

PLEASANT GROVE



REFLECTIONS

September 20, 2017

MINISTER
GREG L. LONG

MUSIC MINISTER
GREG WILSON

YOUTH/OUTREACH MINISTER
ASHLEY BRAMBLETT

Golden Offering For Tennessee Missions



see details inside

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Received To Date: \$2881.00

L i f e C h a i n

This year's Life Chain will be held on Sunday, October 1st, from 2-3 PM. This is an organized, silent stand for those who wish to say they are against abortion. You are asked to hold a sign during the Life Chain. If you are unable to stand for 1 hour, you are invited to bring a lawn chair. We will meet in the parking lot of Mike Morrell Investments and Garry Godfrey, CPA offices, 636 W. Lamar Alexander Parkway at 1:50 PM. There is a sign-up sheet available in the foyer hallway.

WMU MISSION PROJECT

The WMU will be collecting new and clean used blankets and sheets for the Chilhowee Baptist Center. Place these items in the hallway next to the Sunday School office. The collection will go through Sunday, September 24th.

Pleasant Grove Golf Tournament

Sign up for the Pleasant Grove Golf Tournament to be held on October 28th, at Lambert Acres Golf Course. Cost is \$35.00/person. Please invite someone to play for the purpose of member fellowship and outreach. Ages 12 and up. Ladies wanted. Sign-up sheet located in church hallway.

Security Volunteers

Sunday, Sept. 24th

1st Service & Bob Dow & Jim Caldwell

Sunday School

2nd Service Andy Waters

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

OCTOBER EARLY MORNING GREETERS

Diann Ringer and Flora Simerly

Christian Sympathy
To the family of Teresa Chitwood,
Mother of Jody Harris
Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints. PS. 116:15

Welcome New Member

Rachel Mobley by Letter
Claire Mobley by Letter

Homebound Member of the Week

24-30	Richard Hancox
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Church Pianist Wanted

If anyone is interested in the church Pianist position, please contact Susan Bullen at 865-389-6149.

CHURCH MEETINGS

Deacons' Meeting	Sun. Sept. 24 th	4:30 PM
WMU Meeting	Wed. Oct. 4 th	6:30 PM

Church Clean-Up Day

The trustees are asking for volunteers to help organize and clean inside the church on Saturday, November 4th, 9 AM – 12 Noon. Sign-up sheets will be located in the church hallway.

WEARING OF THE PINK

We will again support Breast Cancer Awareness month by wearing pink on Sunday, October 22nd.

Business Meeting

Pleasant Grove Baptist Church met in regular business meeting with Rev. Greg Long presiding. Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved. Organization and department reports were given. Finance report for August was presented. The Sunday School average attendance for August was 200, average contacts were

231. Greg Long reported on Discipleship Training. Classes will begin on October 8th at 6:00 PM. A 5-session class for teachers, based on the book, "Disciple-Making Encounters" will be offered. Greg Long will show three new DVDs in the series "That The World May Know". Tom Stanley will continue his class on Prophecy. Diann Ringer reported for the WMU. Thanks to everyone who has given to the Golden Offering and blanket drive. October will begin the collection for Samaritan's Purse. Mike Rasher reported for the Trustees. Trustees discussed the condition and age of the AC units and will monitor closely for needed repair or replacement. Florescent lights continue to be upgraded to LED and November 4th the church will have a clean-up day. Volunteer are needed. Jerri Thompkins reported for the Homebound Ministry. We are six weeks into the second rotation with then weeks remaining. All cards continue to be sent out in a timely manner. Please be aware that addresses shown on the Homebound roster do not always reflect the actual location of the individual. The addresses are determined by family preference and changes could occur at any time.

Old Business: Nominating Committee presented an update to the partial verbal list for the 2017-2018 church year. Passed.

Committee on Committees presented an update to the verbal list of committees for the upcoming 2017-2018 year. Passed

New Business: None

Doyle Sloan motioned to adjourn. All in favor.

Greg Long, Moderator Lisa Welch, Acting Clerk

Children's Praise

If any of the children on the praise team have not received their listening CD for the Christmas Cantata, please contact Salena Waters at 865-257-3903.