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### Blessings

The blessings of life abound when our eyes are open to them: a kind word from a friend; a good meal; a day when the cares and worries seem farther away than usual; the promise of spring heard in a robin's song. These and a multitude of others await an open heart.

Though most everyone can receive these and other blessings, the knowledge of God and His love for us magnifies their value. We come to realize through our growing relationship to God that in His Sovereign power He provides blessings as love gifts for us, for we are His children.

Some of the blessings of God are spelled out in His word. My favorite, which is so often used as a benediction, is found in Numbers 6:24-26. May it bless you today!

The Lord bless you and keep you;  
The Lord make His face to shine upon you,  
And be gracious to you;  
The Lord lift up His countenance upon you,  
And give you peace.

Blessings, Pastor Bill

### Parking Lot Duty for March 2016

**6** - Steve Davis  
**13** - Betty Lockridge  
**20** - Leonard McSwain  
**27** - John Whisnant

### GREETERS for the Month of March 2016:

**6** - Daniel Davis, Jamie Lee Beaman Washburn, John Cabiness  
**13** - Steve Davis, Betty Lockridge, Leonard McSwain, John Whisnant  
**20** - Linnie Crawford, Andy Foster, Jerry Ruppe, Bryan Sowell  
**27** - Elmer Whitaker, Patsy Cabiness, Tony Brooks, Daniel Davis

**J. O. Y. Club Fellowship**  
**Monday, March 7<sup>th</sup>**  
**6:00pm**

### GET YOUR BLOOD PRESSURE CHECKED!

**When:** The first Sunday of each month

**Where:** Double Springs Baptist Church Family Life Center

**Time:** Before Sunday School

### March Birthdays

- 1 Alysia Royster
- 4 Barbara Jenkins
- 5 Nathan Crawford
- 6 Eli Brooks
- 7 John Bridges  
Kate Gragg  
Leonard McSwain  
Bobby Queen
- 10 David Whitaker
- 11 Michael Young
- 13 Dixie Shields
- 14 Linda Cabiness  
Ethan Greene
- 15 Annette Blanton  
Karen Elliott
- 16 MaryAnn Carpenter
- 18 Olivia Brooks  
Ryan Byrd  
Heather Eaker  
Bill Wilson
- 19 Charles Humphries
- 20 Dianne Garner
- 23 Karen Crawford
- 26 David Blanton  
John Cabiness  
Jason Walker
- 28 Ellen Gragg  
Tanner Kirby  
Shannon Loveday
- 29 Marshall Lockridge
- 30 Janice Duncan
- 31 Spencer Smith



### March Anniversaries

- March 2** Danny & Wanda Scuggs (42)
- March 5** Jan & Nathan Blanton (33)
- March 6** Doug & Patsy Cabiness (50)
- March 10** Roy & Vlynda Greene (26)
- March 13** Bryan & Barbara Jenkins (27)
- March 18** Tommy & Cindy Melton (43)
- March 19** Carl & Lynda Soots (57)
- March 20** Andy & Brenda Foster (50)
- March 24** Rick & Sherry Justice (42)
- March 25** Ron & Hilda Hawkins (50)

## BROTHERHOOD BREAKFAST

Sunday, March 6<sup>th</sup> @ 7:30am

## DEACONS MEETING

Sunday, March 6<sup>th</sup> @ 6:45pm

## J.O.Y. Club Meeting

Monday, March 7<sup>st</sup> @ 6:00pm

## NEWSLETTER DEADLINE

Deadline for April 2016 Newsletter articles will be Monday, March 21<sup>st</sup>

## YOUTH SUPPER SCHEDULE

To Be Announced

## GCCBA FOOD ASSIGNMENT

peanut butter, saltine crackers, soup, canned fruits & juice, sugar, flour, bath soap, toilet tissue

## CHILDREN'S COUNCIL MEETING

Will meet March 13, 2016 @ 5:00pm

## CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING

Sunday, March 20<sup>th</sup> @ 6:45pm

## Morning Worship Service Nursery Schedule

### March Nursery Supervisor

Jennifer Davis 704-604-3377

**6<sup>th</sup>** – Paul & Blandine Tate & Cindy Melton

**13<sup>th</sup>** – Bryan & Amanda Sowell

**20<sup>th</sup>** – David & Hayle Scuggs

**27<sup>th</sup>** – Mark & Elizabeth Greene

David & Hannah  
Mora *It's a boy*



Casey & Amber  
Justice (*May 25<sup>th</sup>*)  
*It's a boy*

Carson &  
Daphne  
Cabiness (*June*)



Will & Brittany  
Fryar (*August*)



## MARCH CALENDAR

### 1 (Tuesday)

3:45pm Baskets of Love

### 6 (Sunday)

7:30am – Brotherhood

Breakfast

9:45am – Sunday School

10:50am – Morning Worship

Service

5:15pm – Prayer Ministry

Meeting

5:30pm – Youth Group

6:00pm – Revelation Study

6:45pm – Deacons Meeting

### 7 (Monday)

6:00pm J.O.Y. Club

### 9 (Wednesday)

5:45pm – Mission Classes

6:00pm – Prayer Meeting

6:15pm – Children's Choir

7:00pm – Adult Choir

### 13 (Sunday)

9:45am – Sunday School

10:50am – Morning Worship

5:00pm – Children's Council

5:30pm – Youth Group

6:00pm – Revelation Study

### 15 (Tuesday)

3:45pm Baskets of Love

6:00pm Men's Night Out

### 16 (Wednesday)

5:45pm – Mission Classes

6:00pm – Prayer Meeting

6:15pm – Children's Choir

7:00pm – Adult Choir

### 18 (Friday)

Youth Retreat (18, 19, & 20)

### 20 (Sunday)

9:45am – Sunday School

10:50am – Morning Worship

5:30pm – Youth Group

6:00pm – Revelation Study

6:45pm – Church Council

Meeting

### 21 (Monday)

April Newsletter Deadline

### 23 (Wednesday)

No Evening Activities

### 24 (Thursday)

6:00pm Maundy Thursday

### 25 (Friday)

Office Closed Good Friday

### 26 (Saturday)

10-11:30am Easter Egg Hunt

& Youth Bake Sale

### 27 (Sunday)

Easter Sunday

7:00am Early Service

With Breakfast to follow

No Evening Activities

### 30 (Wednesday)

5:45pm – Mission Classes

6:00pm – Prayer Meeting

6:15pm – Children's Choir

7:00pm – Adult Choir

*Dear Church Family,  
I want to thank you all, for  
your prayers, visits, cards  
and calls. I would also  
like to thank the Baskets of  
Love, for the food that we  
have received and enjoyed  
very much. I continue to ask  
for your prayers, as I  
continue to recover.*

*Ann and I have been truly  
blessed with the outpouring  
of love and concern.*

*Jack and Ann Kee*



**God's  
Precious**

**Princesses**

**March 5<sup>th</sup>**

**10:00-11:30am**

*Fellowship Hall*

*Celebration of spring and Easter*

**Contact Linda Cabiness**

*if attending*

**704-434-9462**



# BeTWEEN God and Me

- ♥ 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Girls – “Tweens”
- ♥ Next meeting – March 5th
- ♥ 10 am – 11:30 am
- ♥ At the Parsonage
- ♥ Special Guest: Sara Turner
- ♥ Making Friendship Bracelets
- ♥ Continuing our study of the B...Attitudes
- ♥ Making homemade pretzels
  - Any Questions: Contact: Jeannie Loveday, Lynn Greene or Ann Fryar

**Easter Sunday**

**March 27<sup>th</sup>**

**Early Service 7:00am**

**Breakfast to follow**

**For Tickets to  
Men's Night  
Out**

Contact Church  
Office to make  
reservations  
and to pay in  
advance:

Linnie Crawford,  
704-434-2258  
ext. 0 or  
704-473-1180

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subject line\)](mailto:doublesprings1844@gmail.com)

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**OPERATION  
CHRISTMAS  
CHILD PROJECT**

Sponsored by DSBC  
Mission Friends  
March Items  
for Shoeboxes

Suggestions:  
Washcloths, bars of  
soap, facial tissues  
(pocket packs)

5 - Collection boxes:  
Vestibule, FLC, Youth  
Dept., Children's  
Dept., and on the  
floor above the  
Fellowship Hall (mid-  
way landing).

**"Country Boy" to present program at  
Men's Night**

**Tuesday, March 15, 2016 6:00pm Double  
Springs Baptist Church Family Life Center**



**Josh Hudson,** who describes

himself as "just a country boy" will share his testimony at the Men's Night Tuesday, March 15<sup>th</sup>, at Double Springs.

His message through word and song are based on "family, faith, and farming," he says.

Growing up in a family of sharecroppers on the line between Burke and Cleveland counties, he learned farming the hard way, but he also learned about faith and family there, too. "My mother and grandmother took me to church," he says, "and taught me good Christian values."

The songs he writes, such as "Roots," are gospel descriptions of life close to the earth and the old-fashioned values he learned at home. "Ninety-five percent of what I write is biographical," he says, "but I want

everything to be connected to my Christian faith." His bluegrass style comes from what he calls his "musical pedigree" that began when his grandmother, who was an original member of the St. Paul Quartet in the 1940s, taught him the first three chords on a guitar when he was 10 years old.

Now at 35, he is making a career in the music business, from writing songs to performing to mastering the behind-the-scenes work of producing a CD.

Josh will be sharing his testimony by sharing stories that go along with his songs. "Music as an art is unique," he believes. "You can say a painting is worth a thousand words but a 3-minute song can take you back to a different place. It brings back memories. Just the first note of a song can take you back." The \$10 ticket includes dinner, which begins at 6 p.m., and the program.

