

DECEMBER 2018 NEWSLETTER

Calendar December 2018

12/1-Fellowship Hall-11am-4pm
12/4-Deacons Meeting
12/5-Seminary Student, Louis Cook to preach
12/7-Deacon/Spouse Christmas Party
12/15-Fellowship Hall-1pm-10pm
12/16-Christmas Cantata
12/19-Quarterly Business Meeting
12/24-Christmas Eve Communion Service
12/24-Fellowship Hall-1pm-5pm
12/26-No Mid-Week Activities
12/30-5th Sunday Communion

Midweek Schedule

Awana: 6:30-7:45 pm
Youth Discipleship Study: 6:30-7:45 pm
Adult Prayer Meeting: 6:45-7:30 pm
Adult Choir Practice: 7:45 pm

Ushers – December 2018

Charles Blackley
Steve Brown
Larry Perry
Robert Williams
Andy Woodlief

Nursery Schedule

2 Janet Alford & Joseph Bryant
9 Andrea Lawhorne & Kristie Hill
16 Cindy Baker & Jillian Burk
23 Susan Pierce & Jady Burk
30 Jill Ferrell & Joseph Bryant



December 2018 - From the Pastor

Charlotte Digges “Lottie” Moon was born, December 12th 1840, in Albemarle County, Virginia. Although she initially rebelled against Christianity, Lottie later dedicated her life to Christ while in college and was baptized at First Baptist Church, Charlottesville, Virginia, in 1858. In 1873, Lottie followed her sister Edmonia to the land of China to serve her Lord as a missionary. For 39 years, Lottie served as a missionary mostly in China’s Shantung province. Lottie was passionate about people knowing Christ. She didn’t hesitate to speak her mind. Disease, turmoil, and a lack of co-workers threatened to undo Lottie’s work. But she gave herself completely to God, helping lay the foundation of what would become the modern Chinese church, one of the fastest growing movements in the world. Lottie Moon died at 72, ill and in declining health after decades ministering to her beloved Chinese. Her legacy lives on today through the annual **Lottie Moon Christmas Offering for International Missions**. 100% of your gifts this month go to sustain Baptist missionaries and their families around the world. Our church goal is **\$7,000.00**. Give sacrificially so that others may go in the name of the Lord for the spread of the gospel to the ends of the earth.

Merry Christmas!
Pastor Earl & Kathy

Scripture for December

"For a child will be born to us, a son will be given to us; and the government will rest on His shoulders; and His name will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Eternal Father, Prince of Peace." (Isaiah 9:6)



*Birthdays
of the Month*
December 2018 Birthdays

Happy Birthday

- 5 Doris Champion
Faith James
- 6 Melba J. Perry
- 16 Ricky Bunn
- 18 Michael Bullock
- 19 M'Lou Anderson
- 20 Kay Perry
Lindberg Ray
- 21 Kenan Pope
- 22 Eric Gainey
- 24 Butch Duke
- 25 Marcia Brannan
- 26 Robert Williams
- 27 Amoret Rhodes
- 28 Stephen Mitchell
- 29 Maria Sealey
- 31 R.J. Pearce

Remember those in Rest Homes and Assisted Living

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Patty Baker

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Intercessory Prayer List

Curtis Alford
Patty Baker
Beth Barham
Inez Brown
Ramona Bunn
Gerald English
Donald & Hilda Fowler
Mary Hopkins
Betty Horton
Danny & Cindy Jobe
Angela Melton
Norma McGee
Alice Overton
Faye Perry
Kay Perry
Nancy Perry
Ronnie Perry
Lovie Puryear
J.W. & Sylvia Reel
Amoret Rhodes
Elsie Suppes