

MANGHAM BAPTIST CHURCH
JANUARY 2019 NEWSLETTER
Rick Aultman—Pastor



FROM THE PASTOR

Reflection and Correction

“Brothers, I do not consider myself to have taken hold of it. But one thing I do; forgetting what is behind and reaching forward to what is ahead. I pursue as my goal the prize promised by God’s heavenly call in Christ Jesus.” (Philippians 3:13-14 CSB).

This is really a great verse for us to meditate upon, at this time. The old year is passing by and the new year, 2019, is ahead of us. This is a time for reflection and correction: Reflecting back over the past few months at our successes and failures; and looking ahead into the new year to determine what we can do different to correct any deviations in a steady walk with the Lord. The best thing that we can do with the past is leave it in the past. Regardless of the good or bad, we cannot go back and change anything. Our best course of action is to look ahead and let the Lord lead us each day of the new year. So let’s embrace the goal to which Christ has called us. Be FOLLOWERS of Jesus.

Believing and Belonging,
Bro Rick

Celebrating Our Senior Saints in January are: Betty Carraway, Don Talley, Nanella Talley, and Peggy Wood.

Beginning in February, there will be a quarterly Senior Saints Birthday Celebration Luncheon for the birthday person and spouse following the morning service and lunch.

We thank each one who bought poinsettias in memory of or in honor of someone this year.

Please pick up a copy of the January birthday calendar available in the foyer.

Senior Saints' Soup Saturday

A soup luncheon will be delivered to our senior adults (ages 70 and over) on Saturday, January 12th. The meal will be delivered in the homes between 11:00 and 12:30. Please help us by letting us know if YOU are in that group (ages 70 or older) or if there are others in the community that we can include in the deliveries. Don't miss out. Please contact Renee' by January 5th at 381-0899 to add your name or a neighbor's name to the list.

“Deacon of the Week”

Starting in January we will have “Deacon of the Week”. In Acts 6, the disciples chose men to help them in their duties so they could spend more time in prayer and studying God's word. Each week there will be a deacon or deacons listed in the bulletin and on the TV screens along with contact numbers. As the different ministry needs arise during the week, informing the deacon is recommended and from there he can relay to the pastor or the proper ministry team. This is one of many ways that the deacon body is willing to do to better serve our Lord and His church, and we are also blessed to have Bro. Rick as our pastor.

Scott McKay, Chairman of Deacons

Building Fund Information to date:

December Building Contributions	\$ 6,388.00
Monthly Building Note	\$ 5,500.00
Outstanding Note Balance	\$ 173,962.18

Thanks so much to each Sunday School Class who has provided birthday cakes for Colonial Manor this year. You have blessed each resident there as they celebrated their birthday and enjoyed the yummy cakes. Let's keep it up in 2019. Thanks again, Your Missions Committee.

Eddie & Donna Rhymes would like to thank the church family for all the ways they have supported David, Jaime, Molly and Emma over the past 7 years while they were our IMB missionaries in West Africa. God has led them back to the US to continue serving Him in ministry in the area He will lead them into here. Your prayers have meant so very much to all of them.

CHILDREN IN ACTION will be starting back in January. Be watching for information on CHILDREN'S MISSION DAY in February. Thanks! Donna Rhymes

Samaritan's Purse: For the month of January, we will be collecting wash cloths and soap (no liquids please), and small toys.

Care & Share: For January we are collecting Peanut Butter and Dry Beans: Black eyed peas, Great Northern, Navy, Pinto, and Butter Beans.

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Cross Camp One Night

Cross Camp One Night will be on January 5th at 6:30 pm. Join us as we head to First Baptist Monroe to hear from next year's camp pastor, Brian Crain, and worship with “The Good Times Band”. We will leave the church at 4:30 so we can eat an early supper at the Mall. Even if you don't plan to come to camp, which I hope everyone does, please come. It will be a great night of worship.

Cross Camp 2019

Cross Camp 2019 will be held at LA Tech University. July 15th-20th. The theme of camp will be Identity. The cost of camp this year will be \$275.00. Youth are welcome to start signing up anytime. Sign up will end April 14, 2019. This will also be the day that a deposit of \$100 will need to be turned in to Jeremy or the Office. Camp has been growing, so if your student does not sign up by April 14, I cannot promise they will be able to attend camp. There were no more spots available after the deposit deadline this past year when I asked.

Also, if they do want to sign up after that date and there is a spot available, their cost goes up from \$275 to \$300. If your student wants to attend camp, but cost is an issue, let me know. We always have people who are willing to help. I keep the need confidential.

If you have any questions about anything, don't hesitate to call or text me.

Thanks!

Jeremy Butler

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January 6th – Susan Morgan--Malena Orr

January 13th – Judy Gilley--Jeannie Deere

January 20th – Tammy Duncan--Debbie Dilmore

January 27th – Wendi Chevalier –Krystal Fleming

January 6th – Jean Aultman--Danielle Roshto--
Shirley McQueen

January 13th – Lori Guthrie--Jessica McKay--
April McClure

January 20th – Kelli White--Krystal Fleming--
Ann Payne

January 27th – Andrea Spruell--Melissa
Duckworth--Mackenzie Burns

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HONOR OF:

The Trinity
By Sandy Lowentritt
All Veterans
By Scott & Lynn Allen

MEMORY OF:

James Jones and all Deceased Veterans
Brenda Lee and Carolyn Lee
By Candice Lee Graham
Family Members
By Betty Carraway
Jule Gilley, Jr.
By Gary & Judy Gilley
Jane B. Dean
Allie B. Brown
E. Gayle Dean, Jr.
Mr. & Mrs. E.D. Brown
Mr. & Mrs. A.H. Brownell
Mr. & Mrs. Frank Wilson
Mr. & Mrs. E. Gayle Dean, Sr.
By Steve Dean
R. L. & Rubye Odom
By Roger & Charline Odom
Lovell & Geraldine Graham
By Jerry & Erica Graham
Jason Douglas
Patsy Poindexter
By Chris & Andrea Spruell
Paul Gandy
William R. Boies
Barbara Boies
By Jerry & Rachel Gandy



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