



REFLECTIONS

May 21, 2025

Pastor
Justin Randolph

MUSIC MINISTER
GREG WILSON

INTERIM YOUTH MINISTER
DAVID HAMMONDS

YOU'RE INVITED
TO OUR

Blitz Party

Sunday, June 1st
at Noon

(see details inside)

Blitz Party

We need everyone! Pizza will be provided following second service on Sunday, June 1st. We will break into small groups, go into the community, and invite people to join us for our fun week at VBS! Please let Brittany Littleton (323-4771) know if you can attend.

CHARM Ministries Mission Project

CHARM – Chilhowee Area Ministries is an evangelistic outreach of the Chilhowee Baptist Association of Blount County. The summer months are a busy time for CHARM as they minister to the camping families in the Townsend area. They conduct day camps for children and fun activities for families. WMU will be collecting the following items to help out CHARM:

- Kids Biblical coloring books
- Kids Biblical story books
- Crayons – small box (6 to 8 count)
- New kids Bibles – NKJV

Items will be collected thru Sunday, June 8th. Place items on the table next to the Sunday School office. Thank you- WMU.

Nursery Volunteers Needed

We need YOU to help in our children's ministry! We need second service nursery/preschool volunteers on a rotating basis. We also need full time help in our SS and Wednesday Night preschool ministry. Please see Pastor Justin or Robin Morrell for more information.

Security Volunteers

Sunday, May 25th
Roger DeLozier

1st Service &
Sunday School

2nd Service Stanley Janeway

Please contact Vernon Stephens or turn in the response card in your bulletin if you would be willing to volunteer.

Welcome New Member

Mark and Megan Janeway by Letter

Kevin, Ashley, and Jackson Boring by Statement of Faith
and Baptism

MEMORIAL DAY FLAGS

If you know someone who served in the US military and is buried at Pleasant Grove Cemetery, please get in touch with Myra Headrick at (865) 983-7609 with the information.

MESSAGE FROM PASTOR

We'd like to visit you! If you would like the pastor and his wife to visit you in your home one evening, please sign up in the foyer. This list will be for a 30–45 minute visit and will not be for a meal. Appointments will be made according to when you sign up. We look forward to meeting with you.

Vacation Bible School 2025

Join us for an exciting week of fun, faith, and fellowship at Vacation Bible School!

Each day will be filled with engaging Bible lessons, music, crafts, games, and more for kids of all ages.

Date: June 2–5 / Dinner at 5, 5:30-8:30 PM

To top off the week, we'll be having a pool party on June 5th to celebrate all we've learned and the time we enjoyed together—don't forget your swimsuit and towel!

Joshua Mission Update

If you know of anyone that needs help, please let the Joshua Mission know. We are here to help those in need. Joshua 24:19. Please contact the church office at 977-1526.

BUSINESS MEETING

Pleasant Grove Baptist Church met in regular business meeting with Rev. Justin Randolph presiding. Minutes of the March meeting were read and approved. Organization and department reports were given.

Finance report for March was presented. The Sunday School average attendance for March was 147, average contacts were 113 and average attendance for April was 170, average contacts were 118. Justin Randolph gave a pastoral report for April. Diann Ringer reported for the WMU. WMU will continue to collect children's Bibles and storybooks for CHARM. Dan Blevens reported for the Trustees. The trustees have completed the following items in March & April: Pavilion was de-winterized; pavilion kitchen door frame has been replaced; two sticking doors adjusted at the office and sanctuary; door kick stops installed on front doors and closet doors in fellowship hall; tv and two signs installed in the RA room; AC unit under the sanctuary has been repaired; two motion lights switches have been installed in the restroom; laser printer furnished for the SS office; ice machine has had it's 6 month cleaning; new signs for Pastor Justin and the office have been installed. Trevis Gardner reported for the Stewardship Committee. The in-house account will be renamed to the Ministry Support Account, and a policy for using the account has been adopted. Trevis Gardner reported for the Media Committee. Approximately 5534 unique slides to support worship services have been developed and displayed between January 1 and May 18, 2025. The media and IT initiative has been created, and the highlights of the initiative were given.

Old Business: The Trustees' Bus Policy was presented and reviewed for approval. Passed

New Business: Trustee Committee recommended Sonya Christopher for trustee. Passed

Motion to approve response to requests made by Coram Deo, in which two requests were recommended by the Stewardship Committee, Deacons, and Trustees. Passed
Motion by Trevis Gardner and a second by Andy Waters to change the dates for the June and July business meeting to the second Sunday of the month. Passed
Andy Waters motioned to adjourn. All in favor.

Justin Randolph, Moderator Lisa Hill, Church Clerk