FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH November 22, 2020

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PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

CHURCH FAMILY: Tracie Wildman, George Boyd, Louie Askew, John Smith, Marguerite Sexton Hart, Kristie Nicholson, Claudia Beacham, Faye McCombs, Oliver and Frances Lucas, Sandy McMurtrie, Clifford Frymier, Barbara Peyton.

OTHER CONCERNS: Jan Street (Mother of Sherri Harrington), Neal Brown, Dennis Freier (Father of Elizabeth Benjamin), Don May (Friend of Dee Gee Griffith), Sue Owens, Greg Spruill, Faye Lyle, William Sexton, Alfonzo Boyd, Ryan Alligood (Nephew of Wade Rogers), Christi Rogerson, Dr. James Hagwood, Kim Wynne, Mike Ward, Marty Barfield, Jason Phelps, Rodney Rogerson, Frank Winslow.

NURSING HOME RESIDENTS: Three Rivers- Christine McMurtrie #208; River Trace Nursing & Rehab Center, Washington- Pauline Humphreys #418; Eunice Carraway #325; Roanoke Landing-Alice Dotson #209, Tim Elks #315; Rich Square Health Care Center -Annie Griffith #108-B; Chowan River Nursing Home- Rae Owens; Tyrell House- Joyce Harrell 205B.

If you have a prayer request, please add them on the lines below and give to Pastor Paul.

The Annual Turkey Trot will be Tuesday, November 24. Please be here between 9:00 – 9:30 am if you are helping with preparation and delivery. Everyone helping should please wear a mask.

We will have a Fifth Sunday Offering for the Salvation Army November 29. We were not able to work out ringing the kettle bell due to Covid restrictions. Donations are down this year for the Salvation Army, and they need our help.

There is no Bible Study Wednesday, November 25. The church office is closed Thursday, November 26 and Friday, November 27.

A Called Conference is scheduled for Sunday, December 6 after worship to vote on the 2021 Church Budget.

There are a few names left on the Angel Tree. Please take a moment this morning and choose your angel. Remember to sign the sheet beside the name you choose. Gifts are due December 16.

We will continue the offering for Baptist Children's Homes through the end of the month. Our goal is \$1,800 and we have received \$1,885.00!!

STEWARDSHIP Sunday, November 15, 2020

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Budget \$6,076.00 Radio Ministry \$1,000.00 Samaritan's Purse \$100.00 Children's Homes \$505.00

Dessert Auction/ Youth Fundraiser

We will not be able to hold our Dessert Auction as usual this year. However, we still want to do a sale of baked goods. This is the plan that we have come up with. We are asking all of our bakers and cooks who normally provide goodies for the Dessert Auction to do the same this year. Each cook will determine what they will make, how many of that item they will provide, and what price we should charge. You may be contacted by a member of the Youth Council, but if you are not, please contact Karen by December 3 to get your item(s) on the list. Once the list is compiled, it will be put on the church website, printed in the bulletin, and sent in an email by Sunday, December 6. Instead of bidding on items, you will simply call the church office, or Karen (336-247-0413) to order the item you would like. This will be a first come – first served sale. The website will be updated each day, removing items that have already been purchased. Orders will be taken through Sunday, December 13. We ask all cooks to have your items at the church by the morning of Tuesday, December 15. If you have ordered an item, you may come by the Fellowship Hall and pick it up anytime that day, up until 7:00 pm. Thank you for helping our youth to continue this fundraising tradition, even in these unusual times.

YOU'RE INVITED

During the upcoming holiday season, concert pianist and recording artist David Roach from Rutherfordton, NC will again be performing at three different venues in eastern North Carolina. These concerts have become a tradition since Roach's first "Christmas in Hyde" concert in Swan Quarter in 2010.

The Washington County concert will be Friday night December 4, 2020 at 7:00 pm in the First Baptist Church sanctuary. This is a free concert, and the public is invited. It will feature holiday selections written by Roach and others that are special to him and his audience. The concert will end with audience participation in a selected traditional Christmas carol – which is sure to get everyone in the holiday spirit with the true meaning of the season.