

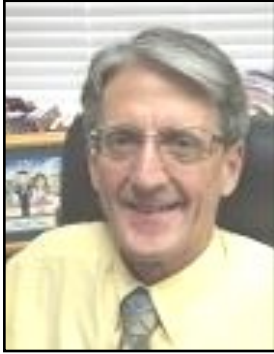
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 Youth Directors  
 Dr. Ray Jones, Jr., Pastor Emeritus

# WISE BAPTIST NEWS

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

September 6, 2022

*A place for faith and fellowship with family and friends.*



*Dear Church Family and Friends,*

Don't stop at the start! Imagine you go rafting for the first time. You get in the raft. Then, right away, you get out and go home.

Crazy, right? What do you miss? The rest of the trip!

You miss all that if you stopped at the start. That happens when you read the Bible. You read a few verses. And stop. Have seen enough. Know enough. But miss so much.

While Jesus was dying on the Cross, He asked God why He abandoned Him. Jesus quoted Psalm 22:1. What do you miss? The other 30 verses. Those who heard Jesus say this knew the rest of the Psalm. And added it in their minds. Verse 5 says, "To you [God] they cried out and were saved..."

Each of the three sections in Psalm 22 begin without hope. But end with triumphant faith.

When you read the Bible, don't stop at the start and miss the best part!

*Love, Pastor Mike*

## IMPORTANT DATES

*Reading the Bible Through*  
 Mar. 21, 2022 - Mar. 20, 2023

**Fellowship Meal**  
 Wed., September 7, 6pm

**Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal**  
 \*NEW TIME: Wed., 7:45pm

**Men's Bible Study**  
 Thurs., Sept. 8, 6:30am

**Sunday Night at the Movies**  
 Sept. 11, 6:30pm

**Missions Yard Sale**  
 At the Rock  
 Fri., Sept. 9, 8am-4pm  
 Sat., Sept. 10, 9am-1pm

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## DEACONS 2021-22

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

### How to Join Wise Baptist Church:

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

† <b>Transfer of Letter</b>	Transfer membership to Wise Baptist Church
† <b>Baptism</b>	Desire to express faith in Christ through baptism
† <b>Statement of Faith</b>	Baptized believer not on a membership roll
† <b>Watch Care</b>	Desire to be connected to our Church family without official membership

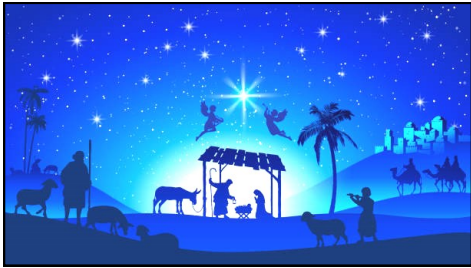
## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Friday, Sept. 9 (8am - 4pm)**  
**Saturday, Sept. 10 (9am - 1pm)**  
**All proceeds go towards**  
**Missions projects!**



***NOW is the time to sign up!!***

*Please contact*  
*Susan Mullins or Terry Winters*



## ***A Night in Bethlehem***

**Come & experience Bethlehem on the night**  
**Jesus was born!**

**Saturday, December 3**  
**5:00 - 7:00 pm**

Wise Baptist Fellowship Hall

"A Night in Bethlehem" is for ALL AGES, families, friends & neighbors!

WBC will be transformed into the town of Bethlehem where you can walk through the village, visit the local shops, meet Mary, Joseph, & the newborn Jesus, & talk with the shepherds & angels!

You will be greeted outside by local residents of Bethlehem & there will be hands-on activities at each of the village shops.

*As you pray, please remember...*



Jean Forsythe (Sandy Yun's mother), Jim Lawson & Family, Carlie Tomlinson's mother (Pam Yanni), Donna Hutchinson, Sam Farmer & families, Kathy Dotson & family, Roger Viers & family, Butch Hutchinson, Kathy Kennedy & family, Jim & June Dotson, Lorna Wherry & family, (sister of Brenda Kunigelis), Natalie Luther, Regina Cantrell, Harold Stallard, Lewey Lee & family, Cooper Carlson, Russell, Miles & Mason Wampler, Lois Stallard, Brenda Lee, Phyllis Hatcher, Bessie Vance, Seth Harding, Beth Snodgrass, Ray Jones & family, Wesley Kennedy, Don & Gigi Pippin, Kathy & John Kennedy, 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).*

With Heartfelt  
*Sympathy*

*We extend our deepest sympathy to Jim Lawson and family in the death of Jim's sister, Ninkey McCarty on September 2. Please keep Jim and his family in your prayers.*



**Scripture for the Week:**  
**Psalms 22:1, 5**

*"My God, my God, why have You forsaken me? Why are You so far from my deliverance and from my words of groaning?...[Our fathers] cried to You and were set free; they trusted in You and were not disgraced."*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS



Stewardship at Wise Baptist Church is about God's work. It's about heart. And it's ongoing.

Your tithes and offerings allow our Church and its programs to be more effective. Through an

effective Church, lives are changed. We are thankful for all the joyful stewards of God's work at Wise Baptist Church.

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 open hours.

*"The Lord God took the man and put him in the Garden of Eden to work it and take care of it." (Gen 2:15)*

# Thank you!

Many, many thanks to Sandy & David Mullins for coordinating our 2 fall clean up days at the church on

Aug. 27 & Sept. 3! Thank you to everyone who gave of their time to help clean windows, bathrooms, the sanctuary, the Fellowship Hall closet, tables & chairs, and the every corner of our kitchen!!



# WEDNESDAY Night



RECHARGE

Wednesday, September 7...

6:00 pm - Fellowship Meal (hotdogs)

7:00 pm - Bible Study (sanctuary)

Youth Group (Youth Bldg.)

7:45 pm - Sanctuary Choir Practice

\* Pastor Mike will be leading a study of the Hebrew Bible (Old Testament) for the through December to coincide with our Reading Through the Bible emphasis.

**Sunday  
Night**

**at the  
Movies**

**is  
Back!**

*Every Sunday Night, 6:30pm*

*Fellowship Hall*

*Christian Movies & Snacks*



Thursday, September 15

1:30pm

Meet at the Laurels

## MUSIC, YOUTH, CHILDREN



### Happy Birthday!

September 7	Gwen Chisenhall Kathy Helton
September 8	Scott Hall Butch Hutchinson Marty Kennedy Nicole Sexton
September 14	Cliff Carson Jeremy Dotson Pam Hersel
September 15	Kathy Dotson
September 17	Wendy Adrian Charley Gardner



### WBC Music Ministry

The last days of summer have flown by and now I am fully into CHRISTMAS MODE! I have listened to Christmas Cantatas for the last two weeks and have finally chosen one. Our choir will be readying 'A PROMISE KEPT'. The choir is always looking for new members and the Christmas Cantata is the perfect way to "get your feet wet" with the choir. You will get a CD that has your part being sung and you just sing-along. For those of you that are older, it's kinda like the Mitch Miller sing-along.

As I have said during worship, just make a joyful noise and God will make it acceptable & beautiful. I am also in need of at least one, possibly two narrators, so this is another way you can be involved. Talk to me in person, text me (276-393-5004) or email me ([donnahutchinson@usa.net](mailto:donnahutchinson@usa.net)) if you want to ask questions.

~ Donna

### Happy Anniversary!

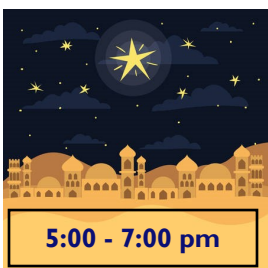
September 17 Sam & Cindi Farmer



### STAY TUNED

**NOV. 12**

**Snack & Paint**



**DEC. 3**

**Night in Bethlehem**

5:00 - 7:00 pm

### Flock News (WBC Youth)

Please continue to keep Carlie's mom in your prayers. She is being moved to a step-down room at Bon Secours St. Mary's Hospital in Richmond, VA after suffering a heart attack several weeks ago.

This Wednesday night, we will be talking about how we are all equal in the eyes of the Lord (Matthedw 20:1-16).

**Each week...**

**Wednesdays - 7pm**  
**Youth Gathering**

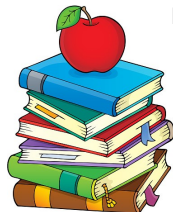
**Youth Leaders...**

**Lloyd & Carlie Tomlinson**  
**276-337-4997 (Carlie)**

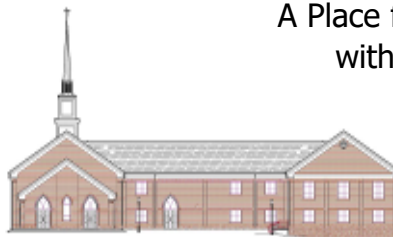


## Volunteers this Week

Deacons On Call:	9/4 - 9/10	Gil Blackburn, Jim Collie
	9/11 - 9/17	Jeff Cantrell, Jorge Hersel
Building Stewards:		Ron Helton, Scott Snodgrass
Instrumentalists:		Susan Mullins, Susan Smith
Sound System:		Mike Osborne, Oscar Raile
Children's Message	9/11	Terry Winters
Children's Church	9/18	Cyndi & Don Newlon
Tellers:	September	June Dotson, Matt Meade, Mike Strouth
Wed. Night Meals:	9/7	Hot Dogs with Chili, Baked Beans, Tater Tots, Slaw
	9/14	Chicken Casserole, Mashed Potatoes, Corn, Salad, Rolls
Wed. Night Serving Teams:	9/7	Pat Adkins, Teresa Adkins, Eileen Cantrell, Susan Smith
	9/14	Regina Cantrell, Donna Hutchinson, Susan Mullins, Rebecca Osborne



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## WEEKLY OPPORTUNITIES

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

## Rev. Mike Winters Contact Information

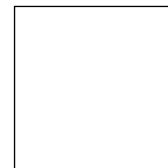
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## Thought for the Week:

*The final word in the Bible  
is one of hope.*