

**Pleasant Valley South Baptist Church**

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- Senior Pastor
- Associate Pastor—Rev. Richard Brown
- Minister of Music—Rev. Mark Winstead
- Business Administrator—Jeff Byrd
- Minister of Children—Rev. Barry Saunders
- Minister of Youth—Rev. Eric Gargus
- Minister of Media—Tom Pilcher
- Worship Director—Jennifer Pitcher
- Orchestra Director—Bill King
- Financial Secretary—Kim Sisson
- Church Secretary—Candy Yarbrough



September/October 2024



Dear Church Family,

We thank you for the out pouring of love and appreciation you showed us on September 8. Thank you for the generous love offering, cards, gifts, notes and the reception. We enjoyed the celebration service because we were encouraged and God was glorified. Thanks to all who invested to make this a special day.

We pray for you daily. We miss you and will always love you!

In His Love,  
Phil & Delaine



Operation Christmas Child

Shoe Box Packing Party  
October 20, 2024 @3PM



**Walking Worthy**

**Ladies Annual Brunch**  
November 9, 2024  
10 AM - Noon

**Speaker: Beth Ann Williams**  
Director of Georgia Baptist Women

**Family Life Center**

Doors open @9:30 AM

**Cost: \$10**

non-refundable

I... beseech you to walk worthy of  
the calling with which  
you were called.  
Ephesians 4:1 NKJV



**Daylight Saving Time  
Ends**

Sunday November 3, 2024

Turn your clocks back 1 hour.

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PVS Student Fusion Presents:

# Winter Retreat '24



**Featuring the Strength To Stand Conference AND Big Bear Lodge!**

**12/27 (10AM Departure) through 12/31 (4PM Return)**  
 [All attendees will ride trip vans, and are committing to the entire trip]

**PAYMENT DUE DATES:**

**\$50 non-refundable deposit by 9/30**

**[Sign-up CLOSES 9/30]**

**Pay in full by 9/30 & pay only \$200!**

**Final balance due by 10/30**

**DOWNLOADABLE INFO PACKET ONLINE AT STUDENTFUSION.COM**

**[Sign up by contacting Eric Gargus]**



**Richard Brown**

Associate Pastor for Evangelism and Missions

**Thank You, Dr. and Mrs. Philip May**

Both of you have been such a blessing to this church, community and our state. Personally speaking, both of you have been such a blessing to me and my family. You have served well. Congratulations on your retirement!

**Argentina Mission Trip**

Please pray for our team as we leave for Argentina September 27-October 5. This will be an exploratory trip as we seek to identify opportunities for future teams to invest in Great Commission work. We will be doing some preaching, teaching and area ministry in and around Buenos Aires. It is a beautiful city with a population of well over 3 million people. Lostness is significant amidst a culture of religiosity. Please pray for our safety as well as Kingdom fruitfulness. Our team is made up of Joy Battles, Richard and Denise Brown, Barry and Patti Saunders. We are excited about this opportunity! Please prayerfully consider your involvement in a future trip!

**Disaster Relief**

Volunteers are needed in Houma, LA to assist in the cleanup efforts left from Hurricane Francine on September 11<sup>th</sup>. If you are interested in participating with our local church group, please contact our Team Coordinator Jeff Heath at 678-767-8761 for information. If you have not already registered with SP, please go to [www.samaritanspurse.org](http://www.samaritanspurse.org) and click get involved.

**Operation Christmas Child**

We have a wonderful group of volunteers who have been working all year to prepare us for our Shoebox packing party on October 20<sup>th</sup> beginning at 3 pm in the FLC. There is still time to donate items. Check your weekly bulletin for details. Last year, our church donated nearly 1,600 boxes! I deeply appreciate Jackie Eschbaugh for her leadership over this ministry!

**Preaching Schedule:**

- October 6: Dr. Larry Wynn, Executive Director, Georgia Baptist Health Care Foundation
- October 13: Dr. Tim Smith, Director of Missions, Floyd County Baptist Association
- October 20: Rev. Ken Hall, Retired Pastor
- October 27: Dr. Don Dowless, President, Shorter University
- November 3: Rev. Richard Brown
- November 10: Dr. Tim Smith
- November 17: Dr. Kenneth Priest
- November 24: Dr. Steve Parr



**Barry Saunders, Minister of Children**

It is that time of the year to start preparing for one of our best outreach events of the year, Trunk of Treat. This year it is on October 27<sup>th</sup> from 5:00 - 7:00pm. We need you to make plans to join us and help out by decorating your trunk and giving out candy. You can also help out in many other areas like registration or watching the inflatables. There are many opportunities for you to be involved. The sign up sheet is located in the Welcome Center.

See you at Trunk or Treat.

Mr. Barry

**TRUNK OR TREAT**

**FUN! CANDY! INFLATABLES! GAMES!**



**FREE**

**OCTOBER**

**TIME: 5-7 PM**

**27**



**Mark Winstead**  
 Minister of Music



Ah, can't you feel the touch of fall in the air? What a beautiful time of year. We have so much going on at PVS and so much to look forward to as we move forward. Don't let this interim time be a time when we slack off. Come, be a part of whatever ministry God is calling you to. You are truly valued and wanted here. Sing His praises and serve where He puts you.

We love you,  
 Mark