

THE MESSENGER



Our mission is to develop, equip and assist mission-minded people to fulfill the GREAT COMMISSION.

December is the month for giving to International Missions through the Lottie Moon Offering

100%

OF GIFTS GIVEN TO THE LOTTIE MOON CHRISTMAS OFFERING SUPPORTS MISSIONARY PRESENCE.

IMB

International Mission Study

Adult Speaker: Mary Sheddan

Dec 5, 7pm

Buffalo Baptist

Refreshments to follow

Classes for all ages

December Anniversaries

12th Jason & Kristie Sexton, Narrow Valley
 19th Rev. Stacey & Traci Lawson, Oakland
 21st Rev. Paul & Brandee Owens, Lea Springs
 26th Rev. Scott & Lisa Greene, Helton Springs

Executive Board Meeting:
For December is cancelled.
 If your church would like to order The Annual Book of Minutes, the cost is \$5 each. Make checks payable to the GBA.

Churches without Pastors

Liberty Hill
 New Prospect
 Southside

Grainger Baptist Association

Free

Christmas Festival

RUTLEDGE MIDDLE SCHOOL

Santa Pictures, Kids craft stations, inflatables, music, and Food!

DECEMBER 9TH 2023 9AM-1PM

January 25-27, 2024

Registration deadline-Dec. 8th

PRAY NOW

BIVOCATIONAL MINISTERS AND WIVES RETREAT

Church News:

First Baptist Church Bean Station– Rev. Derek Drummonds

3 Joined the church

Dec. 3rd Candlelight Communion Service

Dec. 6th Will host Bean Station students for Bible Release Time

Dec. 17th Christmas Cantata –morning service @ 11:00

Dec. 17th Christmas Church Dinner @ 6:00 pm

Dec. 24th Christmas Play @ 6:00 pm

Indian Ridge Baptist Church– Rev. Gary Satterfield

2 joined church by letter

Dec. 10th Widow's & Widower's luncheon

Powder Springs Baptist Church-Rev. Darrell Williams

Sunday School-10am, Worship Service-11am, Night service-6 pm

Wed. Service-7 pm

One joined the church

Nov. 12th had Thanksgiving Celebration with food & fellowship

Dec. 9th Christmas Meal and gift exchange

Early December we will be distributing fruit baskets

Sunrise Baptist Church– Rev. Scott Howerton

One saved

Oct. 28th– Had fall festival and pastor appreciation

Oct. 29th-Pink Out Day/Brother Aaron Trent brought the message for youth Sunday

Nov. 8th Packed Christmas Shoe Boxes-total 69

Nov. 11th-Church had pictures made for the new church directory

Nov. 12th-Bro. Blake Bishop brought the morning message/Youth provided Thanksgiving Lunch

Nov. 20th-Hosted Joppa Students for Bible Release Time

Dec. 4th– WMU will be delivering Christmas meals to shut-in s and the community.

PLEASE SEND IN ANY UPCOMING CHURCH NEWS!

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Food Pantry

Items needed:

Pancake mix Tuna Canned Chicken Toilet Paper Canned soup Vienna Sausage

Cereal Canned Vegetables Crackers Bar Soap Tooth Paste Tooth Brushes

Items are always needed for our school kid's bags (ramen noodles, juice drinks, peanut butter & crackers, pudding, etc.)

Families Served through the Food Pantry for November 413

Wednesday Meals Served for November 2042

Clothes Closet Needs: Men's size Small & Med., Men's Jeans; Socks, coats, winter items for all ages, household items, shoes and Blankets.

All donations are appreciated.

96 Families served for November

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