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### Spring Forward Sunday March 9th!





PASSION FOR PEOPLE, MISSIONS AND JESUS! Annie Armstrong was born in Baltimore at a time when women were not expected to lead. She served, challenged churches to action, and rallied support for missionaries. Ultimately, Annie was recognized as a national Southern Baptist trailblazer renowned for visionary missions leadership.

Our Goal is \$1,000.00

# Let us Celebrate!

#### Happy Birthday

Evan Davenport 3/1 Marguerite Hart 3/2 Joseph Swain 3/3 Bobby Brown 3/6 **Rexanne Harrison 3/8** Tom Harrison 3/9 Sherri Harrington 3/10 Denise Nobles 3/10 Mary Kay Bradshaw 3/14 Linda Sermons 3/14 Meredith Bradshaw 3/15 India Jones 3/15 Claire Speller 3/21 Shelly Brabble 3/22 Kim Blevins 3/23 Sandra Spruill 3/26

# Congratulations!

<u>Happy Anniversary</u> Nevis & Jamie Leary 3/13 Jim & Susan Sawyer

3/30

Mike & Caroline Gurganus

3/31



### NOTE OF APPRECIATION

It is with grateful hearts that we say thank you for the love offering. What a wonderful surprise! Your kindness and generosity has blessed us many times. We are facing another big challenge, but with God, your prayers, and support, we will get through it. We love and appreciate each one of you!!

With Humble Hearts,

Jeff and Danita

### Coming up this month!

#### Sunday the 2nd

Baptist Men's Breakfast at 7:30 am; Baptist Men's Sunday at 11:00 am worship. Communion Observed.

#### Monday the 3rd

Mission Action meets at 1:00 pm at Golden Skillet. Buildings and Grounds will meet at 6:30 pm.

#### **Tuesday the 4th**

Helen Peele Circle meets at 2:00 pm in the Craft Room with Susan Rea hosting. Please read chapter 8.

#### Monday the 10th

Deacons meet at 7:00 pm with Johnny Barnes hosting.

#### Don't forget our on-going missions opportunities: Blessing Box, Food Pantry and Mile of Pennies!



#### NURSERY SCHEDULE

2nd– Lora Craddock, Glenda Smith 9th-Caroline Chandler, Amy Collins 16th-Faith Noell, Jolie Barnes 23rd-Dianne Swain, Susan Sawyer 30th-Ann Cody, India Jones

### Join us for Wednesday Night Suppers and Bible Study

6:30 PM Supper 7:00 PM Adult Bible Study and Youth Group.

## Please Keep in Your Prayers

#### **Our Church Family:**

Larry Nicholson, Virginia Dilday, George Boyd, Mittie Ward, Margaret Sugg, Chris Smith, Marguerite Hart, Ann Bland, BJ Lyle, Faye McCombs.

#### Friends and Relatives:

Clifton Moore, Mike Ownby, Amanda Thompson, Kevin Phelps, Amy Gurganus, Aiden Bishop, Ronnie Coburn, Sharon Shipley, Rick Casey, Tim King, Rodney Rogerson, Ronnie Collier, Jeff Davis, Mary Bunting, Amy Phelps, Danny Barber, Stan Dymek, Joelle Dickey, Joyce Jones, Evan Roberson, Stanley Curry, John C. Man, Shirley Harrell, Betty King, Whitney Denton.

### In the Nursing Homes:

*Tim Elks* Carrolton Of Plymouth

*Steve Barnes* Autumnfield of Belhaven.

*Nancy Revelle* Ahoskie Assisted Living

*Shelby Flint* Windsor House



# Youth and Children

# Hello Church Family,

In case you missed the announcement, Vacation Bible School 2025 will be on June 9th—13th. I encourage you if you are interested in helping to plan VBS to consider joining the planning team. This years theme through LifeWay is Magnified, focused on praising and glorifying our BIG God, by looking at even the small things. In addition to VBS, I am looking forward throughout this year with ideas of outreach for our Church. One thing I have been completely convinced of is that no one person can handle outreach. We should all be telling friends and others about Jesus, our ris-

en Lord. We should all be inviting others to come to Church. We certainly should all be praying that the Lord work in the hearts of our Young People, so that we might see many come to the Lord.

I look forward to continuing to serve the Lord together in the Month of March.

-Pastor Loyd

When you can't make it to worship, listen on Magic 95.9

# PLYMOUTH FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH March 2025

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

The first day of Spring is March 20th. And I'm sure like me- you are ready for it! I've had enough of below freezing temperatures and cleaning off sidewalks and cars! Easter is arriving later this year in April, however with the Spring season we are reminded of new life-resurrection life.

When we come to faith in Christ, His death, burial and resurrection, we are to confess and repent of our sins. We are to begin a new life in Christ. We are to turn away from our old life and embrace a new one, following Jesus and living for Him. We read of this turning away from sin in Galatians 6: 19-24 "Now the works of the flesh are evident: sexual immorality, impurity, sensuality, <sup>20</sup> idolatry, sorcery, enmity, strife, jealousy, fits of anger, rivalries, dissensions, divisions, <sup>21</sup> envy, drunkenness, orgies, and things like these. I warn you, as I warned you before, that those who do such things will not inherit the kingdom of God. <sup>22</sup> But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, <sup>23</sup> gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law. <sup>24</sup> And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires."

Often we read of Jesus encountering people and healing them. He then says to them, now go and sin no more. No one can live the Christian life perfectly- however, what is your attitude toward sin when you find yourself in disobedience to God? Does it bring conviction to change? Being a Christian is about living a life contrary to the world. If you haven't been doing so- step into a new life in Jesus, for living righteously is the best way to live! Happy Spring!