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Hannah Grace Mullins Youth Director

Dr. Ray Jones, Jr. **Pastor Emeritus**

WISE BAPTIST NEWS

A PUBLICATION FOR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS OF **WISE BAPTIST CHURCH**

July 2, 2019



Dear Church Family and Friends,

Thank you...for allowing 37 of us to represent you and our Lord on the Wise Baptist Church mission trip to Fayetteville, NC on June 22-29. It took our whole church to carry out this mission. Even though the air temperature and humidity soared, your support helped our spirits soar higher. The mission trip was a

wonderful working picture of the Body of Christ. This included:

Prayer

A place for faith and fellowship with family and friends.

Our church endorsing the mission trip through the church budget Months of preparation: planning, meetings and trips to scout the

Donations of items and volunteers for the church yard sales Individual donations of money and resources

Encouragement

Family members of mission team members who made adjustments while the team was gone (responsibilities to cover, vacation changes, etc.)

Church members who made adjustments while the team was gone Team members who gave a week of time, skill, sweat and God's love

Some of the mission trip highlights...

Participants ranged in age from 8 to 80+

Baptismal service for Oliver Ray

Work on three work sites (roofing, insulation, drywalling, painting, flooring)

Kitchen staff made menus. They bought, prepared and served food, as well as delivered lunches to the work sites.

We got to know the residents from each of the work sites.

Hosted a cookout for the homeowners and a Presbyterian mission team from California.

Bible study at night

Fellowship, laughter, (a few pranks), tears and joy

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

100th Birthday Party for Glenn Hill! July 6, 2-4pm

Children's Pool Party July 14, 2pm

Men's Bible Study July 16, 6:30am

> **VBS July 22 - 25** 6 -8:30pm

Laurels Ministry July 25, 1:30pm

Brown Bag Ministry July 29—Aug.2

Men's Bible Study Aug. 6, 6:30am

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DEACONS 2018-19

John Mark Adrian	328-5564
Jim Collie	393-1710
Jeff Dotson	393-8417
Leton Harding	346-6039
David Mullins	870-0005
Mike Osborne	365-0968
John Ponish	870-1593
Gary Smith	870-1579

Deacons Emeritus: Bob Adkins, Glenn Hill, Harold Witt

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sympathy

We extend our deepest sympathy to Bonnie & Edgar Owens in the death of Bonnie's mother, Irene Sutherland; to Butch Hutchinson in the death of his brother, Jack Sturgill; and to Chuck Maine in the death of his brother, Jerry Maine. Please continue to keep these friends in your prayers.

CALLING ALL BALLROOM DANCERS!

Join us for a monthly Practice Dance in the Fellowship Hall, the 2nd Sunday of each month. The next one will be held on <u>Sunday</u>, July 14 at 4:30pm.



Refresh your mind and soul this summer...

Join us for Sunday School at 10 am.

We have classes for all ages!!



Brown Bag Ministry

Please contact Kathy Dotson as soon as possible if you would like to be a part of this rewarding

ministry this summer! Folks are needed to fill bags, make sandwiches & donate items. At least 10 delivery people are needed this year.

Our usual delivery week is the last full week of summer break, which would be July 29 - Aug. 2.

276-298-4363 or kathybdotson@gmail.com







As you pray, please remember...

Bonnie & Edgar Owens, Butch Hutchinson, Chuck Maine, Ann Wade & Penny Greenwood & family, Valerie Holdren, Ashley Holdren, Hope Holdren (friends of the Winters), Wilma Graham, Clifford



& Artie Bailey, family of Hazel Dixon, family of James Hibbitts, Tami Banks, Steve Collins, family of Betty Easterling, Bill Wampler (Russell Wampler's dad), Brenda Kunigelis, Bessie Vance, Lois Tviet, Beth Snodgrass, Jonah & Christy Kelley, Kyle Gardner (Kim Hall Hodges' dad), Ron Swindall, Gerry O'Bryan, Bob Adkins, Glenn Hill, Kathy & John Kennedy, John & Kay Wright, Wanda Takahashi (sister of Brenda Kunigelis), Beverly Viers, Jim & Sherry Collie, Shirley Willis (The Laurels), Ray & Carolyn Jones, Pat & Fred Adkins, law enforcement & emergency personnel, all the cancer patients in our area, and our men and women in the military.

Our Shut Ins: Geraldine Dickenson, Eddie Culbertson, Florine Pennington (The Laurels), Jeanne Stallard

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

PART-TIME MUSIC DIRECTOR SEARCH

Wise Baptist Church is seeking a part-time Music Director. Responsibilities include: preparing for & leading rehearsals & worship, supporting the pastor & staff and guiding the music ministry of the church (adult choir, children's choir, handbells & contemporary praise band). Please send resumes to:

terry @wisebaptist.com by June 1, 2019.



NEWSLETTER & BULLETIN INFORMATION

Please submit information for the church newsletter no later than noon on Monday of each week. Bulletin information is needed no later than noon on Wednesday.

MORE ANNOUNCEMENTS!



Glenn Hill celebrates 100 years! July 6

Join in wishing Glenn a happy birthday: Saturday, July 6 Drop in from 2-4pm WBC Fellowship Hall

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Life is Wild & God is good

DON'TMISS Vacation Bille School at Wise Baptist!

July 22-25 6:00-8:30pm



Tuesday, JULY 16 6:30am

Men, join us for fellowship and Bible study twice a month (1st & 3rd Tuesdays) from 6:30-7:30am in the church fellowship hall. Bring your breakfast & your Bible! The fellowship is awesome and the Bible Study is uplifting. Invite a friend & join us!

Women to Women:
A Journey Towards Christ
September 21, 2019
9am - 1pm

A morning of inspiration at Wise Baptist Church



Laurels Mínístry



Join us each 4th Thursday of each month as we visit & minister to the residents at the Laurels. Our next visit is planned for **July 25** at 1:30pm.



Summer Quilting Schedule

Mondays, 9:30am...
for those who would like to meet
Sept. 9, 9:30am...
Caring Friends begin meeting regularly
Sept. 16, 9:30am...
Piecemakers begin meeting regularly

Scripture for the Week: I Corinthians 12:12



"For as the body is one and has many parts, and all the parts of that body, though many, are one body - so is Christ."

MUSIC * YOUTH * CHILDREN'S NEWS



WBC Music Ministry

Greetings!

I want to take this time to thank you as a church family for the love that you have shown me and my family while we have been members of this church community. Our time here has been marked by many wonderful moments of fellowship, compassion and love that have kept us motivated to push through some of the more unpleasant experiences that have also occurred during this time, such as Kiera's cancer diagnosis, Ezra's battle with seizures and especially the personal balance issues that I was experiencing. It was your care that helped us navigate our lives during these times and I do not believe we could have made it if it hadn't been for you.

Thank you, Mike, for your constant encouragement through our weekly meetings and the times we just sat and talked about life and navigating my calling.

Thank you, Donna, for being a second mom to me, not knowing that it was your words of wisdom that helped to inspire growth in both maturity and spirituality. Thank you also for stepping in to lead the choir during the times that I could not be present due to my other job.

Thank you to the personnel committee who took a chance on a young Methodist, trusting that I would not try to change any theological convictions during my time here! :)

Mostly, thank you, church, for continually showing me what unconditional love is. My family and I are much better off for having seen you live it out through your lives and service firsthand.

I will miss the time that I have been here, but I am excited to see where God leads me, and to who God leads me in spreading His love throughout the world.

God bless you all!! Ben



Happy Anniversary

July 2	Forrest & Nancy Stalnaker
July 3	Clifford & Artie Bailey
July 6	John & Kathy Kennedy
July 9	Leton & Tammie Harding
July 11	Jeff & Kathy Dotson

WBC Youth Ministry



JULY HAPPENINGS....



Youth Lock-In Movie Night



WBC Children's Ministry





POOL PARTY July 14, 2pm

Children/parent swim party & cookout at Wayne Isaac's home.

PHOTOS

FATHER'S DAY ~ JUNE 16

Thank you to our children for being responsible for the worship welcome on Father's Day & for presenting "Dadisms"! We appreciate Regina Cantrell for coordinating this!



SUMMER MISSION TEAM COMMISSIONING SERVICE ~ JUNE 16



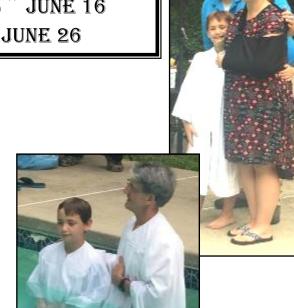
Wise Baptist commissioned 37 folks to be the hands & feet of Jesus in Fayetteville, NC, repairing flood-damaged homes.

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!

DALTON HOPKINS ~ JUNE 16 OLIVER RAY ~ JUNE 26



We warmly welcome Dalton Hopkins and Oliver Ray into the family of God! Oliver was baptized during the mission trip in a nearby pool. Dalton will be baptized in the near future.



PHOTOS

FAYETTEVILLE, NC MISSION TRIP ~ JUNE 22-29

Many thanks to our church family for faithfully supporting the summer mission team through your prayers and gifts! The team was able to work on 3 houses during the week. On Thursday evening, we grilled steaks & hosted our homeowners as well as a Presbyterian mission team from California.

A special thank you to John Ponish for coordinating the mission trip & being our

fearless leader!



















PHOTOS

MORE MISSION TRIP PICS...





SALT & LIGHT

...BE THESE!







GOOD-BYE'S ~ JUNE 30





Thank you to Ben Harding for preaching on Sunday! A reception was held after worship in appreciation of Ben's music ministry here at WBC the past 2 years. We wish Ben, Kiera & Ezra well as they begin their ministry at Coeburn United Methodist Church!

We also bid Daniel, Tabitha & Oliver Ray farewell as they move to Alabama this week. Please keep these 2 families in your prayers!

Volunteers this Week

Deacons On Call: 6/30 - 7/6 Leton Harding, Jeff Dotson 7/7 - 7/13 Jim Collie, Mike Osborne Ron, Dan, Scott S. **Building Stewards:** Susan M., Susan S. Instrumentalists: Worship Welcome 7/7 Hannah Grace Mullins 7/14 Hannah Grace Mullins S.S. Greeters: 7/7 June Dotson, Carolyn Strouth 7/14 Linda Bailey, Jerry Baird 7/7 Abbie Crutchfield, Jessica Crutchfield Nursery: 7/14 John Mark & Wendy Adrian Children's Church: 7/7 Stephen & Julie Large 7/14 Butch & Donna Hutchinson Sound System: 7/7 Mike Osborne 7/14 Oscar Raile Ushers: 7/7 Youth (teens) 7/14 Marty Adkins, Leton Harding, Ron Helton, Jorge Hersel, Jeff Kiser, John Ponish, Scott Snodgrass Tellers: July Martha Blackburn, Stephen Large August Jessica Crutchfield, Jeff Kiser



WEEKLY OPPORTUNITIES		
Sunday	Sunday School Worship Truth Rehearsal Youth (Grades 7-12) Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal	10:00 am 11:00 am 5:00 pm 6:00 pm 6:00 pm
Monday	Piecemakers (1st & 3rd) Caring Friends (2nd & 4th)	9:30 am
Wednesday	Fellowship Meal Adult Bible Studies Children in Action (Grades K-6) Nursery (Birth - Preschool)	6:00 pm 7:00 pm

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Thought for the Week: The church is the hands and feet of Jesus.