

PLEASANT GROVE



## REFLECTIONS

November 13, 2019

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# Gideons Offering



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## Gideons Offering

On Sunday morning, November 17<sup>th</sup>, we will have one of our local Gideons sharing with us a Gideon report during both AM services. At the close of both services, you will have an opportunity to support the Gideon Ministry. All the monies that are received go directly to the purchase of Bibles. If you would like to write a check, please be sure to make it payable to Gideons International and please do not include with your tithe.

## WMU NEWS

Season Greetings! During the months of November and December the WMU will be collecting food items and cleaning supplies for the Baptist Center. The Baptist Center will be distributing food boxes in December.

- 2 cans green beans 14 oz. can
- 1 box instant mashed potatoes 26 oz
- 2 cans corn 14 oz cans
- 2 boxes of stuffing mix
- 2 cans chicken broth 15 oz can
- 4 packets of gravy mix
- 2 cans cranberry sauce 14 oz can
- 4 cans fruit cocktail
- 4 lb bag of sugar
- 2 lb bag of self-rising flour
- Easy Make Dessert (box cake mix and frosting, cookie mix, or no bake cheesecake)
- Small box of Tea Bags
- Bag of Coffee

### Cleaning Supplies

Toilet Paper

Laundry Detergent

Dish Soap

Deodorant

Shampoo

Please have food items turned in by December 1st. We will still continue collecting any food and cleaning supplies through December 31st. Thank you for helping the Baptist Center minister to the community in need of a helping hand. WMU.

## Homebound Member of the Week

17 -23 Barbara Stewart

### Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes

**October 6th - November 18<sup>th</sup>**

A small shoebox can teach a child about the love of God, lead him or her to faith in Christ, inspire pastors, and plant new churches. What goes into the box is fun but what comes out is eternal. Be a part of changing lives through the power of a simple gift.

Please note the list of items that CANNOT be sent.

Also, donation amount is \$9.00. Please do not include in your tithe.

### ISRAEL UPDATE

Several of you have asked about a trip to Israel. Pastor Dean Haun and I have been talking about a first timer's trip in October 2020. Cost of the trip will be approximately \$4,000, which includes three meals/day, motel, and entrance fees. If you have an interest in this trip, please turn in a bulletin tear off with your name and phone number. Remember - there is a lot of walking involved in this trip.

### Security Volunteers

Sunday, November 17<sup>th</sup>

1<sup>st</sup> Service & Bobby Gamble

Sunday School

2<sup>nd</sup> Service Edward Hill

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

### PGBC Cookbooks

If anyone is interested in purchasing a 1998 Edition of the PGBC "Table Treasures" Cookbook, please contact the office. The cost per cookbook is \$20.00. The office is open Monday - Friday, 8:30 AM - 2:30 PM. This would make a nice Christmas gift for someone.

## KIT

The guest for the November gathering of Keep in Touch is Salvation Army Captain Maureen Diffley. She will be sharing with us the programs sponsored by the Salvation Army. Captain Diffley is a New Jersey native. She has spent her Salvation Army career in places like Russia, Ukraine, the Republic of Georgia and stateside in places like Atlanta. She speaks Russian and took her Salvation Army training there. We look forward to her visit with us.

The date is Wednesday, Nov. 20<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 a.m. Meat, drink and bread will be provided. Plan now to attend.

## TRUSTEE NEWS

The trustees have winterized the bathroom and kitchen at the pavilion. It will be closed till spring.

### Church Snow Schedule

In the event that Blount County Schools are closed on a Wednesday because of SNOW our church services are cancelled for that night. If we receive SNOW over the weekend please call the church office (977-1526) and a recorded message will let you know our Sunday schedule or you can check pgbctn.org. The church office will also be closed.

## CHURCH MEETINGS

Business Meeting	Sun. Nov. 17 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 PM
KIT	Wed. Nov. 20 <sup>th</sup>	11:00 AM
Deacons' Meeting	Sun. Nov 24 <sup>th</sup>	4:30 PM
Church Office Closed	Fri. Nov. 28 <sup>th</sup>	

### Reminder

Please place your used Sunday school literature in the boxes outside the Sunday school office. The literature is sent to Love Packages (formerly Edwin Hodges) Ministries to be distributed to Bible schools, churches, missionaries, and individuals worldwide.