

Church Library

With November here and December right around the corner, the Holidays are coming fast. Did you know there are books and videos in the Library you can borrow about Thanksgiving and Christmas? These are resources that are fun to share as a family. One main resource is the Bible. There are many stories in the Bible about thanking God. You don't have to have a special day to give thanks. Thank God everyday for what you have. He will make sure you have what you need. The Christmas story in the Bible is the number one, best Christmas story there is. When I was little my mom would look at my messy room and ask if I was born in a barn. No, I wasn't, but Jesus was. Ask a parent to read the Christmas story to you and make it a family tradition. Happy Reading!

IRONMEN **Men's Connect Group**

Men...CALLING YOU TO JOIN OUR Ironmen Group!
This group is a place where we can enter act together as we read and study God's Word. Proverbs 27:17 states just as iron sharpens iron, one man sharpens another. This group seeks to grow in our relationship with Christ and each other?

To become a part of this group, go to our Faithlife Church Group page, click on Ironmen under Groups on the left side panel and request to join our group or contact Pastor Mark. There you can also click on the link to join with us in our Daily Bible Reading Plan!



MANNAFEST 2021 November Sundays

Each Sunday in November we will collect at the doors at the end of the service donations to help feed the hungry in Nicaragua. We have partnered with Because We Care Ministries for many years now to help minister in that country. Each \$10 bag will feed a family of 6 for a week. In the past we have used these bags at Christmas to go door-to-door and share the Gospel. This year we are distributing them as soon as we have the resources.

November Birthdays

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| 1 - None | 18 - Cassandra Lewis, Melvin Mabry, Betty Powers, "Sissy" Reed |
| 2 - Joyce Blankenship, Will Gosnell, Gary Parks | 19 - Phyllis Hodges, Carl Miller |
| 3 - David Smoot, Jordan Taylor, Thomas Stanley | 20 - Lila Carter, Jerry Goad, Barbara Miller, "Billie" Smith |
| 4 - Patricia Bratton, Mary Dodge | 21 - Judy Price, Donna Prichard |
| 5 - Terri Campbell, Jimmy Williamson | 22 - None |
| 6 - Remington Duncan, Michael Stump | 23 - Cathy Bell, Lori Mullen |
| 7 - Jimmy Corvin, Ethan Fields | 24 - Cassidy Duncan, Jennifer Sparks, Cody Wilson |
| 8 - Cole Sarver, Linda Wright | 25 - Bill Cunningham |
| 9 - Lora Bess, Jordan Childers, Susan Cundiff, Crystal Neidigh, Jonah Palmieri | 26 - None |
| 10 - Ryan Black, Malcolm Dudding, Michael Graybill, Paula Hudson, Bill Millner, Jonathan Palmieri, Billy Joe Peters | 27 - None |
| 11 - Naomi Shelor | 28 - Carolyn Broyles, Kalista Perry, Lisa Sutliff |
| 12 - None | 29 - Bill Martin |
| 13 - Brandon Jester, Denise Cocke | 30 - Pat Fielder, Dorothy Oliver, Kingston Perkins |
| 14 - Bobby Gilbert | |
| 15 - Dawn Freeman, Rella Janney, Warren McCormack, Hayden Pritchard, Kendal Williams | |
| 16 - Mike McKnight, Tonya Mitchem, Dawn Wilhelm | |
| 17 - Travis Carter | |

December Birthdays

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| 1 - Matt Gilbert, Theodore Hauser, Jordan Perry | 17 - Bonnie Archer, Alana Gosnell, Brandon Lowery |
| 2 - Cheri Bostic, Harmon Bower Jr., L. B. Kitts, Dale Kratt, Frank Stanley | 18 - Ashley Palmieri, Linda Slusher, Jeremy Young |
| 3 - Andrew Corvin, Donna Hall, Mark Jennelle | 19 - Regina Durnal, Richard Freeman, Brittany Jester, Paul Kidd, Shelia Milton, Gene Thompson, Cary Wertz |
| 4 - Brandon Flowers, Diana Franklin, Allen Millirons, Dawn Snow, Joe Widener | 20 - Ken Blankenship, Mark Washington |
| 5 - Tammy Eaton, Linda Graybill | 21 - Allen Reynolds |
| 6 - Carl Power, Tyler Semones, Rebekah Washington | 22 - Emily Blankenship, Victoria Price, Justin Sparks, Debbie Young, Jocelyn Lena |
| 7 - Juan Barr | 23 - Brandon Bayse, Holley R. Duncan |
| 8 - Nancy Frittman, Kelly Graybill, Anabel Rockefeller, Robert Morris | 24 - Rhonda Hudson |
| 9 - Valencia Pankey, Joseph Sutliff | 25 - Karen Blankenship, Dustin Dodge |
| 10 - Rita Barnett, Steve Bess, Christian Watson, Robert Clifton, Sue Hefner | 26 - Emily Parsons |
| 11 - Michael Bowman, Jessica Eaton, Lesley Tingle | 27 - Jean Klever, Melissa Malone |
| 12 - Peggy Bison | 28 - Carter Cecil, Mike Martin |
| 13 - Autumn Palmieri | 29 - Freda Angell, Gail Blanchard |
| 14 - Lori Chitwood, Matthew Eaton, Michelle Lanz, Walker McFall | 30 - Moriah Martin, Wayne Kykendell |
| 15 - Cheryl Higgins, Lois Johnson, Della Newman, Lisa Whitmer | 31 - Carmen Carroll |
| 16 - Damian Bowe, Robert Mitchem, Tommy Phelps, Lynn Owens | |

HOLLINS ROAD BAPTIST CHURCH

REV. G. MARK WASHINGTON, PASTOR

THE HERALD

"News For Growing and Serving Jesus"

From the Pastor . . .

How fast time goes! Here we are in the last two months of 2021! Amazing! I pray you and your family are doing well, are weathering the crazy times we are living in and are ready to celebrate Thanksgiving and Christmas! This is always such a special time of the year. Each of us has so much to be thankful for...even when we experience difficulties and hardships in our lives. The words of Lamentations 3:19-23 remind us: *"¹⁹ Remember my affliction and my wandering, the wormwood and bitterness. ²⁰ Surely my soul remembers And is bowed down within me. ²¹ This I recall to my mind, Therefore I have hope. ²² The LORD'S loving-kindnesses indeed never cease, For His compassions never fail. ²³ They are new every morning; Great is Your faithfulness."* How great God's faithfulness is to us!

I encourage you to spend some time reading back through the Advent Passages as you think about Christmas. Christmas celebrates God' greatest gift ever given! Spend some time at the "Manger"! Hear once again the angels proclamation!

We will be having our Community Thanksgiving Service on Tuesday, November 23 at our church at 7 pm. And take note of the special Christmas services and events planned.

Looking forward to the services and special events ahead as we give thanks and celebrate the Advent of our Savior who came to save us from our sins!

As we continue to *Connect with God...Grow in God...and Serve for God!*

Merry Christmas!

Pastor Mark



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CHURCH STAFF

- Rev. G. Mark Washington**
Pastor
- Tim Young**
Minister of Education & Family Life
- Greg Capito**
Minister to Students
- Melissa Kiser**
Children's Minister
- Janet Washington**
Music Minister
- Brenda Tilley**
Pianist
- Debbie Young**
Sunday School Secretary & Sexton
- Rebecca Lierman**
Financial Secretary
- Tonya Smoot**
Secretary



November 7, 2021
December 5, 2021

10:30 am Worship Service
The Lord's Supper

DEACONS ON CALL IN NOVEMBER

Tim Tolley (540) 556-0175

Ronnie Blanchard (540) 992-4031

DEACONS ON CALL IN DECEMBER

Donnie Noel (540) 389-3848

Freddie Young (540) 400-7488

DEACON'S MEETINGS

Deacon's Meetings, immediately after church Nov. 7



Deacon's Christmas Dinner, Dec. 2

Wednesday Night Bible Studies

We are meeting in the fellowship hall at 6:30 pm for those who want to come!

And we are live on our Facebook Church Page.



NEXT QUARTERLY BUSINESS MEETING

Quarterly Business Meeting

Sunday, January , 2021

6 pm

Food Pantry

This year, the Food Pantry Ministry is going to combine the Holiday food boxes into one. The boxes will consist of food for both the Thanksgiving and Christmas holidays. **The pick-up date/time will be on Saturday, November 13 from 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. in the youth department.**

If you know of someone who would benefit from one of our food boxes, **please let Debbie Young know on or before Sunday, November 7. You may reach her at 540-521-5387.**

Please do not call the church office with your request.



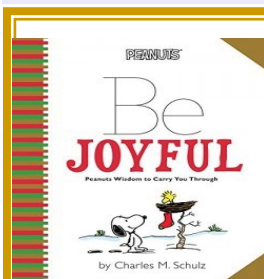
Outreach News

Sunday, November 14 @ 5:00 pm

Come go with us to pray for the homes and families in our community. We met in the Sanctuary and join up in teams. Then we go and pray in front of the homes in our community.

WHIP

WHIP will meet on **Saturdays, November 27 and December 18** at 9:30 am. This is a time of prayer for women. If you have questions and/or need more information, please contact Merlina Kratt (467-0302). We'd love to have more women be a part.



Joyful Servants

There will be no class meetings for the remainder of the year.

Christmas Events

Hanging of the Greens Service
Sunday, November 28 at 6 pm

Live Nativity
Sunday, December 12 from 5-8 pm

Christmas Musical
Sunday, December 19 at 10:30 am

Community Thanksgiving

Service

Tuesday, November 23 at 7 pm
at our Church

This is always a special service together with our sister churches in our community. TG Ayers will be bringing the message this year. Plan to join us for a special time of giving thanks. Please bring some finger foods for a time of fellowship after the service.



Thursdays 6-8 pm
Saturday 10 am - Noon

Kroger Charitable Donation Program

If you shop at Kroger and have a Kroger Plus Card (you can get one for free) and have not already registered your card's number in Kroger's charity donation program, please do so now. This benefits your church in a great way! Our Church is registered with Kroger and our special number (Community Reward code) is DX529.

You can register in 2 ways:

Go to the Kroger website. Set up your account then choose "Community Rewards." Follow the instructions there to set up and use the special code DX529 for Hollins Road Baptist Church.

Call 1-800-576-4377. Select the prompt for "Community Rewards." You can then speak with someone and ask them to register your Kroger Plus Card to your church Hollins Road Baptist code DX529.

(You can double check to see if you are registered.)

How this works. Every time you use your Kroger Plus Card (for groceries, gas, pharmacy, purchasing gift cards, etc.) a \$ percentage is registered to Hollins Road Baptist Church. And then each quarter, they send a donation check to Hollins Road Baptist added up from all our members who've registered! This is a great way you can help our Nicaragua mission efforts. **The money generated from this helps to pay at least one of our staff member's way to Nicaragua. If you have any questions, contact the church office.**



- * Website (www.hrbc1.com)
- * Faithlife Church Group Page (upper right)
- * Church App

On your MyFaithlife page in the left side panel, you can go to Giving and this is where you can set up your account. You can put in your credit card to use or your bank information for ACH. It is completely secure and this is where you can manage your giving record.

Urgent Prayer Needs

Stay informed by checking our Urgent Prayer Needs each day:

- * Faithlife Church App
- * Website
- * Faithlife Church Group Page (upper right)

Security/Safety: Please note that we have a group who are patrolling our church campus each Sunday for security and safety during Sunday School and Worship.



BEREAVEMENT

We extend our Christian sympathy to the following individuals and families who have lost loved ones:

Gary Parks in the death of his mother and

Linda Parks in the death of her sister-in-law

Family of Viola Campbell

David Clarks family in the death of his brother

A STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

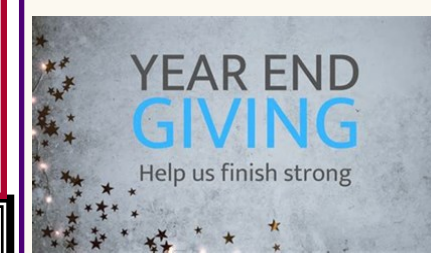


4 ways to give:

Ways you can give to your church:

1. Place check or cash in the basket as you enter the Sanctuary for worship (or in Sunday School)
2. Online through our church website, (www.hrbc1.com)
3. Our church app (get at Google Play or the App Store: Faithlife App: Community for Churches)
4. Text giving: Text GIVE and the amount to 540-208-2622 (through Faithlife)

* If you run into any problems giving through our website or church app, please contact the Church Office or Pastor Mark.



Help us finish strong this year in our giving! Get caught up if you have gotten behind!

Give a special end of year gift if you are able! Please get this in by Wednesday, December 29 so it can go to your 2021 Giving Record.