

PLEASANT GROVE



## REFLECTIONS

February 21, 2018

MINISTER  
GREG L. LONG

MUSIC MINISTER  
GREG WILSON

YOUTH/OUTREACH MINISTER  
ASHLEY BRAMBLETT

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# The Resurrection Celebration



**Please have totes completed by  
Sunday, March 25<sup>th</sup>**

**(See Details Inside)**

## WMU March Mission Action

The Chilhowee Baptist Center is preparing for their annual spring event, "The Resurrection Celebration". Last year, over 250 families received a container. The information concerning this year's event will be distributed through the Sunday School classes. Information will also be available on the table located beside the Sunday School office. Collection will run through Sunday, March 25, 2018. Another way to help is to bring individual packages of paper towels, toilet paper, laundry detergent or cleaner which will be used to fill baskets at the Baptist Center.

Place completed containers and any extra items in the hallway next to the Sunday School office.

Please mark through bar codes.

In order to ensure consistency and fairness to all our clients, the sizes and quantities are listed for you:

- 10 gal/40qt Plastic Tote box
- 2 new bath towels (nice, thick good quality & matching color)
- 2 new wash cloths (nice, thick good quality & matching color)
- 1 shampoo, 16 oz. minimum
- 3 pack/bar soap
- 1 tube toothpaste, 6 oz. minimum
- 2 toothbrushes (adult)
- 1 laundry detergent, 32-50 loads
- 1 dish detergent, 25 oz.
- 4 pack (double roll) toilet paper
- 1 All Purpose Spray Cleaner 32 oz.

## ALUMINUM CANS

Just wanted to say thank you to everyone who has brought their aluminum cans to the church. Please remember that you may bring your bagged cans to the church and leave them at the office door in the grass area across the sidewalk from the garbage cans.

Christian Sympathy  
To the family of Richard Hancox  
Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints. PS. 116:15

### Welcome New Member

Amanda Ford by Baptism

### Homebound Member of the Week

25 – Mar. 3 Bonnie Coulter

### CHURCH MEETINGS

Deacons' Meeting	Sun. Feb. 25 <sup>th</sup>	4:30 PM
Men's Breakfast	Sat. Mar. 3 <sup>rd</sup>	8:00 AM
WMU Study	Wed. Mar. 7 <sup>th</sup>	6:30 PM
YWG Breakfast	Sat. Mar. 10 <sup>th</sup>	8:00 AM

### Security Volunteers

Sunday, February 25<sup>th</sup>

1<sup>st</sup> Service & Robert Galyon & Randy  
Sunday School Headrick  
2<sup>nd</sup> Service Edward Hill

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

### VBS Training Clinic

The Chilhowee Baptist Association will be holding a VBS Training Clinic this year on March 22<sup>nd</sup>. The Clinic will begin at 6:00 PM at Oak Street Baptist Church (behind Verizon Wireless) 2218 Oakdale St., Maryville, TN 37801. This year's theme is "Game On".

PGBC Vacation Bible School will be held Sunday, June 25<sup>th</sup> through Thursday, June 29<sup>th</sup>.

### CHURCH SIGN

If you would be interested in putting the message on the church sign, for the months of April, August, and December, please contact the church office at 977-1526.

### 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 January was presented. The Sunday School average attendance for January was 157, average contacts were 224. Diann Ringer reported for the WMU. Valentine's Day cards were mailed to homebound members. Collection of Resurrection baskets has begun and will continue to March 25<sup>th</sup>. Bette Wade reported for the Trustees. Paint projects at church will begin soon. A church wide "Spring cleaning" will be scheduled for mid-April. Jerri Thompkins reported for the Homebound Ministry. The 2018 Person of the Week ministry began on Feb. 4<sup>th</sup>. Valentines cards were sent and Easter cards will go out in March. Due to the passing of Richard Hancox, no cards will be sent out for the week of March 25-31. Please know that all cards that are sent are always appreciated. Pat Amos submitted a report for the Executive Board meeting in January. The meeting was represented by eleven churches, which did not meet the quorum of twelve. Therefore, reports were given with no voting allowed. Work will begin soon on the new building at Camp Tipton. January has been the busiest January in the history of our Baptist Center. Four teams are lined up for a mission trip to Puerto Rico to work with two churches. Rev. Kenny Armstrong will be leading his fourth trip to West Africa. The garden project involves five fenced acres divided into plots for family gardens. Two wells will be required at a cost of \$5,000 per well. Six wells are the goal. The Association VBS clinic will be conducted on March 22<sup>nd</sup> at Oak St. Baptist Church.

Old Business: None

New Business: None

Andy Waters motioned to adjourn. All in favor.

Greg Long, Moderator Lisa Welch, Acting Clerk