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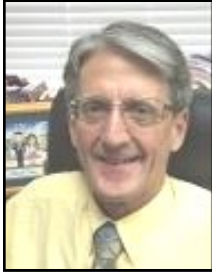
Dr. Ray Jones, Jr., Pastor Emeritus

WISE BAPTIST NEWS

A PUBLICATION FOR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS OF
WISE BAPTIST CHURCH

May 25, 2021

A place for faith and fellowship with family and friends.



Dear Church Family and Friends,

Love changes the world. So does the lack of it. Look around and see if this isn't true.

The night before Jesus died on the Cross, He prepared His disciples for difficult times ahead. Made every word count.

He said, "As I have loved you, ...love one another. By this will all men know that you are my disciples if you love one another." (John 13:34-35)

If Jesus' followers loved each other well, the world would know they were Christians. Why? **Love stands out because there is so little of it in the world.**

That night in the Upper Room, Jesus talked about His death on the Cross. He illustrated the meaning with the Last Supper. The Cross...is the supreme declaration of love.

Change the world! Love the way Jesus does. Ask God to help you. What will that look like for you this week?

Love, Pastor Mike

IMPORTANT DATES

Gospel of Mark Study
May 26, 7pm
(conclusion)

WBC Fb Live
Men's Bible Study
May 27, 6:30am
via Zoom

Children's
Bedtime Story
May 31, 8:30pm

"Faith Under Fire"
New Bible Study on
Book of Daniel
June 2, 7pm

Missions Yard Sale
June 4-5

Weekend Missions
June 11-12

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DEACONS 2020-21

Jerry Baird	393-0923
Gil Blackburn	328-0046
Jim Collie	393-1710
Leton Harding	346-6039
Ron Helton	393-6145
Jorge Hersel	594-9077
Lewey Lee	393-5370
David Mullins	870-0005
Oscar Raile	870-0131

Deacons Emeritus:

Bob Adkins, 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



Scripture for the Week

John 13:34-35

“I give you a new commandment: love one another. Just as I have loved you, you must also love one another. By this all people will know that you are My disciples, if you have love for one another.”



DATES TO REMEMBER...

May 27 (1-4pm)

DROP-OFF

for June yard sale items

**You can also arrange drop-off by appointment with Susie Powers or Teresa Adkins.*

June 4-5 & June 11-12

YARD SALE



As you pray, please remember...



Vickie Swindall & Family, Chelsea Polly & Sutton Polly, Grace Allio, David & Sandy Mullins, Seth Harding, Travis Dutton (Gwyn Carlton's son), Karen Ponish, David Lester (brother of Marsha Tolbert), Family of Glenn Hill, Ray Jones & Family, Don Newlon & Family, Randy & Gwen Chisenhall & Family, Beth Snodgrass, Velma Baird, Gerry O'Bryan, family of Betty Roberts, Wesley Kennedy, Don & Gigi Pippin, Lois Stallard, doctors, nurses & all medical/pharmaceutical personnel, 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 & 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).*

Having a Heart for Stewardship

Your tithes and offerings allow our Church, and its programs, to be more effective. Through an effective Church, lives are changed. The lack of regular physical attendance has taken a toll on our fellowship and our effectiveness, and our giving. But we can rejoice that God's plan for Wise Baptist Church remains rock solid! Through His protection, embrace, and guiding light, Wise Baptist Church can, and will, change hearts and souls. We are thankful for all the joyful stewards of God's work at Wise Baptist Church.

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.

Love is patient, love is kind. 1 Cor 13:4

~ Leton Harding and Ron Helton



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Happy Birthday!



May 26

Charles Maine

May 27

Jorge Hersel

Jeremiah Johnson

May 29

Angel Cox

May 30

Joshua Owens

June 1

Bobbie Farmer

Lois Holbrook

June 2

Cyndi Newlon

Bill Sutherland

June 4

Ben Hersel

June 5

Jeanne Stallard

June 7

Debbie Helton

Abbey Lancaster

Dr. Peter Yun



Happy Anniversary!

May 30

Bob & Teresa Adkins

May 31

Jim & Sherry Collie

Our 2021 Mission trip ...is going to look different!

Due to Covid restrictions & reduced funding in most nearby states, our Summer Mission Trip will once again take place in Wise County—but in a different way this year!

We are calling this our

“Second Weekend Mission Projects”

Wise Baptist has left the building!



WBC



I want to extend a heartfelt thank you to Donna Hutchinson for performing a wonderful duet of “In the Hands of the Lord” with me on Sunday. I also want to thank Susan Mullins for all that she does collaborating with the choir.

This is a reminder that we will not be having choir practice beginning this Sunday, May 30th. We will reconvene during August. During this time, please feel free to contact me if you would like to perform any special music during the church service. I would love to showcase the wide range of musical talent that we have here at Wise Baptist Church. I am more than willing to work with you in preparation should you so desire.

I hope that you all have a wonderful and blessed week! ~ Joe

This is how it will work!

We will still perform construction-related mission work in our own area, but we will not limit our activities to one specific week.

This year, we are spreading the work throughout the summer, the 2nd weekend of each month, May through September.

You can work part of a day, one day or both days of the designated weekends. No skills required! Just contact John Ponish to let him know of your interest!

*Please mark your calendar for:

June 11-12

July 9-10

August 13-14

September 10-11

GRADUATE RECOGNITION SUNDAY

Congrats

CLASS OF 2020



Andrew Conway, Central High School
Abbie Crutchfield, Central High School
Dalton Hopkins, Central High School
Ali Stuedemann, Central High School

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*Rachel Bailey, Virginia Tech, B.S.*  
*Lily Snodgrass Elkins, Yale University, M.A.*  
*Noah Hall, University of Virginia's College at Wise, B.S.*  
*Mark Lardieri, Cornerstone University, PhD*  
*Rachel Lyall, Milligan University, M.S.*  
*Rachel Porchie, University of Mary Washington, B.A.*  
*Caitlin Adkins Rousseau, VCU School of Pharmacy, Pharm.D.*



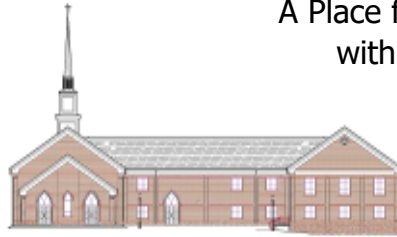
# June 2021

| Sun                                                                                                                                                                               | Mon                                                                                                                      | Tue                                          | Wed                                                                                                                                                                               | Thu                                                                           | Fri                                                                                                            | Sat                                                                                                           |
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|                                                                                                                                                                                   |                                                                                                                          | 1<br>B. Bobbie Farmer<br>B. Lois Holbrook    | 2 7:00pm -<br>Book of Daniel<br>Bible Study with<br>Pastor Mike<br>Facebook Live<br>B. Cyndi Newlon<br>B. Bill Sutherland<br>A. Robert & Suzanne Baird<br>A. Marty & Rose Kennedy | 3 6:30am -<br>Men's Bible Study                                               | 4<br>B. Ben Hersel                                                                                             | 5<br>B. Jeanne Stallard                                                                                       |
| 6<br>8:30am - Deacons, Zoom<br>10am - Sunday School:<br>some classes<br>meeting onsite,<br>some online<br>11:00am - Worship<br>onsite/online<br>- Communion                       | 7 9:30am - Piecemakers<br>Children's<br>Bedtime<br>Story<br>8:30pm -<br>Fb Live<br>B. Debbie Helton<br>B. Dr. Peter Yun  | 8<br>B. Kathy Osborne<br>B. Jennifer Mullins | 9 7:00pm -<br>Book of Daniel<br>Bible Study with<br>Pastor Mike<br>Facebook Live<br>B. Isabella Adrian                                                                            | 10 6:30am -<br>Men's Bible Study<br>B. Tammie Harding                         | 11                                                                                                             | 12<br>B. Suzy Bailey                                                                                          |
| 13<br>10am - Sunday School:<br>some classes<br>meeting onsite,<br>some online<br>11:00am - Worship<br>onsite/online<br>B. Pam Collie                                              | 14 9:30am - Caring<br>Friends<br>Children's<br>Bedtime<br>Story<br>8:30pm -<br>Fb Live<br>B. Michael Holbrook            | 15                                           | 16 7:00pm -<br>Book of Daniel<br>Bible Study with<br>Pastor Mike<br>Facebook Live                                                                                                 | 17 6:30am -<br>Men's Bible Study<br>B. Bryon Burton                           | 18<br>B. Abi Maine<br>B. Haden Ponish<br>B. Michelle Sisson<br>B. Mary Stuedemann<br>A. Mike & Carolyn Strouth | 19<br>B. Elizabeth Wills<br>A. Dan & Debbie Helton                                                            |
| 20 <b>HAPPY<br/>FATHER'S<br/>DAY!</b><br>10am - Sunday School:<br>some classes<br>meeting onsite,<br>some online<br>11:00am - Worship<br>onsite/online<br>A. James & Susie Clasby | 21 9:30am - Piecemakers<br>Children's<br>Bedtime<br>Story<br>8:30pm -<br>Fb Live<br>A. Peter & Sandy Yun                 | 22                                           | 23 7:00pm -<br>Book of Daniel<br>Bible Study with<br>Pastor Mike<br>Facebook Live<br>B. Landon Elkins<br>B. Nathan Swindall<br>B. John Thacker, Jr.                               | 24 6:30am -<br>Men's Bible Study<br>B. Avery Cox<br>A. Mike & Rebecca Osborne | 25<br>B. Aaron Lee                                                                                             | 26<br>B. Shirley Willis                                                                                       |
| 27<br>10am - Sunday School:<br>some classes<br>meeting onsite,<br>some online<br>11:00am - Worship<br>onsite/online<br>B. Martha Blackburn<br>A. Jerry & Wanda Baird              | 28 9:30am - Caring<br>Friends<br>Children's<br>Bedtime<br>Story<br>8:30pm -<br>B. Holly Meade<br>A. Clyde & Bessie Vance | 29<br>A. Matt & Christina Meade              | 30 7:00pm -<br>Book of Daniel<br>Bible Study with<br>Pastor Mike<br>Facebook Live<br>B. Steve Horton<br>A. Lloyd & Regina Cantrell                                                |                                                                               | <b>B</b> = Birthday<br><b>A</b> = Anniversary                                                                  | If your birthday<br>or anniversary is<br>not included,<br>please call the<br>church office at<br>276-328-6247 |

## Volunteers this Week

|                    |               |                                            |
|--------------------|---------------|--------------------------------------------|
| Deacons On Call:   | 05/23 - 05/29 | Jorge Hersel, Lewey Lee                    |
|                    | 05/30 - 06/05 | Oscar Raile, Leton Harding                 |
| Building Stewards: |               | Ron Helton, Dan Helton,<br>Scott Snodgrass |
| Instrumentalists:  |               | Susan Mullins, Susan Smith                 |
| Sound System:      | 05/30         | Mike Osborne, Oscar Raile                  |
|                    | 06/06         | Mike Osborne, Oscar Raile                  |
| Tellers:           | May           | Cliff Carson, Jeff Dotson                  |
|                    | June          | June Dotson, Mike Strouth                  |
| Benediction        | 05/30         | Oscar Raile                                |
|                    | 06/06         | Jim Collie                                 |

A Place for Faith and Fellowship  
with Family and Friends



## WEEKLY OPPORTUNITIES

|           |                                                       |          |
|-----------|-------------------------------------------------------|----------|
| Sunday    | Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal                             | 12:00 pm |
|           | * Truth Rehearsal                                     | 4:45 pm  |
|           | * Youth (Grades 7-12)                                 | 6:00 pm  |
| Monday    | Piecemakers (1st & 3rd)<br>Caring Friends (2nd & 4th) | 9:30 am  |
| 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)                             |          |

(\* activities are **POSTPONED** until further notice)

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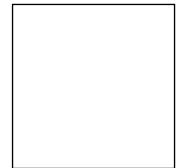
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and at Wise Baptist Youth

## Thought for the Week:

*Change the world.  
Love like Jesus.*