



WISE BAPTIST NEWS

A PUBLICATION FOR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS OF
WISE BAPTIST CHURCH

April 7, 2026

Supply Pastor
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IMPORTANT DATES

Wednesday, Apr. 8,
6 PM Dinner

7 PM Bible Study

7:30 PM Choir Prac.

Sunday, April 12

Sunday School
10 AM

Worship Service
11 AM

A place for faith and fellowship with family and friends.

Wednesday Night Bible Study
7 pm
Jim Collie

WEDNESDAY MEAL

Beef Stew, Cole Slaw, Cornbread

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Congratulations!!

Liam Scott Collie
was born on Easter Sunday, April 5, 2026!
We are so happy and excited for
Lance + Imma, Pam + Robert, &
Jim + Sherry!

How to Join Wise Baptist Church:

Express one of the following to the Pastor during the closing hymn:

- † **Transfer of Letter** Transfer membership to Wise Baptist Church
- † **Baptism** Desire to express faith in Christ through baptism
- † **Statement of Faith** Baptized believer not on a membership roll
- † **Watch Care** Desire to be connected to our Church family without official membership

DEACONS 2025 - 2026

John Mark Adrian	328-5564
Debbie Collins	393-3875
Jeff Elkins	393-5700
Ron Helton	393-6145
Lewey Lee	393-5370
Matt Meade	393-9177
John Ponish	870-1593
Ruby Salyers	870-0590
Ray Spenilla	639-2313

Deacon Emeritus:
Bob Adkins

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Working Women's Bible Study

A brand new Bible Study
group will be offered for
Working Women!!

Next meeting will be on
April 26th, at 5:15 PM,
in the Fellowship Hall.

Please contact Jennifer
Mullins if interested at
(276) 393-9532

As you pray, please remember...



Leona & Jerry Jessee, Peggy Stillwell, Deanna Adkins, Aaron Collier, Vicki Stephens, the family of Joe Bandy, Jeannie Knotts & Family, Mike & Terry Winters, Christy Kelley, Ann Wade, John & Diana Roberts, Dawn Hawes, Bella Sisson, Johnny & Renee Robinson, Robert Raines & Family, Family of Susan Rose, Gwyn Carlton, Brenda Lee, Jerry & Wanda Baird, Cecil & Glenna Mullins, Alan Adkins, David & Natalie Luther, Irene Humphries, Mike Peak, Megan Moody, Jane Hughes, Grace Allio, Kathy Helton, Jim & Judy Sturgill, John & Kathy Kennedy, Jordan Joseph (grandson of Virginia Ebert), Jim & June Dotson, Cyrus Jones, Andy Johnson (Cyndi Newlon's brother), Lorna Wherry & Brian Plester (siblings of Brenda Kunigelis), Beth Snodgrass, doctors, nurses & all medical/pharmaceutical personnel, law enforcement & emergency personnel, all the cancer patients in our area, and our men & women in the military.

Giving is an Act of Worship



Our stewardship of God's work at Wise Baptist Church is an opportunity of spiritual sacrifice. Our stewardship is an opportunity for each of us to express our love and gratitude to the One who has given us everything. And our stewardship allows us to be a part of God changing lives and souls.

For those who cannot physically attend Sunday morning worship services in the sanctuary, your tithes and offerings may still be mailed to Wise Baptist Church, P.O. Box 777, Wise, VA 24293 or brought by the Church office anytime during open hours.

"Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms." 1 Peter 4:10

Hi
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IT'S PARTY TIME!



JOIN US FOR
Carter's 5th Birthday

April | 25 | 12 PM
WISE BAPTIST CHURCH
211 Spring Ave. NE

RSVP to Stephanie: 276-639-5681

Easter Sunday



Easter Sunday



BIRTHDAYS, ANNIVERSARIES, MUSIC, ETC.



April 7 Alex Maine
April 10 Sandy Mullins
April 11 Ray Cekalla
Carol Miller
Karen Ponish
April 12 Sunny Kennedy
April 13 Jeff Cantrell
Stan Kunigelis
Hollyn Mullins



Happy Anniversary

April 10 David & Sandy Mullins
April 13 Ron & Vicki Stephens

This Week's Scripture:

Romans 5:8

But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

WBC Music Ministry



Easter morning is full of celebration — the empty tomb, the risen Savior, the victory over sin and death. But the real test of our faith begins after the holiday fades, when the lilies wilt and the calendar moves on. The resurrection was never meant to be a once-a-year moment. It's the beginning of a new way of living.

When Jesus walked out of the grave, He didn't just prove who He was. He invited us into a new kind of life — one marked by hope, courage, and daily surrender. The same power that raised Christ from the dead is at work in every believer, shaping us into people who reflect His love in ordinary moments.

To live for Jesus after Easter means:

Carrying resurrection hope into places that feel dark or discouraging.

Choosing forgiveness even when it's difficult.

Serving others with humility and compassion.

Walking in obedience because love fuels our choices.

Remembering the cross not with guilt, but with gratitude.

These aren't grand gestures; they're daily decisions that slowly reshape our hearts.

The world still wrestles with fear, division, and uncertainty. But Easter reminds us that Jesus is alive — and because He lives, we can face tomorrow with confidence. Our faith becomes a steady light, not just on Sunday morning, but on the quiet Tuesday afternoons when no one is watching.

Living for Jesus after Easter means refusing to let the resurrection become a seasonal story to be put away until next year. It becomes the rhythm of our lives — a constant reminder that hope wins, grace is real, and Christ is with us.

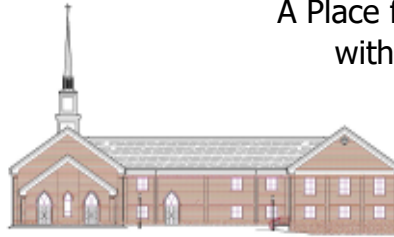
Easter may be over, but resurrection life is just getting started.

Peace, love & joy, Donna

Volunteers this Week

Deacons On Call	4/5-4/11	Jeff Elkins, John Mark Adrian
	4/12-4/18	Debbie Collins, Ray Spenilla
Building Stewards		Ron Helton, Scott Snodgrass
Instrumentalists		Susan Mullins, Susan Smith
Sunday School Greeters	April	Billie Sue Harris
Children's Church	April 12	Cindy & Jeff Elkins
Offering Ushers	April	Matt Meade Team
	May	Jeff Dotson Team
Tellers	April	Matt Meade, Mike Strouth
	May	Cliff Carson, Jeff Dotson
Wed. Night Meals	4/8	Beef Stew, Cole Slaw, Cornbread Teresa & Team
	4/15	Baked Chicken, Green Beans, Potato Wedges Donna & Team

A Place for Faith and Fellowship
with Family and Friends



WEEKLY OPPORTUNITIES

Sunday	Sunday School	10:00 am
	Worship	11:00 am
Monday	Piecemakers (1st, 3rd, 5th)	9:00 am
	Caring Friends (2nd & 4th)	
Wednesday	Dinner	6:00 pm
	Bible Study	7:00 pm
	Choir Practice	7:30 pm
Saturday	Men's Bible Study	7:00 am

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Thought for the Week:

Bloom where you are planted.

