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February 2017

OPPORTUNITY PRESENTS ITSELF

It is absolutely amazing how the Lord blesses us with opportunities, over and again, to serve Him and honor Him with our lives. He will open doors of opportunity for us which we may often mistake for hindrances if we are not careful. With these opportunities come great and weighty responsibilities as well.

Paul prayed for, and requested prayer for, the opportunities the Lord would open up for him. Paul's desire with these opportunities was focused on bringing honor to the glorious name of our great God. Note how he begins his letter to the Thessalonian church. *Finally, brothers, pray for us that the message of the Lord may spread rapidly and be honored, just as it was with you* (2 Thessalonians 3:1). In another passage Paul was writing in regard to how the church is to conduct itself when observing the Lord's Supper. Right in the midst of his instruction he says, *So whether you eat or drink or whatever you do, do it all for the glory of God* (1 Corinthians 10:31). He implores us in whatever we do, do it all for the glory of God!

PBC has been presented some great opportunities, two of which I would like to emphasize here. In recent months we have seen two ministry staff positions open up. Ministers we all have loved and grown close to have moved into new and different seasons of life and ministry. With these two openings God has presented us with the opportunity to move into new and different days of God honoring ministry. "New" because we will be serving soon alongside new individual ministers. "Different" because we will be serving soon alongside different ministers. Let's look to these new ministry days with a strong drive to honor God and do it all for the glory of God.

It is with grateful hearts that our Worship Pastor Search Team has devoted themselves to their work, knowing the PBC family stands with them in prayer. Your prayers have been heard by our Lord and He has been guiding and helping throughout this journey. It is the desire of this team to have something to present to the PBC family in the near future. It has been amazing to watch how we can plot our plans and set our goals only to see God work details in ways we never even considered. That's a good indicator that He is the one in control and not we who are guiding our ship. He also receives the honor for the work accomplished.

The Youth Pastor Search Team will be assembled shortly and begin their work to find God's person to lead our youth ministry. Please commit this team to your prayers as you have the Worship Pastor Search Team. This team will be making contacts with several outlets to gather information regarding candidates for this position. They will pray together, set goals together, follow leads together, and work together. More than anything this team will be submissive to the will of our wonderful Lord. When their process is complete we will all, no doubt, see the hand of God guiding them throughout their journey together.

Oh, what glorious days lay ahead as we pursue God's great plan for PBC! They will speak of the glorious splendor of your majesty, and I will meditate on your wonderful works (Psalm 145:5).



February Pulpit

February 5 Why Do I Have All This Stuff!
February 12 West Point Chapel Cadet Choir



February 19 Abandoning Ship - Haggai 1:1-5
February 26 Restoring a Power Wagon - Haggai 1:6-15



West Point Chapel Cadet Choir At PBC

February 11 at 7 PM A Community Event

February 12 at 11 AM Morning Worship

A Love Offering Will Be Received February Calendar

Weekly Events

Sunday

9:45am Sunday School 10:55am Worship 10:55am Children's Church 10:00am 6:30pm

6:45pm

Morning Bible Study AWANA

Wednesday

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Adult Bi

Youth Bible Study Adult Bible Study College Bible Study

Church Events for February

February 2017	
Men's Prayer Breakfast - 8:00 AM	5
Prison Ministry - 6:00 PM	
West Point Chapel Cadet Choir - 7:00 PM	
C.A.R.E. Ministry - 5:00 PM	13
LLL's Luncheon Meeting - 12:00 Noon	14
VALENTINE'S DAY 14	
Parade of Tables - 6:30 PM	18
Valentine's Day Banquet - 12:00 PM	19
Deacons Meeting - 7:30 PM 20	
COMMUNION/CHURCH CONFERENCE	26
C.A.R.E. Ministry - 5:00 PM	27

Happy Birthday

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February Birthdays		
2	Marshall Price	
3	Edward Britt	
4	Jackie Smith	
6	Hannah B Johnson	
9	Dottie Pearce	
12	Janice Lewis, Suzanne Mitchell	
12	Carolyn Walker	
16	Dwayne Batten	
18	Bradley Porter	
19	Leonore Gronendyke	
20	Rose Worley	
23	J.L. Pittman	



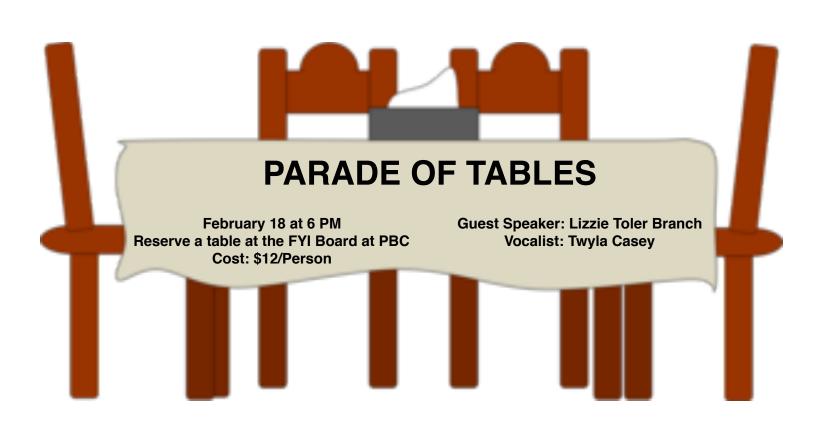
Monday February 20, 2017 7:30 PM

February Service Deacon Mark Wellons Tithes and Offerings January, 2017

General Fund MTD — \$25,104.58

Monthly Requirement — \$28,875.00

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10/20 Offering

We have received \$2200 in commitments to date.

You can still give to the 10/20 offering. Contact the church office to make your commitment to support PBC missions.

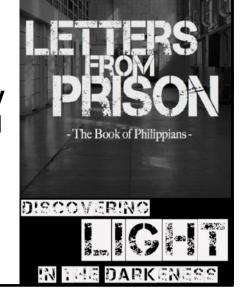
10/20 stands for \$10 per week for 20 weeks, or \$200 total.

This offering helps with mission trips and projects throughout the year.

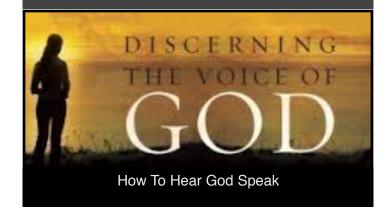
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Sunday School Study



Wednesday Nights





April 21, 2017

12 am - 6 am

Go Carts, Laser Tag, and Mini Golf! Plus much, MUCH MORE!!

\$30/Person - Includes two slices of pizza, a drink and all video games that don't give tickets for prizes.

All other games will require extra money.

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LLL's Luncheon

Tuesday February 14, 2017 12:00 Noon

Please come join us for good food and fellowship YOU'LL BE GLAD YA DID!

C.A.R.E. Ministry

The CARE Team meets February 13 & 27, 2017 at 5:00 PM. Join us if you can pray, help deliver meals, clean up after dinner or make follow up visits. Please notify the team if you know of any needs they can meet or anyone who needs encouragement to join our church family. We need drivers to deliver meals on the second & fourth Monday nights.

C.A.R.E. Team Report

January 23, 2017

Members Present:9Meals Delivered21Visits1Cards Sent20

Prayers for all requests

Praises for many blessings

February Nursery Schedule Sunday School & Worship

Nursery Volunteers		
5	Kaitlyn Batten	
12	Megan Lee	
19	Allison Tyndall	
26	Megan Lee	

Rotating Nursery Schedule

Karen Pearson & Kim Wellons Joyce Dudley & Margaret Bullock

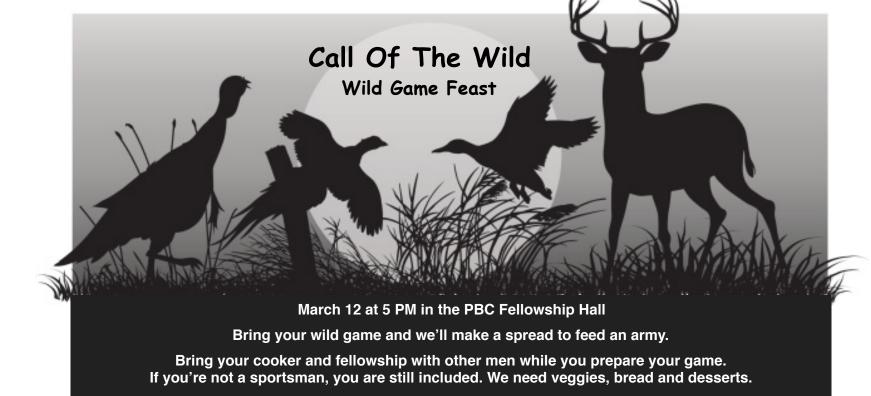
Senior Parking

In respect for the needs of our senior saints, we ask that the parking spaces in the rear parking lot by the Fellowship Hall be reserved for our senior citizens. This includes all spaces from the drive-through shelter to 2nd St. The two Guest spaces will still be reserved for guest.

Ushers

February 2017 Lead Usher - Ed Martin Phone - 919-921-6512

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February 2017 Flower Schedule

- 5 William Wellons & Chloe Wellons in memory of Dorothy Wellons, wife & mother
- 12 Mickey & Jackie Smith in memory of R.C. & Edna Smith and in honor of Mandi & Linda and all other family members
- 19 Raeford Woodall in memory of his wife, Madge Woodall
- 26 COMMUNION/CHURCH CONFERENCE

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