

PLEASANT GROVE



## REFLECTIONS

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# Tennessee Baptist Children's Home



We will be receiving our offering for the Tennessee Baptist Children's Homes on Sunday, May 14<sup>th</sup>. Please prayerfully consider how you can make a difference in the lives of children who now live or will live in the Tennessee Baptist Children's Homes.

## Mother's Day Offering

This year's Tennessee Baptist Children's Home offering will be received May 14<sup>th</sup>.

Did you know:

- \* The Mother's Day offering accounts for 33% of TBCH's operating budget
- \* House parents are full time employees of TBCH.
- \* \$100 provides medical/counseling for one child for a year.
- \* \$360 clothes one child for a year.
- \* \$1,000 educates one child for a year.
- \* \$1,300 feeds one child for a year.

## Memorial Day Flags

If you know someone who was part of the US military, and was buried in Pleasant Grove Cemetery this past year, please contact Ervil or Myra Headrick at 983-7609 with the information.

## PGBC Cookbooks

If anyone is interested in purchasing a 1998 Edition of the PGBC "Table Treasures" Cookbook, please contact the office. The cost per cookbook is \$20.00. The office is open Monday - Friday, 8:30 AM - 2:30 PM.

## CHURCH MEETINGS

YWG Breakfast	Sat. May 13 <sup>th</sup>	8:00 AM
Mother's Day Offering	Sun. May 14 <sup>th</sup>	Both AM Services
KIT Group	Wed. May 17 <sup>th</sup>	11:00 AM
Business Meeting	Sun. May 21 <sup>st</sup>	7:00 PM

## Security Volunteers

Sunday, May 14<sup>th</sup>

1<sup>st</sup> Service & Ken Johnson & Mike Rasher  
 Sunday School  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Service Scott Emert

## Homebound Member of the Week

14 - 20 Wendy Peterson

### Annie Armstrong Offering

Church Goal: \$10,000

Received to Date: \$9,808

### WMU Mission Project

WMU will be collecting children's story books and children's complete Bibles during the month of May. These items will be delivered to the CHARM ministry in Townsend for the summer program. Place the books on the table beside the Sunday School office. Items will be collected through Sunday, May 28<sup>th</sup>.

### 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.  
RSVP @ [info@cballive.org](mailto:info@cballive.org) or call 865 982 0499 by May 30th.

## 2017 VBS

Date: Sunday, June 25<sup>th</sup> thru Thursday, June 29<sup>th</sup>.

Supper: 6:00 PM Bible School: 6:30 -8:30 PM

Ages: 3 years old through 6 Grade

THEME: Galactic Starveyors: Discovering The God Of The Universe

MOTTO: Searching the Visible, Discovering the Invisible

SCRIPTURE: "He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn over all creation. For everything was created by Him, in heaven and on earth, the visible and the invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities—all things have been created through Him and for Him." *Colossians 1:15-16*

Please be in prayer for the children who will be attending, for the teachers as they prepare their lessons, and for all our other VBS volunteers.

## Keep In Touch Meeting

The Keep In Touch (KIT) group will meet in the church fellowship hall at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, May 17, 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 most heartily welcome Gloria Motter and Richard Anderson as our special guest speakers for May. These guests represent the Cades Cove Museum, and are members of the Cades Cove Preservation Association. They will present an informed discussion about the Museum and Association. As background, the Association was established in January 2001 for the purpose of preserving the rich heritage of the families who previously lived in the Cades Cove community. Following their discussion, our speakers want to hear about our Cades Cove history. Richard is a native of Blount county. Many of us already know him. Gloria is an Ohio native who began visiting Cades Cove in 1972. She loved the area so much that she moved here upon her retirement. Together, our speakers represent a wellspring of interesting, life enriching information. Please join us to hear them.

This meeting will be the concluding program of the 2016-2017 KIT year. We hit the jackpot in our lineup of featured guests this year; each one a gem of its own. (Thanks, Helen Jo, for a beautiful schedule.) We were inspired and bonded with a majority of exceptional musical offerings, vivid nature portrayals, thrilling missionary testimonies, and our rich heritage; and were blessed at every turn. Many precious memories were made and more will come. Our average attendance was 27.

The 2017-2018 KIT year will begin on September 20th, and we'll give you a heads-up before that date. Please mark your calendar now. We look forward to our meeting again in this forum at that time and thank each of you for your loyal support. Have a great summer.