

The Messenger

Blue Ridge Boulevard Christian Church

February 2017



On Sunday, February 5 we will celebrate the ministry that is happening in our midst. I believe that each of you are called of God and gifted by God for ministry and service. You are unique and so your ministry will not look the same as the next person.

Remember – there is no “small” ministry or “big” ministry.

All ministry done in the name of

Christ is holy. In worship we will pray for one another and for the ministry to which we are called. We will also pray for our congregation, for our leadership, and for the ministry to which God calls us this year.

May you know the presence and the calling of God in your life this New Year.

Peace, Pastor Sherry

WORSHIP TEXTS

January 29th – Mark 12:13-17, Paying Taxes

February 5th – Mark 12:28-34, First Commandment

February 12th – Mark 12:38-44, Scribes and Widow’s Offering

February 19th – Mark 13:1-8, Distraction of the Temple

February 26th – Mark 13:9-13, Persecution

NO PUTLUCK IN FEBRUARY

Please join us for the SunShine Sisters Spaghetti Dinner on February 18th. If you are interested in helping organize our potluck lunches this year, please let Pastor Sherry know.

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Please email submissions to Jaime at jaimebrbcc@att.net.

FINANCIAL UPDATE

Monthly Budget: \$3,600

December Gifts: \$2,539

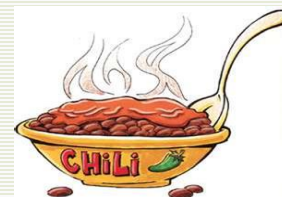
January Gifts To Date: \$849

2016 Income: \$65,065.19

2016 Expenses: 66,019.80

Office Hours		
Jaime	Tues, Wed, Thurs	9:00-2:00
Heather	Wed, Thurs	9:00-1:00
Valerie	Tues, Thurs	10:00-3:00
	Sunday Mornings	
Sherry	Tues, Wed, Thurs	8:30-3:00
	Sunday Mornings	

SAVE THE DATE



**Annual Chili Dinner
Saturday, March 11th**



BELATED BIRTHDAYS

We didn't send out a January Newsletter this year but wanted to recognize birthdays we missed: 1/8 Kaitlin Feltrop and Dorothy Miller, 1/14 Bree Gentry and Curtis Summit, 1/19 Arlene Baker, 1/21 Denise Gentry, 1/26 Elizabeth Brown, and 1/28 Chris Salva. Happy Belated Birthday!

SPAGHETTI DINNER FUNDRAISER

Saturday, February 18th from 11 AM – 3 PM

SunShine Sisters will be hosting a Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser in the Fellowship Hall on Saturday, February 18th. Tickets will be \$5 in advance or \$6 at the door. Please see one of the SunShine Sisters to purchase your tickets. Thank you!



DISCIPLES WOMEN

Thursday, February 16th at 10 AM

Please invite a friend to come and join us for this time of fellowship. A potluck lunch will follow. You can park in the side parking lot and enter through the side door.

WEEK OF COMPASSION SPECIAL OFFERING

February 19th -26th

It is time again for the Week of Compassion special offering, February 19-26, 2017. By the grace of God, we are given the opportunity to share our gifts and resources with our brothers and sisters in need around the world. All of us have the power to give back to God from that which God has given us, and in doing so, make the world a more just world for all of God's children. Through our gifts, we participate in the many ministries of Week of Compassion and its partners who serve the hungry, the poor, the distressed, the refugee.

