

The Alpine Gossip

Tidbits of News

Vacation Bible School

Wednesday, June 22 through Friday, June 24

5:00—7:30 pm

All children are encouraged to come and bring all your friends and family youth

Awesome Bible stories, crafts, fun activities and refreshments

Contact Michelle Head for more info and to volunteer

Josh Smith made A Honor Roll for the year and was inducted in the National Honor Society. He was also inducted in Mu Alpha Theta Math Honor Society. Josh has two leadership positions in the band...section leader and field captain.

Gunner Camp was a Junior Ambassador, made good grades and had several awards.

Dakota Borden got A/B Honor Roll, She also received a Math, Science, Social Studies, Language and Leadership Award.

Caimn Curlee is in his second year as an electrician working on a journeyman.

Tess Head got her first Grant Proposal in a partnership with the University of West Virginia. She is holding down three jobs this summer associated with her degree.

Jenna Warlick is making good grades and will be a junior at Mississippi State and is home for the summer.

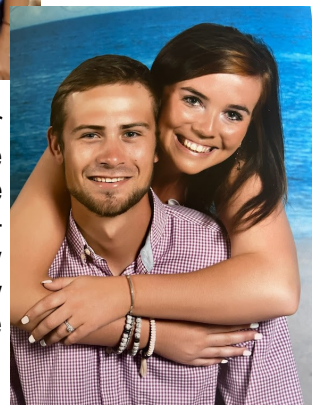
Daniel Warlick is enjoying football and will be a SENIOR next year

Trevor Dyer enjoys football, made great grades and is working at Shocco Springs this summer.



Rebekah Fields graduated on May 12 (Phil & Louanne's granddaughter)

Nick and Lauren Fields are married! The date was May 13. (Phil and Louanne's grandson)



The Thomases were recognized for their many years of dedicated service to Alpine Baptist with a framed picture of the church, a photo book of memories and a luncheon. It is hard to say good bye, but we wish them many years of happiness in their new home at Elkmont.

Pastor Dylan and his family will be on vacation the week of June 13. Gary Furr will fill the pulpit Sunday, June 19.

Alpine Baptist is proud to award \$1,500 scholarships for the 2022-2023 school year to Kaylee Rice, Tess Head, Jenna Warlick, Mason McKinney, Morgan McKinney and Creed Clardy. Congratulations!



Glenn Dillard and Meagan Gurganus are engaged. What a beautiful ring! (There's a beautiful story behind the ring)



From The Front Porch

In seminary, I took 96 hours worth of courses to earn an M. Div. or Master of Divinity. There were several courses in the bible, several in theology, a few language courses, and a handful of practical ministry courses as electives. If you know what it takes to carry out the mission and ministries of our church week in and week out, you'll know there were some important courses I did not have in seminary. There was no carpentry, plumbing, general maintenance, or bookkeeping course. Yet, all of these are required skills in making the ministries of the church-run smoothly from week to week. Here's where I'm going - the church is NOT a one-person show! For the church to be the church each member of the body has to do their part. There are many folks at Alpine Baptist to thank for doing their part week in and week to make our church a healthy church. I want to offer a specific thanks to our new co-treasurers, Nancy Howle and Cindy Strickland. They willingly agreed to serve in this role for a three-year term and have been working tirelessly for the past several days to ensure a smooth transition to the treasurer position. The office of the treasurer is a behind-the-scenes position for the most part, but it is essential to the mission and ministries of our church. Next time you see Nancy or Cindy be sure to express your appreciation for them taking on this important role in the church body. I know I'll be telling them thanks for allowing me to spend more time in the Bible and no time bookkeeping - something I don't need to and something you definitely wouldn't want me to do.

Pastor Dylan

June Birthdays, Anniversaries and Events

June 2	Kevin Simpson	June 13	Jonathan & Crystal
3	Grayson Garner		Spencer & Ashlee
5	Anna Kate Morris	28	Lindsey & Meta
6	David Parks		
	Kaylee Rice		
10	Artimus Pilkerton	June 22-24	VBS
12	Kassi Dyer	June 26	Lindsey & Meta's 25th
15	Joey Peters		Wedding Anniversary
17	Dennis Fields		Reception
20	Stacy Parton	Each Sunday at 10am—Coffee and	
21	Steve Lines	Conversation in Fellowship Hall	
23	Jose Killough		
25	Cathy Knight		
28	Henry Head		

2022 May Financial Report

General Fund

April Balance:	\$24,754
May Receipts:	\$18,317
May Disbursements:	\$14,449
May Balance:	\$28,622

Deacon on Call for June:

Week of June 5	Kathy Ryan
Week of June 12	Ann Morris
Week of June 19	Jackie Potts
Week of June 26	Bill Curlee

Count Offering:

June 5	Cindy Strickland & Terry Roberson
June 12	Cindy Strickland & Kathy Ryan
June 19	Nancy Howle & Lindsey Stephens
June 26	Cindy Strickland & Terry Roberson

**Thank
You!**

Dear Church, You always know how to make life brighter for everyone you know. This has been a challenging time, and I appreciate you so much. As the girls and I slowly rebuild, we will do so with remembrance of your generous spirit. Thank you again, Michelle Head

Dearest Alpine, Thank you all for the wonderful farewell send off! The service with the presentation of the book and church picture was very touching. The picture is already hanging. The words in the book will continue to comfort and support as we venture into this new life. The meal was delicious and, of course, the fellowship hall tables were lovely. John Sawyer reminded us years ago that its "All About Relationships." He was

so right. We have been blessed with the best examples in marriage, raising kids, and living through trauma. We have loved and been loved by you. Thank you for the sending off and for being our haven of rest. Come see us in Elkmont!

Much Love, Stan, Pattie and Everett

Dear Alpine Baptist Church, I want to say how thankful I am to have been chosen as a recipient of one of the scholarships. This will help me finish up my undergrad degree for next spring. Thank you so much for helping me cover my responsibilities. Alpine Baptist is a special place and will always feel like home. With love and appreciation, Mason McKinney

Dear Alpine Baptist Church, I want to thank you so much for being chosen as a recipient of one of the scholarships to help continue my education at Auburn University. I will be starting my senior year and that will come with many additional responsibilities. Thank you for helping me cover these responsibilities with your generosity. Alpine Baptist has always been a special place and is very special to me. With love and appreciation, Morgan McKinney

Prayer List

Bereavement: The families of Joe Wallace, John Brown, Steve Thompson, Brighton Clary, Lisa McClung

Military: Jacob Hill, Sam McCall, Timothy Smith, Thad Smith

Missionaries: Missy Ward-Angalla, those serving in anonymity in dangerous fields, AL Childhood Food Solutions, Jen, Andrew & family as they travel to a new destination

Sickness or Need: Baby Auggie Sims, Meg Alismail, Brenda Allen, Sherry Dobler, Jean Donahoo, Marjorie Eubanks, Janet Fazekas, Fay Fuller, Gary Garner, Jenny Warlick, Beth Atkinson, Elaine Patterson, Kip Robinson, Tim Free, Betty Smith, Gloria Taylor, Lena Landers

Praise: Donald Free is cancer free, Glenn Dillard is doing better after covid and also Shea Smith, Brandi Hurst is cancer free, Ella Ann Rogers is much improved

Highlights from June Business Meeting

The Deacons recommended the following items:

- Have business meetings once a quarter instead of monthly. We will still have called meetings.
- Approve the cost of new flooring for the pastorium for \$3,500.
- Approve the domain charge for our new website at \$10 per year.
- Approve the purchase of a new laptop and printer for the treasurer position.
- Approve the rental of a larger safety deposit box at a cost of \$98/year.

The Talladega County Bookmobile
will be at Alpine Baptist Church parking lot
on Monday, June 20 from 1 til 2 pm

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