



Mount Hermon Baptist Church

Newsletter – January 17, 2019

Miss Anne's Music & Movement



for preschoolers This Saturday, Jan 19
9:30 am or 10:30 am in the children's wing



Mission Madness Weekend - March 22-24 is a great time to be with numerous youth groups at Walnut Hills Baptist Church in Williamsburg for worship, fun, and hands-on missions. Lodging has been arranged by the Mission Madness staff at a local hotel. Cost per student: \$70.00. – Sign up with Susan by Jan. 30!

PASSPORT

– Passport Choices Summer Camp - July 7-12 at Greensboro College for students grade 6-12. Cost is \$415.00 per student. In previous years we have successfully fundraised 100% of student cost and will make every effort to do that this year. -- Sign up with Susan by Jan. 30!

Youth Gathering – this Sunday, 4:30 – 6:00 pm



MEN, plan on April 5-7

Men's Weekend at Occoneechee State Park on Kerr Lake

This Sunday at church



9:15 am – Coffee fellowship
9:30 am – Adult Bible groups
10:30 am – Worship and Children's Church
4:30 pm – Youth Gathering

Bring **Box Tops for Education** to help local elementary schools and **aluminum can tabs** to help Savannah Wright's sorority support Ronald McDonald Houses. These can be placed at the table in front of the offices.

Prayers appreciated for...

Joey Capps, recovering surgery

Everett Whitlock, Keith Whitlock's father, recovering from surgery

Lucin Parent, Keith Whitlock's grandfather, recovering from a fall

Service for Hugh Woodle this Saturday, Jan. 19, 11:30 am in the worship center

Happy Birthday! **January**

20 Dakota Flora

21 Steve Kesler

25 Erin Keim

20 Emily Scott

22 Andrew Kunkel

25 Tyler Kowalewski

20 Peyton Tardy

23 Katie Corbitt

26 Jeanne LaRocco

21 Madison Hancock

24 Alana Bates

26 Ellen McGuire

Sunday – January 13, 2019

(Canceled due to ice and snow)

Making up for missed contributions is very helpful.

To contribute online go to... www.mt-hermon.org

and click the ONLINE GIVING bar

Not managing your time and making excuses are two bad habits.

Don't put them both together by claiming you 'don't have the time'. -- Bo Bennett



From the Pastor...

Why I Hunt

Keep close to Nature's heart... and break clear away, once in a while, and climb a mountain or spend a week in the woods. Wash your spirit clean. -- John Muir

Muir describes what I experience hunting. Getting in a tree stand for even a few hours is an exercise in patient watching, listening, waiting, and being a silent observer of nature. So much to see! The trees changing from green to colors, the leaves falling, the effects of the wind, the brightness of the sky, the movement of animals. Yes, many people would be quite bored, but I find it fascinating.

I may be deer hunting and see dozens in a season but only take a shot at a couple of them. But I also see squirrels, turkeys, song birds, woodpeckers, hawks, buzzards, crows, snakes, racoons, possums, chipmunks, foxes, coyotes, and even bears. (True, in warm weather there are pesky flies, gnats, and mosquitos.)

