



# OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

## WE MADE IT!

We exceeded our goal of **150** boxes and packed **156**.

This goal was 25 more boxes than the year before and we exceeded our goal then. The year 2019 is fast approaching and the time to reach children for Christ is short. We may be a small congregation but we have a **GREAT GOD!!!** As we pray and ask Him to do **exceedingly** and **abundantly** more, which He will! Our goal for 2019 is **175** boxes.

We continue to thank you for your generosity in the donated items and the giving of funds to see these boxes get where God wants them.

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### CHURCH WEATHER CLOSING POLICY

This winter we will continue to use Channel 2 (WFMY), cable Channel 9, to announce our closing plans. Forecasts will be reviewed and local conditions surveyed when practical, and a decision made by the Pastor, with advice from the Chairman of the Deacons and the Properties Chairman. Please, be alert to that channel Saturday night and Sunday morning. Wednesday night closings will be handled by calls from the deacons. The parking lot and walks will be scraped, or salt applied when appropriate, but each person should review their own situation before venturing out, and use extra precaution. **WHEN IN DOUBT, DON'T COME OUT!!!**

### OFFERING INFORMATION

Your 2019 offering envelopes will be available by December 16. **PLEASE, DO NOT USE THEM BEFORE JANUARY 6, 2019**, as your number will change. Discard any you have left that you have been using in 2018 after December 31. Contact Debra Jaggers or Lorene Childrey if you do not see a box assigned to you and you would like a box.

Please Note: If you are a regular giver to Holly Hill Baptist Church, even though not a member, there should be a box for you. This greatly assists in our bookkeeping.

**ALSO NOTE:** According to law all Tithes and Offering given after Sunday, December 30, 2018, unless mailed and postmarked by December 31, 2018, must be credited to your 2019 gifts even if the check is dated in December 2018.

### VIEW OUR UPDATED WEBPAGE [www.hollyhillbaptist.org](http://www.hollyhillbaptist.org)

Our webpage has recently been updated, thanks to Dale Cain. Our newsletters will be posted there each month as well as other pertinent information. If you have information that you think should be included, please, pass the information to Pastor Gene or Lorene Childrey.

### COMMUNION OBSERVED

Communion will be observed at the morning service on December 23.

### UPCOMING EVENTS

- Dec. 1 Hanging of the Green, 10 am
- Dec. 3 Deacon's Meet, 6:30 pm
- Dec. 4 NAMI, 6-9 pm (Last Class)
- Dec. 8 BFA SS Class Christmas Party, Fellowship Hall, 6 pm
- Dec.10 NAMI, 6 pm (Supper- FH)
- Dec.14 Fellowship SS Class, Prego's, 5:30 pm
- Dec. 16 Christmas Celebration Luncheon, Sign up in foyer (All invited)
- Dec. 17 Red Cross Blood Drive, Fellowship Hall
- Dec. 23 Communion-Morning Service
- Dec. 25 & 26 Office Closed for Christmas
- Dec. 26 No Wednesday Church Services

### Meals-on-Wheels

Monday, Dec. 10: Ken & Jean Stout  
 Tuesday, Dec. 11: Eldridge & Vicki Matkins  
 Wednesday, Dec. 12: Randy & Vickie Godwin  
 Thursday, Dec. 13 Allen & Connie Swisher

### SERVICE TIMES

**Sundays:** Sunday School: 9:15 am  
 Worship Service: 10:30 am  
**Wednesdays:** Choir Practice: 6:00 pm  
 Prayer/Bible Study: 6:45 pm

### Secretary's Hours:

Mon & Wed. 8:30—2 pm  
 Thurs. 8:30-12 noon  
 Check out our website at:  
[www.hollyhillbaptist.org](http://www.hollyhillbaptist.org)

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### DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

1. Jim Howard
9. Dr. Randy Godwin
14. Wes Tolley
16. Charlotte White
18. Earl Jagers
19. Dr. Anita Collins
25. Joyce Tyree
26. Katrina Jester
28. Ken Stout
29. Rev. Billy Vickery



### DECEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

12. Steve & Anita Collins (26th)



(Please let us know, call 336-584-8040 if you were left off the December Birthday or Anniversary list.)

# DECEMBER 2018

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
						1 Hanging of the Green—10 am
2 Advent Begins	3 Deacons meet 6:30 pm	4 Nami 6-9	5 Choir 6 pm Prayer/Bible Study 6:45 pm	6	7	8 BFA Class Fellowship Hall 6-9 pm
9	10 NAMI 6 pm Supper FH	11 NGO—Longhorn 11:30 am	12 Choir 6 pm Prayer/Bible Study 6:45 pm	13 Bingo 6:30-9 pm Ralph Scott Homes	14 Fellowship SS Class—Prego's 5:30 pm	15
	Meals on Wheels Delivers					
16 Christmas Luncheon—Sign up	17 Red Cross Blood Drive FH—	18	19 Choir 6 pm Prayer/Bible Study 6:45 pm	20	21	22
23 Communion	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31	Merry Christmas!		No Services	NAMI 7 pm	