

### WMU

The WMU meeting for the month of January will be held at 1:00 p.m. on Monday, January 15 in the church fellowship hall. All ladies of the church are invited to attend.

### Brotherhood Breakfast

The Brotherhood Breakfast for November will be held on Saturday, January 20 at 8:00 a.m. in the fellowship hall. All men are invited.

### Prime Timers

The Prime Timers (Senior Adults) will have their monthly meeting on Wednesday, January 24 at 12:00 noon. Please sign up if you plan to attend.



We are having a new Church Directory made and need you to join us! Please make your reservation today. The photography dates are Tuesday, January 20 and Wednesday, January 21. The photographer will be here from 1:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. both days. So please help us have a complete directory because it will be incomplete without YOU!



### Pray for our military personnel!

Please remember to pray for these individuals and for their families.

Lyle Guy	Army	*Matthew Dyal	Army
Tyler Jones	Navy	Jeffery Moyer	
*Tim York	Navy	*Tyler Cato	Navy
*Jonathan Buffington	AF	Tyler McClain	Army
Daniel Fioravanti	Army	Melissa Chizek	Army
Jacob Cooper	Army	Henry Mullins	Army
Tim O'Conner	Army	Chad Parr	

Also, please remember to pray for the leaders of our nation and other nations and for our military personnel around the world.

### Weekly Schedule:

Coffee \Fellowship	9:00 a.m.
Sunday School	10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.
Adult Choir Rehearsal	5:15 p.m.
Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.
Wednesdays	
Mid-week Prayer Service	7:00 p.m.
Fellowship Supper	6:00 p.m.
(Second Wednesday each month)	
"Steps of Jesus"	5:45 p.m.
(First and Third Wednesdays each month)	
Church Conference	7:15 p.m.
(Second Wednesday each month)	



## The Milner Messenger

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Dr. Ken's Pen

The Christmas season brought great joy to me. The choir presentation of the Living Christmas Tree was wonderful. I am so proud of our music program. The choir, Dr. Vickie Smith, Mr. Joe Bostwick and Mr. Larry Mitcham always lead us into the very presence of God with their leadership in the music ministry.

The month of December at our dear church gave us the opportunity to give to the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering for Foreign Missions. Our goal for this years offering was \$2,100.00 and we gave \$2,219.00. As always when special offerings are taken for missions you respond generously.

December also took a toll on our attendance. The flu continues to run rampant through our church family. Those of us who had the flu (yes I had the flu and missed several worship times) simply could not come to church. The uncommon cold weather kept many at home for fear of getting sick which was the right thing to do. Hopefully, the flu and cold weather will soon end.

Have you ever wondered how the Protestant faith began? It is a fascinating journey away from Catholicism. Five hundred years ago the church was in darkness, the Gospel was shrouded, and the Bible was closed. In 1517, Martin Luther, a monk in the Catholic Church fanned the flames of a Reformation for the Glory of God. We will be examining the major events and figures of this Reformation and what we have inherited from them. Set aside February 25-28 each evening at 7pm for this study. Rev. John Blackmon, pastor of the Meansville Baptist Church will lead our study of the Reformation.

On behalf of your church staff, let me say thank you for the Christmas gifts. You are very kind to remember us in such a generous way.

As Paul said, "I thank my God upon every remembrance of you."

Dr. Ken...

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