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WISE BAPTIST NEWS

A PUBLICATION FOR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS OF
WISE BAPTIST CHURCH

February 9, 2021

A place for faith and fellowship with family and friends.



Dear Church Family and Friends,

Judgment Day. It is coming. How can we be ready? There are lots of opinions. Let's go to a Higher Authority.

Jesus talks about final judgment. In Matthew 25:31-46, He tells a parable about sheep and goats. Representing those who do and don't know Him.

Who enters His eternal joy? Those who feed the hungry. Give water to the thirsty. Show hospitality to the stranger. Clothe those in need. Look after the sick. Visit those in prison.

True followers of Jesus meet very practical needs. Serve without thought of reward. Minister to those in need. Service overflowing from the heart of Jesus' followers. Into the lives of others.

Now, back to the original question. How can we be ready for Judgment Day? Consistently serve the practical needs of our fellow man. Because Jesus lives in our hearts. And as we do, we have opportunities to invite people to know Him.

Love, Pastor Mike

IMPORTANT DATES

Genesis Bible Study
February 10, 7pm
WBC Fb Live

Men's Bible Study
February 11, 6:30am
via Zoom

Sunday Message
February 14, 11am
in SANCTUARY &
WBC Fb Live

**Children's
Bedtime Story**
February 15, 8:30pm

**Children's
Snack & paint
(Virtual)**
March 14

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DEACONS 2020-21

Jerry Baird	393-0923
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Leton Harding	346-6039
Ron Helton	393-6145
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Lewey Lee	393-5370
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Oscar Raile	870-0131

Deacons Emeritus:
Bob Adkins, Glenn Hill,
Harold Witt

How to Join Wise Baptist Church:

Express one of the following to the Pastor during the closing hymn:

- † **Transfer of Letter** Transfer membership to Wise Baptist Church
- † **Baptism** Desire to express faith in Christ through baptism
- † **Statement of Faith** Baptized believer not on a membership roll
- † **Watch Care** Desire to be connected to our Church family without official membership

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Worship With Us

**Pastor Mike's message this
Sunday morning, February 14
"Forgiving When You Can't
Forget: Collect the Dots"
(Genesis Luke 14:26-33)**

There are **3 ways** that you can be a part of WBC's Sunday worship service each week:

- (1) Attend the service in the sanctuary.
- (2) View the service on Facebook Live at 11am go to the Wise Baptist Church Fb page
- (3) To view the service after it has "aired" -

[https://www.facebook.com/](https://www.facebook.com/WiseBaptistChurch/videos/246055226605395)

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***(This does not require Facebook!)*

- (4) Share the service with others by clicking the "share" button.



**Everyone is invited to
"submit" your favorite
Psalm to Jerry for the
newsletter each week!
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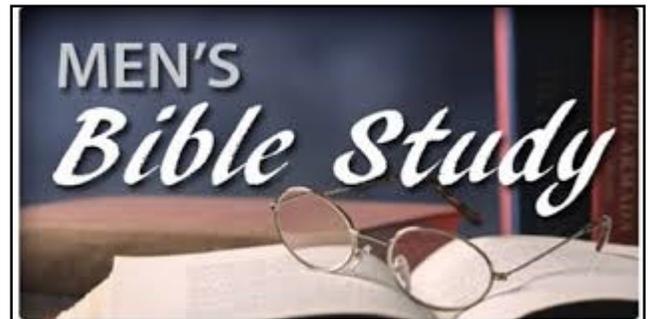
As you pray, please remember...



Ray & Carolyn Jones, Beth Snodgrass & family, Velma Baird, Gerry O'Bryan, family of Betty Roberts, Joe Powers, Carolyn Strouth & Family, Wesley Kennedy, Rudolfo Yanez & family, Don & Gigi Pippin, Lois Stallard, Sandy & David Mullins, Ron & Vickie Swindall, doctors, nurses & all medical/pharmaceutical personnel, Glenn Hill, Steve Collins, Royce McNeal, Bessie Vance, Kathy & John Kennedy, John & Kay Wright, Wanda Takahashi (sister of Brenda Kunigelis), Beverly Viers, law enforcement & emergency personnel, all the cancer patients in our area, and our men and women in the military.

Our Shut Ins: Jeanne Stallard, Bobbie Farmer, Jean Forsythe (Sandy Yun's mother), Kingston Center Assisted Living in Duffield

**If you know of other prayer concerns, please contact the church office (328-6247).*



*Guys, grab your breakfast & your Bible and join in the Men's Bible Study
Each **THURSDAY** morning
at 6:30am via Zoom
Simply send your email address
to John Ponish:
text 276-870-1593*

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Scripture for the Week

Matthew 25:40

*“And the King will answer them,
I assure you: Whatever you did for one
of the least of these brothers of Mine,
you did for Me”*



Power & Purpose: God Unveils the Universe”

(A Study of the Genesis 1-11)

**Join us on Wednesday evening at 7:00pm
as we continue our Bible study on Genesis
on February 10.**

**Tune in on the Wise Baptist Facebook page,
Facebook Live at 7:00pm! See you there.**

Love, Pastor Mike



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Joy

The Joy of Stewardship

Stewardship expresses our obedience and commitment of our self and possessions to God's service.

While God has entrusted us with the care, development, and enjoyment of everything He owns, as His stewards, we are responsible to manage according to His desires and purposes.

We are called to administer our time, money, abilities, information, wisdom, relationships, and authority.

We are ALL called to be joyful stewards.

We are thankful for everyone's faithful, joyful stewardship of Wise Baptist Church. Through your giving, Wise Baptist Church continues to be used by God to change lives.

For those who cannot physically attend Sunday morning worship services in the sanctuary, your tithes and offerings may still be mailed to Wise Baptist Church, PO Box 777, Wise VA 24293, or brought by the Church anytime during open hours.

Thank you all for being joyful stewards of God's work at Wise Baptist Church.

Ron Helton & Leton Harding

“The earth is the Lord's, and everything in it, the world, and all who live in it.” ~ Psalm 24:1

Happy Birthday!

February 10	David Mullins Adam Sexton
February 12	Kristin Trick
February 13	Brandon Osborne
February 15	Megan Burton June Dotson
February 16	Conner Browning Bessie Vance
February 17	Lily Elkins
February 18	Brandi Cox Joshua Helton
February 19	Nicolette Cox
February 20	Vanessa Cyphers



WBC Children's Ministry



Snack & Paint: March 14
via Facebook Live (WBC page)



Valentines for Teachers

Kids, You should have received your valentines by now - remember to give them to your teachers!



Friends in Faith Ministry

Coming soon...a new ministry that pairs senior adults with our children!



Mon. Night Bedtime Stories

8:30pm every Monday night on the WBC Facebook page. Thank you to everyone who reads to our children! We have had 13 different readers!!



Sunday School

10:00 am every Sunday morning on the WBC Facebook page!

Happy Anniversary!

February 13 Jim & June Dotson

***Thank you to Kathy Dotson
for sharing this Psalm!***

Psalm 113

Praise ye the Lord . Praise, O ye servants of the Lord , praise the name of the Lord . Blessed be the name of the Lord from this time forth and for evermore. From the rising of the sun unto the going down of the same the Lord's name is to be praised. The Lord is high above all nations, and his glory above the heavens. Who is like unto the Lord our God, who dwelleth on high, Who humbleth himself to behold the things that are in heaven, and in the earth! He raiseth up the poor out of the dust, and lifteth the needy out of the dunghill; That he may set him with princes, even with the princes of his people. He maketh the barren woman to keep house, and to be a joyful mother of children. Praise ye the Lord .
Psalms 113:1-9



"Father" & "Son"
(Scott & John Mark)
and Father & Daughter!



SCRIPTURES ABOUT LOVE

What does God say about love?

God is love...

JOHN 3:16 "For God so loved the world, that He gave His only Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life."

ROMANS 5:8 "But God shows His love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us."

EPHESIANS 3:16-19 "I pray that you, being rooted and established in love, may have power, together with all the Lord's holy people, to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ, and to know this love that surpasses knowledge - that you may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God."

ROMANS 8:37-39 "No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through Him who loved us. For I am sure that neither death nor life, nor angels nor rulers, nor things present nor things to come, nor powers, nor height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord."

JEREMIAH 31:3 "...I have loved you with an everlasting love..."

1 CHRONICLES 16:34 "Give thanks to the Lord because His faithful love endures forever."

ISAIAH 54:10 "For the mountains may depart and the hills be removed, but My steadfast love shall not depart from you..."

PSALM 63:3 "Because Your lovingkindness is better than life, my lips will praise You."



Love one another...

1 JOHN 4:7 "We love because He first loved us."

1 PETER 5:6-7 "Above all, keep loving one another earnestly, since love covers a multitude of sins."

1 CORINTHIANS 13:4 "Love is patient and kind; love does not envy or boast; it is not arrogant."

JOHN 13:34 "A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another: just as I have loved you, you also are to love one another."

MATTHEW 5:43, 46 "You have heard that it was said, 'You shall love your neighbor and hate your enemy.' But I say to you, Love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you...For if you love those who love you, what reward do you have?"

JOHN 13:35 "By this all people will know that you are My disciples, if you have love for one another."

PROVERBS 17:17 "A friend loves at all times."

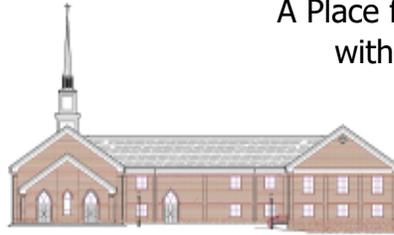
1 CORINTHIANS 13:1-2 "If I speak in the tongues of men or of angels, but do not have love, I am only a resounding gong or a clanging cymbal. If I have the gift of prophecy and can fathom all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have a faith that can move mountains, but do not have love, I am



Volunteers this Week

Deacons On Call:	02/07 - 02/13	Jim Collie, Leton Harding
	02/14 - 02/20	Ron Helton, Oscar Raile
Building Stewards:		Ron Helton, Dan Helton, Scott Snodgrass
Instrumentalists:		Susan Mullins, Susan Smith
Sound System:	02/14	Mike Osborne, Oscar Raile
	02/21	Mike Osborne, Oscar Raile
Tellers:	February	Jessica Crutchfield, Leton Harding
	March	Leton Harding, Oscar Raile
Benediction	02/14	Ron Helton
	02/21	Jerry Baird

A Place for Faith and Fellowship
with Family and Friends



WEEKLY OPPORTUNITIES

*(These activities are POSTPONED
until further notice)*

Sunday	Truth Rehearsal	4:45 pm
	Youth (Grades 7-12)	6:00 pm
	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal	6:00 pm
Monday	Piecemakers (1st & 3rd)	9:30 am
	Caring Friends (2nd & 4th)	
Wednesday	Children's Choir (Ages 3 - Grade 6)	4:45 pm
	Fellowship Meal	6:00 pm
	Youth Hand Chimes	7:00 pm
	Children in Action (Ages 5 - Grade 6)	
	Nursery (Birth - Age 4)	



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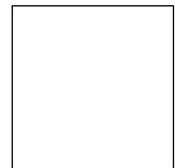
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Like us at: Wise Baptist Church
and at Wise Baptist Youth

Thought for the Week:

Love others in Jesus' name and you
will be ready on Judgment Day.