



PLEASANT  
GROVE

BAPTIST  
CHURCH

## REFLECTIONS

September 24, 2025

PASTOR  
JUSTIN RANDOLPH

MUSIC MINISTER  
GREG WILSON

INTERIM YOUTH MINISTER  
DAVID HAMMONDS



## DIRECTORY PHOTOS

Sign-up is  
available now!

(see details inside)

## DIRECTORY PHOTOS

During October, we will have a photographer at the church for photos for our updated directory.

On Oct. 5<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup>, we will take photos before Sunday school and second service.

On Oct. 19<sup>th</sup>, we will take photos before first service, before and after Sunday school, and after second service.

The photographer will only need a maximum of two minutes per family/person if everyone is ready when they arrive. Please fill in the signup sheet in the foyer hallway with your preferred date and time.

## Movie Under the Stars

Everyone is invited to join us on Friday, October 3<sup>rd</sup>, at 7:00 PM for an outdoor movie! We will be showing *Family Camp* and will be providing popcorn, drinks, and candy for everyone to enjoy! Save the date and invite friends to this fun evening.

## OUTREACH OPPORTUNITY

We are planning two neighborhood outreach opportunities on 24<sup>th</sup> and the 31<sup>st</sup> of October. We need YOUR help. We need candy (a box will be provided in the foyer), we need "host" homes in neighborhoods where children and families come to "Trick-or-Treat" and we need helpers at these homes. See Pastor Justin or Brittany Littleton to volunteer yourself or your class to participate.

\*\*We are collecting LOTS of candy for this event. Please leave donations in the collection box in the foyer.

## Security Volunteers

Sunday, September 28<sup>th</sup>

1<sup>st</sup> Service & Robert Galyon

Sunday School

2<sup>nd</sup> Service Stanley Janeway

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

## **Wedding Shower**

Everyone is invited to a wedding shower celebrating Skylar and Harrison immediately following second service on Sunday, September 28<sup>th</sup>. Let's come together to bless this sweet couple as they begin their new journey! Skylar and Harrison are registered on Amazon.

## **CBC BLANKET DRIVE**

This fall/winter season, the Baptist Center needs NEW BLANKETS. They need NEW- king, queen/full, and twin blankets. We will be collecting blankets now through Sunday, October 26<sup>th</sup>. Please place them on the table located next to the Sunday School office. Thank you!

## **Wednesday Night Dinners**

Sept. 24<sup>th</sup>: Fried Chicken (bring a side/dessert/drinks)  
Oct. 1<sup>st</sup>: Soup (bring chili or your favorite soup)  
Oct. 8<sup>th</sup>: Pizza (bring a side/dessert/drinks)

## **Children and Youth Christmas Play**

The children and teenagers will be working on a fantastic Christmas play right after fall break. We will be meeting for several weeks on Sundays after the second service from about noon to 1:30 PM. The play will take place on Wednesday, Dec. 17<sup>th</sup>. We want ALL of the children and youth to participate! If you are interested, please get in touch with Brittany Littleton by October.

## **Joshua Mission Ride-Share**

Pleasant Grove, along with Joshua Ministries, is developing a ride-share program for members of our church who need rides to local doctor appointments, grocery store runs, and other such outings. If you are available to be a driver, please place your name and availability on the sign-up sheet in the upstairs hallway. Once we have a group of drivers, we will post their names, phone numbers, and availability in the bulletins and the church office for use. If you have any questions, please get in touch with Deba Thrasher.

## **Golden Offering**

Throughout September, we will be collecting donations for the Golden Offering for Tennessee Missions. The Golden Offering is the annual state missions offering that provides invaluable financial support for ministries that help reach Tennesseans for Christ.

Tennessee Baptists contributing through the Golden Offering for Tennessee Missions provide support for Tennessee ministries; sustaining state ministries not funded through the Cooperative Program.

## **BUSINESS MEETING**

Pleasant Grove Baptist Church met in regular business meeting with Pastor Randolph presiding. Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved. Organization and department reports were given. Finance report for August was presented. Pastor Randolph gave a pastoral report for August. Ginger Hatley reported for the WMU. WMU will be collecting blankets for the Baptist Center beginning next Sunday. Samaritan's Purse shoebox collection will start in October. Cards have been set to homebound members. Dan Blevens reported for the Trustees. Rock has been placed in the erosion area at the rear of the back parking lot; Edward Hill rotated off the Trustee committee. We thank him for his efforts. Jud Alexander was re-elected. Stanley Janeway came onto the committee with David Bullen, Sonya Christopher, and DiAnne Wilson. The Trustees are waiting on an estimate from the contractor for a lift. The lift company has given an estimate.

Old Business: None

New Business: Committee on Committees recommended an additional member for the Outreach Committee. Passed

Marty Mueller motioned to adjourn. All in favor.

Pastor Randolph, Moderator

Lisa Hill, Church Clerk