MANGHAM BAPTIST CHURCH JULY 2022 NEWSLETTER

Rick Aultman—Pastor



July 2022

Back in February, we marked the passing of Bro Jimmy Eppinette. Bro Jimmy served as the pastor of Mangham Baptist from the mid-1980s until the early 1990s. He pastored several churches in his lifetime and will be remembered by a generation of Mangham residents for his kindness, wisdom, and great pastoral leadership. "Well done, good and faithful servant" is appropriately attached to the memory of his life and work. We were encouraged by Bro Jimmy when he was alive, and his example continues to encourage and challenge us in the wake of his passing.

The challenge before us is to ask ourselves, "Are we being a good and faithful servant?" In Matthew 25:23, Jesus relates a parable about a master's reward for a good and faithful servant. Do we recognize all the blessings God has given us, and are we faithful in every area of our lives? Whether we know it or not, we are being an example to others. Good or bad, we are a witness to those around us concerning the responsibility for which Jesus has given us. Are we an encouragement to others? Are we making a positive impact upon the lives of the people around us? One day we will all stand before our master and give an account of the blessings with which we have been entrusted. Let us endeavor to live in such a way that we will hear our master say, "well done, good and faithful servant."

Believing and Belonging, Bro Rick

Committees at Work

This is the time of year that many of our committees are busy preparing for the upcoming church year, which begins in September. Committee on Committees, Budget Committee, and our Nominating Committee should have their work complete by the beginning of August. All other committees should prepare the budget that must be submitted to the Budget Committee. Committee reports will be presented at the quarterly business meeting/fellowship at the end of August.

Committee on Committee: Charlie Morgan, Chris Winstead, Jeff White

Budget Committee: Bill Holdman, Jeannie Deere, Melissa Duckworth, Scott McKay

Nominating Committee: Wendi Chevalier, Jan Butler, Martin and Ann Church, Alicia Rogers

Budget Requests from Committees

Budget requests from each committee are due by July 10. Please send all requests to Bill Holdman at bill@amethystconstruction.com or 318-381-1534.

Committee Fair

There will be a committee Fair in the foyer on Sunday, July 10, after the morning service. This is to inform people what each committee does. If your committee would like to participate, please see Chris Winstead.

Children's Sci-Port/Aquarium Trip

The Children will go on a Shreveport Sci-Port/Aquarium trip Friday, July 8. For more information, see Haylee Middleton.

Men's Game Night

The men will have game night on Tuesday, July 5, at 6:00 PM.

Women's Game Night

Women's game night will be on Monday, July 18, at 6:00 PM.

Connected Bible Study Groups

There is a sign-up sheet in the foyer if you would like to host a Connected Bible Study. Connected Bible Studies will begin in August. The date and time will be announced later.

Man Church Gathering

Man Church Gathering will be Saturday, July 9, at the Richland Baptist Encampment.

Youth Camp

Youth Camp is from July 11 – July 15.

Ssamaritan's Purse July & August:

Blunt tipped scissors, crayons, pencils, colored pencils, wide-ruled notebooks, glue sticks, sharpeners, and ink pens.

Birthday Calendars

July Birthday Calendars are available in the foyer.

We honor our Senior Saints over Seventy: Jim Bruce and Donna Rhymes.

Care & Share July: Canned Fruit

Fruit cocktail, Pineapple, Mandarin Oranges, Peaches.



Vacation Bible School-Monumental-July 25-29, 6–8:30 PM

Don't forget to register your child for our VBS. Registration is online on our website (www.manghambaptist.org) and our Facebook page (www.facebook.com/manghambaptist/).

Kick-Off Party July 24 4:30 to 6:00 PM

We will have jumpers, snow cones, nachos, cornhole, face painting, and balloons.

There will be a VBS workday on July 10, 17, and 24.



July 3 – Rachel Gandy – T. J. Thompson July 10 – Ann Chruch – Jessica McKay July 17 – Wendi Chevalier – Tracy Hoggatt July 24 – Judy Gilley – Jeannie Deere July 31 – Malena Orr – Charline Odom



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