

MANGHAM BAPTIST CHURCH DECEMBER 2024 NEWSLETTER

Rick Aultman—Pastor



December 2024

It is hard to believe that 2024 is drawing to a close. Christmas is right around the corner, and before you know it, 2025 will be here. So let's make a pact to spend the last month of 2024 honoring God with everything that we do. Let's share the gospel message more. Let's invite more people to church. Let's be more thankful and thoughtful than ever before. Doing all these things will be our special gift to God. It will be like giving Jesus a Christmas present. After all, it's his birthday that we are celebrating. By loving others, we are able to show our love to God.

Jesus replied: “Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the first and greatest commandment. And the second is like it: ‘Love your neighbor as yourself. All the Law and the Prophets hang on these two commandments.” (Matt. 22:37-40)

Believing and Belonging, Bro Rick

Connect Groups

Connect Groups will meet on Sunday, Dec 1. Group assignments are posted in the church foyer. If you have not signed up yet, contact any host families, or Bro Rick.

Ladies Game Night

Ladies' game night will be on Tuesday, December 3 at 6:00 PM.

Christmas Parade

December 7, we will meet at the Church at 5:15 if you want to ride on the float. You can bring candy to throw in a bag.

Lottie Moon Christmas Offering

We will be receiving our Lottie Moon Christmas Offering during December. This offering supports mission work around the world. Please be in prayer, and faithfully give so that the gospel continues to be spread.

Family Altar

Our family altar night will be on December 8. Worship guides will be in the church foyer.



Sr. Adult Soup & Singing

"All of our Senior Adults are invited to the Family Life Center following the morning worship on December 8th. Soup will be served and you will be treated to beautiful Christmas music sung by The Pickett Sisters. Of course, there will be dessert, too!"

Newsletter

The MBC Newsletter is available by mail or email by request.



Christmas Programs

Kids: Our children's program will be on December 15 with morning and evening service presentations. The evening services will be followed by fellowship and fireworks.

Adults: Our choir presentation will be on the morning of December 22.



GLOW Christmas Store

December 18 will be our GLOW Christmas Store Shopping Day.

Birthday Calendars

December Birthday Calendars are available in the foyer. We honor our Senior Saints over seventy:
Bill Holdman, Rachel Gandy,
John Landers, and Sammy Smith.

CentriKid Camp

The CentriKid Camp 2025 will be held June 16-20. Please see Melissa Duckworth to register by January 31st. A deposit of \$75.00 is due at registration.

Care & Share December:

Canned Soups: Tomato, Chicken Noodle, Chicken & Rice.

Shoobox December

Shipping Money

Flowers for Sanctuary

Anyone who would like to place flowers in the sanctuary for services, please contact Alicia at (318) 366-9287 to add your name to the calendar.



December

December 1 – Hope Hawthorne – Tiffany Nobles

December 8 – Ashley White – Ainsley Miller

December 15 – Ann Church – Tracy Hoggatt

December 22 – T. J. Thompson – Tammy Duncan

December 29 – Mallory and Caleb McSwain

January

January 5 – Charline Odom – Annabelle McKay

January 12 – April Hardie – Abigail = Emmalyn

January 19 – Leigh Anne Murry – Sharon Smith

January 26 – Mary Hoggatt – Savannah Hipp



December

December 1 – Andrea Spruell – Mackenzie Burns

December 8 – Sandy Lowentritt – Jeannie Deere

December 15 – Sonya Arender – Mona Chisholm – Ann Payne

December 22 – Susan Morgan – Grant & Audrey Middleton

December 29 – Ainsley Miller – Nikki Duncan

January

January 5 – Erica Graham – Mary Hoggatt

January 12 – Melissa Duckworth – Maria McDonald

January 19 – Andrea Spruell – Mackenzie Burns

January 26 – Sandy Lowentritt – Jeanie Deere

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