

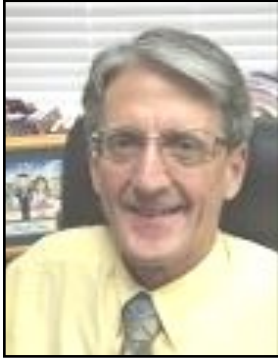
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 Youth Directors
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WISE BAPTIST NEWS

A PUBLICATION FOR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS OF
 WISE BAPTIST CHURCH

November 9, 2021

A place for faith and fellowship with family and friends.



Dear Church Family and Friends,

“Don’t sweat the small stuff!” Sounds like good advice. Problem is...**small stuff can interrupt big stuff.**

For example, I was getting ready for church one Sunday when I noticed a big crack in the side of my shoe. I thought, “I need to get a new pair of shoes”. Reminders burst into my awareness several times a day. For weeks. Small stuff became big stuff.

I discovered that I carry a long list of small stuff. And I pay a small price for each. When added all up, small stuff turns into big stuff.

After weeks of daily mental “reminders” about my shoes, I wrote it down. Ordered new shoes. Took less than 5 minutes.

I discovered two things. First, relief. Which told me it really had bothered me for weeks. Second, once I dealt with it, that thought was gone. Permanently. Cleared room in my heart and mind for the “big stuff”.

Jesus created space for the “big stuff”. Regularly. Before He called The Twelve to be His apostles (messengers), He prayed all night. He needed a clear mind and heart as chose core leaders for the Kingdom of God. (Luke 6:12-13)

What’s on your list? It is far longer than you think. It does not go away until you decide what to do about it, and do it. What big stuff has your list obstructed?

Love, Pastor Mike

IMPORTANT DATES

**NEW Bible Study on
 Nov. 10, 7pm:
 The Book of James**

**Men’s Bible Study
 Nov. 11, 6:30am
 Fellowship Hall**

**Children’s
 Snack and Paint
 Nov. 13, 10am - 12pm
 Fellowship Hall**

**Season 2, Episodes 3 & 4
 “The Chosen”
 Nov. 14, 6pm
 Fellowship Hall**

**Operation Christmas Child
 Collection Week
 November 15-22
 (Zion Family Ministries)**

**Community
 Thanksgiving Service
 Wise Baptist
 Nov. 21, 6pm**

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DEACONS 2021-22

John Mark Adrian	328-5564
Jerry Baird	393-0923
Gil Blackburn	328-0046
Jim Collie	393-1710
Ron Helton	393-6145
Jorge Hersel	594-9077
Butch Hutchinson	393-5008
Lewey Lee	393-5370
John Ponish	870-1593

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



Dear Church Family and Friends,

*It's that wonderful time in the year when we are able to add joy to children's lives around the world through Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes. **This year the collection week is Nov.15-22.** Boxes will be available at Wise Baptist in the front foyer and at the table near the church office. Cost is \$1.00 each. Containers will be available for your donations. Also, there will be a brochure telling what to send and what not to send. The collection center is Zion Family Ministries in Wise. Your shoebox maybe the only gift a child ever receives, so pack it with joy and fun items. Be sure to pray for the child and their family and include the suggested donation for shipping.*

~ Thank you! Wanda Baird



The Garden Club has put out a box for recycling in the Fellowship Hall. It is for clear plastic bags, etc.

Please bring your clear and clean plastic bags.

Thank you!



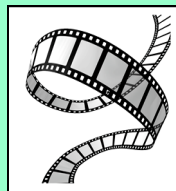
As you pray, please remember...



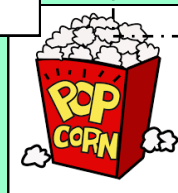
Lois Stallard, Regina Cantrell, Gil Blackburn, Lewey Lee and Family, John Bridges, Family of Steve Collins, Royce McNeal, Al & Jerry Dew (Terry's parents), Dalton, Kara and Halen Parker, Phyllis Hatcher, Wendy Adrian & Family, Bessie Vance, Jerry & Wanda Baird, Ben Bolling & family, Grace Allio, Vickie Swindall & Family, David & Sandy Mullins, Seth Harding, Randy & Gwen Chisenhall & Family, Beth Snodgrass, Ray Jones & Family, Velma Baird, Wesley Kennedy, Don & Gigi Pippin, doctors, nurses & all medical/pharmaceutical personnel, 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).**



**Sunday Nights
at the Movies
Continue!**



**November 14
6-8pm**

Fellowship Hall

Join us as we continue showing the
"The Chosen"!

We will begin showing **Season 2**
(Episodes 3 & 4)

Invite your friends & family!

Snacks will be provided!

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COMMUNITY
THANKSGIVING
Service

Sunday, Nov. 21
Wise Baptist
Church
6:00pm



Scripture for the Week

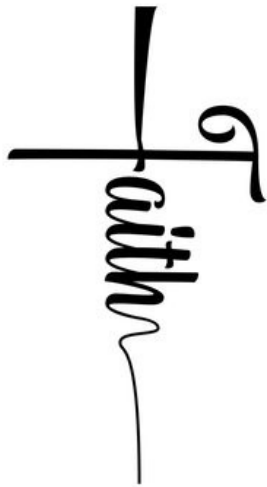
Luke 6:12-13

“During those days He went out to the mountain to pray and spent all night in prayer to God. When daylight came, He summoned His disciples, and He chose 12 of them - He also named them apostles.”

Thank you!

Thank you so much for all of the texts, calls, visits, food and gifts that our family received during Steve's illness and passing. We appreciate so much all of the love and support that you have given us!

~ Debbie, Matt & Mark Collins



The Making of Authentic Faith: A Study of the Book of James

A big breakdown for Christians is moving from spiritual information to practical action. Application. The Book of James is all about faith at work. We will study the Book of James starting Wednesday, Nov. 10 at 7pm. If you can, join us in person at church. If not, you are welcome to join us on-line on the Wise Baptist Church Facebook page, via Facebook Live.

Study books are available in paperback form. You can order a digital copy by going to the website, www.gc2press.com. Then look for Bible study books for adults, then James, “The Making of Authentic Faith”.



Being a Refreshed and Refreshing Steward

As we enter into the holiday season, your tithes and offerings allow our Church, and its programs, to be more effective. And through an effective Church, lives are changed.

Be a refreshing giver, resolving that the uncertainties of this old world cannot prevent God, through Wise Baptist Church, from changing hearts and souls.

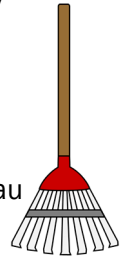
Be a refreshed giver, joyfully allowing God to lead us together in His work. We are thankful for all the joyful stewards of God's work at Wise Baptist Church.

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.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Happy Birthday!

	November 9	Rachel Lyall
	November 10	Judy Bellamy
	November 11	Laura Belcher
	November 12	Peter Jung Yun
	November 13	Harold Witt
	November 15	Donnie Bradley
	November 16	Luke Collie
	November 18	Gwyn Carlton
	November 20	Caitlin Rousseau



**Children
Ages Birth-Grade 6!**

**Snack & Paint!
November 13
10am - noon
Fellowship Hall**

Happy Anniversary!

November 11 Edgar & Bonnie Owens



WBC Music Ministry

I am excited to announce that we WILL be presenting a Christmas cantata this year! It will be presented on Sunday evening, December 19 at 11am And YOU are invited to join us, even if you do not regularly sing in the choir! **Rehearsals** are being held twice a week: Mondays, 5:30pm
Wednesdays, 7:45pm

Hope to see you there!



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Wise Baptist Church Youth Ministry



Grades 7 - 12

** The youth will NOT be meeting on Wed., Nov. 10 or on Sun., Nov. 14 **

HOWEVER!

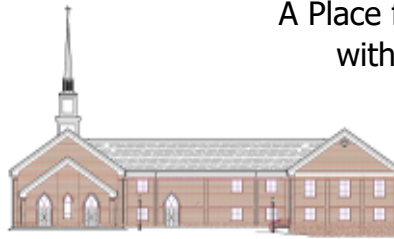
Join Carlie & Lloyd for fun, food & fellowship at Youth Bible Study **Sunday night, Nov. 21** at the Youth Bldg, 6pm.

Don't miss out on midweek fun on **Wednesday evening (Nov. 17)** at 7pm, also at the Youth Building!

Anyone who would like to provide a meal for the youth on Sunday nights, please contact Carlie at 276-337-4997



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Volunteers this Week

Deacons On Call:	11/7 - 11/13	John Ponish, Jim Collie
	11/14 - 11/20	Lewey Lee, Jorge Hersel
Building Stewards:		Ron Helton, Scott Snodgrass
Instrumentalists:		Susan Mullins, Susan Smith
Sound System:	11/14	Mike Osborne, Oscar Raile
	11/21	Mike Osborne, Oscar Raile
Tellers:	November	Cliff Carson, Jeff Dotson
	December	Leton Harding, Oscar Raile
Wed. Serving Team:	11/10	Martha Blackburn, Kathy Helton, Gail Kiser, Susie Powers
	11/17	Billie Harris, Brenda Lee, Susan Smith, Ann Wade
Wed. Night Meal:	11/10	Spaghetti, Garlic Bread, Salad
	11/17	Ham, Green Beans, Potato Casserole, Pineapple Casserole, Rolls



WEEKLY OPPORTUNITIES

Sunday	Worship	11:00 pm
	Youth (Grades 7-12)	6:00 pm
Monday	Piecemakers (1st & 3rd)	9:30 am
	Caring Friends (2nd & 4th)	
	Bedtime Story via Fb Live	8:30pm
Wednesday	Fellowship Meal	6:00 pm
	Bible Study onsite & via Fb Live	7:00 pm
	Youth meet (Grades 7-12)	7:00 pm
	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal	8:00 pm
Thursday	Men's Bible Study	6:30 am

Rev. Mike Winters Contact Information

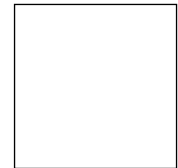
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Like us at: Wise Baptist Church
and at Wise Baptist Youth

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turn into big stuff.*