PLEASANT VIEW
•BAPTIST CHURCH•

December 23, 2018

COMBINED WORSHIP SERVICE

Prelude

Video Announcements

Welcome to Members and Guests

Worship through Music:

"Go Tell It On The Mountain"

Call To Worship

"O Come, O Come Emmanuel"

"Come Thou Long Expected Jesus"

"Come Behold The Wondrous Mystery"

"What Micah Teaches Us about What Christmas Is All About"

Micah 5:2-5

Time of Reflection

Offertory/Closing Song

"Before The Throne"

Gather in the café each Sunday at 10:15 for coffee and refreshments.

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Dr. Glenn Taylor
Pastor

"What Micah Teaches Us about What Christmas Is All About"
Micah 5:2-5

I. That Christ is our Shepherd who wants to give us _____.
Micah 5:4a ESV

II. That Christ is our Shepherd who wants to give us _____.
Micah 5:4b ESV …

III. That Christ is our Shepherd who wants to give us _____.
Micah 5:5 ESV...

OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK
SUNDAY
9:30am Sunday School
10:30am Combined Service
WEDNESDAY
No services or activities

Holiday Schedule for Christmas

- Today (Pre-Christmas Sunday) No evening service or activities.
- December 30 (After Christmas Sunday) Combined worship at 10:30 AM, with Sunday school at regular 9:30 AM time. No evening service or activities.
- No midweek services December 26 and January 2.

The **church office** will be closed Monday - Wednesday, December 24 - 26, for the Christmas holidays.

Thanks to All Who Helped with Christmas Treats for Robert Anderson Middle School

We appreciate the relationship our church has been able to cultivate with our friends at Robert Anderson Middle School. I know that God is pleased when we make this effort to show Jesus' love and to express our appreciation for what these folks do on the front lines in ministering to families as they work with middle school students. Indeed, I believe the relationship we enjoy with RAMS is due in no small part to your efforts in making these treats for them this year as many of you have done in the past. I know that it required more effort as the number of faculty, administration, etc. swelled to 130 this year. You stepped up again, and for that I thank you.

By the way, I have received many, many emails from those at the school asking me to express appreciation for our congregation and the relationship we enjoy.

Pastor Glenn

Mrs. Pearl Buck's Christmas Poem Is Available in the Welcome Centers.

Tithe & Offering Envelopes

New tithe and offering envelopes are available on the front pew-organ side. Please pray to see what God would have you give to the ongoing mission and life of His church here at Pleasant View.

Tithes & Offerings for December 16, 2018

Budget Fund	$4,714.00
Lottie Moon	325.00
Designated to pastor's salary in addition to budget	50.00
Deacon's Christmas Dinner	60.00
Total	$5,149.00

Merry Christmas from the pastor and staff of Pleasant View Baptist Church.

Lottie Moon Christmas Offering
PVBC Goal: $1,500 - Given to Date: $525

Welcome Back Ben and Margaret

We believe God brought Ben and Margaret to us here to begin with, and we consider it a gift to our congregation to have them back with us on this pre-Christmas Sunday. In addition to being blessed as Ben leads us in the musical portion of our worship together, it will be a great delight to fellowship with them as well. We pray for Ben and Margaret as they continue to follow God's continued call on their lives with Ben receiving further education at Wheaton College. We all join together in saying a big, "Welcome back!"

The Sunday Bad-weather Day and Other Things Related to 2018 Contributions

We all know that we needed to cancel services for December 9 due to the weather; of course, that meant that our church did not receive any tithes and offering that week. As we are closing out one year and about to begin a new one, I want to remind us of how God uses our faithfulness in tithes and offerings to Him. Our obedience to Him in this area is one of the most important means by which He works to keep our church in the financially healthy condition He desires for her to be.

Also, as we come closer to the end of the year, remember that contributions must be in by Sunday, December 30, to receive 2018 contribution credit. Please keep this in mind if you know you will be out of church next Sunday, the last Sunday of the year. The church mailing address is on this bulletin. Thanks.

Where We Are Regarding the Need for New Air Conditioning Unit

So far the contributions toward this need come to $3,100. The cost of the unit will be around $7,000. (Had we used a contractor, the unit would have been about $25,000.) Some of our church members will begin soon the labor in preparation for the installation of the unit; therefore, if you have not yet given and plan to do so, we encourage you to do so. If you want to make a donation to help with this need, you can make out your check to "Pleasant View Baptist Church," place it in an envelope, and mark on it "air conditioner unit." Any amount you contribute would be helpful since this is an expense we had not counted on as a church. See George Wilkie to volunteer to help with this project or for more details.