



# Antioch Bulletin

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## Announcements

- Wed. night - Biannual Business Meeting

## Birthdays this week

- Today - John Raulerson
- Monday - Janice Jones
- Tuesday - Jeana Hopper
- Wednesday- Brad McKinnon
- Thurs. - Karson Rosebaum

## Anniversary this week

- Today - Wendell & Donna Turner

## Specials today

- AM - Mike McCoy
- PM - Our Men

## Ushers today

- John Raulerson
- Walker Vallee
- Joey Murphy
- Greg Faulkner

## Numbers from last week

- Sunday School 39
- Morning Worship 50
- Afternoon Worship 21
- Wednesday evening 13
- Offering \$ 654.00
- Mission Jar \$208.00

**Worship is Great at Antioch**

## Welcome to Antioch

We are very happy all of you are able to be here again today.

Visitors, we are happy you have come for this time of worship. If you are a first-time visitor, we hope you will come again.

## In the News

Vicky Neal and Victoria Neal were pic-

tured in the local paper Wednesday with a group of Dierks High



School students which participated in the Reading Fair. These students will be competing on February 2, in the DMESC Regional Reading Fair.

## Offering Envelope

Danny Raulerson has given the 2017 summary reports to our folks that give by offering envelopes. He has kept these records very accurately for many years. We appreciate him for the great job he does.

## New Year Thought

Clinging on to past and living is like driving forward while watching the rear view mirror...

My resolution was to read more so I turned on the closed caption on my TV.

## Ice Cream For The Soul

Last week I took my children to a restaurant. My six-year-old son asked if he could say grace. As we bowed our heads he said, "God is good. God is great. Thank you for the food, and I would even thank you more if mom gets us ice cream for dessert. And Liberty and justice for all! Amen."

Along with the laughter from the other customers nearby, I heard a woman remark, "That's what's wrong with this country. Kids today don't even know how to pray. Asking God for ice-cream! Why, I never!"

Hearing this, my son burst into tears and asked me, "Did I do it wrong? Is God mad at me?"

As I held him and assured him that he had done a terrific job and God was certainly not mad at him, an elderly gentleman approached the table. He winked at my son and said, "I happen to know that God thought that was a great prayer."

"Really?" my son asked.

"Cross my heart." Then in a theatrical whisper he added (indicating the woman whose remark had started this whole thing), "Too bad she never asks God for ice cream. A little ice cream is good for the

soul sometimes."

Naturally, I bought my kids ice cream at the end of the meal. My son stared at his for a moment and then did something I will remember the rest of my life. He picked up his sundae and without a word

walked over and placed it in front of the woman. With a big smile he told her, "Here, this is for you. Ice cream is good for the soul sometimes, and my soul is good already."

## Prayer List

- Benjamin Bailey
- Bro. Donnie Bond
- Gary Bowles
- James Burgess
- Linda Caldwell
- Karson Caldwell
- Deidra Carver
- Becky Clouded
- James R. Compton
- Katie Cummings
- Faye Dunson
- June Ellen
- Kay Farrow
- Billy Garney**
- Terry George
- John Hanley
- Jerry Harvey
- Ila Hill**
- Gary Hillard
- Tim King
- Delton Launius
- Kim LeBlanc
- Bro. W.C. Malone
- Allen Markcum
- Michael Millward
- Zane Moss
- Cindy Newton
- Dee Pizzalota
- Megan Perez
- Levigne Purifoy
- Bro. Wayne Reed
- Marine Rhodes
- Brianna Roberts
- Michael Roberts
- David Reynolds
- Della Spears
- Greg Sullivan
- Merry Tollett
- William Tollett
- Wanda Webber
- Jim Wincher
- Barry Wright

## Those Who Serve

- Garrett Vallee
- Law Officers
- Rayburn Hill

## Family of

- Hazel Wells



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AND GAVE  
HIMSELF  
FOR ME  
GALATIANS  
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Mission Jar current balance - \$1,344.00