

# Kindred Lines

Newsletter of the Alexandria Baptist Church
November 2023

Dear church family,

November brings us the month of thanksgiving. So please allow a few moments to give thanks.

I'm thankful for every one of you. Your kindness, patience, and generosity are more valuable to me than you can ever know. You are an amazing group of believers who are drawing people to Jesus by the very lives you lead.

Your encouragement is appreciated beyond words. I'm thankful for your kind hearts and for how you make our church feel like home.

I'm thankful for everything you all do, unseen, for our church family, all for the glory of Jesus and His kingdom.

I'm thankful that God called me here to the most wonderful people I've ever known. And I'm thankful that you not only allow me but encourage me to preach the Word of God uncompromisingly and un sugar coated. That my friends is a rare thing in the church in America today.

I love each one of you, and I thank my God upon every remembrance of you. (Philippians 1:3)

Have a great month.

Pastor Brian

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Practice has begun for our Christmas cantata. Join us at 6:45pm on Wednesday evenings. We are excited as we begin rehearsal on the music to celebrate the birth of Jesus!



It is time to order Poinsettias to decorate the sanctuary for the Christmas season. You can choose to purchase them in Honor of someone or in Memory of a loved one. The order forms are in the vestibule.



Tuesday - November 7<sup>th</sup>!





#### **NOVEMBER 11, 2023**





Mohican Men's Meeting November 13 at 7:00pm Sign up in the fellowship hall!

Our church is hosting the dinner/meeting if you can help with the food or help serve let Brenda know ASAP.



There will be a VBS planning meeting on **November 16th at 6:00.** 

All those involved with Vacation Bible School are welcome to come. We will be deciding what we are doing for 2024 VBS.



### **Fourth QUARTER MISSION 2023**

## Shiloh Military Ministries Larry and Linda Ingalls GIVING GOAL: \$1,000.00

Shiloh Military Ministries provides Bible based teaching, hospitality, and activities for our military service members to grow in Christ.

Larry and Linda Ingalls are missionaries with SMM, who are currently based in Ft. Riley Kansas, ministering to the base there. They reach out to soldiers who are faced with very difficult circumstances, open their home to provide teaching and fellowship, and lead them to Christ. Thanking you in advance for supporting their mission.



November - December *Mini Mission*Adopting the Smith Family this Christmas

The upcoming Holiday season is hard for anyone to go through after the loss of a loved one. This year instead of doing Norhtridge/Johnstown Families Helping Families outreach, the Board of Christian Education reached out to Tiffany Smith and have decided to adopt the whole family for Christmas.

Once we receive their wish lists the Giving tree will be set up with ornaments and envelopes as we have done in the past.



We are still working on putting together a Euchre Group. Right now, we have 2 ½ teams. We hope to meet once a month for Euchre and Fun! If you are interested contact Michelle 740-817-2071