Happenings @ HHBC

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OCTOBER 2023

PASTOR BEGINS EIGHTH YEAR

On October 1, 2023, I will begin my eighth year as Pastor of this great church and fellowship. This will make the second longest tenure of a Pastor at Holly Hill Baptist Church.

I am so grateful for your love and support. As we begin this new church year together, I pray that God will continue to bless our efforts together here.

Mary and I are so grateful to each of you for your dedication as we serve God together in this great mission field.

OCTOBER IS PASTOR APPRECIATION MONTH

Every year, the month of October is observed as pastor Appreciation Month and the second Sunday of October is celebrated as "Pastor Appreciation Day". Please, during this month remember to pray for all pastors, as they serve GOD through HIS church. If you would like to write a note to the Pastor and his wife expressing your appreciation for them you can simply place it in the basket provided in the vestibule.

MEN'S BREAKFAST Tuesday, October 10, 8:30 am Carver's Restaurant Sign Up Sheet in Foyer

NGO (Never Grow Old) Tuesday, October 17, 11:30 am Applebee's Sign Up Sheet in Foyer

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Oct. 2 Mt. Zion—Pastor's Round Table 9-11:30, Fellowship Hall

Oct. 2 Deacon's Meeting, 6:30 pm

Oct. 5 Pastor & Wives Dinner, 5-7:30 pm

Oct. 10 NAMI, 6-8 pm Oct. 19 Bingo, 5-8 pm

NEW DEACONS

We welcome Doug Kelly, Elias Marmolejo, and Ken Stout who begin serving three-year terms as deacons on October 1, 2023. We express our sincere appreciation to Dale Herring and Tom White who rotate off after serving three years. Their jobs, well done!



FROM YOUR SECRETARY:

I thank you for allowing me to be a part of your church staff for 45 years, and for honoring me for the occasion. I thank you

for the monetary and for the beautiful clock/plaque gifts.

As there are different parts to our bodies (most of which we take for granted, until we get hurt, or it doesn't work as it should) the church body has a need for people who can make different contributions. Those that I pose no threat, would be, preacher, organist, choir director, pianist, yard care, and custodian. The body of HHBC is made up of officers, Sunday school staff, and many other volunteers that serve on the committees and all member (especially the praying ones). I thank you all, every one of you, for your contribution that makes HHBC the church family that it is!

Before the end of October, we plan to publish a new directory. My hope is that as you use it, you will pick a different page every day and pray for those listed on the page. Staff Page, Officer Page, and then one page a day of the Roster, pray for each family listed, until you have prayed for the entire membership, and then the committees and the church budget. And then – start all over again! It's okay to wear it out – just request a new one.

My thanks again for your love and friendship and for forgiveness for the mistakes I make. When I came 45 years ago to "help out for a while" I had no idea I would still be functioning 45 years later.

Lorene



OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

We will continue to collect Toys for the month of October: Small balls, jump ropes, small cars/trucks, Slinkies, Play Doh, puzzles, yoyos, playing card games, marbles, Harmonica/Kazoos, flashlights/batteries, stuffed animals, small dolls. Remember they need to fit in a shoe box. <u>Still need (boxes of 24)</u>



Packing Party:
Saturday, November 4, 9:00 A. M.
(All are invited to come and help pack the boxes)

A Reminder: It cost \$10.00 per shoebox to send. Contributions toward the mailing of the boxes are also welcome.



SERVICE TIMES

Sundays: Sunday School: 9:15 am

Worship Service: 10:30 am

Wednesdays: Choir Practice: 6:00 pm

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

- 1. Edith Gilmore, Sam Orona
- 3. Ayden Perkins, Bob Fincannon
- 4. Michelle Bruner
- 20. Ellen Forrest
- 24. Ann Cowen
- 25. Gerry Ray
- 26. Phyllis Winston
- 31. Paul West





OCTOBER ANNIVERSARIES

- 3. Vernon & Patricia Moore (2nd)
- 7. Gary & Robin Jackson (6th)
- 14. Wayne & Anne Kennedy (3rd)
- 19. Jeff & Donna Hagood (55th)

Members & Attendees of HHBC: If you have an October Birthday or Anniversary and you are not on this list, please let the church office know. (336 584-8040)

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1	9-11:30 Pastor's Mt. Zion RoundTable Deacon's Meeting 6:30 pm	3	Choir Bible Study 6:45 pm	5 Pastors & Wives dinner—Mt. Zion 6:30—8:30 pm	6	7
Pastor Appreciation Day	9	Men's Break- fast at Carver's 8:30 am NAMI 6-8 pm	Choir 6 pm Bible Study 6:45 pm	12	13	14
15	16	17 NGO—11:30 am Applebee's	Choir 6 pm Bible Study 6:45 pm	Bingo—Ralph Scott—5-8:30	20	21
22	23	24	Choir 6 pm Bible Study 6:45 pm	26	27	28
Communion 29	30 N/L Deadline 9:30 am	31			Deacon: Glenn	Owens