



REFLECTIONS

August 23, 2023

MINISTER
GREG L. LONG

MUSIC MINISTER YOUTH/OUTREACH MINISTER
GREG WILSON ASHLEY BRAMBLETT

SUNDAY NIGHT SONG SERVICE

THIS SUNDAY, 6 PM



(see details inside)

Sunday Night Song Service

We will have a special Sunday Night Song Service this Sunday, August 27th at 6:00 PM in the sanctuary, followed by homemade ice cream in the Fellowship Hall. Please let DiAnne or Greg Wilson know if you can bring a freezer of ice cream to share.

Senior Adult Appreciation Sunday

We will have a luncheon for the senior adults on Sunday, September 17th. Sign-up sheets are located on the table in the foyer hallway.

KIT Meeting

I'm happy to say that KIT will be starting up again on Wednesday, September 20th, at 11:00 AM. I look forward to seeing everyone.

-Nona

Offering Envelope Assistance

Please help the church office keep your record of giving correct this year. It is VERY important that you TOTALLY fill out your offering envelopes. If you do not put the amount of your offering or where you want your money to specifically go, the church office cannot give you correct credit. We thank you for your help in this.

Security Volunteers

Sunday, August 27th

1st Service &
Sunday School Leon Roddy

2nd Service Stanley Janeway

Please contact Vernon Stephens or turn in the response card in your bulletin if you would be willing to volunteer.

Christian Sympathy

To the family of Pat Amos

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

Just A Reminder

The church office will be closed for Labor Day on Monday, September 4th.

LIGHT IN THE SMOKIES

Light in the Smokies will be happening September 15-17, 2023. We will be hosting FAITH riders from across the state on Saturday night Sept. 16th for supper. If you could help with set up, serving and clean up on this night or bring a dessert, please email the church, turn in a bulletin tear-off or call the church office with your name and phone number.

CHURCH MEETINGS

Deacons' Meeting	Sun. Aug. 27 th	4:30 PM
Men's Breakfast	Sat. Sept. 2 nd	8:00 AM
WMU Meeting	Wed. Sept. 6 th	6:30 PM

GOLDEN OFFERING MISSION STUDY

Martha Abbott will be leading a Golden Offering Mission Study on Wednesday, September 6th at 6:30 PM.

Golden Offering

Golden Offering for Tennessee Missions provides invaluable financial support for ministries that help reach Tennesseans for Christ.

The Week of Prayer for Tennessee Missions will be held during the second week of September. The Week of Prayer is a concentrated prayer time for Tennessee Baptists, coinciding with the Golden Offering for Tennessee Missions.

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 July was presented. The Sunday School average attendance for July was 156, average contacts were 112. Diann Ringer reported for the WMU. The TN Golden Offering and blanket drive will begin in September. Thanks to everyone who contributed to the backpack and school supplies drive. Thank you to the GAs for their help with loading the supplies. Stanley Janeway reported for the Trustees. The following items have been completed: the carpet has been cleaned all over the church, push plates were installed on the front door, a leaking drain on the water fountain was repaired, and the prayer garden door was fixed so it won't blow open during a storm. Greg Long reported for the Homebound Ministry. Fall rotation will begin in a few weeks.

Old Business: None

New Business: Audit Committee presented their annual report for 2022. Passed

Motion by the nominating committee to appoint DiAnne Wilson and Keith Amos as trustees. Passed

Marty Mueller motioned to adjourn. All in favor.

Greg Long, Moderator

Lauren Muller, Acting Church Clerk

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