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WISE BAPTIST NEWS

A PUBLICATION FOR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS OF
WISE BAPTIST CHURCH

April 2, 2019

IMPORTANT DATES

Missions Committee
April 3, 5pm

Deacons' Meeting
April 7, 8:30am

Holy Communion
April 7, 11am

**Children's "HE'S ALIVE!"
Easter Event**
April 13, 10am

Palm Processional
April 14, 11am

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

Flowering the Cross
April 21, 10am

Easter Sunday Service
April 21, 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,

Are there words you have spoken which you regret? Words live on long after they are spoken. Words have a great effect on how we live our faith.

The Apostle Paul says in Col. 4:6, "Let your conversation be always full of grace, seasoned with salt, so that you may know how to answer everyone." Four steps below can help us do just that. I will illustrate it with a shopping trip to Walmart.

Name your feelings. When I get to Walmart, I need to find an item. I approach an employee for help. Instead of helping, he continues to visit with another customer. Soon I am feeling irritation (This is code for anger).

Where can these feelings take you? I could say, "Can't you visit on your own time? I don't want to be here all day."

What do you really want? I want to find an item.

Now what? Since I really do not know the motivation for the employee's behavior, I guess that he is simply a rude and inconsiderate person. On the other hand, maybe I should assume that I do not know the whole story. Maybe the only part of his job that he likes is to visit with people. Maybe he wants to go to college, but does not have the money. Maybe the last customer chewed him out.

I could say, "Excuse me, can you help me find...? Thank you." When he shows me to the item, I can say, "Have a blessed day." *The employee is treated with gentleness and respect, and I walk out of the door with peace of mind.*

"Conversation...full of grace".

Love, Pastor Mike

How to Join Wise Baptist Church:

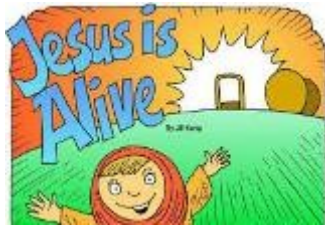
Express one of the following to the Pastor during the closing hymn:

† 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

Children's "HE's ALIVE!" Event



Children, ages birth - Grade 6 are invited to bring their friends & join us for a very special Easter event on Saturday, April 13 from 10am - 12pm. Children will learn about the meaning of Easter at seven interactive stations that will engage their senses of sight, sound, taste, smell & touch.

Contact Jennifer Mullins or Terry Winters for more information.

*Plan to
join us!*

**SATURDAY
APRIL 13
10am**

WBC Fellowship Hall

As you pray, please remember...



Peggy Bowling, Kylene Crabtree (Sandy Mullins' niece), Martha Beverly (Sharon Bradley's mother), Cyndi Newlon, Shannon Scott, Lois Tviet, Susan Davidson, Don & Gigi Pippin, Beth Snodgrass, Jonah & Christy Kelley, Kyle Gardner (Kim Hall's dad), Ron Swindall, Gerry O'Bryan, Bob Adkins, Glenn Hill & family, Bessie Vance, Kathy & John Kennedy, 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, law enforcement & emergency personnel, all the cancer patients in our area, and our men and women in the military.

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).

With Heartfelt
Sympathy

We extend our
deepest sympathy to

Peggy Bowling in the loss of her brother, James Wright. Please remember Peggy and her family in your prayers.



**SUMMER
MISSION TRIP**

Fayetteville, NC

*** June 22-29**

82 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



SUNDAY,

MAY 5

12 NOON

Join us in the Fellowship Hall for a Mexican meal following worship on Sunday, May 5! All donations towards lunch will go towards funding our summer Mission Trip to Fayetteville, NC!

MORE ANNOUNCEMENTS!



Spring Women's Conference

Proverbs 31 Ministries is coming to Wise! On **Saturday, April 13**, there will be a Spring Women's Conference held at Camp Bethel from 8:30am-3:00pm.

Join us as we come together for a day of worship, on-site shopping, food and fellowship. The cost is \$40 which includes lunch.

Register at campbethel.com or call 276-328-6876.

Tuesday, APRIL 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 on **April 16!**



Thank You!

We are so blessed to have a mission-minded church! Thank you to our Missions Committee (Sherlene Hall, Teresa Adkins, Linda Burgess, Regina Cantrell, Jim Collie, Kathy Dotson, Butch & Donna Hutchinson & Kathy Kennedy) for helping us to keep our focus on missions & outreach through activities such as the Mission Trip Yard Sale, the Grab-n-Go Ministry, the Southwest Virginia Partnership & special meals to fund missions.

Scripture for the Week:

Colossians 4:6



"Your speech should always be gracious, seasoned with salt, so that you may know how you should answer each person."

Wednesdays at Wise Baptist!



Fellowship Meal, 6pm

Bible Study, 7pm

Children in Action & Nursery, 7pm

April 3

- Potluck, 6pm

Small Group Bible Studies, 7pm

April 10

- Spaghetti, Garlic Bread, Salad, 6pm

Small Group Bible Studies, 7pm



****During April our *Children in Action* will learn about the Street family who minister in Northern Africa & the Middle East. The memory verse for April is John 19:26-27**

**** A Nursery is provided for children**



May 2 - 3

The **MISSION TRIP YARD SALE** is right around the corner! Please bring all donated items to the Rock by April 22. Sherlene Hall is the contact person for the yard sale: 328-9315 or 275-0059.

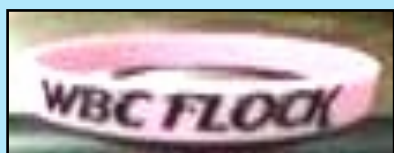
GET YOUR
RED OF
STUFF



Graduate Recognition Sunday: May 19

Please contact Hannah Grace Mullins or the church office with names of any 2019 graduates as soon as possible.

WBC Youth Ministry



Don't miss out on the fun, fellowship & opportunity to grow in your faith! The Flock meets each Sunday evening at the Youth Building ("Flock Nest")!

Sunday, April 7

Youth Bible Study, 6pm
Thank you to Jessica Crutchfield
for providing dinner!



Sunday, May 19

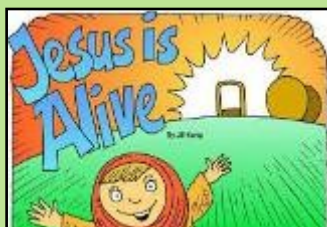
Graduate Recognition Sunday
11am

WBC Children's Ministry



Children, invite your friends & neighbors
to join you at these events!

- ⇒ **April 13** - "HE'S ALIVE!" Interactive Easter Event, 10am - 12pm
- ⇒ **April 14** - Palm Processional. 11am
- ⇒ **April 21** - Resurrection Eggs, 11am



HAPPY BIRTHDAY



April 5	Holly Cline
April 6	Don Newlon
April 7	Alex Maine
April 10	Sandy Mullins
April 11	Sue Kennedy
	Karen Ponish
April 12	Sunny Kennedy
April 13	Jeff Cantrell
	Stan Kunigelis
	Sarah Lane
	Hollyn Mullins

Happy Anniversary

April 10	David & Sandy Mullins
April 13	Steve & Debbie Collins



WBC Music Ministry

Greetings!!

Thank you for all of the kind words, encouragement and congratulations to Kiera and me these past few days with the news of our vow renewals. It is a wonderful feeling knowing that we have such a tremendous church family supporting us as we strive to choose to love each other daily. But let us also be reminded that if it wasn't for the love that Christ has shown us through His sacrifice, we would not have any idea of what true love looked like. Love someone extra hard today...you may get as much of a blessing as you give, if not more.

God bless you all!!
Ben

A Time to Dance!

Ecclesiastes 3:4



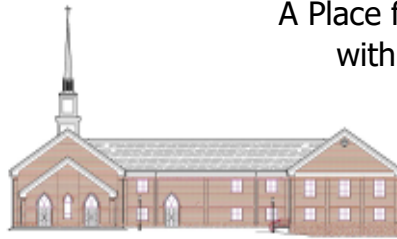
*Ballroom Dancing
Dinner Dance
March 28*



Volunteers this Week

Deacons On Call:	3/31 - 4/6	Jeff Dotson, Daniel Ray
	4/7 - 4/13	David Mullins, John Ponish
Building Stewards:		Ron, Dan, Scott S
Instrumentalists:		Susan M., Susan S.
Worship Welcome	4/7	Leton Harding
	4/14	Leton Harding
S.S. Greeters:	4/7	Hutchinson Family
	4/14	Grace Allio, Shirlee Barnette
Nursery:	4/7	Don & Cyndi Newlon
	4/14	John Mark & Wendy Adrian
Children's Church:	4/7	Butch & Donna Hutchinson
	4/14	Regina Cantrell, Caroline Mullins
Sound System:	4/7	Marty Adkins
	4/14	Rachel Lyall
Ushers:	4/7	Youth (teens)
	4/14	Bob Adkins, Kenny Bowling, Jeff Cantrell, Dan Helton, Matt Meade, Johnny Robinson, Jim Sturgill
Tellers:	Apr.	Leton Harding, Oscar Raile
	May	Cliff Carson, Jeff Dotson
Youth Bible Study	4/7	Youth Meal: Jessica Crutchfield
Wed. Serving Team	4/3	Martha Blackburn, Linda Burgess, Kathy Helton, Susie Powers
	4/10	Brenda Lee, Vickie Rasnick, Susan Smith, Ann Wade, Sandy Yun
Wed. Night Meal	4/3	Potluck
	4/10	Spaghetti, Garlic Bread, Salad
Children-in-Action:	4/3	Regina Cantrell, Julie Large
	4/10	Regina Cantrell, Terry Winters
Wed, Nursery	4/3	Regina Cantrell, Vickie Rasnick
	4/10	Donna Hutchinson, Julie Large

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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Thought for the Week:

**“Let your conversation be
always full of grace.” (Col. 4:6)**