

# Aleherrin Baptist Church

## May 2021



April 4 \$ 8749.00  
April 11 \$ 5760.00  
April 18 \$ 4997.00  
April 25 \$ 6617.00

**Welcome Back :** *Sunday School will be starting back on **Mother's Day, May 9th at 10am** .*

*Spread the word and bring the whole family to worship.*



### **Golf Tournament Friday, May 21st.**

Beechwood Country Club

Promoted By:



The West Chowan

Baptist Association. All proceeds go to support the **Family Resource Center of Ahoskie.**

For more information, contact John Porter at 910 619 3298 or email [revjporter@bellsouth.net](mailto:revjporter@bellsouth.net).

### **RA'S, GA'S AND MISSION FRIENDS.**

**Wednesday, May 5th at 7pm**

Tell all your friends, we will be starting back on May 5th .

### **Baby Dedication**

It has been some time since our last baby dedication. If anyone would like to have their child dedicated during the service on Mother's Day, please contact the church office by May 5th.



**Thursday, May 6, 2021- Mission Resource Center 7pm**

**Lord pour out your love, life, and liberty.**



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## From the Pastors Desk

The thought that I'm about to share was inspired by an article that I read recently titled "A Mother's Prayer: The Lord's Secret Weapon" ([gospelfamily.org](http://gospelfamily.org)). It is true that faithfulness in prayer is a mighty weapon for anyone, but in light of Mother's Day how fitting to address this in view of a mother praying! Godly mothers in the Bible offer the greatest of hope and inspiration for mothers of today, that their children might become mighty instruments in God's kingdom work on the earth. A few examples are Hannah (1 Samuel 1), Jochebed (Exodus 2), Lois -grandmother & Eunice -mother (1 Timothy 1), and of course we can never forget Mary (Luke 1). Each of these women went through their own challenges and great hardships, but they never ceased in being godly role models to their children and no doubt, they never stopped praying for their children. In each of these examples, these women had children that went on to serve the Lord in wonderful faith and obedience. In their adult life these children showed determination and stood fast with the Lord in ways that made significant contributions to the salvation of others. This was in no small way the results of their praying mothers who would have continued praying for their children's faith and godly success all of the days of their motherly lives! To God be the glory for Christian mothers who pray Christ-centered prayers for their children to fulfill the will of the Father in heaven! ~We love you moms of today and yesterday, and we thank the Lord for you!

With that, please allow me to say how thankful I am for the moms in my life, my own mother and mother-in-law, but also Ashley who is a beautiful, caring, and godly mother who loves her family and the church. On May 12, she and I will celebrate our 20<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary, what a blessing she is to me and our boys!

### **Missions:**

OIAM--I've been encouraged to hear of some of the missions that a few of our Sunday School classes are developing for Operation In As Much (our local missions initiative). Please be in prayer for the hearts of those in our community to be reached for the glory of Christ Jesus our King.

Baptist Children's Homes Food Roundup—At the point I write this, we have not yet reached our goal of 75 boxes of food, but I continue to hope that we will. Thank you for all of the gifts of food to meet the needs of these children! A few empty boxes remain in the fellowship hall if you would like to take one or more to fill (the list of the children's needs are inside each box). We will collect through May 16 and then deliver the food to the Kennedy Home in Kinston.

### **Sunday School & Children's Ministries:**

Beginning Wednesday, May 5<sup>th</sup>, we are restarting our children's ministries (RA's, GA's, Mission Friends). If you know of a child that would like to be a part of this, feel free to bring them, or let one of the leaders know if they do not have transportation.

Also, on Sunday, May 9<sup>th</sup> (Mother's Day), we are restarting Sunday School for all ages. The nursery is also available for the 11am worship service each Sunday.

May the Lord always find us faithful,

Pastor John

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Faith Vinson	Danny Williams	John Timberlake	Adult Bible Study Youth Mission groups 7pm Noah Williams	National Day of Prayer 7pm MRC		
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<b>Mothers Day SS Starts Back</b>		Erlene Davis	Adult Bible Study Youth Mission Groups 7pm			
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
Final day to turn in BCH Food Box Rebecca Parrish	Mary Smith		Adult Bible Study Youth Mission Groups 7pm		Golf Tournament  Minnie Liverman Tom Parrish	Mary J. Pridgen Emily Terry
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
			Adult Bible Study Youth Mission Groups 7pm	Nathan Pearce	Nathan Porter	
30	31					
	<b>Memorial Day Office Closed</b>  June Harrell					

**SYMPATHY**

For the Family of David Dunn

**Thank You Meherrin Family**

We wish to express our sincere appreciation for all your acts of kindness shown us during Harold's treatments for cancer. The cards, visits, food and most especially your prayers mean so much to us and we thank God for our friends and church family at Meherrin Baptist Church. We love you all and may God bless you all! **Harold & Myrna Tucker.**

I appreciate the care, effort and thought that was expressed with the loss of my brother Tommy. The time that was taken to bake the cake, split the meals and deliver with knowing the risks. Grief takes time and having a church family of members whom care and act for others is surely God sent. Please continue to hold the family in prayer as we maneuver through this difficult time.

**Sincerely, Patricia.**

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