

From the Pastor

December 27, 2020



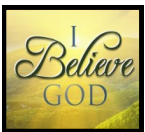
Well, here we are at the last Sunday in 2020. *(Again, Nancy and I thank you for every expression of your love during this Christmas season.)* This year has been a learning time for us all. It has also been a leaning time. I'm so grateful for the everlasting arm of God upon which we can rest! He has been faithful!

We are about to enter 2021, and we must not let up or become weary in well doing. The best is yet to come as we practice our new theme - I BELIEVE GOD!

One thing that 2020 has opened my eyes to and has convicted me of is the need to PRAY FIRST. With the help of God we want to place more emphasis on PRAYER. May we learn together how to pray more fervently and faithfully. May we move forward into the new year with our hearts bowed before our Heavenly Father.



LISTEN for announcement of times and rooms for special prayer for 2021. Be conscious of prayer before and after church. A corner spot, a pew, etc. are all good places to pray. Also, the altar is always open if you have a desire to come and pray.



I BELIEVE GOD is our theme for 2021. Pick up one of the badges from an usher.



PASTOR Tim Cruse will be our guest speaker on January 24th. He will present the ministry of The Shepherd's Place Children's Home.





COUPLES BANQUET - February 13th - with missionary Philip Moore and his wife.

******Other missionaries will be speaking for us throughout the year. Those that were scheduled for our Missions Revival back in November are being rescheduled.***



OUR ANNUAL church business meeting will be held on January 3rd following the evening service.



Join us this coming Wednesday, December 30th, for a SINGSPARATION! Individuals and groups that sing throughout the year, please have a song ready. A list will be compiled tonight.



Keep the ROOF PROJECT on the front burner of your prayers. We have now reached 25% of the \$60,000 goal! Also, KEEP PRAYING for our bus routes, Sunday School classes, and Survival Kids Club to resume. Listen for announcements.



TEENS: Listen tonight for details about a New Year's Eve youth conference - the Mid-Atlantic Youth Conference from Raleigh!

Serving In The Nursery:

**Sunday Morning:
Barbara Brooks**

**Sunday Evening:
Cindy Cahoon**

**Wednesday Evening:
Jennifer Gibson**



Stewardship Report

Tithes & Offerings.....	\$ 4,037.00
Faith Promise.....	505.00
Missions.....	70.00
Roof.....	290.00
Building Fund.....	20.00
Miscellaneous.....	65.00
TOTAL	\$ 4,987.00

