

MANGHAM BAPTIST CHURCH

APRIL 2020 NEWSLETTER

Rick Aultman—Pastor



I am sure that most of you are not enjoying the state of the world right now. Whether it's the insane hoarding of toilet tissue or the inconvenience of businesses closing their doors, we are certainly going through historical events that are a hardship on everyone. In God's Word, we are reminded that our sense of security and well being should not be dependent upon the events of the world: Galatians 5:22-23 states, "But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, gentleness, faithfulness, and self-control."

Notice the scripture does not read, "the fruit of our circumstances, or even our own efforts is love, joy, etc..." Those in this world who are dependent upon the right set of circumstances in order to have love, joy, peace, patience... are going to be depressed, fearful, anxious, and utterly undone. Let us remember that when we are allowing the Spirit to lead us and are being obedient to the Lord that love, joy, peace, patience ... can abide in our hearts and carry us through the most difficult of times. Jesus assured us that He would carry us through the troublesome times in this world: "I have told you these things, so that in me you may have peace. In this world you will have trouble. But take heart! I have overcome the world." (John 16:33)

Believing and Belonging, Bro Rick

Sunday Mornings Worship Service

Sunday Morning Worship Service will be Live-streamed on Facebook at 10:30 am. We are asking everyone to please remain at home and join us on the internet. If you do not have access to Facebook, contact the church office, as we have volunteers who are willing to help you set this up. Our **Sunday Evening Service** will consist of in-home family worship times. We will post devotional guides for these family gatherings on our web site and on the church Facebook site.

Wednesday Evening Activities

Wednesday evening activities: there are no on-site activities planned for the near future, but we are working on a mid-week devotion and church update that will be posted on our web-site and Facebook. GLOW will not meet until further notice, but we do plan to have an end of the year get together as some point.

Easter Services

The Palm Sunday events planned for April 5 at Richland Baptist Encampment have been cancelled. We will keep you updated about the possibility of some special services for Easter morning on April 12.

Right Now Ministries

Mangham Baptist Church will be contracting with “Right Now Ministries” to provide you and your family with a video resource for teaching, small group gatherings, and entertainment. Imagine Netflix combined with YouTube specifically for Christians. There will be no cost to the families of our church, but we must have an email address for each family who wants access. Please email your name, contact number and best email address to Bro. Rick at rickaultman@yahoo.com so that we can include you.

April Birthday Calendars

April birthday calendars are attached and available in the foyer.

Our Senior Saint Over Seventy

Celebrating our Senior Saint over seventy in April: Clifton Frey

Samaritan’s Purse

In April we are collecting hairbrushes, combs, and small toys.

Colonial Manor Birthday Cakes

Donna Rhymes is taking care of the Colonial Manor Birthday Cakes for April 12, 2020.

Cross Camp

First youth Cross Camp payment is due April 1.

LADIES TEA

May 2, 2020 – Save the date!

Men’s Conference

The Gridiron Men’s Conference will be held in Huntsville Alabama on June 19–20. If you or someone you know would like to attend, please sign up in the church vestibule.

Care & Share

Items needed for the month of April: Cookies – Oatmeal, Oreos, Peanut Butter, Sugar, Chocolate Chip

Easter Sunrise Service

Everyone is invited to the Easter Sunrise Service at the home of Jerry and Rachel Gandy at 7:00AM. Breakfast will be served following the service.



Although we are not allowed to gather at this time for Easter celebrations, we would like to use this opportunity to reach out even further into our community through online and at home Easter activities. In place of our annual Children's Easter Egg Hunt, we would like to offer an incredible opportunity for your children and family to celebrate the resurrection of Jesus in your own home and share experiences with everyone.

We would like to deliver some Easter activities for your family to do every day as we recognize Jesus' death and celebrate His resurrection. We will post every day on what activity to do and we would like you to share your family's photos of your Easter projects.

Help us go beyond our church and reach out into our community even from our isolation.

Please comment on this post if you would like an activity pack delivered to your home.

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