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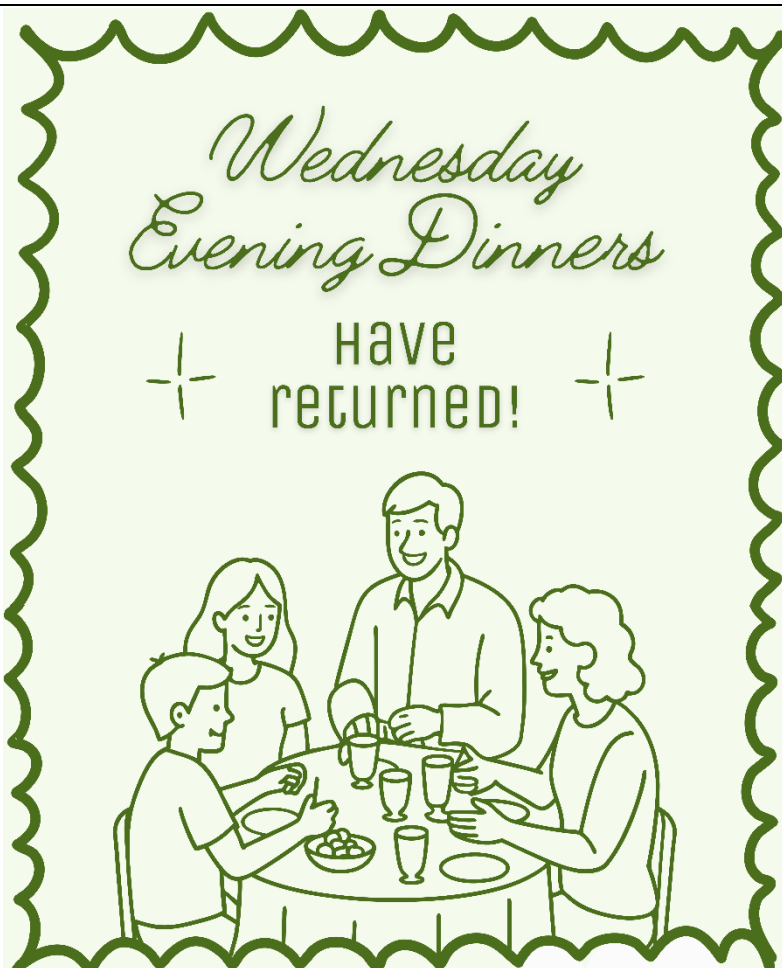
## REFLECTIONS

January 15, 2025

Interim Pastor  
Dr. Doug White

MUSIC MINISTER  
GREG WILSON

INTERIM YOUTH MINISTER  
DAVID HAMMONDS



### Wednesday Evening Dinners

Join us each Wednesday at 5:15 for dinner in the Fellowship Hall! We aim to spend this time deepening existing friendships and forming new ones within our church family. How it works: We will order from a restaurant each week and split the cost (cost will vary depending on the restaurant, but it will be announced beforehand). Text or call Emily Effler at (865) 567-2845 to request the number of plates you'd like each week. You can pay by cash or Venmo when you arrive at dinner. If you want to be on the text list to receive weekly reminders of what's on the menu, text @pgbceatwed to 81010.

### 2024 Contribution Statements

You can receive your 2024 contribution statement by calling the church office at (865) 977-1526, turning in an "I Wish" card with your name and mailing address, or emailing the church office at [pgbc@pgbctn.org](mailto:pgbc@pgbctn.org). The office can only 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 Jan. 19<sup>th</sup>.

### We Need Your Help

If you have moved recently or have changed your telephone number, please contact the church office at 977-1526 or [pgbc@pgbctn.org](mailto:pgbc@pgbctn.org) and provide us the updated information. This not only helps us in the office, but also provides this information for your Deacon.

### Security Volunteers

Sunday, January 19<sup>th</sup>

1<sup>st</sup> Service &  
Sunday School  
2<sup>nd</sup> Service

Dan Blevens

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 Earl Hubbs, father of Leigh Anne  
Ellis

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

## CBC SUPPLIES DRIVE

During December and January, WMU will collect personal care and cleaning items (see list) for the Chilhowee Baptist Center to help keep their shelves stocked for the new year! Please place donation items on the table next to the Sunday School office. Collection will run through Sunday, Jan. 26<sup>th</sup>. WMU will deliver the items to the CBC.

### Personal care/cleaning items:

dish soap

laundry detergent

bar soap

toilet paper

cleaning supplies (i.e. sprays, Pine-Sol)

toothpaste & toothbrushes

shampoo

## CHURCH MEETINGS

Business Meeting	Sun. Jan. 19 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 PM
Deacons' Meeting	Sun. Jan. 26 <sup>th</sup>	Noon
Men's Breakfast	Sat. Feb. 1 <sup>st</sup>	8:00 AM

## Church Snow Schedule

If Blount County Schools are closed on a Wednesday because of SNOW, our church services will be canceled for that night. If we receive SNOW over the weekend, please check our website (pgbctn.org). If church services are canceled, the notice will be posted on our website under "service info." You can also call the church office and a recorded message will let you know our Sunday schedule. The church office will also follow the Blount County Schools schedule.

## Youth Mission Trip Fundraiser

Our annual Valentine's baked goods auction fundraiser will be held Sunday morning, February 9<sup>th</sup>. 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!

## 2025 Offering Envelopes

The boxes of 2025 envelopes are available for pickup in the foyer hallway. If you used envelopes in 2024, please look for the box with YOUR name on the top. If you were not using envelopes in 2024 but would like to begin using them in 2025, please pick up a box with NO name on the top and take the lowest number available. According to the IRS, you must use offering envelopes to receive a statement of giving from the church for tax purposes. Once you have your box, be sure to discard your old envelopes.

## 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.

## How To Contact Pleasant Grove

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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.*