August 2019 The Alpine Gossip

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Where Everybody is Somebody Pastor: Brad Mitchell







Little Johnathan McDonald had lots of family and friends help him celebrate his first birthday. He was treated to presents and donations to his education fund, good snacks, and plenty of hugs and love. His favorite part was quickly pulling the tissue paper out of each present.

Can you believe it's time to start school? We wish all students and teachers a safe and successful school year.

It is always a pleasure to have Tharel Shirah behind the pulpit when Brother Brad is absent. Thank you for another excellent testimony, sincere encouragement and for heart-felt advice on dealing with depression.

Brother Brad and Cynthia enjoyed a vacation to Panama City where they enjoyed fun times with family. It wasn't all fun though as there was some upkeep and sprucing up to do at their beach house.

If you need some home-grown vegetables or fresh eggs, call Rachael Chastain at 256-252-0620. Her farm is in Winterboro.

The Nominating Committee met and hopefully contacted all members to fill all positions and responsibilities at Alpine Baptist. A printed list will be handed out soon. Thanks to all for your willingness to serve.

Please make plans to attend Sunday School. Alpine Baptist has wonderful teachers for all ages. Judson Warlick is now teaching the adult class each Sunday and is a wonderful teacher. Come hear for yourself. You won't be disappointed. Plans are being made to have coffee and donuts one Sunday soon, and we hope to encourage all to attend and increase our attendance at Sunday School. It's a great opportunity to know more about the Bible and each other.

What a blessing to have Janet Fazekas accompany Cathy Knight with her flute. Janet played the flute in school and continued to practice and learn through the years. You would think she was a professional. Thank you for sharing your talent during morning worship, Janet.

Nancy Howle and her family enjoyed a vacation to beautiful Gulf Shores where they enjoyed good seafood, sunshine, swimming and just being with each other.

It is sad to see Mrs. Doris Strickland's stately old home disappear off the hill but also very exciting to see a new home being constructed by her granddaughter, Ashlee, Spencer and Lily Kate Thompson . Welcome to Alpine you three.

Kevin and Suzanne Kelley decided to tackle the Highway 127 Yard Sale. Can't wait to hear what treasures they loaded in the car and how far they made it. The scenery along that route is absolutely beautiful.







Thanks for your special kindness and for the way you have of making happy occasions from even the most ordinary of days. You made stressful days a lot easier. Thank you for your love and caring. It is a blessing to be a member of Alpine! Paul McBrayer

Alpine Church Family: Thank you for the cards, food, sympathy, visits, and most of all, your prayers during the loss of Dad. The loving support of Alpine Baptist once again comes through. Thank you for your continued prayers! Ricky and Brenda Hardy

Ms. Potts, On behalf of the Winterboro School Counseling Department, I would like to say "Thank You!" Thank you so very much for all the support and generosity shown to our students. May God continue to bless and keep you safe day by day.

Respectfully, Marianne Garrett, School Counselor

Dear Church Family: I have run out of words of thanks for everything you have done for me during my illness. All I can say is thank you for helping me through your gifts of money, your prayers, your cards, your calls and your love and concern. I love you all and appreciate you more than you'll ever know. I have always loved Alpine Baptist Church and feel very blessed to be a part of such caring and dedicated Christians. Love, Andy Tyler

Dear Alpine Church Family: We wanted to thank you so much for the Bibles that you presented us on Senior Recognition Day. We want to thank you also for always being there, praying for us and supporting us over the years. We have been so blessed to have such a loving and

caring Church family. We ask for continued prayers as we continue our next journey at Auburn. Love, Mason and Morgan McKinney

Just a little note to let you all know how much we thank God for all of you! A huge thank you for the love gift. Words cannot express how much gratitude and love we have for our "family.": We appreciate all the beautiful sweet cards which brought a smile to our face and lifted our spirits. Kevin has a Dr. appointment on Tuesday and I'm pretty confident he will be able to start putting pressure on his foot... sure hope so as the walls are closing in on him. Much love, Kevin and Maria Simpson

From June's Financial Report

General Fund

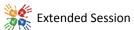
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June Disbursements: \$ 7,475.34 June Balance: \$23,831.86

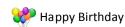
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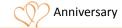
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Stan & Jackie Daniel Warlick Haley Wofford Tucker Brannon Eric & Amy		Dennis & Xan	Mike & Neva		Gary & Jennifer	

Flowers









Ushers: Jackie Potts

Bereavement: The families of Vickie Cochran, Gail Martin, Vera Honea, Sue Lacey, Johnny Mac Brown, Judy Frye, Jerry Hardy, mother of a 3rd grader at Stemley Road Elementary School, Bobbye Lightfoot, Louise Hayes

Military: Jacob Hill, Jake McCoy, Ory Dyer, Sam McCall, Timothy Smith (western Mediterranean)

Missionaries: Missy Ward Angalla-ministering to refugee women in Uganda, those serving in anonymity in foreign fields, Alabama Childhood Food Solutions, Inc., Jen, Andrew and family

Sickness or need: Zoe Swain, Haley Thomas, Andy Tyler, Paul McBrayer, Joan Rhodes, ,April Camp, Josh Crabtree, Sharee and her daughter, Emerald, LouAnne Howard, Philip Powers, Julie Campbell, Gay Curlee, Sandra Langley, Sherry Patefield, Joan Rhodes' sister, Carolyn, Pam Shirah, Steven Harkins, Julie Pozzobon, Larry Smith, Meta Stephens, schools and administrators, Luke Potts, Alton Shell, Paula Brannon

Praise Report: Jim Robinson and Kip Robinson are both doing better, Pat Rhodes' foot is much better, Julie Campbell is better, Sherry Patefield did not have to have surgery, Fay Simpkins is well enough to go home, Mike Smith had oral surgery and is doing well

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