

PLEASANT  
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BAPTIST  
CHURCH

## REFLECTIONS

September 11, 2024

Interim Pastor  
Dr. Doug White

MUSIC MINISTER  
GREG WILSON

YOUTH MINISTER  
ASHLEY BRAMBLETT

*Senior* ♥ ♥ ♥  
**Appreciation  
Luncheon**

This Sunday,  
Sept. 15th  
@ Noon

(see details inside)

### *Senior Adult Luncheon*

We are hosting a senior adult appreciation luncheon at noon on Sunday, September 15<sup>th</sup>. Catering by Karen C. will provide the meal.

The menu includes pork loin and chicken tenders, brown gravy, mac and cheese, green beans, and fried okra.

### **KIT Meeting**

KIT will start again on Wednesday, September 18<sup>th</sup>, at 11 AM. Join us for some food and fellowship, and bring a friend!

### **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.

The offering is named after W.C. & Mildred Golden, who suggested the week of prayer for state missions and a state missions offering in 1902.

Theme Verse: "Love bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things." 1 Corinthians 13:7

Statewide GOTM Goal: \$2,700,000

Challenge Goal: \$3,000,000

### *Security Volunteers*

Sunday, September 15<sup>th</sup>

1<sup>st</sup> Service & Leon Roddy

Sunday School

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

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

## CBC BLANKET DRIVE

This fall/winter season, the Baptist Center needs NEW BLANKETS. They need NEW- king, queen/full, and twin blankets.

**\*They especially need queen/full-sized blankets.**

We will be collecting blankets now through Sunday, October 6<sup>th</sup>. Please place them on the table located next to the Sunday School office.

“Let your light so shine before men that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven.”  
Matthew 5:16

Thank you,  
WMU

## LIGHT IN THE SMOKIES

Light in the Smokies will be happening September 20<sup>th</sup>-22<sup>nd</sup>. We will be hosting FAITH riders from across the state on Saturday night Sept. 21<sup>st</sup> for supper.

If you could help with set up, serving and clean up on this night or bring a dessert, please contact the church office or turn in a bulletin tear-off with your name and phone number.

## CHURCH MEETINGS

Business Meeting	Sun. Sept. 15 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 PM
Deacons' Meeting	Sun. Sept. 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Noon
WMU Meeting	Wed. Oct. 2 <sup>nd</sup>	6:30 PM
Men's Breakfast	Sat. Oct. 5 <sup>th</sup>	8:00 AM

## 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 indicate the amount of your offering or where you want your money to go, the church office cannot give you the correct credit. We thank you for your help in this.

## PAVILION RESERVATIONS

Are you looking for a versatile venue for your next event? The pavilion is the perfect choice, whether you're planning a Sunday School party, a birthday celebration, or a family get-together.

It has a covered patio, kitchen with stovetop, microwave, refrigerator, bathroom facilities, and extra tables and chairs if needed.

To reserve the pavilion, please get in touch with the church office at (865) 977-1526 or email [pgbc@pgbctn.org](mailto:pgbc@pgbctn.org). You will need to stop by the office before your event to pick up the keys for the bathroom and kitchen.

## Costa Rica Donations Extended

Costa Rica needs clothing and shoes of all sizes (infants to adults). The shipment date for the donations has been pushed back to September 20<sup>th</sup>. If you have any items at home that you no longer use, please bring them to church by Sunday, September 15<sup>th</sup>.

Please place the clothing items in the labeled bins in the foyer, and we will see that the donations get to them.

**Mattress Fund:**

We are also raising money to purchase mattresses. If you want to make a donation, please write "mattress fund" on the check memo/offering envelope line.

## How To Contact Pleasant Grove

Mailing Address: Pleasant Grove Baptist Church  
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**Phone:** (865) 977-1526

**Office Hours:**

9:00AM – 3:00PM Mon.-Thurs. Closed Friday

*At Pleasant Grove Baptist Church our purpose is Worshipping God by proclaiming God's Word, reaching people, building relationships with Christ, meeting needs and sharing Christian joy.*