## Happenings @ HHBC

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#### **OCTOBER 2020**



### FROM THE PASTOR'S PEN

It is with great gratitude that I write this article for the Newsletter. This Church has been so wonderful to us during my surgery of a full knee replacement and therapy that followed.

I am grateful to Rev. Jeff Hagood and Rev. Jerry Johnson for serving in the pulpit on Sundays and the Bible Study on Wednesdays in my absence. They also fulfilled other pastoral duties that were needed by our congregation. I am indebted to the deacons and committees for their hard work during this time of my recuperation.

This is a challenging time as we begin this new church year. We will begin our fifth year with you in October 2020 and we are grateful to you for the opportunity to serve you wonderful folks here at Holly Hill Baptist Church. We pledge our best to you as we begin another year together.

This past year has been very different and challenging during this Covid 19 Pandemic, but the committees and leaders are accomplishing great tasks for our church.

As we begin this new church year together, I know that God is going to bless us to do His will and it will be exciting to see what He has in store for us.

See you Sunday,

Pastor Gene

#### **CONGRATULATIONS**

To Dale Herring who has been elected to serve as Deacon. Ken Stout, Tom White, Dan Cowen, and James Howard will remain on the Deacon Board. Also Trustees elected were Ken Stout, Bud Durham, and Jim Howard.

#### **MEETINGS**

- →The Deacons will meet on Monday, October 5, at 6:30 pm.
- → The Stewardship Committee will meet Sunday, October 18 at 5:30 p.m.
- → The Quarterly Business Meeting will be held on Wednesday, October 21 at 6:45 pm.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD Boxes in 2018: 156 (Goal 150) Boxes in 2019: 215 (Goal 200) Goal for 2020: 300

See inside page for what to donate for October Cost to send 300 boxes \$2,700

Available to date for items and mailing: \$2,055.55

Important Dates:
Packing Boxes: Nov. 7
Dedication of Boxes: Nov. 15
(Collection week: Nov. 12-19)

#### **COMING EVENTS**

October 5 Deacons will meet, 6:30 pm October 18 Stewardship Meeting, 5:30 pm October 21 Quarterly Business Meeting, 6:45

October 26 Deadline for November N/L



# IT WILL SOON BE **PACKING** TIME for **SHOEBOXES**FOR **BOYS** AND **GIRLS** AROUND THE GLOBE

We will be packing our shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child

on

#### SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7 at 9:00 AM.

Put it on your calendar to join us to pack our boxes! It takes a team effort to do this and we need everyone who is able to help us. You will receive a blessing knowing that you packed a shoebox that will be instrumental in a child coming to know about Jesus.

#### **OUR GOAL IS 300 BOXES**

We will continue to collect toys and clothing items for the boxes through October.

#### The following items are suggestions:

Small balls, Jump ropes, Small stuffed animals, Small cars and trucks,

Slinkys, Play doh, Small dolls, Yoyos, Playing card games, Harmonicas,

Kazoos, Small flashlights with batteries

Also needed: Items of clothing, Socks, Underwear, Shirts, Shoes

Please remember all items must fit in the shoebox.

Don't shop? You can make a check out to HHBC and indicate that it is for: OCC - items.

#### **Meals-on-Wheels**

Monday, Oct. 12: Randy & Vickie Godwin Tuesday, Oct 13: Eldridge & Vicki Matkins Wednesday, Oct. 14 Randy & Vickie Godwin Thursday, Oct. 15: 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
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#### OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS



- 3. Ayden Perkins, Bib Fincannon
- 20. Ellen Forrest
- 24. Ursel Huff, Ann Cowen
- 25. Gerry Ray\
- 26. Phyllis Winston
- 29. Tonita Pitts
- 31. Paul West

#### OCTOBER ANNIVERSARIES



19. Rev. Jeff & Donna Hagood (52nd)

Attention Members and Attenders of HHBC: If you have a October Birthday or Anniversary, please let the church office know. (336 584-8040)

#### OCTOBER 2020 1 3 Deacon: Jim Howard 4 10 Choir 6 pm Deacon's Prayer/Bible Meeting 6:30 Study 6:45 pm 12 17 11 13 14 15 16 Choir 6 pm Prayer/Bible Study 6:45 pm Meals on Wheels Delivers 23 24 Stewardship Choir 6 pm Committee Prayer/ Quarterly Business Meeting 5:30 pm 6:45 pm 25 26 27 28 30 Choir 6 pm Nov. N/L Deadline Prayer/Bible Study 6:45 pm