



A Glimmer of Hope

This past week I heard a comment by Benjamin Netanyahu, prime minister of Israel, which caused me to shout. In an interview he stated that he was well pleased with the relations of Israel with the United States. You probably wonder why that would mean anything to me! Well, in my opinion, our nation is walking on shaky ground. We legalize the very things that offend our God. We tend to be going more toward socialism than I ever thought I would see in my lifetime. It seems as if we are spiraling in a downward mode that we might not ever get up from. Here's the good word about what Mr. Netanyahu said – "We may be blessed by God!" You see in Genesis 12, God spoke to Abraham and promised to bless those who bless his nation, Israel. God also said He would curse those who curse Israel. When I heard Mr. Netanyahu say that the U.S. was greatly regarded as an ally I was so relieved. I see this as a glimmer of hope we have as a nation. With all the things we have going against us as a nation it is good to know that we are on the right side of the nation of Israel. Israel may not always do everything right. But they are still Abraham's descendants and God made a promise to Abraham that affects us today. My prayer is that you and I as God's children will always pray for the nation of Israel. May we also always pray for our nation! Pray that the relationship with the U.S. and Israel will always blossom. Pray that we all will always seek to be in the center of the Lord's will. There is a hope for us and Israel. That hope will always be found in Jesus Christ!

KIDDOS

Movie & Craft Night: Nov. 17, 6pm-9pm – More details to come.
Wilderness at the Smokies: Dec. 19-21. Sign-up sheet is out and more details to come.
Snow Tubing: Mon., Jan. 15 at Stone Mountain. More details to come.

YOUTH EVENTS

Progressive Dinner: Sat., Oct. 21 More details to come.
BattleCat: Fri., Nov. 10th. More details to come.
Christmas Party: Sat., Dec. 16th. More details to come.
XtremeWinter Gatlinburg: Dec. 27th-29th. Sign-up sheet is out.

Student Announcements

If you would like to help sponsor a student's trip or particular event, just fill out a blue offering envelope with the information and put your donation in it. Thanks.

MEMORIALS

Crisis Meals: In memory of Betty Bagwell – Homer & Ethel Banks; In memory of Louise Harvell – Dan & Cathy Parks, Zelma G. Finley.

CHOIR NEWS

We will be starting work on our 2017 Christmas Cantata TODAY!
 If you would like to be a part of this exciting adventure, please be at choir practice this afternoon at 4:45 pm. If you have been thinking about joining the choir this would be a great time to begin. We would love to have you!!

JOY BOXES – GOAL: 250

Would you share the love of Jesus and put a smile on the faces of orphans and needy children in Ukraine, Guatemala, Mexico, Texas, West Virginia and Kentucky by filling 1 or more shoe box with the suggested items and bring back to the Church by November 5th (morning service) for dedication. Boxes are available at the front & side entrances and a suggested items list is inside each box. For additional information check out the WMU bulletin board for the Master's Mission letter and brochure. If you have any questions contact Ernestine Boland. If you would like to bring your box(es) before Nov. 5th, see Ernestine or Mike Mitchell. Thanks for your contribution to the Joy Boxes Postage. We reached our goal and will have enough to distribute Joy Boxes to Mexico, Texas, West Virginia and Kentucky and a small portion of the money will be used to purchase Joy Bags for the children in Ukraine and Guatemala.

MISSIONARY OF THE WEEK

Sept. 24: Keith Morris, his wife and three children serve our International Mission Board in East Asia. He distributes Bibles in their native language to store owners and foreign exchange students. Pray for the Lord's continued guidance and favor for the Morris family and their children.

Missions Night, Oct. 4th Jennifer Galloway will be speaking to the WMU ladies on her mission trip to Montana.

PLEASE NOTE: We need 2 wooden toy boxes for our toys in the Nursery. Please see Debbie Coleman for information on these.

GREETERS: Front Door: Bill & Emma Jo Stockton.
Side Door: Tracy Gambrell.

NURSERY AM: Stephanie & Daniel Rudmann, Cathy Parks. **PM:** Dana Jenkins.

OUR STEWARDSHIP – Sept. 17, 2017
Sunday School Attendance – 131

General Fund	5,115.00
Loose Offering	48.00
Building Fund	30.00
Janie Chapman State Missions	112.00
Pantry Fund	3.00
Joy Box Postage	20.00
Crisis Meals	85.00
Christ Kitchen Meal	205.00

Total Joy Box Postage Rec'd: \$1829

Total JCSM Offering Rec'd: \$847.00

Deacon of the week
Mike Latimer – 369-0298

Children's Church Workers
Kevin & Erica Giles

PLEASE NOTE: H.P. Meals on Wheels needs a driver every other Tuesday to deliver meals (about 30 minute route). Call 369-7302 or 933-4720 if you can help with this need.

October Homebound material is ready at the front desk

Mission Statement

The Mission of Chiquola Baptist Church is to reach the lost with the gospel by equipping believers to do the work of Christ

PRAYER LIST

Family of Marlene Christmas

Ernestine Boland	Alvin Kelly	Boyd King
Floyd Donnal	Don Haynes	Mike Moody
Gene Butler	Louise Horne	Tommy Sagen
Faye Burton	Mark Jones	Janet White
George Gambrell	Linda Knox	Peggy Williamson
Becky Hanley	Shannon Kirkpatrick	

OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE

TODAY 8:45 a.m. Staff/Deacons Prayer Time
9:30 a.m. SUNDAY SCHOOL
10:30 a.m. MORNING WORSHIP
4:45 p.m. Choir Rehearsal
5:30-7:15 p.m. – AWANA'S
6:00 p.m. EVENING WORSHIP
MONDAY 7:00 p.m. Deacon's Prayer Time
WED. 6:00-6:30p.m. Christ Kitchen Supper
7:00 p.m. Prayer Mtg., RA's, GA's,
Mission Friends, Youth
SATURDAY 4:00-6:00p.m.-Soup Kitchen/Clothes Closet
6:00 p.m. Fellowship hall res. Carissa Brock

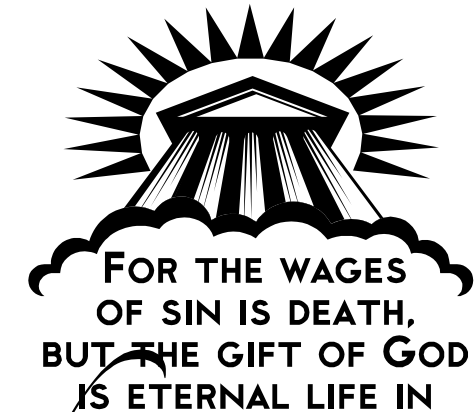
AWANA's

October Mission Project: Joy Boxes. Our loose offering this month will go towards Joy Boxes & World Hunger. Awana Goal: 25 boxes. For every 5 Joy Boxes that are completed by Awana Clubbers, a special snack will be served; if 25 boxes are completed they will be rewarded with a Pizza, Ice Cream, & Cake Party Nov. 5th during Awana's. Each Clubber who participates with either mission project will be presented with a certificate. **Parent T Shirts:** If you would like to support your Awana Clubber and wear a Chiquola Awana Club T-shirt, please see Jonathan or Candace. T-Shirts are \$10 each, proceeds will go to Mission Project of the month during the month shirt is purchased.
Oct. 1st – T-Shirt ceremony and special music by the preschool & children's choir; Oct. 15th – Favorite Sports Team; Oct. 29th – Camouflage Night.

Chiquola Baptist Church

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Assoc. Pastor Minister of Students	Novie Cleveland	933-0741
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Custodian	Mike Mitchell	369-1239



Christ Jesus

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ROMANS 6:23, NIV

Sept. 24, 2017

September Memory Verse

“If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land.” 1 Chronicles 7:14