing from memory?

"Do Lord" (Rev. 22:1-5)

"Deep and Wide" (Ephesians 3:18-19)

"Jesus Loves Me" (John 3:16)

"Arky, Arky" (Genesis 6-11)

"Zacchaeus Was a Wee Little Man" (Luke 19:1-10)

"The Fruit of the Spirit" (Galatians 5:22)

Read & sing God's Word this week!

March 2023



dun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
B = Birthday A = Anniversary	If your birthday or anniversary is not included, please call the church office at 276-328-6247		l 6pm - POTLUCK Me 7pm - Adult Bible St Youth meet 7:45pm - Choir Prac	tudy,	B. Michael Allio B. Regina Cantrell B. Britney Edmiston	4
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		B. Ashley Farmer B. Deborah Knox B. Christi Lardieri	B. Matt Collins			
B. Chloe Cantrell		B. Isabella Lardieri	B. Matthew Mullins	B. George Chappell		

Volunteers this Week			
Deacons On Call:	2/19 - 2/25	David Mullins, Butch Hutchinson	
	2/26 - 3/4	Jim Collie, Stan Kunigelis	
Building Stewards:		Ron Helton, Scott Snodgrass	
Instrumentalists:		Susan Mullins, Susan Smith	
Sound System:		Mike Osborne, Oscar Raile	
Children's Church	2/26	Hollly Meade, Ava Mullins	
	3/5	Ann Wade, Sandy Yun	
Offering Ushers	February	Jeff Cantrell Team	
	March	Ron Helton Team	
Tellers:	February	David Mullins, Ruby Salyers	
	March	Teresa Adkins, Shirlee Barnette	
Wed. Night Meals:	2/22	Burgers & Fries	
	3/1	POTLUCK	
Wed. Night Serving Teams:	2/22	John Mark Adrian, Gil Blackburn Jeff Cantrell, Jim Collie, Ron Helton, Jorge Hersel, Butch Hutchinson. Stan Kunigelis, David Mullins, Don Newlon, John Ponish	
He first Loved us	3/I	Volunteers needed for set up & clean up	



WEEKLY OPPORTUNITIES						
Sunday	Sunday School Worship Youth (Grades 7-12) Sunday Night at the Movies	10:00 am 11:00 pm 6:00 pm 6:30 pm				
Monday	Piecemakers (1st & 3rd) Caring Friends (2nd & 4th) Learning to Read Music Class	9:30 am 6:00 pm				
Wednesday	Fellowship Meal Bible Study onsite & via Fb Live Youth meet (Grades 7-12) Choir Practice	6:00 pm 7:00 pm 7:00 pm 7:45 pm				
Thursday	Men's Bible Study Laurels Ministry (3rd)	6:30 am 1:30pm				

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Thought for the Week:

Lean into the storm with God's help.