

# ***The Caller***

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## EVENTS

- November 11- Veteran's Day
- November 11-14- BGAV Annual Meeting
- November 12-19- Drop off for Operation Christmas Child shoe boxes at Chatham Heights Baptist Church
- November 22- Office CLOSED for Thanksgiving
- December 11- Pastors, Staff Ministers, Retired Ministers, and Spouses Christmas Dinner
- December 25- Office CLOSED for Christmas



## ***CHRISTMAS DINNER*** *for* ***PASTORS, STAFF MINISTERS, RETIRED MINISTERS*** ***AND SPOUSES***

Tuesday, December 11, 2018 5:30 PM  
Downstairs at HCBA

RSVP REQUIRED BY WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 5TH  
You may call 638-2951 or email [hcbaptists@gmail.com](mailto:hcbaptists@gmail.com)



**MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW** to celebrate this Christmas season together!

# EVANGELISM AND MISSIONS



## *SALVATION ARMY ANGEL TREE*

Adopt an angel (or a family)  
Beginning November 1st  
From 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM

Deliver gifts by December 3rd  
To 603 S. Memorial Blvd  
From 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM

## **OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD DROP OFF DATES: (Shoe boxes)**

- Monday, November 12: 6-8 PM
- Tuesday, November 13: 6-8 PM
- Wednesday, November 14:  
10 AM-Noon & 6-8 PM
- Thursday, November 15: 6-8 PM
- Friday, November 16: 10 AM-Noon
- Saturday, November 17 :9-11 AM
- Sunday, November 18: 3-5 PM
- Monday, November 19: 9-11 AM

### **REMINDER!**

The HCBA helps sponsor the food pantry located at One Accord Baptist Church on Kings Mountain Road. If you learn of someone who needs food assistance, have them call Ralph Taylor at 276-340-7108 to set up an appointment.

**CHATHAM HEIGHTS BC  
1235 Chatham Hgts. Rd.  
Martinsville, VA 24112**

## **HORNE HOME WALK-A-THON**

We would like to thank everyone for their generous donations to help support the Horne Home. The ladies really appreciate all that we do to give them a beautiful place to live.

We, unfortunately, had to cancel the walk due to Hurricane Florence. But are pleased to report that we have raised **\$9846.50!**

If your church did not get to participate, it's never too late. Make your check out to The Horne Home, c/o HCBA 3449 Kings Mountain Rd, Martingale, VA 24112.

Thank you again!

Peggy Delancey, Team Leader

Linda Gale  
Carol Lewis

Brenda Hundley  
Andy Weaver

# Church News and Events!

**BLACKBERRY** ...November 3- Women's Painting Clinic from 1:00-3:00 PM; November 7 and December 5- Community Meal and Bible study at 6:00 PM; November 17- Men's Prayer Breakfast at Mackie's at 8:00AM; November 18- Community Thanksgiving Service at 5:00 PM; December 19- Lessons and Carols at 6:30 PM; December 23- Christmas Cantata "The Greatest Story Ever Told" at 11:00 AM.

**FBC, BASSETT** ... November 10- Joyful Sound benefit concert at 6:00 PM; December 2- Hanging of the Greens at 6:00 PM; December 9- Christmas Cantata at 11:00 AM.

**FBC, COLLINSVILLE** ... December 15- Breakfast with Santa at 9:00 AM; December 16- Christmas Cantata at 11:00 AM; December 24- Communion (time to be determined)

**McCABE MEMORIAL** ... November 14 and December 12- Meals to be taken to the home bound/shut-in; November 18- Thanksgiving meal following worship service; December 1- 21<sup>st</sup> annual "Happy Birthday Jesus" party at Walmart from 11:00- 1:00 PM; December 9- Praise Team will perform special music; December 16- Children will have a puppet skit; December 23- Candlelight Communion Service.

**OAK LEVEL** ... November 10- Youth Coordinating Committee is sponsoring a Color Run for Jesus from 1:30-3:30 PM; November 11- Concert by "Sunday Drive" at 6:00 PM; Also, collection and blessing of Operation Christmas Child shoe boxes; November 18- Covered dish Thanksgiving meal after worship service.

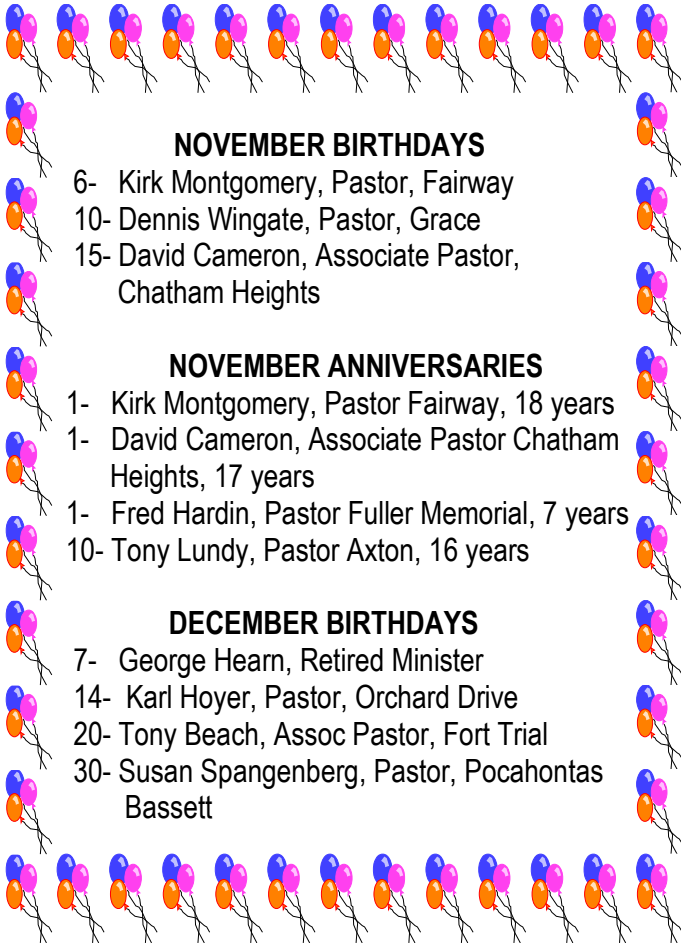
**ORCHARD DRIVE** ... November and December we are collecting canned goods for Grace Network; November 4- collection for Operation Christmas Child shoe boxes; November 22- Thanksgiving Meal; November 25 and each Sunday in December will have Advent services.

**POCAHONTAS BASSETT** ...November 10 and December 8- Pickers' and Fiddlers' Songfest from 10:00 AM to Noon; November 15 and December 20- Community Meal at 5:30 PM; December 6, 13, and 20th- Advent Pipe Organ concerts at 12:15 PM; December 16- Christmas Cantata.

**SHILOH MISSIONARY** ... November 11- Veterans Day observance during worship service; December 16- Christmas program at 6:00 PM.



# This & That...



## NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

- 6- Kirk Montgomery, Pastor, Fairway
- 10- Dennis Wingate, Pastor, Grace
- 15- David Cameron, Associate Pastor, Chatham Heights

## NOVEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

- 1- Kirk Montgomery, Pastor Fairway, 18 years
- 1- David Cameron, Associate Pastor Chatham Heights, 17 years
- 1- Fred Hardin, Pastor Fuller Memorial, 7 years
- 10- Tony Lundy, Pastor Axton, 16 years

## DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

- 7- George Hearn, Retired Minister
- 14- Karl Hoyer, Pastor, Orchard Drive
- 20- Tony Beach, Assoc Pastor, Fort Trial
- 30- Susan Spangenberg, Pastor, Pocahontas Bassett

## INCOME/EXPENSES FOR SEPTEMBER

Income.....	\$ 4613.79
Expenses.....	\$10,166.16
Net Income.....	\$ -5552.37
(\$5000.00 was donated to Disaster Relief for Hurricane Florence victims)	

## ANNUAL MEETING

### WRAP UP

*“Being the Gospel in a Changing Culture”*



Thank you to all who helped make our Annual Meeting on October 16th a wonderful time of fellowship and worship! Thank you to Fort Trial Baptist Church for hosting: Shirley Ray and her committee for cooking and serving the delicious meal; Rev. Tony Beach for helping with all last minute details; Darlene McNeill, Angie Haynes, and the Choir for the wonderful music that so many said they enjoyed; Denise Belcher for helping with all things secretarial; and the greeters and ushers.

Many thanks to all the program participants: Revs. Ashley and Brian Harrington who remembered all of our members who have gone to be with the Lord this past year; Pat McKinster and Sharon Wigington who directed and accompanied our hymns; Lt. Ruby Keith of the Salvation Army who enlightened us about their Warming Shelter (the offering for them was \$546.....THANK YOU!); Rev. Joe Glass, Rev. Keith Spangenberg, Rev. Susan Spangenberg, Glenn Sellers, Martha Martin, and Donna Finley with the Registration Team for presenting all of our business.

A special thank you to Dr. John Upton, Jr. who inspired us with his sermon and challenged us to keep presenting the gospel with new ministries that will lead others to a relationship with Jesus.

A big thank you to Sharon Smith, our Office Administrator, who makes our meeting run smoothly by all her hard work for weeks and months before the meeting.

Once again, many thanks to our retiring Officers Betty Crotty and Glenn Sellers for your many, many years of dedicated service.

Shirley Craven  
Past Moderator