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WISE BAPTIST NEWS

A PUBLICATION FOR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS OF
 WISE BAPTIST CHURCH

May 21, 2019

A place for faith and fellowship with family and friends.



Dear Church Family and Friends,

When Jesus came to our world, we had a new King and a new Kingdom. Jesus declared, at the beginning of His earthly ministry, "The kingdom of God has come..." (Mark 1:15).

What does the Kingdom of God look like? Jesus clarifies what that meant for Him and His followers in John Chapter 13. The day before Jesus was crucified, He took on the lowliest servant's job when He washed the disciples' feet.

Jesus demonstrated what it meant to be a follower of Jesus then and now. It means to be a **servant**. This is contrary to the way our world operates. One way to see this more clearly is listed below. Notice the differences!

Go into the world as a servant. You can make a difference!

The way of Jesus: service

- Gives
- Disarms
- Forgives
- Generous
- Joyful
- Hopeful
- Hospitable
- Loving
- Humble
- Trusts
- Positive
- Changes hearts
- Honesty

The way of the world

- Takes
- Expects conflict
- Holds grudges
- Stingy
- Despairing
- Pessimistic
- Selfish
- Hateful
- Self-centered
- Distrusts
- Negative
- Changes by force or manipulation
- Deceit

Love, Pastor Mike

IMPORTANT DATES

Laurels Ministry
 May 23, 1:30pm

Caring Friends Quilting Group
 May 27, 9:30am

Youth & Parents End-of-Year Cookout
 June 2

Quilting Groups' Last Meeting before Summer Break
 June 3, 9:30am

Last Wed. Bible Studies & Fellowship Meal 'til Fall
 June 5, 6pm

Vacation Bible School
 July 22 - 25

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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
Daniel Ray	690-0284
Gary Smith	870-1579

Deacons Emeritus:
 Bob Adkins, Glenn Hill,
 Harold Witt

How to Join Wise Baptist Church:

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

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS

With Heartfelt *Sympathy*

We extend our deepest sympathy to the family of Hazel Dixon who passed away on Saturday, May 18. Please remember Hazel's children (Doug, Ron & Melanie) & their families in your prayers.

We also express our heartfelt sympathy to the family of James Hibbitts, who died yesterday. Please remember James' daughters, Allison & Jessica, as well as Sherry Osborne and Mike & Rebecca Osborne.



As you pray, please remember...

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, Susan Davidson, 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, Artie & Clifford Bailey, 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, Susan Davidson (Heritage Hall), 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.



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 - August 2.

276-298-4363 or kathybdotson@gmail.com



SUMMER MISSION TRIP

Fayetteville, NC * June 22-29

32 days & counting! All ages & all abilities are invited to join us this summer as we travel to Fayetteville, NC to minister to those affected by Hurricane Florence. Our theme this year is "Salt & Light - Matthew 5:13-16". It will be an *unforgettable* week!

Contact John Ponish for more info: 870-1593



MORE ANNOUNCEMENTS!

Women to Women: A Journey Towards Christ

September 21, 2019



WHERE: right here at WBC!

When: 9am—1pm

WHO: women of all ages

WHAT: inspirational speakers,
breakout sessions, lunch



CONTACT:
Brandi Cox
(870-5301)

Save
The Date

Wednesdays at Wise Baptist!



Fellowship Meal, 6pm

Bible Study, 7pm

Children in Action & Nursery, 7pm

- May 22 - Hot Dogs, Baked Beans, Slaw, Chips, 6pm
Bible Studies, 7pm
- May 29 - Pizza & Salad, 6pm
Small Group Bible Studies, 7pm



**During May our *Children in Action* will learn about the Friedrichsens family who minister at City Church in Cleveland, Ohio. The memory verse for May is Acts 1:8.

** A Nursery is provided for children birth—PK.



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 Sunday, June 9 at 4:30pm.

Save
the
Date

Glenn Hill
celebrates

100

on

July 6!!



**Tuesday,
JUNE 4
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 and join us!



Mission Trip Yard Sale, Part 2 June 6 -7 8am—5pm

All proceeds go towards funding the summer mission trip to Fayetteville, NC

GET YOUR
RID OF
STUFF

MUSIC * YOUTH * CHILDREN'S NEWS

WBC Youth Ministry



Sunday, May 26 Youth will not meet.

Sunday, June 2, 6pm

Youth/Parents End-of Year Cookout
Mike & Terry's house



May 22	Christina Meade Jordan Owens Courtney Coughlin
May 23	John Thacker
May 24	Grace Allio Sarah Means
May 26	Charles Maine
May 27	Jorge Hersel Jeremiah Johnson
May 28	Layla Applewhite
May 29	Angel Cox
May 30	Joshua Owens



WBC Music Ministry

Greetings!

As we edge even closer to summer & a season of change slowly drawing near, I want to take this time to reach out to everyone concerning Sunday worship throughout the summer. As is the custom, there will be a break in Wednesday activities, but there will still be Sunday School, worship & other special activities. I want to offer an opportunity to anyone interested in doing a special music presentation during the summer. I am incredibly grateful for Tabitha Ray stepping up to sing for us, & I have a feeling that there may be a few more who are feeling led to do the same. Would you consider it? I will be more than happy to work with you in preparation for these days if you would like. Think about it and let me know!!

God bless you all!! Ben

Happy Anniversary

May 23 Joe & Susie Powers

WBC Children's Ministry



Check out the many opportunities these next few months to learn more about Jesus and fellowship with other children!



FATHER'S DAY: Sunday, June 16

The children will be doing the welcome & there will a Father's Day presentation.

POOL PARTY: July

Children/parent swim party & cookout. Stay tuned for more details!

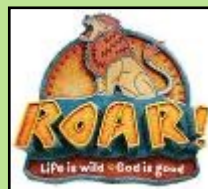


Scripture for the Week:

Mark 1:15



"The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God has come near. Repent and believe in the good news!"



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

July 22-25

"ROAR!"

Life is Wild, God is Good!"

2019 HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

Congratulations to the Class of 2019!



Landon Elkins

Landon is the son of Jeff & Cindy Elkins. Landon will graduate from Central High School on May 25 where he has been a member of the National Honor Society and Mu Alpha Theta (a math honor society). In the fall, Landon plans to attend UVa-Wise and pursue a degree in Chemistry.



Tyler Hopkins

Tyler is the son of Jamie & Stacy Hopkins & will also graduate from Central High School on May 25. Tyler has been member of the National Honor Society, as well as the Mu Alpha Theta Honor Society during high school. Tyler will attend Mountain Empire Community College in the fall. He plans to pursue a Criminal Justice degree while also continuing his motor cross career.

Caroline Mullins

Caroline is the daughter of Shane & Susan Mullins. Caroline will graduate from Central High School on May 25 where she has been a member of the National Honor Society, Mu Alpha Theta, as well as the Pep Club. Caroline plans to attend Radford University in the fall to pursue a degree in Allied Health & become an Occupational Therapist.

Emma Snodgrass

Emma is the daughter of Scott & Beth Snodgrass and will graduate on May 25 from Central High School. Emma has been a member of the National Honor Society, Mu Alpha Theta, the Key Club and the Pep Club. In the fall, Emma will attend UVA in Charlottesville to pursue a degree in Chemistry.

Mary Stuedemann

Mary is the daughter of Lori Crisp and Jim Stuedemann. Mary will graduate on May 25 from Central High School where she has been a member of the National Honor Society, the Mu Alpha Theta math honor society and the Pep Club. In the fall, Mary will attend Radford University to pursue a Business degree.



Holden Parrish

Holden is the grandson of John & Toni Thacker. Holden is graduating from West High School in Knoxville, TN. In the fall, Holden plans to attend the University of Tennessee.

2019 COLLEGE & ADVANCED DEGREE GRADUATES

College & Advanced Degree Graduates

Alex Adkins

Alex is the son of Marty & Mary Beth Adkins. He is graduating from UVA in Charlottesville today with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Kinesiology. Alex will be attending UVA in the fall to pursue a Master in Exercise Physiology.

Beau Chisenhall

Terry & Gina Chisenhall have 2 graduates this year – both of whom graduated May 11! Beau received his Master in Accounting from the University of South Carolina's Darla Moore School of Business on May 11. Beau has accepted a position with Grant Thornton as a Tax Associate & is living in Columbia.

Montana Hill

Montana is the daughter of Brad & Cathy Hill from Riner, Virginia. We have loved having Montana as part of our Wise Baptist Church family while she has been attending UVa-Wise! Montana graduated Cum Laude from UVa-Wise on May 11 as a Peake Honor Graduate with a Bachelor of Science degree in Environmental Science. Montana is not able to be here with us today.

Rachel Lyall

Rachel is the daughter of Daisy Sanders. On May 4, Rachel graduated from Alice Lloyd College in Pippa Passes, Kentucky with a Bachelor of Science degree in Kinesiology. In the fall, Rachel will begin working on her Masters in Occupational Therapy at Milligan College in Tennessee.

Chelsea Polly

Chelsea is the daughter of Cyndi Newlon & Mick Polly. Chelsea earned her Juris Doctorate from the North Carolina Central University School of Law in Durham, NC on May 11. She is planning to go into higher education and use her law degree in the Title 9 and/or Clergy sectors.

Autumn Chisenhall

Autumn is the daughter of Terry & Gina Chisenhall. She earned her Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine from Lincoln Memorial University's DeBusk College of Osteopathic Medicine on May 11. Autumn will complete her residency in Pediatrics at the Charleston Area Medical Center at West Virginia University in Charleston, WV.

Reagan Elkins

Jeff & Cindy Elkins also have 2 graduates this year! Reagan graduated from Radford University on May 11 with a Bachelor of Science degree in Accounting. In the fall, Reagan will be attending the University of South Carolina to pursue a Master in Accounting.

Grant Oliver Lardieri

Grant Oliver is the son of Mark & Christi Lardieri and the grandson of Roger & Beverly Viers. Grant graduated from the University of Massachusetts-Lowell on May 18 with a BS in Chemistry & a Minor in Spanish. In addition to being a member of the America East All-Academic Team, Grant graduated with several awards & honors: the 2019 ACS Undergraduate Award in Physical Chemistry, the 2019 American Institute of Chemists Student Award, the 2019 David J. Boutin Award, the University Scholar Athlete Award & the Chancellor's Medal for Distinguished Academic Achievement.

Hannah Grace Mullins

Hannah Grace is the daughter of Monty & Susan Mullins. Hannah Grace is a member of the Darden Honor Society and graduated Cum Laude from UVa-Wise on May 11 with her Bachelor of Arts degree in English. We are so excited that Hannah Grace is employed here at Wise Baptist as our Youth Director! She is also employed as the interim director of the Baptist Collegiate Ministries on the campus of UVa-Wise.



GRADUATE RECOGNITION SUNDAY: MAY 19



*High School Grads:
Emma Snodgrass, Caroline Mullins,
Mary Stuedemann, Landon Elkins*



*College Grads:
Hannah Grace Mullins,
Reagan Elkins, Rachel Lyall*

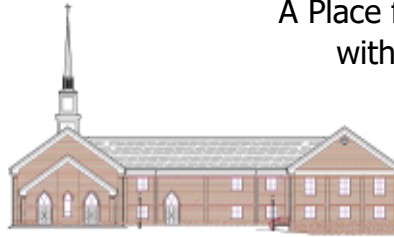


*CONGRATULATIONS
Class of 2019!*

Volunteers this Week

Deacons On Call:	5/19 - 5/25	Daniel Ray, Leton Harding
	5/26 - 6/1	John Mark Adrian, Jim Collie
Building Stewards:		Ron, Dan, Scott S
Instrumentalists:		Susan M., Susan S.
Worship Welcome	5/26	Jeff Kiser
	6/2	Hannah Grace Mullins
S.S. Greeters:	5/26	Sherlene Hall, John Ponish
	6/2	Hutchinson Family
Nursery:	5/26	Regina Carson, Rachel Lyall
	6/2	Susie Clasby, Mary Stuedemann
Children's Church:	5/26	Chuck & Lulia Maine
	6/2	Susie Baker & Chad Blanton
Sound System:	5/26	Mike Strouth
	6/2	Mike Osborne
Ushers:	5/26	Jerry Baird, Stan Kunigelis, Edgar Owens, Gary Smith, John Thacker, Roger Viers, Harold Witt
	6/2	Youth (teens)
Tellers:	May	Cliff Carson, Jeff Dotson
	June	June Dotson,, Mike Strouth
Youth Bible Study	5/26	Youth Meal: Ginnie Stokes
Wed. Serving Team	5/22	Martha Blackburn, Linda Burgess, Kathy Helton, Susie Powers
	5/29	Brenda Lee, Vickie Rasnick, Susan Smith, Ann Wade, Sandy Yun
Wed. Night Meal	5/22	Hot Dogs, Baked Beans, Potato Salad, Slaw
	5/29	Pizza & Salad
Children-in-Action:	5/22	Regina Cantrell, Julie Large
	5/29	Regina Cantrell, Julie Large
Wed. Nursery	5/22	Martha Blackburn, Donna Hutchinson
	5/29	Susan Aker, Terry Winters

A Place for Faith and Fellowship
with Family and Friends



WEEKLY OPPORTUNITIES

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

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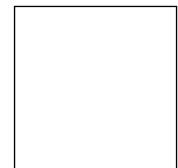
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and at Wise Baptist Youth

Thought for the Week:
There is a new King &
a new kingdom!