

The Providence Proclaimer



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January 26 - 2014 - BAPTIST MEN'S DAY

8:00 am - Church-wide Breakfast

11:00 am - Men's Choir

Jerry Oliver Guest Speaker

From Your Pastor's Heart

Happy New Year! It is always exciting to look forward to new events in life like receiving your driver's license, graduating high school or college, getting married, having a new baby, retirement, and the list can go on and on. What will 2014 hold? Will you be blessed?

There are many ways to receive God's blessings. Those who obey Him receive His blessings. One way you can obey Him is by tithing. Would you read the following and consider being a tither if you do not already give a tithe? The following are fourteen (14) Biblical reasons why you should consider tithing.

1. It Honors the Lord (Proverbs 3:9-10)
2. It Belongs to God (Leviticus 27:30, 32; Malachi 3:10)
3. It is Investing with God (Luke 6:38; II Corinthians 9:6)
4. It Follows the Teachings of Jesus (Matthew 23:23; Luke 11:42)
5. It Teaches Reverence (Deuteronomy 14:23)
6. It Proves Repentance (Malachi 3:7-10)
7. It Symbolizes Redemption (Deuteronomy 26:9-11)
8. It Recognizes our Debt (Genesis 28:20-22; Deuteronomy 12:10-11)
9. It Reveals and Builds our Faith (Exodus 23:19; 34:26; Numbers 18:12; Deuteronomy 18:4; Hebrews 11:1-3)
10. It Confirms God's Word (Malachi 3:10)
11. It Finances the Church (Malachi 3:10)
12. It Proclaims the Gospel (Malachi 3:12)
13. It Provides for Others (Deuteronomy 14:28; 26:12)
14. It Demonstrates God's Love (II Corinthians 8:9)

The Bible gives ample warning about the dangers of loving money. To trust in money is idolatry. In addition, we are told not to seek to be rich, but rather to seek to honor God (Matthew 6:24; I Timothy 6:9-10).

Romans 8:37-38
In Him,

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<h1>January 2014</h1> <p>Activities scheduled</p>						
			1 OFFICE CLOSED	2	3	4 Women's Prayer Group 7:30-9:00am Women's II Classroom
5 Lord's Supper 9:45am- S S 11am-Service 6pm-Service	6	7 7pm-Deacon's mtg.	8 7pm-WMU & Baptist Men 7pm-Mission Friends (K-6) 7:45pm-Choir	9	10	11 Ladies Winter Tea 2pm-@North Roxboro Baptist Church
12 9:45am- S S 11am-Service 6pm-Starting a six week study – A Biblical Marriage in A Broken World	13	14	15 7pm-Business mtg. 7pm-Mission Friends- (K-6) 7:45pm-Choir.	16	17	18
19 Sanctity of Life 9:45am- S S 11am-Service 6pm-Service Feb. Newsletter cutoff for info	20 7pm-Constitutional/ By-Law Committee Meeting	21	22 7pm-Prayer mtg. 7pm-Mission Friends- (K-6) 7:45pm-Choir	23	24	25
26 Baptist Men's Day 8am-Breakfast for all 9:45am- S S 11am-Service Men's Choir Guest Speaker-Jerry Oliver 6pm-Service	27	28	29 7pm-Prayer mtg. 7pm-Mission Friends (K-6) 7:45pm-Choir	30	31	

JANUARY EVENTS



Month of January Mission focus – Little Life

Collection of baby diapers, wipes, bath products and other baby related items for Little Life Pregnancy Center. Cutoff date for collections is Sunday, January 26th.

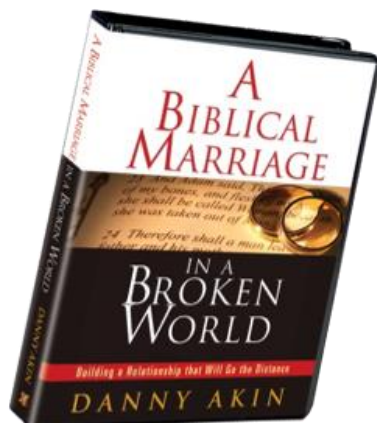
Saturday, January 4th – The **Women’s Prayer Group** will meet from 7:30 – 9:00 am in the Women’s II classroom. The chapters to be covered are 3) “Because He Laid Down His Life for Me” and 19) “When I Struggle with Doubt” from *The Prayer That Changes Everything* by Stormie Omartian. See Jennifer Cook for more information.

Sunday, January 5th – Lord’s Supper

Join us during the morning worship Service as we observe the Lord’s Supper.



S.A.M.’s Event – For the month of January, the women will attend the **Ladies’ Winter Tea** sponsored by North Roxboro Baptist Church’s Women Ministry on **Saturday, January 11th** at 2:00 pm. Plans are to leave the church by 1:00 pm. Tickets are \$5, please see Edith Gentry to let her know if you plan to attend by January 4th or for more information.



Sunday Night Bible Study – New Six-week study titled **A Biblical Marriage in a Broken World - Building a Relationship that Will Go the Distance** starting January 12th at 6:00pm. This series has strong Bible teaching and practical insights.

The study is the work of Daniel Akin, President of Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary.



Sunday, January 26th – The Baptist Men will host a **Church-wide breakfast** at the church at 8:00 am. **All** church members and attendees are invited to come.

Baptist Men’s Day, January 26th - Join us as our men lead the morning service and we hear from the Men’s Choir for a special day of worship. Guest speaker will be Jerry Oliver.

Pick up a copy of either the *Mature Living* or *homelife* magazines located on the magazine rack on the lower level of the Educational Building:



Focuses on the spiritual and personal needs of adults, from boomers to seniors

Provides Biblical and practical counsel for families, marriages, and personal development.



Thought:

“Do all the good you can
By all the means you can
In all the ways you can,
At all the times you can,
To all the people you can ,
As long as ever you can.”

—John Wesley’s Rule