

## Announcements & Upcoming Events



### **CHRISTMAS DAY SCHEDULE**

*Morning Worship from 10:30-11:30 AM*

*No Sunday School or Evening Service*

**MERRY CHRISTMAS!**

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***The church office will be closed for Christmas Holidays:  
Friday, December 23<sup>rd</sup> and Monday, December 26<sup>th</sup>.***

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*We would like to thank you for all you have done this Christmas Season! From working at Samaritans Purse, donating to the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering, participating in the Cantata and Christmas Play, volunteering and donating toys to the Donna Pittman Toy Store, giving Autumn Care Angel Tree gifts and helping in other events...all in order to share the love and birth of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. We are truly blessed here at Austin Grove!*

*We wish for each of you a VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS and MAY GOD BLESS!*

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**Phone Tree Forms** are located on the table in the vestibule. Please help us update all our records, including email and texting capabilities, by filling out and returning to the secretary's mailbox or Pastor Leon. We have several email addresses and phone numbers that are no longer deliverable, so please make sure we have your correct information. Thank you so much. PLEASE HAVE ALL FORMS IN BY SUNDAY, JANUARY 1<sup>st</sup>. Thank you!

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**LOTTIE MOON GOAL: \$5,440.00**

**Received to date: \$5,440.00**

***We have reached our goal! Thank you.***

***We will continue to receive LMCO Donations.***

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## **FRANCES HAIGLER**

If you would like to send a gift (small in size due to limited room space) or card to Frances Haigler, please drop off in the Sunday School Office by December 18<sup>th</sup>. Gifts and cards will be delivered to her on Christmas Eve. Thank you. Roger Haigler

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## **The Glory of Jesus is the *light* of Christmas.**

Wishing you, your family, and church family a joyous Christmas! Thank you for your support of Good News Club at Wingate Elementary. This semester we had 5 meetings with about 50 children. Three children made professions of faith in Jesus Christ! We're planning 8 more meetings next semester and hope to divide the children into 3 groups rather than 2 groups. Please pray for needed workers. **Love, Penny Tomberlin**



### **DECEMBER EVENTS**

#### **Sunday, December 25<sup>th</sup>**

No Sunday School, Only Morning Worship 10:30-11:30 AM

### **JANUARY EVENTS**

**Sunday, January 1<sup>st</sup>** Michael Jordan will be speaking during Morning Worship. We will not have Evening Worship.

**Monday, January 2<sup>nd</sup>** **The church office will be closed.**

**Sunday, January 8<sup>th</sup>**

6:00 PM "Is This the End?" Series continues; Chapter 2

**Sunday, January 15<sup>th</sup>**

6:00 Pm "Is This the End?"

Chapter 3, "The Increase of Intolerance"

**Sunday, January 22<sup>nd</sup>**

Chapter 4, "The Apathy of America"

## Welcome to Austin Grove Baptist Church

Thank you for visiting with us today. May God Bless You.

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**December 18, 2016**

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**Baptism** Hailey Nassef

### Call to Worship

“Christmas Is Jesus” Choir

### Praise Time

Hymn #93 “It Came Upon A Midnight Clear” Congregation

**Welcome, Announcements, Prayer** Michael Jordan

**Children’s Worship** Michael Jordan

### Praise Time

Hymn #94 “Angels, From the Realms of Glory” Congregation

### Receiving of Tithes & Offerings/Prayer/Testimony

Prayer Ronald Edwards

Offertory Music “Angels We Have Heard On High”

Susan Griffin & Pat Haigler

Offertory Hymn #427 “For He Alone Is Worthy” Congregation

### Praise Time

“Your Presence for Christmas” Choir

### Sermon

“Be Careful Not to Let Christmas Pass You By”

Matthew 2:4-5; 1 Timothy 6:21

### Invitation

Hymn 427 “Come Just As You Are” Congregation

**Benediction** Pastor

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### Fellowship Hall Clean-up for December:

Knights for Christ, Adult Class #1, Adult Class #5

## Children, Youth & Adult Opportunities This Week

### SUNDAY

Christmas Cards are ready for pick up.

Autumn Care Angel Tree gifts & Gifts/Cards for Frances Haigler are due today. Bulletin information for Sunday, December 25<sup>th</sup> and January 2017 Newsletter items are DUE TODAY.

\*\*\*Sunday School Secretary/Members...If you are able to deliver any Christmas cards left in mailboxes, please do so.

Thank you!

9:45 AM Sunday School

10:45 AM Morning Worship

Youth Christmas Party starts directly after church until 3:00 PM

6:00 PM Evening Worship

### TUESDAY

10:00 AM Prayer Meeting

### WEDNESDAY NO BELL OR VIOLIN PRACTICE UNTIL JANUARY

6:00 PM Children & Youth Christmas Party (Supper Provided)

6:45 PM Adult Bible Study

7:30 PM Choir

### NEXT SUNDAY \*\*\*PLEASE NOTE\*\*\* NO SUNDAY SCHOOL

### Morning Worship Only at 10:30-11:30 AM

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### Nursery

**Today:** Craig & Amanda Griffin;

**Next Week:** Sandra Helms & Beverly Napier

### Children’s Church

**Today:** Bill & Carol Fowler; **Next Week:** Roger Haigler & Janel Griffin

### Greeters

**Today:** Freddy & Rita Griffin; Hamp Autry

**Next Week:** Avery & Kay Haigler; Roger Haigler

### A.M. Prayer Meeting

**Today:** Ronald Edwards

**Next Week:** Roger James

### Follow-Up

Jimmie & Melva Seay

Freddy & Rita Griffin

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### Nursing Home

#### Autumn Care

Arthur Davis, Room 303

Lucy Haney

#### Arbor Ridge

Frances Haigler, Apt. 230

1237 Masten Drive,

Kernersville, NC 27284

#### Brookdale Monroe Square

Lynn Crooke

Mildred Baucom, Room 41

## Prayer List

**New:** Floyd Overcash, Corrine Redfern, James & Angie Seay, Ben Stoddard

**Sympathy:** Ron Cureton Family, Tim Maye Family

### GOOD NEWS CLUBS in our county

**Students studying abroad:** Katy Denton, Kristen Kilpatrick

Rev. & Mrs. Leon Whitley

Austin Grove Baptist Church

Lost in the Community

Our Deacons

Our Service Men & Women

Leaders of our country

Our Church Outreach

Jack Austin

Betty Autry

Marie Autry

Carrie Bagley

Wesley Beeker

Billy & Delane Bennett

Carolyn Bock

Daniel Broome

Eldis Broome

Phyllis Broome

Cecil Brooks

Elsie Byrum

Kathryn Byrum

Linda Byrum

Mike Buchaman

Marie Chaney

Debbie Collins

Ellie Collins

Aubrey Cowan

Billy Crawford

Brannon Crowe Rm. 7708

Steve Crowe

Jessica Cruize

Gene Deese

Mary Deese

Randy Dyre

Ronald Edwards (Doris)

Gloria Edwards

Ronald Edwards

Kay Haigler

Wade & Pat Haigler

Scott Haigler

Debra Hartis

Jamie Helms

Robert Hinson

Ashley Honeycutt

Elaine Edwards Horne

Claudean Huggins

Cindy James

Garren Janes

Kelsey Jordan

Taylor Jordan

Frances Knight

Mike Little

Graham Mangum

Beverly Martin

Kay McBride

Debbie Melton

Jeff Mullis

John Nassef

Andrew Oster & Family

Floyd Overcash

Kathy Overcash

Sam Overmiller

Penny Piddix

Mindy Pendergrass

Jason Petes

Ginger Pope

Kathy Phifer

Shannon Phifer

Sadie Phillips

Denise Pigg

Jane Pittman

Jason Preslar

Linda Price

Kenny Queen

Brody Riccards

Wanda Thorne Riley

Jodi Roper

Lindsay Russell

Cara Schott

Corbin Sikes

Ellis Snyder

Jerome Starnes

Joe Stegall

Debra Stewart

Butch Stewart

Rhonda Sutton

Sharon Tomberlin

Dot Thomas

Susan Thomas

Elaine Thornsbury

Carole Trull

Raquel Tucker

Steve Walker

Bill Ward

Samuel Warren

Brian Webber

Kayla Webster

Russell Williams

### Our Missionaries

Walter & Shannon Haigler

### Wycliffe

Rod & Julie Davis, Isaac, Caleb and Josiah

Ben Davis

Evan & Carol Smith

### Our Servicemen

Josh Lowery, Sang Nguyen

James Seay, Jacob Smith