



The angel told her:
“Do not be afraid, Mary,
for you have found
favor with God.
Now listen:
You will conceive
and give birth to a son,
and you will name Him Jesus.”

LUKE 1:30-31 (CSB)



Blue Ridge Baptist Church
Sunday, December 16, 2018

Rev. John Carney
Susan Hansen
Sound Engineers

Pastor
Sunday School Director
Don Roney / David Brown / Dan Bass / Buddy Davis / Vincent Bennett

Thank you to Bro. John and Susan Hansen for leading us in worship today.

Prelude

Welcome and Family News and Morning Prayer **Rev. John Carney**

Call to Worship 87 **"Joy to the World! The Lord Is Come"**

Hymn 89 **"O Come, All Ye Faithful"**

Fellowship Hymn 100 **"Angels We Have Heard on High"**

Offertory Hymn 448 **"Just a Closer Walk With Thee"**

Worship in Tithes and Offerings

Special Music **Clarence Mann**

Children's Sermon and Children's Church

Morning Message **Rev. John Carney**

Hymn of Invitation and Decision 516 **"When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder"**

This is a time of reflection, a time to pray for someone, turn your burdens over to our Lord, or to make a decision to join our church family. You may join Blue Ridge by Statement, by Baptism, or by Letter.

Closing Hymn 103 **"Away in a Manger"**

WELCOME



"Come and Worship in God's Peace and Beauty of Blue Ridge"



We welcome our visitors today! Thank you for joining us. Please fill out the attached visitor's form and place it in the offering plate.



Thank You for the Beautiful Poinsettias...

Given in Memory of:

Ruby Burnette (Shirley's Mom) by Buddy and Shirley Davis
Rube Holley (Buddy's Mom) by Buddy and Shirley Davis
Joe and Kate Hansen by Susan and Brian Hansen
Louis Rogers and Beulah Wright by the Hansens, Bennetts, and Pembertons
Her Parents by JoAnn Woodfin
Ina and Howard Bayerle by Linda and Bill Hines
Gerri Z. Robbins by Glenn Hudson
Sam and Mae Belle Bass, Bill and Jane Sydnor, Lila Rose Bass by Dan and Susan Bass
Our Parents by Bro. John and Jackie Carney
Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Horn by Wendy and Rocky Aldridge
Mr. and Mrs. Eric E. Aldridge by Wendy and Rocky Aldridge

Given in Honor of:

Our Children and Our Grandchildren by Dan and Susan Bass
Blitsy, Jackie's Mother by Bro. John and Jackie Carney



'The First Day of Christmas'



WE THANK ALL OF OUR BLUE RIDGE PLAYERS AND CHOIRS FOR BLESSING US LAST SUNDAY MORNING WITH A FANTASTIC PROGRAM SHARING A FAMILY'S PREPARATIONS FOR CHRISTMAS. THANK YOU TO JIM HARRIS FOR BUILDING OUR FIREPLACES. THANK YOU TO BRO. JOHN AND JACKIE FOR THE PROPS.



Christmas Angels Thank You

Our church family provided a wonderful ministry for a family who would not otherwise have Christmas! Bro. John delivered 2 bicycles, 4 computer tablets, several outfits for each one, a Mother's robe, Rain boots, tennis shoes, Gift cards, socks, a watch, a doll head to make pretty, slime kits, a life-size doll, and a lot of love from you and Jesus. They will have a Christmas morning they will never forget and you provided that blessing, just as He has provided for us! ♥



Our beautiful Candelight and Carols Service will be next Sunday evening at 8:00 pm. Bring your friends and family to share the light of our Savior.

COMING THIS WEEK AT BLUE RIDGE

Today, November 16, 2018

9:45 am Bible Study

11:00 am Morning Worship

5:00 pm Bible Study

Monday, December 17

7:00 pm Join us for Visitation with Bro. John and Jim Beck

Wednesday, December 19

6:00 pm Christmas Caroling for all ages



Christmas Caroling



We will go out to sing Christmas carols this Wednesday to our members and we ask for your suggestions of others who need to know we care. We will deliver a fruit/candy basket to those we sing to. If you would like to donate fruit and/or candy for the baskets, please let Bro. John or Jackie know.



Everyone Come to the Fellowship Hall for a great time of informative and enlightening Bible Study and Fellowship around the tables at 5:00 pm today. A sweet, loving group of friends will be there with smiles of welcome and you can either share or just listen and learn. Tea, soft drinks, and coffee are always served.



Thank you to the Aldridges for Helping with the Christmas Parade!
The Roneys (who built our float) and Bro. John had prior obligations yesterday and could not be at the Wetumpka Christmas Parade, so we thank Christena and Tyler Aldridge for gathering the kids and pulling the float to represent our church in the parade. They gave out 1500 peppermint gifts from our church to attenders.

December Children's Ministry

16: Nursery & Toddlers: Barbara Harris CC: Christena Aldridge and Renee' Miller

CHECK US OUT AT WWW.BLUERIDGEBAPTISTCHURCH.NET WE THANK JIM HARRIS, OUR WEBMASTER FOR ALWAYS KEEPING OUR EVENTS AND PICTURES UP TO DATE. WE THANK HIM FOR THE BEAUTIFUL ADS FOR OUR CHURCH HE PLACES IN THE JOURNEY MAGAZINE EACH MONTH.

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