

PLEASANT GROVE



REFLECTIONS

January 20, 2021

MINISTER
GREG L. LONG

MUSIC MINISTER
GREG WILSON

YOUTH/OUTREACH MINISTER
ASHLEY BRAMBLETT

Pray For America



2020 Contribution Statements

You can receive your 2020 contribution statement by calling the church office (977-1526), turning in an "I Wish" card with your name and phone number, or by going to our website (pgbctn.org) and filling out an online "I Wish" card. The office is only able to 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 January 18th.

2021 Offering Envelopes

The boxes of 2021 envelopes are available for pick up in the hallway near the foyer. If you used envelopes in 2020, please look for the box with YOUR name on the top. If you were not using envelopes in 2020 but would like to begin using them in 2021, please pick up a box that has 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. Be sure to discard your 2020 envelopes. If you would like to receive envelopes but are unable to attend church, you can call the church office at 977-1526 to arrange pickup of envelopes.

Security Volunteers

Sunday, January 24th

1st Service & Jim Caldwell

Sunday School

2nd Service Adam Buchanan

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

CHURCH MEETINGS

Deacons' Meeting	Sun. Jan 24 th	4:30 PM
Lord's Supper	Both AM Services	
Men's Breakfast	Sat. Feb. 6 th	8:00 AM
Trustees' Meeting	Mon. Feb. 8 th	6:00 PM

Christian Sympathy

To the family of Jack Helton,
husband of Barbara Law Helton

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

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.

Choir and Praise Team CDs Available

Choir and Praise Team CD recording is here! The new CD, "Legacy of Love- Songs From the Grove", recorded by our adult choir and praise team, has been completed and they are available for all of the church family. You can pick up your copy during worship services, or at the church office during office hours. There is no cost for the CDs.

WE NEED YOUR HELP

If you have moved recently or have changed your telephone number, please contact the church office at 977-1526 and provide us the updated information. This not only helps us in the office, but also provides this information for your Deacon.

BUSINESS MEETING

Pleasant Grove Baptist Church met in regular business meeting with Rev. Greg Long presiding. Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved. Organization and department reports were given. Finance report for December was presented. Diann Ringer reported for the WMU. Thank you to everyone for your Lottie Moon donations. The next WMU project will be Resurrection Baskets beginning in February. Dan Blevens reported for the Trustees. The trustees are dealing with broken, leaking, drafty, and discolored windows; parts have been ordered to repair the playground equipment; other projects are in the process of being completed. Greg Long reported for the Homebound Ministry. The Person of the Week ministry for 2021 will begin soon. Thanks to everyone that has sent Christmas cards and other cards to the Homebound members.

Old Business: Motion by Marty Mueller with a second by Mike Morrell for Roslyn Waters to remain Assistant Treasurer. Passed

New Business: Trustee committee made a recommendation to transfer money from PG @ College St, Building Fund/Elevator Account, and In-House funds into three other financial institutions to ensure the funds have FDIC protection. Passed

Marty Mueller motioned to adjourn. All in favor.

Greg Long, Moderator

Lisa Hill, Church Clerk

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 follow the Blount County Schools schedule.