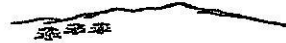
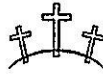


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“HE IS NOT HERE,
BUT HE
HAS RISEN!”

LUKE 24:6 (CSB)





Welcome to Blue Ridge Baptist Church
Sunday, March 31, 2024- Easter Sunday

Rev. John Carney	Pastor
Emily Roney, Bro. John	Worship Leader
Linda Graydon	Pianist
Susan Hansen	Financial Secretary
Jim Harris	Web Master
David Brown, Buddy Davis, Dan Bass, Vincent Bennett, Don Roney, Jim Harris	Sound Engineers

Thank you to Linda Graydon and Bro. John for leading us in worship today.

Welcome and Family News *Rev. John Carney*

Call to Worship 160 *"Low in the Grave He Lay"*

Reborn Harmony
Susan and Dan Bass and Buddy Davis

Fellowship Hymn 159 *"Christ the Lord Is Risen Today"*

Worship Through Giving Our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Hymn 253 *"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"*

Special Music *Clarence Mann*

Children's Sermon and Children's Church

Morning Message *Rev. John Carney*

Invitation Hymn 321 *"The Savior Is Waiting"*

Closing Hymn 177 *"There's Something About That Name"*

❁ *Welcome to Our Visitors* ❁

"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.



You may place your tithes and offerings in the plates at the 2 doors of the Sanctuary. Please place your visitor information there as well as any prayer requests. You may give online as well at www.blueridgebaptistchurch.net. This site is private and secure.

News From the Roneys

Congratulations to Don Roney as he has completed his duties at Eglin AFB in Florida and now will go to Smith AFB in Arkansas. Don trained our American pilots to fly the new F-35 jet in Florida and will now have the honor of training International pilots to fly the F-35 in Arkansas. We pray for the family as they are searching for a home there and begin their new duties. Remember James as he is wearing a boot on his foot where bone fragments were found. We miss them and look forward to their call from the 187th to come back our way. Here is a note we received from Emily this past week. They also sent their very generous tithes and offerings.

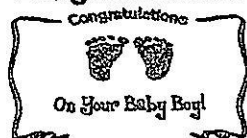
Blue Ridge Family,

I am so sorry this is so late getting to you. We have been praying for you all and miss you terribly.

Our time in Florida has been absolutely wonderful! We have a lot on our plates as we prepare to move to Arkansas. We appreciate your continued prayer support so much!

Love,
The Roneys

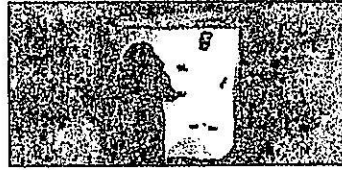
Congratulations



Congratulations to Keely Stephens on the birth of a baby boy, Keegan Edward Stephens, born on Sunday, March 24 at 4:20 am. Keegan weighed 8 lbs. 10 ounces and was 19 and 1/2 inches long. Chris Stephens is the proud Grandfather and Bonnie Ryals is the proud Great-Grandmother.



Philippians, the Book of Joy Bible Study
Sundays at 5:00 pm- Our study resumes next week.



Easter Sunday 2024
The Resurrection of Jesus
Luke 24:1-6

“On the first day of the week, very early in the morning, the women took the spices they had prepared and went to the tomb. They found the stone rolled away from the tomb, but when they entered, they did not find the body of the Lord Jesus.”

John 11:25-26

“Jesus told her, “I am the resurrection and the life. Anyone who believes in me will live, even after dying. Everyone who lives in me and believes in me will never ever die.”

The Easter Egg Hop Was a Big Success in Outreach!



Thank you to all the Volunteers who came for the Easter Egg Hop Outreach last Sunday. The kids hopped trunk to trunk to our Easter Car Trunks. They found candy, eggs, and games there supplied by Renee' Miller, Shirley Davis, Bro. John and Jackie Carney, Jim and Barbara Harris, Bonnie Ryals, Mary and Adam Ryals, Ben Lowry and Keely DeFee, David and Becky Miller, our DJ Buddy Davis, David Brown, David Funchess, Scott Stevenson, and Rebecca Henley and Grace. Tammi Stevenson provided 100's of chicken nuggets, Jim Harris grilled 50 hotdogs with buns, Fay made dessert, and Amy brought chili. Renee' baked 24 packages of cakes and cupcakes-they were beautifully decorated, Bonnie provided drinks, Shelly Bennett provided Green beans, Mac the Cheese, and Banana Pudding-yummy! (Thank you Shelly Bennett and Susan Hansen) and chips and desserts were served, The kids jumped in a big inflatable lion and played air ball baseball- a real favorite. They loved the fresh, hot popcorn. Thank you for sharing Jesus, the Risen Son of God to everyone who came. Bro. John shared the Easter story under DJ Buddy Davis's tent, and everyone gathered around for a nice warm supper. Thank you to those who made financial donations. It was a beautiful afternoon, and everyone enjoyed it. We met at least 50 new people. We Blue Ridgers always enjoy being together. We praise God for blessing our efforts.

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Blue Ridge This Week

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Today, March 31, 2024

- 9:00 am Beautiful Outdoor Courtyard Service
9:30 am Easter Breakfast
9:45 am Coed II and Children's Bible Study Classes
10:00 am Bro. John's Pastor's Class in the Fellowship Hall
11:00 am Morning Worship Service, Children's Church and Sunday School

Monday, April 1

- 7:00 pm Visit with Bro. John and Jim Beck

Wednesday, April 3

- 5:00 pm Our Bible Study "Pray and Go"- It is uplifting!



An Easter Week Thank You

Please notice the new garden by the Jasmine Hill walkway into the front doors of the church. Thank you to David and Becky Miller for the beautiful azaleas that beautify our church. David did all the planting. Thank you to Jim Harris, Buddy Davis, Owen Sereneck, and David Funchess who cleaned the Courtyard. All who come for worship at our Easter services will see our church at its best as we honor Jesus and our Heavenly Father for the sacrifice of the Son for our sins and salvation.

Our Lunch Bunch this past Tuesday Was Fun and Informative!



We toured the State Archives where our Guide, Christian shared facts with us about early Alabama's beginnings up to our Pandemic masks. We saw rarely seen items from our state's history. We went to the Farmer's Market Café where Fay's daughter Melissa joined us for lunch. We always have so much fun. Join us in April!



Helping
hand



Remember Our Missions Gifts

Our church family gives to the Renaissance House, Friendship Missions for men and women and their children, the Elmore Food Pantry, the Sunshine Center, the Caring Center, and other places that give help to the needy. There are boxes in the Haggerty back door for you to place your donations. Bless you for helping "the least of these."



Visit us at www.blueridgebaptistchurch.net to see events, pictures, sermons, and a private, secure giving site all done by our Webmaster, Jim Harris. Thank you, Jim, for an excellent website

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