

Boston Baptist Church

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Family Night Meals

We are going to bring back
Wednesday Night Meals starting
in September through November.
If you plan to attend, you MUST be
on one of the rotating teams.
Ways that you can help your team
are meal preparation, bringing
dessert, helping set up or clean
up, making tea, etc.

A little historical fact:

Our Wednesday night meals were started by Mr. Jim and Mrs. Doris Wamble in 2012. Mr. Jim was very passionate about creating a way for families to be able to come to hear Pastor Tim's Bible teaching. Mr. Wamble did all the cooking himself for several months and when it got to be too much for him, we started teams that rotated. Many people have been involved with these meals over the last ten years...several of them including Mr. Jim, Mrs. Wynona, and Mrs. Connie have gone on to be with the Lord. Please join us and contact me to join a team! Bethany McDonnell 229-224-5917

September Choir Notes

It is so good to have everyone back in the choir again after several members were sidelined with Covid. The service just doesn't feel complete when the choir loft is empty and not leading the congregational singing!

As we look forward to the 150th year celebration of our church I would like to ask you to consider becoming a member of the choir. We need and would love to have additional voices join us as we prepare special music for that day. You don't have to be an accomplished singer or have the most pleasing voice. You just need to have a willing heart and God will take care of the rest! We practice after Prayer Meeting on Wednesday night and are usually finished around 8:15 pm. -Ellen

Spotlight of the month:

ELLEN WOOTEN COLQUITT JUNE 4,1908-FEB. 19, 1981

Long time resident of Boston, Mrs. Ellen Wooten Colquitt was a beloved member of Boston Baptist Church. She was a member of Miss Carrie Barrow's first Sunday School class, which planted the seeds of her great love for God's word. She married Roy Colquitt, an engineer by trade. As a young woman, she traveled with him throughout the state of Georgia building roads. She studied under Fennis Jennings Dake, a renowned Bible scholar in Lawrenceville. Ga.. and furthered her love and knowledge of the Bible. Upon Roy's retirement, they returned to Boston and remodeled the house she was raised in. It wasn't long before she was teaching the adult Sunday School class; it was not uncommon to have between twenty and twenty-five members present every Sunday. She taught using the King James Bible that Dake published with his remarks and commentary. Some of us still have these Bibles. She dressed from an era long gone, but she always looked elegant in her dresses, hats, gloves, and purses all

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September Events

This September we have a showcase of events going on! We are excited to announce the following events:

Family Pizza Night 7th Wednesday @ 6:00 pm

Deacon's Meeting 7th Wednesday @ 7:30 pm

Business Meeting
11th Sunday @ after service

Men's Bible Study 11th Sunday @ 4:00 pm

Seekers WMU Meeting 27th Tuesday @ 6:30 pm

Women's Bible Study 29th Thursday @ 5:45 pm

Pastor Appreciation Day Stay tuned for date

September Birthdays

7 September - Tim Mercer

9 September - Mary Alice Smith

9 September - Susanna Watt

15 September - Maggie Plymale

17 September - Melissa Yerkes

19 September - Lila Jones

20 September - Laverne Smith

21 September - Drake McLeod

22 September - Lucy Kate Howell

24 September - Millie Booker

Flower Calendar

4 September - Ben & Judie Parker

11 September- OPEN

18 September - OPEN

25 September - OPEN

Contact Kristy Howell 229-403-9379 to be added onto the flower calendar or go to SignUpGenius.com And he said to them, "Go into all the world and proclaim the gospel to the whole creation"

Mark 16:15

Maintenance Committee Update

At the beginning of the Church year, the Maintenance Committee set goals for several small and large projects including the painting of the Sanctuary, removing the carpet, and repairing and polishing the wood floors. These projects have all been completed along with the cleaning and restoration of the chairs, Communion table, and pulpit to preserve the wood.

Josh recently completed repairs to the crushed gravel drive at the fellowship hall, Ryan built and installed a ramp for the storage building at the Pastorium and Russell installed a motion light at the stairs leading into the sanctuary.

Mission Georgia

A love offering to Georgia, from Georgia. As the Georgia Baptist family, we have a unique opportunity to make a great impact in our state through Mission Georgia. Praying together, giving together, and serving together, we are advancing the gospel together in significant ways. Visit missiongeorgia.org for the 2022 prayer guide or pick one up in the church vestibule. Our church goal is \$1000

Please say a special thank you to them for their hard work on the committee.

Another project in the works is the installation of an additional handrail on the stairway wall going up to the landing in the sanctuary. We are also still working on landscaping and hope to have something ready for the Church's consideration in the near future.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding maintenance issues, please contact a maintenance committee member.

Spotlight of the month continued ...

to match. Some of our middle adults will recall that she always carried dumb dumb suckers in those purses that she would share with the children after church services. Her legacy was her love of Boston Baptist Church, her hometown of Boston, and her great knowledge of the Bible, which inspired many to a great love of studying God's word.

Baptism

Congratulations to Millie Booker and Katie Bruce for their public profession of faith. Millie is the daughter of Buck & Amanda Booker. Katie is the daughter of Ryan & Samantha Bruce.

