

PLEASANT GROVE



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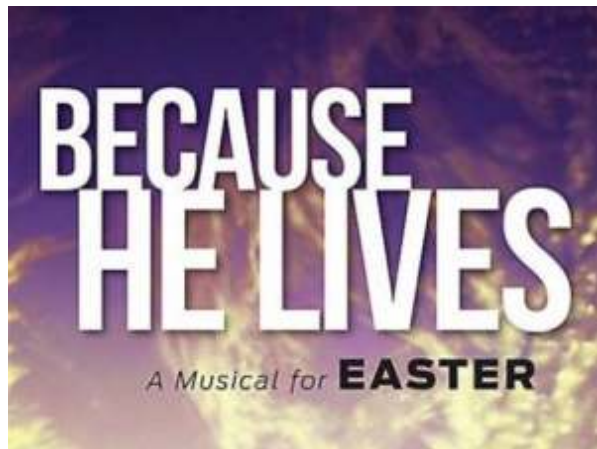
April 12, 2017

MINISTER
GREG L. LONG

MUSIC MINISTER
GREG WILSON

YOUTH/OUTREACH MINISTER
ASHLEY BRAMBLETT

Easter Schedule



Easter Sunday Schedule - April 16, 2017

Resurrection Service	8:00 AM
Breakfast	8:45 AM
Sunday School	9:30 AM
Adult Cantata	10:45 AM

APRIL BUSINESS MEETING

Due to Easter falling on the third Sunday this month the April Business meeting has been changed from the 16th to the 23rd of April at 7:00 PM.

Pleasant Grove Spring Golf Tournament

Sign up for the Pleasant Grove Golf Tournament to be held on May 13th, at Lambert Acres Golf Course. Cost is \$35.00/person. Tournament is a four-member scramble and is open to PGBC members and their families, ages 12 and up. Sign-up sheet located in church hallway.

Don Sunshine Follow-up Class

Don Sunshine has suggested a six-week class to help encourage you on what you have learned during the "Make a Difference" conference. The classes will begin April 23rd at 6:00 PM in room 30.

CHARM Needs Volunteers

Chilhowee Area Ministries will again be serving during the Townsend Spring Festival. The dates are Friday, May 5th, and Saturday, May 6th. Volunteers are being asked to serve a 2 hour shift. You may pick your time from 9:00 AM to 7:00 PM each day. Ministry opportunities include:

- Telling Bible stories
- Serving snacks and water to vendors
- Prayer walking the ground
- Cleaning tables and restrooms
- Helping children play games like ring toss

If you would like to volunteer, you can contact Joe and Linda Ledford at joeledford@cballive.org or call them at 865-228-1642. You are also invited to walk the Greenway Trail in Townsend.

As you do, pray for the mission teams who will be volunteering in Townsend this summer and fall. Please pray for the tourists to whom these teams will be ministering. Please pray for Joe and Linda and other local volunteers.

Congratulations

Josh and Ashley Pfeiffer welcome the arrival of Luke River. He weighed 7 lbs 9 ozs and was 19 inches long.

Lo, children are a heritage of the Lord; and the fruit of the womb is His reward. Ps. 127:3

Homebound Member of the Week

16-22 Hazel Harris

You Are Invited

DESIRING GOD'S WILL FOR THEIR LIVES AND BELIEVING
THAT INCLUDES EACH OTHER

MARY CALDWELL

AND

WOODY CHERRY

INVITE YOU TO SHARE THEIR JOY AS THEY ARE UNITED
IN THE LORD JESUS CHRIST
ON SATURDAY, THE TWENTIETH OF MAY
TWO THOUSAND SEVENTEEN
AT 3 O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON
PLEASANT GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH
RECEPTION TO FOLLOW

Security Volunteers

Sunday, April 16th

1st Service Jonathan Long & Bobby Gamble

Sunday School Jonathan Long & Bobby Gamble

2nd Service Andy Waters

Please contact Vernon Stephens or turn in an "I Wish" card if you would be willing to volunteer.

CHURCH MEETINGS

Church Office Closed	Fri. Apr. 14 th	
GROW Outreach (O&W Teams)	Mon. Apr. 17 th	6:45 PM
KIT Group	Wed. Apr. 19 th	11:00 AM
Deacon's Meeting	Sun. Apr. 23 rd	4:30 PM
Business Meeting	Sun. Apr. 23 rd	7:00 PM

KEEPING IN TOUCH

The Keep In Touch (KIT) group will meet in the church fellowship hall at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, April 19, 2017, followed by a noon meal. Anyone who is age 55 or over is invited to attend along with their guests. Bring a covered dish for yourself and your guests.

We are blessed to welcome Joe and Linda Ledford as our special guest speakers for April, our Easter offering. The Ledfords are Missionaries for the Chilhowee Area Ministries (CHARM) in Townsend, TN, where they have served for many years. Their mission work in Townsend will end as of the last of May, at which time they will return to their home in Lynn Valley near Elizabethton, TN.

Joe and Linda have a remarkable story to tell, and share it they will in its entirety, from its beginning in Canada in 1999. In each step of their journey the Lord has abundantly blessed them. Several volunteers will accompany Joe and Linda on their visit with us. These volunteers have also been faithful to our Lord, to the Ledfords, to the many people employed in Townsend, and to the numerous tourists who stay in that area each year. As fellow church members, we at Pleasant Grove have also been blessed in knowing and working with the Ledfords. Please don't miss this occasion to hear them on the eve of their departure and to wish them Godspeed. Also, bring enough food to share with our guests, expected to number up to 13.

Father, on this Easter eve, we thank you for Joe and Linda and others like them who also heard and heeded Jesus' call from that holy mountain. We ask that you continue to bless them in their never-ending journey with Christ, always spreading the good news of Jesus and the glorious, life-giving power of the resurrection.

You Are Invited

You are invited to a reception in honor of Joe and Linda Ledford's retirement on June 3, 2017, at the Townsend Welcome Center pavilion from 2 – 4 PM.