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WISE BAPTIST NEWS

A PUBLICATION FOR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS OF
WISE BAPTIST CHURCH

October 23, 2018

IMPORTANT DATES

Laurels Ministry
October 25, 1:30pm

**Family Game & S'Mores/
Hot Dogs Night**
October 27, 6-9pm

Youth Dollywood Trip
November 3

Missions Committee
November 7, 5pm

Children's Snack & Paint
November 10
10am-12pm

Operation Christmas
Child Collection Week
at the Rock
November 11 - 19

Shoebox Dedication
Sunday
November 18, 11am

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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



Dear Church Family and Friends,

The will of God...seems to be this mysterious detailed plan for our lives that is always a little of out of reach. Part of the problem may be the way we think about it. We assume that there is a lot about God's will that we do not know. We then assume that our lives are somewhat on hold until we do know this mysterious plan.

The will of God is simply what God wants. How do we know what God wants? We get to know Him. How do we get to know His will? One way is to read the Bible. Much of God's will is already revealed...in the Bible!

One example is in I Thess. 5:18, which says to "give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus." Suppose that verse is my Bible reading for the day. It says that God's will is for me to give thanks in all circumstances. Now, what are the circumstances in my life right now, **in which** I need to give thanks?

For example, my children live in San Francisco. I wish they lived closer to Terry and me. Does the Bible say to give thanks for that? No, it says it is God's will to give thanks in that circumstance. I can be thankful that they have jobs, that they are healthy and they have an opportunity to stretch themselves in new ways. I can be thankful to God that this is an opportunity for me to depend more on God.

Maybe it would help to focus on what we do know God is saying to us instead of what we don't know.

Love, Pastor Mike

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

A place for faith and fellowship with family and friends.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Family Games & S'Mores Night



Wise Baptist Church
Saturday, October 27
6-9pm

***Bring your favorite game and a snack to share!**

***Hot dogs will be available to roast!**

***Friends, family, neighbors welcome!**



****Please contact Regina Cantrell (219-1951) so we can plan food accordingly!**

As you pray, please remember...



Billie Harris, Karen Ponish, Bob Adkins, Glenn Hill & family, Bessie Vance, Kathy & John Kennedy, Jonah Kelley, John & Kay Wright, Bonnie Rochford & Wanda Takahashi (sisters of Brenda Kunigelis), Beverly Viers, Jim & Sherry Collie, Shirley Willis (The Laurels), Ray & Carolyn Jones, Artie & Clifford Bailey, Pat & Fred Adkins, all the cancer patients in our area, and our men and women in the military

Hospitalized: Billie Harris

Our Shut Ins: Susan Davidson (Heritage Hall), Eddie Culbertson, Hazel Dixon (Mountain View), Betty Easterling (The Laurels), Florine Pennington (The Laurels), Jeanne Stallard

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

Men, join us for fellowship and Bible study twice a month 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 on **Tues., Nov. 6 at 6:30am!**



Bible Study



**WEDNESDAY
EVENING
SMALL GROUP
BIBLE STUDIES**

OCT. 3 - NOV. 7

Join us on Wednesday evenings at 7pm, after our Fellowship Meal for an informal time of Bible study with friends.

Our current series of Bible studies will go through Nov. 7. The same 3 Bible Studies are being repeated during this next cycle so that you may take one of the ones you weren't able to take last time: "Grace for the Afflicted", "The Book of Acts" and "The Heaven Answer Book".



Scripture for the Week:

1 Thessalonians 5:18

*"...give thanks in all circumstances;
for this is God's will for you
in Christ Jesus."*



**Tuesdays, 6-8:30pm
~ through Nov. 6**

Hamilton Chapel Church, Pound VA

To register, please **contact
Bryan Dotten at 337-1167.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS, CONT.

Children's Snack & Paint! Saturday, Nov. 10 10am - 2pm

Who? All children, ages 0 - Grade 6!

Where? Wise Baptist Church Fellowship Hall

What to bring? a parent & an old shirt or smock to wear

How to sign up? Contact Jennifer Mullins at 393-9532 or use the Communication Card in your worship bulletin



Trip to Boone, NC!

December 7 - 8



We will be taking the church bus to travel to Boone, NC to work 2 shifts at the Operation Christmas Child Processing Center. We will working on Friday, spending the night, & then working on Saturday before returning home to Wise. See Donna Hutchinson to sign up NOW as space is limited!



Can you find 13 WBC fall events hidden in this pumpkin?

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ANNOUNCEMENTS, CONT.



Operation Christmas Child

A PROJECT of SAMARITAN'S PURSE

It's time to begin shopping for our Operation Christmas Child **shoeboxes**! Plastic as well as cardboard boxes are available in the church foyer.

NOVEMBER 4

Our youth will be happy to shop for you, if you would prefer to make a *monetary donation* by Nov. 4.

NOVEMBER 12

Collection Week at the Rock begins; see schedule below to sign up to help!

NOVEMBER 18

Shoebox Dedication Sunday

NOVEMBER 19

Collection Week at the Rock ends

DECEMBER 7-8

Trip to Boone, NC OCC Processing Center

Contact Donna Hutchinson if you are interested!



MONDAY, NOV. 12 - MONDAY, NOV. 19

If you are available to help at the OCC Drop-Off Center at the Rock, please contact Susie Powers at 393-8389:

Nov. 12 - 4-7pm	Nov. 16 - 4-7pm
Nov. 13 - 4-7pm	Nov. 17 - 12-3pm
Nov. 14 - 3-6pm	Nov. 18 - 2-5pm
Nov. 15 - 4-7pm	Nov. 19 - 9am-12pm

*Let's Keep in Touch
with our College Students!*

1. **Rachel Bailey** (VA Tech)
1726 Autumn Splendor Way
Blacksburg, VA 24060
2. **Megan Burton** (MECC)
9321 Atwell Road
Wise, VA 24293
3. **Reagan Elkins** (Radford University)
600 Clement Street
Apt. F
Radford, VA 24241
4. **Noah Hall** (UVA-Wise)
P.O. Box 365
Wise, VA 24293
5. **Jessica Hibbitts** (UVA-Wise)
P.O. Box 1623
Wise, VA 24293
6. **Montana Hill** (UVA-Wise)
1 College Avenue
#5472
Wise, VA 24293
7. **Rachel Lyall** (Alice Lloyd College)
Alice Lloyd College
100 Purpose Road
P.O. Box 436
Pippa Passes, KY 41844
8. **Chelsea Polly** (NC Central University)
5704 Magellan Way
Apt. 204
Raleigh, NC 27612
9. **Lily Snodgrass** (UVA)
207-A Montebello Circle
Charlottesville, VA 22903





Save the Date!

Sunday, December 9

A Night of Christmas Music

& Dinner



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!



October 23

Sherry Collie
Hadley Smith



October 24

Kinley Smith

October 25

Katie Carson

October 26

Shanna Parrish

Jean Aker

Izzy Shackelford

October 27

Caleb Godsey

Kimberly Lyon

October 28

Stephanie Carter

October 29

Judy Sturgill

November 1

Braxton Cyphers

Madison Luther

Natalie Luther

November 2

Claire Lane

November 3

Gail Kiser

November 4

Jeff Kiser

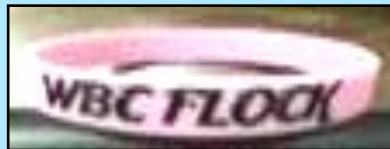
November 5

Leton Harding

Happy Anniversary

November 7 - Jorge & Pam Hersel

**WBC
Youth
Ministry**



Sunday, October 28

Youth Bible Study at the Youth Building (6pm).

Thank you to Lori Crisp for providing
supper this week!

Saturday, Nov. 3

Dollywood Trip!

Please see Bryon Burton to sign up!



**WBC
Children's
Ministry**



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S'Mores / Hot Dogs

Nov. 10, 10am-12pm

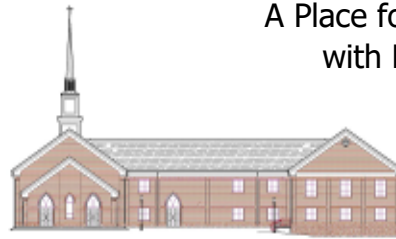
Snack & Paint



Volunteers this Week

Deacons On Call:	10/21-10/27	Leton Harding, Jeff Dotson
	10/28-11/3	Jim Collie, Mike Osborne
Building Stewards:		Ron, Dan, Scott S
Instrumentalists:		Susan M., Susan S.
Worship Welcome	10/28	Dave Belcher
	11/4	Leton Harding
S.S. Greeters:	10/28	June Dotson, Carolyn Strouth
	11/4	Linda Bailey, Jerry Baird
Nursery:	10/28	Kim Hall, Noah Hall
	11/4	Don & Cyndi Newlon
Children's Church:	10/28	Daniel & Tabitha Ray
	11/4	Dave & Misty Belcher
Sound System:	10/28	Oscar Raile
	11/4	Rachel Lyall
Ushers:	10/28	Marty Adkins, Leton Harding, Ron Helton, Jorge Hersel, Jeff Kiser, John Ponish, Scott Snodgrass
	11/4	Children & Youth
Tellers:	Oct.	Teresa Adkins, Mike Strouth
	Nov.	Leton Harding, Oscar Raile
Youth Bible Study	10/28	Meal: Lori Crisp
	11/4	Meal: Teresa Adkins
Wed. Serving Team	10/24	Martha Blackburn, Linda Burgess, Kathy Helton, Susie Powers
	10/31	Brenda Lee, Vickie Rasnick, Susan Smith, Ann Wade, Sandy Yun
Wed. Night Meal	10/24	Pizza & Salad
	10/31	Potluck
Children-in-Action:	10/24	Susan Mullins, Tabitha Ray
	10/31	NO Children in Action - Happy Halloween!

A Place for Faith and Fellowship
with Family and Friends



WEEKLY OPPORTUNITIES

Sunday	Sunday School	10:00 am
	Worship	11:00 am
	Youth (Grades 7-12)	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)	
	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal	7:50 pm

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Like us at: Wise Baptist Church and
at Wise Baptist Youth

Thought for the Week:

**Focus on the part of God's will
that you already know.**