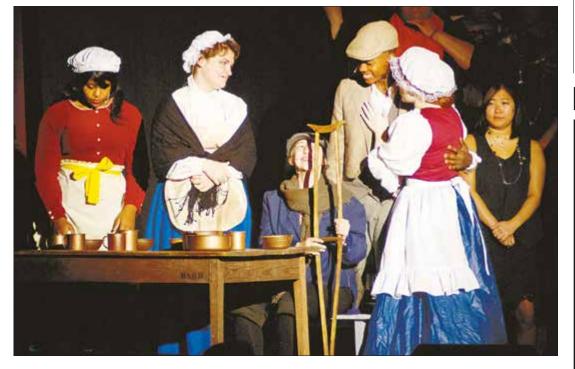
Celebrate the season at 'Christmas With Renaissance'

McKENZIE — Bethel University rings in the holidays at "Christmas with Renaissance," a seasonal celebration that takes audiences on an awe-inspiring journey while showcasing all aspects of the Renaissance Performing Arts

"Christmas is my favorite time of the year, and it's always exciting when we start putting the show together," says Renaissance Executive Director Matthew Holt. "We work hard to enhance the production with fresh and dynamic material each year while telling the life-changing story of the glorious birth of our Savior, Jesus Christ.

Christmas With Renaissance show times are 7 p.m. on Friday, November 30; 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. Saturday, December 1; and 2 p.m. Sunday, December 2. All performances will be held in the Dickey Fine Arts Building on the Bethel University campus. Preferred Tickets are \$15; General Tickets are \$10. A new ticketing system allows patrons to pick their own seats.

Sold-out performances are an-



ticipated. To purchase tickets, please visit www.bethelrenaissance.com/christmas or contact

the Renaissance office at (731) 352-6980. Due to the anticipated high volume of phone calls, those not

receiving an answer should leave a voicemail message. Tickets will be confirmed within 48 hours.

Area Christmas Parades

The following are the dates and times of the Christmas parades in Carroll County:

McKenzie, Saturday, Decem-Clarksburg, Thursday, December 6, 7 p.m. Huntingdon, Saturday, December 8, 6:30 p.m.

Trezevant, Monday, December 10, 7 p.m.

Thank you for your continued support of this newspaper.

Happy Thanksgiving



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731-352-505 We will be closed on Wednesday & Thursday, November 21 & 22. 131 S. Main Street

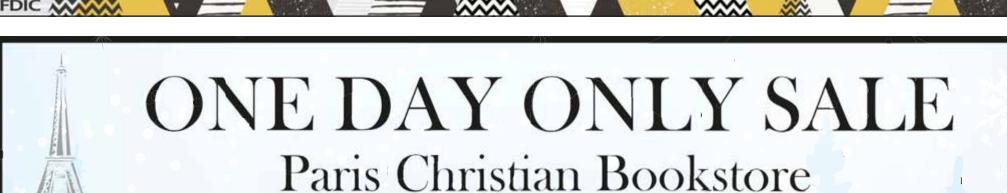


November 30, 2018 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. 16830 Highland Drive McKenzie, TN 38201 (731) 352-9998

Join us for finger foods as we celebrate this magical season!

Register for door prizes through the day!





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November 24

10am - 6pm

10% OFF

Any in-stock, regular price item.

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20% OFF

30% OFF

All jewelry

Select Bibles, Books Select apparel and Bible Covers

No other discounts apply; cannot be combined with any other offer; all sales final - no returns, refunds or exchanges

Bethel to Host Twinkle Ball

sity will host the 7th Annual Mother-Daughter Twinkle Ball from 6:30 – 8:30 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 4. The event is at the Baker Field House (old gym) on campus.

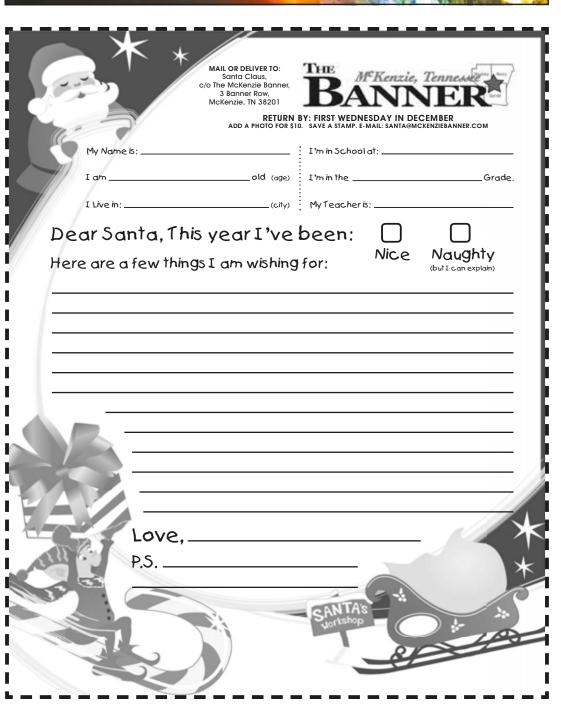
This is the go-to event for the young ladies and their mothers or significant adult female friend.

This year's theme is "Oh Deer, Twinkle is Here!" The ball includes "make-and-take stations" representing many of the most cherished symbols of the season. There will be the usual host of surprises, and photo ops galore.

Tickets for the perennially popular event are on sale now at the Bethel Bookstore or by calling (731) 352-4094.







'25 CALENDAR

LONG HEIGHTS CHRISTMAS SEASON EVENTS

Long Heights Baptist Church is hosting the following Christmas season events.

L.A.C.E. Second Annual Ladies Christmas Dinner, November 30, 6 p.m. All ladies throughout the community are invited to join in this free event. RSVP

at the church's Facebook page. Youth Christmas Program, December 19, 7 p.m. Come celebrate Christmas and support

the hard work of the youth. **Christmas Eve Candlelight** Service, December 24, 5:30 p.m. Everyone is invited to the church.

CATCH ME UNDER THE MISTLETOE

5K and 1 Mile Fun Run Saturday, December 8, 2018 Farmers Market in Downtown

McKenzie Registration Forms on the McKenzie Facebook Page and also City Hall

\$20 - 5K - T-Shirt to those registering by 12:00 noon December

\$10 – Kids Fun Run

\$10- Groups of ten or more (no t-shirt) Call 731-415-6935 for questions.

INMAN SCHOOL TO HOST MISTLETOE MARKET

Inman Middle School, 400 Harrison Street, Paris, is hosting its fourth annual Mistletoe Market on Saturday, December 1 from 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Over 50 vendors have committed to come, with additional booths available. The event is sponsored by Inman Middle School Parent Action Committee. Everyone who attends is entered into a drawing for a gift basket, which includes a donation from each vendor in attendance, usually valued around \$500-plus. More information is available on the Inman Middle School PAC Facebook

MCKENZIE-CARROLL **COUNTY UNITED NEIGHBORS**

United Neighbors is accepting winter clothing at this time. Please be sure those are clean and in good condition. If the bin is full, please take items to other donation boxes.

Food: crackers, cereal, ravioli, spaghetti noodles, and evaporated milk.

Personal Hygiene: Deodorant, toothpaste and brushes, bar

soap and shampoo. Assistance and shopping are from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. Monday, Tuesday and Thursday, and 9 a.m. until noon on Wednesday. The store is closed Wednesday

afternoon and Friday-Sunday Call 352-0547 with any questions. Donation hours: during store hours. Please no glass or boxes in the bin. Do not leave items outside!

CHRISTMAS ON BROADWAY AT THE DIXIE

Don't miss this Dixie tradition, ushering in the holidays with an evening of Broadway tunes and songs of the season presented by an amazing group of talented folks from right here in our own back yard with special guest Paula Bridges! Saturday, December 15, 7 p.m. It is a free community event. For more information, visit www.dixiepac.net

MAIN STREET CHRISTMAS IN HUNTINGDON

The Dixie will play host to the Main Street Christmas performance on Saturday, December 8. 2018, 2 to 6 p.m.

10 a.m. - 6 p.m. - Mistletoe Mar-

12 a.m. - 8 p.m. (December 2) -

2 p.m. - First Methodist Church

2 p.m. - Christmas with Renais-

2 p.m., 7 p.m. - Sunday, Decem-

sance – Bouldin Auditorium and

12 a.m. - Big Jingle Parade

ket opens – Farmers Market

Ice Skating – Banner Row

Taste of Christmas

A Mistletoe Christmas McKenzie Events

Monday, November 26 7 p.m. - Park Theatre-The Bish-

op's Wife Tuesday, November 27

11 a.m.-1 p.m. Jingle Bell Luncheon-Church of Christ 7 p.m. Park Theatre – Elf

Wednesday, November 28, 2018 7 p.m. Park Theatre - Christmas in Connecticut

Thursday, November 29 4:30-6:30 p.m. - Empty Bowls "Feed the Hungry" - Farmers Market

7 p.m. Park Theatre – Christmas Vacation

Friday, November 30 3 p.m.-11 p.m. - Ice Skating -

Banner Row 5 p.m. - Caroling – All churches

and public invited – Farmers Mar-

5 p.m.-9 p.m. - Pop-Up Shops – throughout downtown-Look for Signs

5:30 p.m. - Opening Ceremony w/Rebel Singers-Veterans Park 6 p.m. - Mistletoe Market opens

– Farmers Market 6 p.m. - L.A.C.E. Ladies Com-

munity Christmas Dinner -Long Heights Baptist Church 7 p.m. - Park Theatre – Miracle on 34th Street

7 p.m. - Christmas with Renaissance – Bouldin Auditorium

Saturday, December 1 8 a.m. - Catch me under the Mis-

tletoe 5K- City Recreational Park 8-11 a.m. - Breakfast with Santa First United Methodist Church 9:30 a.m. - Polar Express – 89 Bruce Street , 9:30, 1 p.m., 3:45 p.m. 10 a.m.-8 p.m. - Pop-Up Shops

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Signs

Signs 1-5 p.m. - Mistletoe Market -Farmers Market

2 p.m. - Christmas with Renaissance – Bouldin Auditorium

Tuesday, December 4 6-8 p.m. Twinkle Ball - on Bethel Campus

Sheriff's Office, Dispatchers Participate in Toys for Tots

Please join the Carroll County wish come true for the less fortu-Sheriff's Department and the United States Marine Corp. this year to help make a Christmas

Children,

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The McKenzie Banner at 3 Banner Row

For those who would like to have a photo

of the child published along with the

letter, the cost is \$10 per photo.

Letters to Santa must be

submitted by December 5.

The letters will be published

in the holiday greeting

section on December 18.

It's time to get your letters written to Santa Claus.

Letters are accepted at The McKenzie Banner.

NAUGHTY

nate children of Carroll County by donating an unwrapped toy or by giving a monetary donation to

3 WAYS TO

SUBMIT LETTERS:

Santa Claus, c/o The McKenzie Banner,

3 Banner Row, McKenzie, TN 38201

2 MAIL IT TO:

3 E-MAIL IT TO: santa@mckenziebanner.com SANTA'S PICK

NICE

the Carroll County Toys for Tots campaign. Monetary donations may be

roll County Sheriff's Department, Attention Jamie Summers or Becky Keith, 200 Norandal Dr., Huntingdon, TN 38344, or you may go online to toysfortots.org.

dropped off or mailed to the Car-

The toy donations will be collected at the Carroll County Sheriff Department and Carroll County Sheriff Department Communication Center.

Toys for Tots applications for children ages 0-14 years old can be picked up at the Carroll County Sheriff's Department Communi-Huntingdon, TN 38344. Applications must be turned in no later than November 30.

For additional information regarding the Toys for Tots program, please contact Carroll County Coordinator Jamie Summers or Asst. Coordinator Becky Keith with the Carroll County Sheriff's Department at 731-986-8947 or visit toysfortots.org.



Gleason is hosting a Christmas Tour of Homes on Sunday, December 2, 2018, 1 to 5 p.m.

Tickets are \$5 each and available from GHS Class of 2021 or by phoning 731-571-3567.

Homes include: Rick and Jan Cozart, Shey and Janet Esch, Cindy Horn, Diana Poole, and

Nancy Hicks Williams. Tickets are available at Gleason City Hall, Bank of Gleason, and Jan Cozart.





CREAMY STYLE BEEF TIPS

- 2 pounds beef stew meat $2\ 10\ ^{3}\!\!/_{\!\!4}$ ounce cans cream of mushroom soup
- 1 soup can water Half a 12 ounce can evapo-
- rated milk

1 teaspoon salt Fresh parsley (optional)

Brown the stew meat in a large non-stick skillet over medium-high heat. Combine meat and remaining ingredients except parsley in slow cooker. Mix well. Cover and cook on low 6 to 8 hours or until meat is tender but not overcooked. Serve over cooked rice or egg noodles. Garnish with fresh parsley, if desired.

SUCCULENT HAM

1 ½ pounds fully cooked smoked ham pieces

½ cup packed brown sugar ½ cup butter or margarine

1/4 cup red wine vinegar Place ham in slow cooker. Combine sugar and melted butter in a bowl. Stir in vinegar until sugar is dissolved. Pour over ham. Cover and cook on low 4 to 6 hours or until meat is thoroughly heated but not dry. Serve meat sliced, or in chunks, with juice spooned over top.

ROAST CHICKEN OR HEN

3 TO 4 Pound whole chicken

- or hen
- 1 ½ teaspoon salt
- ¼ teaspoon pepper 1 teaspoon dried parsley, di-

1 tablespoon butter ½ to 1 cup water

pat dry. Sprinkle cavity with salt, pepper, and ½ teaspoon parsley. Place chicken in slow cooker, breast side up. Dot the chicken with butter or brush with melted butter. Sprinkle with remaining parsley. Pour water around chicken. Cover and cook on high 1 hour and then on low 6 to 8 hours. Tip: If you want a complete meal sprinkle carrots, onion and celery in

Wash chicken thoroughly and

CROCK POT CHICKEN AND DRESSING

the bottom of the slow cooker

& then add whole chicken. The

1 stick margarine

veggies will cook in juice.

- $1 \; cup \; chopped \; onion \\$ 2 cup chopped celery
- 1 large skillet cornbread 1 teaspoon poultry seasoning
- 1 ½ teaspoon salt
- 2 teaspoon sage $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon pepper
- 2 eggs, well beaten
- 1 can cream of chicken soup 1 can golden mushroom soup $1 \frac{1}{2}$ or 2 cup chicken broth
- 2 or 3 cups cooked chicken Melt margarine and crumble cornbread. Mix all ingredients except chicken. Add chicken last. Cook dressing and chicken

in crock pot on HIGH 45 min-

utes stir and continue to cook

CLASSIC LAYERED SALAD

8 cups chopped iceberg let-

3/4 cup sliced red onions

on LOW for 4 hours.

2 cups frozen peas, thawed 1 package Oscar Mayer Smoked Ham or bacon, chopped 34 cup Kraft Mayo real may-

¼ cup Grated Parmesan

1 tablespoon sugar 1 cup Natural three cheese

crumbles 2/3 cup chopped tomatoes Layer Lettuce, onions, peas and ham in large straight-sided serving bowl

Mix mayo, Parmesan cheese and sugar. Spread over salad to seal; cover. Refrigerate several hours or overnight.

Top with cheese crumbles and tomatoes just before serving. Toss gently. Makes 8 serv-

MACARONI SALAD

2 package (14oz. each) Deluxe Macaroni & cheese dinner

1 cup Miracle whip dressing

½ cup milk ½ cup finely chopped celery

1 small red pepper, finely chopped

4 hard-cooked eggs, peeled, chopped

½ cup sliced green onions Prepare-Dinners as directed on package. Add: Dressing, eggs, celery and peppers; mix well. Sprinkle with onions. Serve: Immediately. Or cover and refrigerate until ready to serve. Makes 15 servings

LEMONADE STAND PIE

1/3 cup Country Time lemonade flavor drink mix

½ cup cold water

2 cups vanilla ice cream, soft-

1 tub (8 oz.) cool whip whipped topping, thawed

1 honey maid graham pie crust (6 oz.)

Place drink mix in large bowl. Add water; stir until mix is dissolved. Add ice cream. Beat with electric mixer on low speed until well blended. Gently stir in whipped topping. Freeze, if necessary, until mixture is thick enough to mound. Spoon into crust. Freeze at least 4 hours or overnight until firm. Remove from freezer 15 minutes before serving. Let stand at room temperature until pie can easily be cut. Store leftover pie in freezer.

Hunters Can Donate Deer to Help Others

NASHVILLE (November 1, 2018) Tennessee Wildlife Federation's Hunters for the Hungry program is in full swing for the 2018 deer season. More than 80 processors throughout the state are now accepting donations of whole deer to help feed local families in need.

In Carroll County, that includes CMR Processing and Kendall's Deer Processing. Contact information and a full list of processors is available at tnwf.org/processors.

Through the generosity of hunters over 20 years, Hunters for the Hungry has provided more than 6.5 million meals worth of healthy, much-needed protein to the hungriest Tennesseans. As a thank you for those years of support, hunters will be entered in a drawing for each whole deer they donate to win one of four madein-Tennessee muzzleloaders by Knight Rifles. More information. including alternate ways to enter, can be found at tnwf.org/Hunters-ForTheHungry.

"This is a really exciting year. We've had multiple record-breaking years recently and we're adding more processors and counties to our program," said Matt Simcox, Hunters for the Hungry manager. "Even with the tough season for hunters last year, we still saw incredible giving. This program works because of Tennessee's volunteer spirit in our hunters and processors. Without them, there would be fewer full bellies this time of year.'

When hunters harvest a deer, they can donate the it—in part or whole—to the program at a participating processor. The deer is processed, and the venison is delivered to local hunger relief organizations where it gets in the hands of hungry children and families. One deer provides as many as 168 meals.

Currently, all participating processors in the state are funded, meaning there is no cost to hunters to donate their venison. When deer donations surpass funding, hunters may pay a reduced, \$50 processing fee directly to the processor to cover processing costs or redeem Deer Coins purchased from Tennessee Wildlife Federation at tnwf.org/DeerCoin.

"In addition to the support of countless individuals, Hunters for the Hungry is thankful for contributions by companies," said Simcox. "Walmart Giving, in particular, has been a longtime supporter as they fight hunger in the communities their stores serve."

For more information about Hunters for the Hungry or to purchase a Deer Coin, visit tnwf.org/ HuntersForTheHungry.

About Tennessee Wildlife Federation

Tennessee Wildlife Federation leads the conservation, sound management and wise use of Tennessee's great outdoors. Since 1946, the Federation has spearheaded the development of the state's wildlife policy, advanced landmark legislation on air and water quality and other conservation initiatives, helped restore numerous species, and introduced thousands of kids to the great outdoors. To learn more, visit tnwf.org.

Food Safety Tips From U.T. Extension Agent Lacy Yeley

This holiday season and throughout the year, follow these 11 tips to reduce your risk of food-

borne illness: Suds up for 20 seconds. Wash hands with soap under warm, running water before and after handling food to fight bacteria.

Start with a clean scene. Wash cutting boards, dishes, countertops and utensils with hot water

Keep foods separate. Separate raw meat, seafood and eggs from other foods in your grocery shopping cart, grocery bags and in your refrigerator.

Don't rinse meat or poultry. It is not a safety step and can spread Rinse fresh fruits and veggies

germs around your kitchen.

under running tap water, including those with skins and rinds that are not eaten.

Keep your refrigerator at 40°F or below. (Refrigerator thermometers are available at the Extension office). Refrigerate leftovers in shallow containers within two

Read and follow package cooking instructions. The instructions may call for a conventional oven, convection oven, toaster oven or microwave, and it's important to use the proper appliance to ensure even cooking.

Place meat and poultry in plas-

tic bag provided at the meat counter, and keep it in the plastic bag in your refrigerator at home.

Never defrost at room temperature. Safely defrost food in the refrigerator, in cold water or in the microwave.

Use a food thermometer. Food is safely cooked when it reaches a high enough internal temperature to kill the harmful bacteria that causes illness. (We have food thermometers at the Extension office if you are needing one).

Clean out your fridge. No leftovers past 3-4 days.

Enjoy a Safe and Healthy Holi-







Open Black Friday, November 23 • 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday, November 24 • 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

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117925 • New Listing! Beautiful two story brick home with vaulted ceilings, in ground pool with pool house, and lots of outside storage. A must see putting green in the backyard! Outdoor BBQ area. Detached garage. New AC unit upstairs. New Carpet. Professionally landscaped with a fenced in backyard!



119315 • Southern Living House Plan revised. Affectionately nick-named the "19th hole" this beauti-ful 3 BR 2 1/2 bath home is located near Carroll Lake golf course. Inviting porches are located on both the front and back of this home. 2 car attached garage. Additional 2 car detached garage with apartment upstairs.



119331 • Traditional, affordable home with convenient location. Close to the city park and easy access to Highway 22. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, open floor plan. Detached 2 car garage sits on a spacious backyard.



119254 • Charming Cape Cod 4 BR 2 BA home awaits its new owner. Conveniently located to Bethel University and downtown. Nice office/ shop with additional lots available. Gorgeous bathroom addition brings modern convenience to the charm of this historic home.



119107 • Updated 3BR, 2BA home with a big fenced in backyard! New roof in 2018. New bathroom vanities. New carpet.



116345 • Nice older home, well maintained, built in 1923. Vinyl siding, 2 BR, dining room, living room, 1 bath. Nice sized lot with extra lot, garden space. Basement with wood stove that can help heat the house.



116804 • Nice location on Main St... Huntingdon. Could have multiple uses. Could be divided into 2 units. 2 entrances on front of building can be separated into 2 different businesses. It has been a tractor dealership, used car lot, and a supply wholesale business. A lot of possibilities. The rear portion is 2 large storage buildings with a lot of storage space. The front building has 2 ba with a shower in one. Workshop in the back has 2 large bay doors with ample room plus a separate big wash bay.



119344 • Do not miss this beautiful home conveniently located on the edge of Huntingdon. Owner has invested in the quality and beauty of the land by clearing stumps and planting clover in 2 separate meadows. Wooded area and wildlife is plentiful. Detached garage has a full apartment with kitchen and bath.



119367 • Beautiful Tennessee living in Holly Hills subdivision. 4 BR 2 BA with bonus room over garage. Open floor plan welcomes visitors and keeps the family connected. Built in tornado shelter in garage. Large lot that is fenced in with garden spot.



118481 • 3BR, 3BA home with a nice country setting and beautiful view! Wonderful layout. Electric fireplace. Shared driveway.

REAL ESTATE & AUCTION COMPANY

118693 • Great rental income close

to downtown McKenzie and Bethel!

116576 • Nice 2 bedroom, 1 bath-

room home located next to down-

town McKenzie. It is within walking

distance to stores, has a nice sized

lot and is in a good neighborhood.

Easy lot to mow and keep up. Half

brick/vinyl siding. Central gas heat

and air with separate gas wall heater

117820 • Prime Commercial site:

1.4 acres with 225' of Hwy 79 front-

age & 412' of Hamilton St. frontage.

This location was home to McKen-

zie Lumber Co. but the building has

been razed, leaving a great location

Fully furnished.

in living room.

COMMERCIAL

for a new building!

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Nickyloe



119483 • New Listing! Farm house living at its finest. Approximately 75.5 acres with 41.78 acres of crop land. Conveniently located near Highway 22. 3 BR, 1 full bath, 2 1/2 baths, fireplace in downstairs living room, large kitchen, living room upstairs, gorgeous sunroom.



118921 • Newly renovated home! Move-in ready! Quiet neighborhood. Large kitchen, walk-in closets, & lots of storage! \$2,000 kitchen appliance allowance! New 2 car garage! Engineered hardwood throughout with carpet in bedrooms.



119348 • This classic ranch needs a new owner! Located on Como St near the city park. Walking distance to Bethel University. 3 BR 2 BA with large living room and spacious kitchen, dining room, 2 car garage.

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119104 • Well built 4BR, 3BA home in the country! This home is lacking nothing! Sitting on 12.67 acres located halfway between McKenzie & Milan. Beautiful custom kitchen with granite countertops & all stainless appliances. Huge playroom & basement with adjoining 7x26 storm shelter. 36x8 screened porch & open deck with 24x16 concrete patio. Gas, tankless water heater, additional shower in spacious utility room. Gas fireplace & cookstove. Additional frame house & lot included.



119510 • Nice move in ready home. Great neighborhood. Well maintained



118459 • Nice 3BR, 2BA home in a quiet neighborhood. Lots of updates!



REDUCED

118473 • Price reduced! Nice home in a good location! Right outside of the city limits. Good open floor plan. New metal roof in 2017. Outside stor-



age 20'x20'.



119165 • Price Reduced! Nice Older Home that has been well maintained. Freshly painted inside. Could be updated or moved right into.



119486 • New Listing! Great starter home, New a/c central unit, breaker box updated, electric water heater front and back porch, Great view in backyard, nice location, would be a great rental home. Whirlpool refrigerator, Frigidaire cook stove and dishwasher, electric water heater.



119535 • Move-In Ready is an UN-DERSTATEMENT. This charming 2 Bedroom, 1 bath is updated and in need of a new owner. So many updates that you must come see it for yourself. Approximately 2.37 acres accompanies this well-maintained home. Outdoor space here is picturesque. Easily accessible on Hwy 22 with circle drive. Beautiful landscaping.



118777 • Good starter home or rental home in the city limits of McKenzie. Nice covered back porch. Outside storage. Updated electrical sys-



114440 • Commercial property near Baptist Hospital in Huntingdon.



118067 • Great commercial property located on Highland Dr. Has central heat & air. Upgrades of \$20,000 that include electrical, water line, roof & more!



Approximately 3.28 acres +/-.