

April 5, 2017

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Rev. Jason Tallent
Church Planter
Boston, Massachusetts
Wednesday, April 12th
6:33 PM

#### "Make A Difference" Live Event

Don Sunshine will be leading a conference at Pleasant Grove on Sunday morning, April 9th. Don Sunshine was raised in Verona, NJ. He is married to Cathy and has two grown children. He enjoys hunting, officiating soccer, riding ATVs and motorcycles. He attended college to pursue a career in law enforcement. During his college vears, Don became a believer in Jesus Christ. In 1973, Don became involved in the Christian Service Brigade and served as Battalion Captain for 30 years. During this time, God grew Don's love for evangelism. Upon leaving the Christian Service Brigade, Don served in law enforcement for four years. God began to burden Don's heart to build an evangelism training course. In 2005, Don began sharing his program. He has shared in 22 states and Canada. More than 1400 hearts have come to salvation during Don's training sessions. He will be leading four sessions as follows:

Session 1
 Session 2
 Session 3
 8:30 AM
 9:30 AM
 10:45 AM

Lunch Break

**❖** Session 4 Following Lunch

Lunch will be provided. Please pray for this upcoming event.

We will not be having Sunday School during the conference. Don really encourages children in 1st grade and up to participate in the conference. There will be child care for preschoolers.

If you have not signed up for lunch, make sure to turn in the tear- off tab from your bulletin this Sunday with the number of meals needed.

### **Easter Breakfast Volunteers**

Easter is just around the corner. If you would like to help with the set-up, clean up, or food preparation for this year's Easter Breakfast, please turn in an "I Wish" card. Be sure to include your name and phone number.

## **Homebound Member of the Week**

9-15 Richard Hancox

# **Annie Armstrong Offering**

Church Goal: \$10,000 Received to Date: \$5,412

# 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  $2-4~\mathrm{PM}$ .

# Easter Sunday Schedule - April 16, 2017

**Resurrection Service 8:00 AM** Sanctuary

**Breakfast** 8:45 AM Fellowship Hall

Sunday School 9:30 AM Adult Cantata 10:45 AM

# **Pleasant Grove Spring Golf Tournament**

Sign up for the Pleasant Grove Golf Tournament to be held on May 13<sup>th</sup>, 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.

# Security Volunteers

Sunday, April 9th

1<sup>st</sup> Service Leon Roddy & Josh Pfeiffer Sunday School Leon Roddy & Josh Pfeiffer

2<sup>nd</sup> Service Edward Hill

#### **CHURCH MEETINGS**

YWG Breakfast	Sat. Apr. 8 <sup>th</sup>	8:00 AM
<b>Trustees' Meeting</b>	Mon. Apr. 10 <sup>th</sup>	6:00 PM
Church Office	Fri. Apr. 14th	
Closed	_	
KIT Group	Wed. Apr. 19th	11:00 AM

#### **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.

APRIL CARLY MORNING GRECTERS
Shelby Hall & Annette Ward