

August 19, 2020

MINISTER GREG L. LONG

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# Golden Offering for Tennessee Missions



We will be receiving this offering during the month of September.

# **Light In The Smokies**

Light in the Smokies will be happening September 18-20, 2020. We will be hosting FAITH riders from across the state on Saturday night Sept. 19<sup>th</sup> for supper. If you could help with set up, serving and clean up on this night, please email the church or call the church office with your name and phone number.

## **Church Service Update**

We are currently holding three identical services in the church sanctuary:

Saturday at 6:00 PM Sunday at 9:00 AM Sunday at 10:15 AM

Each service will have the same music and sermon and will have no more than sixty people in the sanctuary. We no longer need you to call in for service attendance. Feel free to attend any of the services listed above.

We continue to practice social distancing. If you have a preexisting heart or lung condition or are in a high-risk group, it is highly suggested that you not start attending church just yet. The services will be available online. There will not be a nursery. Do not be surprised to see that we will have removed the hymnals and do not have bulletins. Please feel free to bring and wear your mask if that makes you more comfortable.

# Security Volunteers

Sunday, August 23rd

1st Service & Leon Roddy

**Sunday School** 

**2<sup>nd</sup> Service** Stanley Janeway

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

# Christian Sympathy To the family of Cecil Levi Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints. PS. 116:15

#### **Welcome New Members**

Ethan Deakin by Baptism Claire Waters by Baptism

## **Homebound Member of the Week**

August 23-29 Roxy Headrick

# Church Flowers Update

The sign-up process to provide altar and foyer flowers for October 2020 through September 2021 has been delayed due to Covid-19 concerns. When a decision is made on returning to church on regular basis, the flower sign-up book will be available. For questions or concerns, please contact:

Anne Blevens (865)233-0564 or anneblevens@yahoo.com

# **Chilhowee Baptist Center Update**

Quick update on things at the Chilhowee Baptist Center. Since we are still serving clients with food, we are in need of some toiletry items. We are asking for these to be dropped off Monday - Thursday between 9 am and 12:30 pm. If you need to bring them by later in the day, please call before you come as our hours have varied. As always, we appreciate your continued prayers and support.

\*Laundry Soap \*Shampoo \*Dish Soap \*Deodorant \*Spray Cleaner \*Toilet Paper

> In His Name, Betsy Carr

#### **BUSINESS MEETING**

Pleasant Grove Baptist Church met in regular business meeting with Rev. Greg Long presiding. Minutes of March 2020 meeting were read and approved. Organization and department reports were given. Finance report for July was presented Diann Ringer reported for the WMU. WMU will be receiving the Golden Offering for TN Missions during the month of Sept. WMU will purchase toilet paper for the Baptist Center. Stanley Janeway reported for the Trustees. Trustees have been working to keep the church maintained during Coronavirus. Trustees approved proposal to install new camera system at church. Greg Long reported for the Homebound Ministry. The 2nd rotation has begun, thank you for the cards that have been sent.

**Old Business: None** 

New Business: Nominating Committee recommended Greg Lowe as Sunday School Director, Darell Coppenger as Assistant Sunday School director, Lisa Hill for Media Director, Charles Alexander as RA Directory, Dan Blevens as Trustee, and Bette Wade as Treasurer. Passed.

Deacons recommended Mike Coulter to serve as Deacon. Mike is already an Ordained Deacon. Passed.

Trustees recommended to install a new camera system at church. Passed

Motion by Marty Mueller with a 2nd by Diann Ringer install new audio/video equipment in the Sanctuary. Passed

Audit Committee presented their annual report for 2020. Passed

Marty Mueller motioned to adjourn. All in favor.

**Greg Long, Moderator Lisa Hill, Church Clerk**