

PLEASANT
GROVE



BAPTIST
CHURCH

REFLECTIONS

October 30, 2024

Interim Pastor
Dr. Doug White

MUSIC MINISTER
GREG WILSON

YOUTH MINISTER
ASHLEY BRAMBLETT



Fall Celebration

On Sunday, November 3rd, right after church, **EVERYONE** is invited to celebrate fall in the Fellowship Hall with a chili and baked goods cookoff! Sign up in the foyer if you would like to participate with your best chili or baked goods! Folks will vote on the winner, who will then receive a prize! After lunch, there will be activities for the children and youth to enjoy.

PAINT PARTY

All teen girls and ladies of every age are invited to a paint party on Monday, November 18th, at 6:30 PM in the Fellowship Hall. An art teacher will come and lead us step by step in creating a fall painting to take home and display. *If you want to see what the painting will look like, there is a poster in the foyer hallway with a picture of an example painting.

The cost is \$30 a person, and we ask that everyone please bring a dessert to share. If you plan to participate, please contact Brittany at (865) 323-4771. Invite friends!

2025 Calendars

Copies of the 2025 calendar are available on the table in the foyer hallway. Please feel free to take a copy.

KIT Meeting

KIT will meet on Wednesday, November 20th, at 11. The meat for lunch will be provided; we just ask that you bring a side dish. Don't forget to bring items for Operation Christmas shoeboxes.

Security Volunteers

Sunday, November 3rd

1st Service &
Sunday School
2nd Service

Greg Lowe

Mike Morrell

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

Homebound Member of the Week

3-9

Linda Gardner

1644 Joe Hiton Rd
Knoxville, TN 37931

2025 Flower Calendar

The 2025 flower calendar will be on a foyer table from October 20th until the end of November. Please consider selecting a Sunday to provide flowers for the altar or foyer. Coulter Florist will deliver the flowers to the church. The total cost will be \$41.65, billed directly from Coulter. The sign-up procedure is the same as in prior years, and our goal is to have altar flowers for every Sunday in 2025. When you decide on a date to provide flowers, please include your full name on the sign-up sheet and your billing address, phone number, and exact wording for the message you would like printed in the bulletin. For any questions, please contact Sarah Blevens at 771-6880 or email sarah.blevens@gmail.com. We appreciate your contributions to our 2025 altar and foyer flowers!

Operation Christmas Child Shoebox

Operation Christmas Child shoebox gifts bring joy to the hearts of boys and girls in more than 100 countries where Samaritan's Purse local partners deliver the boxes along with the message of the Gospel of Jesus Christ. For some children, it is their first-ever gift. Many shoebox recipients also participate in the follow-up discipleship program, The Greatest Journey.

Shoebox collection will start now through Wednesday, November 20th. A donation of \$10 per shoebox has been requested to cover shipping and processing. Check the table in the foyer for materials.

"I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all the people." (Luke 2:10, ESV)

CBC Annual Christmas Celebration

Merry Christmas! Once again, it is time to get ready for the Chilhowee Baptist Center's Annual Christmas Celebration. Last year, due to an overwhelming need, they fed over 200 families!

They will provide cinch bags of snacks for children who will be home alone during the Christmas break. For children under the age of two, they will be providing gift bags. Items will be collected through Sunday, December 1st. There are four ways you can help:

1. Prepare a Christmas meal box or bring items to fill a box.
2. Provide items to fill a children's cinch bag.
3. Provide items to fill a baby gift bag.
4. Donate to the CBC by writing a check to the Chilhowee Baptist Center and placing it in a white envelope marked "CBC."

Information will be located on the table in the foyer hallway next to the Sunday school office.

"Jesus said unto him, 'I am the way, the truth, and the life. No man comes unto the Father, but by me'" (John 14:6).

Thank you,
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How To Contact Pleasant Grove

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*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.*