

MANGHAM BAPTIST CHURCH

SEPTEMBER 2020 NEWSLETTER

Rick Aultman—Pastor



God is in control. Let me say that again; God is in control. Through all the confusion and chaos that has resulted from the Wuhan virus, God has not once been surprised. He hasn't been pacing back and forth, wringing His hands and muttering to Himself, "I didn't see this coming." God is right where He has always been: on His throne in heaven. God has not been stymied by the government's overreach or the mass hysteria that has followed. And if God is unchanged and still in control, then we as God's people should realize that our purpose and our mission are also unchanged.

As we begin our new church year in September, we have a great opportunity to "hit the reset button" and focus on our Lord and His plan for us despite the craziness around us. Our purpose as a church and as individual Christians involves: Worship, Discipleship, Fellowship, Evangelism and Ministry. We will seek ways to accomplish God's purpose for us despite the hindrances that stand in the way. Our goal at Mangham Baptist Church should not be just to survive the "Covid Craziness" but to thrive in the midst of a fearful generation. And in this way will God be glorified, and people without hope will be encouraged.

Believing and Belonging, Bro. Rick

Colonial Manor Birthday Cakes

We are discontinuing the cakes for Colonial Manor until further notice.

Pokeno

Ladies Pokeno will be September 14 @ 6:00 PM. Cost \$10.00

Care & Share

Care & Share items needed for the month of September: Grits, Pancake Mix, Oatmeal

Samaritan's Purse

Items needed for Samaritan's Purse for the month of September: School Supplies, Small Toys

September Birthday Calendars

September Birthday Calendars are available in the foyer.

Senior Saints

Our senior saints for the month of September: Rosemary Hendrix, Norene Sellers, Mary Lynn Smart

Mangham High School Golf Tournament

Mangham High School is hosting a golf tournament fundraiser at Black Bear on September 11. It's \$100 a person. We are looking for a 4-man team and possibly multiple teams. If you are interested, get in touch with Chris Winstead or Brother Rick.

VBS 2020

Thank you so much for everyone who helped make virtual VBS a success this year! It was a first and not the way we wanted to do VBS, but maybe God used it to bring families together or allowed someone to participate who may not have been able to otherwise. Thank you to everyone who volunteered to work this year; as usual, we had a church full of people willing to sacrifice their time to minister to kids and share the love of Jesus! We will be looking forward to Rocky Railway VBS sometime in the next year! If you have any materials hanging out at your house or in your car, please bring them to church so we can store them all together, and they will be ready to go when needed.

G.L.O.W.

We are tentatively planning to start GLOW (Go Light Our World) September 9th if we have enough volunteers sign up to help.

There will be a signup sheet in the foyer this Sunday. Please take the time to let us know if you would be willing to help as a listener, cook a meal once a month, help with the kindergarten group or in the nursery. It will be on Wednesday nights, 5:45-7:00. Thank you ahead of time for your willingness to help.

Baby Shower

There will be a Baby Shower September 20th from 3:00-4:30 for Baylee and Nathan Aultman. Come help us celebrate the upcoming arrival of Titus James! She is registered at Target and Amazon.

Sunday School Promotion Day

Our Sunday School Promotion Day for the new church year will be September 6.

Choir Practice

Choir practice is Sundays, at 4 P.M.



Nursery

September 6 – Jessica McKay – Arpil McClure

September 13 – Rachel Gandy – T. J. Thompson

September 20 – Susan Morgan – Malena Orr

September 27 – Judy Gilley – Jeannie Deere



September 6 – Jean Aultman – Shirley McQueen

September 13 – Andrea Spruell – Melissa Duckworth – Mackenzie Burns

September 20 – Sonya Arender – Mona Chisholm

September 27 – Erica Graham – Jessica McKay – Kelli White

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