

PLEASANT GROVE



# REFLECTIONS

February 7, 2018

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# Youth FundRaiser



See details inside

## Youth Mission Trip Fundraiser

Our annual Valentine's baked goods auction fundraiser will be held Sunday morning, February 11th. You can help in two ways: you can make your famous homemade desserts to donate to the auction and/or you can purchase something at the auction. The money raised will go toward our mission trip this summer. Thank you for your prayers, support, and generosity!

## 2017 Contribution Statements

You can receive your 2017 contribution statement by calling the church office (977-1526), turning in an "I Wish" card with your name and phone number, or by going to our website (pgbctn.org) and filling out an online "I Wish" card. The office is only able to give statements for those who used offering envelopes with their name on the envelope. We have no other records of giving without the use of envelopes. Statements will be mailed starting the week of January 15<sup>th</sup>.

## CHURCH MEETINGS

YWG Breakfast	Sat. Feb. 10 <sup>th</sup>	8:00 AM
Youth Dessert Fundraiser	Sun. Feb. 11 <sup>th</sup>	
Business Meeting	Sun. Feb. 18 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 PM
Deacons' Meeting	Sun. Feb. 25 <sup>th</sup>	4:30 PM

## Security Volunteers

Sunday, February 11<sup>th</sup>

1<sup>st</sup> Service & Dan Blevens & Doyle Sloan

Sunday School

2<sup>nd</sup> Service Mike Morrell

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

FEBRUARY EARLY MORNING GREETERS

Bill and Marion Lewis

## Christian Sympathy

To the family of Larry Caldwell

Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints. PS. 116:15

## Homebound Member of the Week

11 - 17	Allen Chastain
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### Church Snow Schedule

In the event that Blount County Schools are closed on a Wednesday because of SNOW our church services are cancelled for that night. If we receive SNOW over the weekend please call the church office (977-1526) and a recorded message will let you know our Sunday schedule or you can check [pgbctn.org](http://pgbctn.org). The church office will also follow the Blount County Schools schedule.

### Sermon Review

If you would like to review one of the Sunday or Wednesday sermons, you may do so by going to [pgbctn.org](http://pgbctn.org). You will see a video link near the top of the page. Click on it and select the date you want to review.

### Reminder

Please place your used Sunday school literature in the boxes outside the Sunday school office. The literature is sent to Edwin Hodges' Ministries to be distributed to Bible schools, churches, missionaries, and individuals worldwide.

### Newsletter Information

With the cost of postage rising and to help us be better stewards, would you like to receive the newsletter by email? If so, please send an email to [pgbc@pgbctn.org](mailto:pgbc@pgbctn.org) to be added to email list.

### Just A Reminder

If all handicap spaces are full on Sunday morning, please use a guest parking space.

## Keep In Touch Meeting

The Keep In Touch (KIT) group will meet in the church fellowship hall at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, February 21, 2018, 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 proudly welcome the "Harmony Trio" as our special guest singers for February. This Christian group will warm our hearts with voices that lift up praise to our Lord Jesus Christ. Indeed, their fine harmony will remind us that He is our strength, our song, and our salvation. What a great and blessed assurance He gives. Please join us to hear this trio and be blessed as we worship in song.

This group has recently reorganized following a member's illness. Comprising the group are Barbara Branton, Rebecca Carico and Murlin Williamson. Barbara is the owner of Ganous House of Hair; Rebecca is a Registered Nurse, and married to the late Veneda Tulloch's nephew, Jim; Murlin is the former owner of Murlin's Music World. Murlin has previously sung at Pleasant Grove, and he is the expert who keeps our pianos in perfect tune.

Our January meeting featuring Attorney Thomas Small that was cancelled due to snow has been rescheduled for May, 2018.

Valentine's Day is a great time to share our Christian love for others. Let's show our appreciation this month with cards, notes and calls of friendship. To give of ourselves in this way tells others they are special, it helps spread cheer, and simply says that we care. Let's send cards to our Homebound members, too, that they know they're always remembered and loved. May we always use what God has given us to bless others.