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# WISE BAPTIST NEWS

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

July 12, 2022



Dear Church Family and Friends.

A few months ago, a controversy erupted in the NFL. Ryan Tannehill, quarterback of the Tennessee Titans, said it was not his job to mentor young quarterbacks on his team.

Pushback was immediate, from all directions. Former NFL quarterbacks, current players, coaches,

commentators, etc. weighed in.

You can boil down the pushback into a single idea. Mentoring is indispensable.

What is it? Mentoring is the process of sharing wisdom with someone who needs it. It comes from someone who knows more about it.

Who are the mentors who have shaped and blessed you? They listened, challenged, encouraged and walked along with you. Where would you be without them?

There are mentors all the way through the Bible. Moses was mentored by Jethro. King David by the prophets Samuel and Nathan. Elijah mentored Elisha. Jesus mentored the disciples. Barnabas mentored Paul and John Mark. Paul mentored Timothy.

Every Christian can and should be a mentor to an individual or a group. You do not need a title. You do not even need a formal agreement with the person(s) you mentor.

You can pray for, encourage, share wisdom in the areas where you are a little further down the road, spiritually. Allow this process to challenge you to continue to grow in your own faith. Pray for God to put the ones He wants you to mentor on your heart.

You were blessed by mentors. Extend that blessing to others.

Love. Pastor Mike

† 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

How to Join Wise Baptist Church: Express one of the following to the Pastor during the closing hymn:

#### **IMPORTANT DATES**

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

Old Testament Bible Study (Hebrew Bible) Wed., July 13, 7pm

Men's Bible Study Thurs., July 14, 6:30am

Laurel's Ministry Thurs., July 21, 1:30pm

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DEACONS 2021-22				
John Mark Adrian	328-5564			
Jerry Baird	393-0923			
Gil Blackburn	328-0046			
Jim Collie	393-1710			
Ron Helton	393-6145			
Jorge Hersel	594-9077			
<b>Butch Hutchinson</b>	393-5008			
Lewey Lee	393-5370			
John Ponish	870-1593			
Deacon Emeritus:				

Bob Adkins

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

то нолок Kristen & Dustin and their soon-to-arrive baby boy.

Saturday, August 6th, at noon

JOIN US FOR A CO-ED

Camp Bethel (Picnic Shelter at the Lake) 9050 Camp Bethel Rd. Wise, VA 24293

RSVP by August 1st to Rebecca (276-365-0969)

Registered at Amazon Many thanks to Gwyn Carlton for sharing

these words of wisdom during the worship welcome a few weeks ago...

Lawrels Ministry Thursday, July 21 I:30pm Meet at the Laurels As you pray, please remember... Judy Sturgill, P.K. Fields-Helms, Jim Blanton, Roger Viers & family, Stephanie Collins & family, Danny & Phyllis Wood, Bob Trick, Leigh Clark, Edgar Owens & family, Butch Hutchinson, David Baird, Kathy Kennedy & family, Jim & June Dotson, Cari Mooney & family, Bobbie Farmer, Ruth Lee, Eden Mullins, Anthony Dale, Lois Bailey, Jayda Hutchinson, 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, Dalton, Kara and Halen Parker, Phyllis Hatcher, Bessie Vance, Jerry & Wanda Baird, 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: Jeanne Stallard, Bobbie Farmer, Jean Forsythe (Sandy Yun's mother), Kingston Center Assisted Living in Duffield

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

POWER OF THE **P.A.U.S.E. P**ractice Patience **A**djust our Attitude Understand the Situation **S**tep Outside **E**xplain Calmly



Scripture for the Week

# 1 Kings 19:19-21

"Elijah left there and found Elisha son of Shaphat as he was plowing...Elijah walked by him and threw his mantle over him... Elisha left the oxen...followed Elijah, and served him."

### **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 <u>Wise Baptist Church, PO Box 777, Wise VA 24293,</u> 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)



Wednesday, July 13...

7:00 pm - Bible Study (sanctuary) Youth Group (Youth Bldg.)

\* Join us in the sanctuary for a weekly study of the Hebrew Bible (Old Testament) for the next 6 months to coincide with our Reading Through the Bible emphasis.

## **FREE COVID SUPPLES!**



Please help yourself to Covid tests, hand sanitizers & masks provided by the Health Wagon! You can find these items in the church foyer, the fellowship hall and the hall table by the back door near the offices.





## **MUSIC, YOUTH, CHILDREN**

Happy Birthday!				
	July 12	Brade	en Hall	
	July 15	Ayder	n Browning	
		Lily Se	exton	
July 16	Cheryl Estep			
	Elora	Hutchins	on	
	Sara Johnson			
	Elisha	Oaks		
	Lando	on Whitta	ker	
July 18	Charles Hibbitts			
	Will S <sup>t</sup>	turgill		
July 19	Wayne	e Isaac		
July 20	Ashto	n Taylor		
July 22	Dave	Belcher		
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Happy Anniversary!

July 14 July 16 July 18 Steve & Margie Horton Adam & Nicole Sexton Ethan & Lily Elkins

#### Stay tuned... AUGUST ~ CAMPING



#### Each week...

<u>Wednesdays</u> - 7pm Youth Gathering <u>Sundays</u> - 6pm

6pm Youth Bible Study + Supper





# The Anchor Holds

I have journeyed Through the long, dark night Out on the open sea By faith alone Sight unknown And yet His eyes were watching me I've had visions I've had dreams I've even held them in my hand But I never knew They would slip right through Like they were only grains of sand I have been young But I am older now And there has been beauty That these eyes have seen But it was in the night Through the storms of my life Oh, that's where God proved His love to me The anchor holds Though the ship is battered The anchor holds Though the sails are torn I have fallen on my knees As I faced the raging seas The anchor holds In spite of the storm

Blessings, Joe

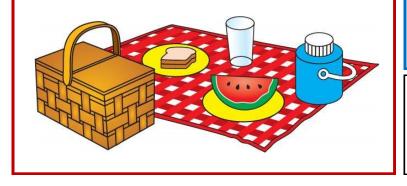
## **Congratulations!**

to Madison & Natalie Luther for their performances in "The SpongeBob Musical" held at Coeburn Middle School in June!

Flock News (WBC Youth

#### **Volunteers this Week**

Deacons On Call:	7/10 - 7/16	Jorge Hersel, Ron Helton	
	7/17 - 7/23	Gil Blackburn, Jim Collie	
Building Stewards:		Ron Helton, Scott Snodgrass	
Instrumentalists:		Susan Mullins, Susan Smith	
Sound System:		Mike Osborne, Oscar Raile	
Children's Message	7/17	Terry Winters	
Children's Church	7/24	Karen & John Ponish	
Tellers:	July	Martha Blackburn	
	August	Jeff Kiser, David Mullins	
Wed. Night Meal:		Fellowship Meals will resume in August	



#### A Place for Faith and Fellowship with Family and Friends



WEEKLY OPPORTUNITIES			
Sunday	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal Sunday School Worship Youth (Grades 7-12)	9:00 am 10:00 am 11:00 pm 6:00 pm	
Monday	Piecemakers (1st & 3rd) Caring Friends (2nd & 4th)	9:30 am	
Wednesday 6:00 pm	Fellowship Meal (Aug May) Bible Study onsite & via Fb Live Youth meet (Grades 7-12)	7:00 pm 7:00 pm	
Thursday	Men's Bible Study Laurels Ministry (3rd)	6:30 am 1:30pm	

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## Thought for the Week:

*Mentor others just as you have been mentored.*