## **Weekly Services**

#### Sunday

9:45 AM Teen & Adult Sunday School

10:45 AMMorning Worship(Nursery Provided)11:00 AMPraise Factory AM (age 3— grade 5)5:00-6:30 PMPraise Factory PM (age 3— grade 5)5:00-7:30 PMTeens Gather (grade 6 and up)

Wednesday

6:00 Mid-Week Prayer Meeting at Wyngate in Proctorville

- \* Small Groups meet at varied times throughout the week.
- \* Praise Teams meet at varied times throughout the week.

## **Please and Thank You**

Are basic manners (such as saying, "Please and "Thank you") oldfashioned and a thing of the past? Why is it that adults have a hard time expressing appreciation for things they have been given?

Zig Ziglar has some interesting thoughts:

"Of all the things a parent can teach a child, manners rates very close to the top of the "must teach" list. Number one, when a child is taught, from the time he or she can talk to say "thank you" you are teaching that child thankfulness. Number two, the insertion of the word "please" in a request changes the child from a demanding person to one who accepts the fact that when they ask a favor or make a request, the parent has no automatic obligation to respond favorably to that request. Response to "please" is much better than the "get this for me" demand type of approach. The child must be taught the idea that they must first serve before they can earn the right to command."

Being kind, courteous, and grateful will never go out of style or become old-fashioned. Let us strive to be gracious, respectful, and considerate of all with whom we come in contact. And may we always count our blessingsbeing grateful to our heavenly Father for His love and mercy.

"Be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you" (Eph. 4:32).

"Give thank in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you" (1 Thess. 5:18).

When you Pray. God Listens. When you Listen, God talks When you believe GOD works. Amen

# Beulah Baptist Church

A Servant-Minded Church in the Heart of Rome Beulah Baptist Church was established in 1837 and is part of the American Baptist Churches of the USA.

## Beulah Baptist Church

P.O. Box 421 21 Township Rd. 1087, Proctorville, Ohio Rob Jones, Pastor

## **JANUARY 26, 2020**

## Call to Worship Scripture Matthew 6:6

When you pray, go into your room, and when you have shut your door, pray to your Father who is in the secret place; and your Father who sees in secret will reward you openly.

## Children's Ministry

Beulah offers a unified service that serves the whole family during the 10:45 Worship service.

- Children, ages 3 years through 5th grade, will be dismissed during the "handshake greeting" to go to Praise Factory A.M. This is their Sunday School class for their learning level.
- Each parent of a nursery child will receive a pager that will flash if a parent is needed.

X	Ages 0-2 Nursery	Ages 3-PreK (Room 2)	Grades Kdg-1 (room 4)	Grades 2-5 (room 3)
TODAY	Brittany McClure	Edie Prino	Ashley Whitley	Sara Stewart
FEB 2	Heather Fletcher	Lacy & Arlene Lemley	Jennifer Graham	Angel Schneider
FEB 9	Afton Reedy	Emily Seay	Teresa Lemley	Missy Gorby
FEB 16	Jeri Ann Wallace	Brittany McClure	Jodi Barker	Cindie Whitley
FEB 23	Jerrica Ross	Karen Livingston	Kristin Lowe	Sara Stewart
MAR 1	Christina Raines	Edie Prino	Ashley Whitley	Angel Schneider

Nursery Workers: If you need to adjust your scheduled nursery date, contact Jerica Ross 304-412-4489

#### Thanks to Today's Greeters ....

- Tony & Cindie Whitley
- Scott & Melissa Ramey



# **Prayer Concerns**



#### Missionaries Dear to Beulah

Dan & Sarah Chetti (Lebanon) Todd Kinca Heart to Honduras (Kaleb & Stacy Eldridge) Diana Ferre College Students

> Kanissa Carrico (Physical Therapist Clinicals in Cincinnati) Allie Mayenschein (University of Akron)

Todd Kincaid Family (The Hub in Rome, Italy)

Diana Ferrell (Uganda)

Lacy Lemley (Marshall University) Arlene Lemley (Marshall University) Cody Stephens (Ohio University nursing school)

#### Homebound Friends & Family Members

 Bob & Coral Mallory — 381 Twp. Rd. 1234, Proctorville

 Adra Dillon — 2963 Jarrell St., Huntington, WV 25701
 Ph: 304.523.6562

Nell LeMaster — 1026 Walnut St., Kenova, WV 25538 (Cheri's mother)

Cleora Whitley — 2201 County Road 411, Proctorville (Tony's mother)



#### Family & Friends with Physical & Spiritual Needs

Coral Anderson (continued physical healing) Lloyd Ash (physical needs, upcoming eye surgery) Rich Ash (physical needs) Phyllis Ball (Michelle Bloss's mother, healing) Russ Bennett (Coral Anderson's brother, healing) Larry & Lois Blake (physical strength, encouragement) Judy Byrom (healing from back surgery) Chuck Boggs (Anna Mae's nephew, healing) Roger & Patti Bradley (physical healing for both) Mike Butcher (Michaelyn Wilson's dad, healing) Diane Casey (serious physical needs) Cecil Caudill (Shirley Jenkins' dad) Cullen Chesser (physical needs, encouragement) Roger Grey (battling cancer) Pastor Rob & Debbie Jones (encouragement) Betty Kipp (Karen Livingston's mother, physical need) Cherri Lemaster (encouragement, strength) Trent Litz (healing from recent surgeries)

Ken Lowe (Chris's dad, continued healing) JD Mauk (healing, starting cancer treatments) Lenville Mays (physical strengthening) Mary Meadows (encouragement) Mike Moore (Norman Fulks's friend, healing of cancer) Carolyn Murphy (strengthening, encouragement) Andrew Napier (Army Reserves, called out to Iraq) Darrell Riley (serious physical needs) Lisa Sheets (healing & encouragement, battling cancer) Bob Smith (Gail Ferris' dad, strength & comfort) Melody Spears (physical need, strengthening) Randy Stevenson (Patti Bradley's son, healing) Daley Wilson Thomas (comfort while she cares for mom) Sandy Webb (continued healing of her arm from burn) Carolyn Webb (Melissa Ramey's mother, healing) Tonya Wilson (Daley's mom, healing) Buddy Wilson (encouragement, physical strength)

Residents and Staff at Wyngate Assisted Living & Independent Living in Proctorville

## An Awesome Responsibility

At one point during a game, the coach said to one of his young players, "Do you understand what cooperation is and what teamwork is all about?" The little boy nodded in the affirmative.

"Do you understand that what really matters is not whether we win or lose, but that we play together as a team?" The little boy nodded yes.

"Good," the coach continued. "And, when a strike is called, or you're thrown out at first, you don't argue, curse, attack the umpire with a bat, or throw dirt in the opposing team member's faces. Do you understand all that?"

Again the little boy nodded, "Well, sure, coach. That's what you taught us."

"Good," said the coach. "Now, please go over there and explain all that to your parents."

Have you been to a Little League game when the above conversation needed to take place? It's sad to see parents who act in an irresponsible manner because they are teaching their children (and others' children) to behave in a similar manner.

God has given those of us who are parents an awesome responsibility: not only to teach our children what is right, but to live in such a way that they can see that we are willing to practice what we've been teaching them to do.

Moses told the parents of Israel to take the laws which God had given them and "teach them diligently to your children..." (Deut. 6:7). But before telling parents to do that, he warned them, "Therefore hear, O Israel, and be careful to observe it" (Deut. 6:3)

Before we can teach a love of God and others to our children, it must be in our own hearts. May God bless those of you who are parents as you strive to do just that. May your life be so filled with a desire to follow God that your children will be open to hear all that you have to say to them.

*Message from Susan:* We are in the midst of cold and flu season. In an effort to keep our church nursery germ free, we ask that older kiddos and teens stay out of that area at all times through the week. Only nursery workers and children under their care should be in the nursery. Let's keep our Beulah babies healthy!



# Coming Events

## **Calling All Seniors!** Grab a Sombrero!

This Saturday Feb. 1 12 Noon

Come to our Mexican fiesta, complete with lunch and games that will have you saying "*Estupendo divertido!*" Don't miss out on an afternoon of fun right here at Beulah!

And He will bestow upon her a crown of beauty instead of ashes –Isaiah 61:3

# **From Ashes to Beauty**

A One-Day Spiritual Retreat for Women!

Mark Your Calendar Now! Be inviting others!

March 7th 9:00am—2:00pm

See Patti Bradley for registration forms.



Vacation Bible School is set for June 22-25 this year. It is not too early to mark your calendar so the kiddos will not miss out!

Planning is already underway for another extraordinary VBS! Lots of helpers will be needed, so let Susan Dunfee know how you can participate!

### Taiking To God

A man was taking it easy, laying on the grass and looking up at the clouds. He was identifying shapes when he decided to talk to God.

"God," he said, "how long is a million years?"

God answered, "In my frame of reference, it's about a minute."

The man asked, "God, how much is a million dollars?"

God answered, "To me, it's a penny."

The man then asked, "God, can I have a penny?"

God answered, "In a minute."

You say: "It's impossible"

God says: All things are possible (Luke 18:27) You say: "I'm too tired" God says: I will give you rest (Matthew 11:28-30) You say: "Nobody really loves me" God says: I love you (John 3:16 & John 13:34) You say: "I can't go on" God says: My grace is sufficient (II Corinthians 12:9) You say: "I can't figure things out" God says: I will direct your steps (Proverbs 3:5-6) You say: "I can't do it" God says: You can do all things (Philippians 4:13) You say: "I'm not able" God says: I am able (II Corinthians 9:8) You say: "It's not worth it" God says: It will be worth it (Roman 8:28) You say: "I can't manage" God says: I will supply all your needs (Philippians 4:19) You say: "I'm afraid" God says: I have not given you a spirit of fear (II Timothy 1:7) You say: "I'm always worried and frustrated" God says: Cast all your cares on Me (I Peter 5:7) You say: "I don't have enough faith" God says: I've given everyone a measure of faith (Romans 12:3) You say: "I'm not smart enough" God says: I give you wisdom (I Corinthians 1:30) You say: "I feel all alone" God says: I will never leave you or forsake you (Hebrews 13:5)

## **Grandpa's Well-Worn Bible**

My grandfather, a wonderful Christian and professor at the Bible College, died just a month ago. Today, I learned something wonderful about the influence of grandpa's life.

When I got to church this morning, my friend Chris came up and gave me a big hug. She had tears in her eyes. I knew she had something on her heart. Then she told me a wonderful story.

When my grandpa and grandma moved out of their house on Lyle Drive, Chris, her husband Jose, and their 3 boys moved in. They rented the house for four years. While there, Jose, (Chris' husband) made a discovery. In Grandpa's old office, hidden away in a bookshelf was a well-worn Bible.

Now, Jose was not a Christian at that time. It was hard on their marriage, which was rocky at best. Chris was called to work in the children's ministry at her church, but her husband was an unbeliever.

But Jose found my grandpa's Bible. As he turned the pages, he was amazed. The margins of the Bible were filled with notes. I know this is true. All of Grandpa's Bibles were filled with notes. He would fill up one Bible and get another.

In this old Bible, the margins were filled with prayers for family members, dates and notes about what was happening in his life, how God had touched him, there were even sermon notes. Jose said that on every page there was something underlined. Jose's response to this was "this Bible had been loved on."

He realized that the person who had that Bible had a dynamic relationship

with Jesus. It touched him in a deep way. Only a few days after finding that Bible, fifteen years into his marriage, Jose knelt with his wife in the living room of my grandpa and grandma's old house. Jose asked Jesus to be his Lord and Savior. Jose had seen Grandpa's spiritual home in the margins of that old Bible. He wanted a home like that.



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