

# MEDIC

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 Athens, TN 37303  
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# Morning Fax<sup>®</sup>

Today's News... This Morning

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## B&B AUCTIONS "WE'RE BACK"

Auction Saturday Nov 14th @ 6 pm  
 2834 Hwy 11 South Athens  
 Joe Valentino from Crossville  
 selling lots of meat and  
 other food items in bulk  
**REAL CHEAP**  
[bandauction.com](http://bandauction.com)  
 TGL #6142

Friday, November 13, 2020

Athens, Tennessee

## Community News You Can Use

- ✓ The McMinn County Living Heritage Museum Guild invites you to join them for the Holiday House Virtual Auction today at noon through Saturday at 4 p.m. Call 745-0329 for details.
- ✓ The McMinn Rescue Squad will have their annual children's Christmas party on December 19th at 808 S. Congress Parkway. Applications to get your child's name on the list can be made Monday through Thursday from 5 to 7 p.m. and Saturday from 9 a.m. to noon at the rescue squad building during November. Each child will receive a gift bag of toys, books, blankets & pajamas.

### ◆ COVID-19 VIRUS UPDATE Thursday P.M.

Tennessee: 296,725 cases, up 3,344. 3,788 deaths, up 27.

COUNTY	CASES	RECOVERED	ACTIVE	DEATHS
McMinn	2,010 up 43	1,726	236	48 up 1
Meigs	398 up 3	338	50	10 up 2
Monroe	1,719 up 19	1,527	154	38 up 3
Polk	581 up 6	539	29	13
Bradley	4,170 up 48	3,782	361	27
Rhea	1,339 up 24	1,186	127	26 -2

## Loving Their Neighbor

Love Thy Neighbor Project, the food pantry at TWU, will be participating in Hunger and Homelessness Week next week with food and coat drives. LTNP is accepting donations of winter clothing, such as coats and boots, and non-perishable food items. The items can be dropped off at donation boxes throughout the campus or at Willson House on the TWU campus from Nov. 16th-20th. Donated items will be distributed through the mobile and campus food pantries the following Tuesday. The photo shows some of the student volunteers.



## at BLAIRS BOKAY FLORIST-ETOWAH

NOVEMBER 13, 14, 15 Friday 9-6, Saturday 9-3, Sunday 12-4

Refreshments and 20% Storewide!

### RESTAURANT SPOTLIGHT



**NOVEMBER Specials >>** 2 Pork Chop Biscuits \$5•  
 Pork Chop Combo \$4.69 • 12 Tenders or Supremes +  
 2 Fixins, and ½ Gallon Tea or Pink Lemonade \$19.99 •  
 5 Meals for \$5 ea. •32 oz Tea \$1

Famous Chicken 'n Biscuits

**BOJANGLES S. Congress Parkway 744-5292**



**Pre-order Thanksgiving Take-Out.  
 Individual or Whole Family Meals.  
 Place Orders by Wed., Nov. 18th**

**Western Sizzlin' Steak House  
 1804 Decatur Pike 423.745.2626**



We have a large fleet of vehicles to choose from including Vans, SUV's, Sedans & More.  
 For more info contact:  
**Jarin Cass or Michelle Vincent**

East Tennessee Auto Outlet Hwy 30 E.  
[eastrental@comcast.net](mailto:eastrental@comcast.net)  
 423-781-7154

### CEDAR SPRINGS TOP SOIL

**Quality Rich Topsoil and  
 Topsoil Mixed with Compost**  
 2019 County Road 700  
 Riceville, TN 37370  
 Call 423.435.1465  
[demelton1959@gmail.com](mailto:demelton1959@gmail.com)

THIS YEAR,  
*feast*  
 WITHOUT THE FUSS.  
**Complete Dinner - \$54.95**  
 (Feeds 4-6 people, pick-up only)

- Dinner includes:
- Sliced Turkey Breast (Slow Smoked or Oven Roasted)
  - Turkey Gravy • Cornbread Dressing
  - Mashed Potatoes • Cranberry Sauce
  - Rolls
  - One Casserole (Broccoli, Sweet Potato, Green Bean or Mac & Cheese)
  - One Pie (Pumpkin, Apple or Pecan)

Orders Accepted Thru Sunday, November 22

**862 Hwy. 411 N., Etowah  
 263-2603  
 925 N. Congress Pkwy., Athens  
 649-0000**

FREE CHRISTIAN E-BOOK Novels



Jan Munch (PN: Jon Truman)

Go to <https://www.ads4christ.org/category/books/> and select one of the five Jon Truman novels. Then send your NAME and E-MAIL ADDRESS to [ads4christ@comcast.net](mailto:ads4christ@comcast.net) and tell us which e-book you'd like to receive. Once you receive it, please share this offer with your friends so they too may receive our FREE Christian novels. After you have read your book, feel free to request another. That's it! It's our hope that together, through these Christian novels, God will use us to lead others to faith and a closer walk with Him.

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Obituaries

- ♦ **Wanda Faye Brock Davis**, age 73, of Cleveland, died Wednesday. She was born in Englewood. An extended visitation will be held from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Friday Nov. 13th, at Bellefonte Baptist Church in Cleveland. Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home is in charge.
- ♦ **Mattie Grace Bradley Smith**, age 80, died Sunday in an Etowah health care facility. She was employed for over 30 years with the environmental services of hospital management working most of those years at Athens Hospital. Graveside services will be Tuesday at 1 p.m. at Lanetown Cemetery. M.D. Dotson & Sons Funeral Home of Athens is in charge.

MORE COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

- ✓ MEDIC Blood Center has a critical need for A-, A+, O-, O+, and Covid Convalescent Plasma. The [Athens office](#) is open today.
- ✓ A National Register marker will be unveiled at the Englewood Water Tower at 2 p.m. this Saturday. The public is invited to attend the ceremony.

**FOOTBALL SCHEDULE:** The high school football playoffs continue tonight. The McMinn County Cherokees will travel to Kingsport for the second round of Class 6A against Dobyns-Bennett. The game starts at 7 p.m. Meigs County will host Hampton at 7 p.m. in Class 2A. The Tennessee - Texas A&M game scheduled for Saturday has been postponed until December 12th because of Covid-19. The game will be played in Knoxville.

Church News & Events

- The location for the Clearwater Baptist Church Upward Basketball evaluations has been changed to E.K. Baker since Niota School is closed. It's today, Friday 6-8 p.m. & Saturday 9-noon.
- Boyd Memorial Church of God on North Congress Parkway will be serving their annual Community Thanksgiving Meal on Saturday, November 21st, from 3 to 5 p.m. The meal will be a drive thru with to-go plates only this year. The church asks that you remain in your car and they will serve you.
- The Keith United Methodist Church Annual Jewell Circle Turkey Trot on Thanksgiving Day has been cancelled for 2020. The organizers encourage everyone to enjoy Thanksgiving morning with your families and perhaps even go out for a run.
- You are invited to fill a Samaritan's Purse Shoebox and drop it off at Union McMinn Baptist Church, 314 County Road 316, Niota. For details, call 568-2395.
- Eastanallee Baptist Church and Valley Christian Academy will have a chili supper on Thursday, November 19th. Tickets are \$5. Curbside to-go and dine in will be available.
- Voice of Deliverance Ministry C.O.G.I.C. is hosting an event called RECHARGE this Sunday, Nov. 15th, beginning at 4 p.m. The guest speaker will be Elder Jared Arnwine. All are welcome. The church is located at 520 Old Riceville Road, Athens.
- The For Him Trio will sing at Glorybound Church in Madisonville this Sunday at 6 p.m.

**DOMINION SENIOR LIVING**

Is Proud to Present our Third Annual **FESTIVAL OF TREES**

Please help us create a Winter Wonderland for our residents and community to enjoy!

Join us on Facebook for our annual event to raise money for United Way of McMinn & Meigs Counties.

<p><b>TOUR OF TREES</b> Live on Facebook November 20th from 5-6pm We will be going LIVE on Facebook to take you on a stroll through our community to view the beautiful decorations.</p>	<p><b>ONLINE AUCTION</b> Facebook Event November 20th - 22nd Get your home holiday ready by bidding on the beautiful decorations.</p>
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Decorations can be dropped off November 12th - 19th, 2020 in preparation for our live event November 20th, 2020

For More Information, please call Jessica Skelton: (423) 405.3075

**"Home for the Holidays"**  
Friday, November 20  
Stores open: 10AM -8PM

Kick-off the holiday season in Downtown Athens with your family!

**Santa Shop Hop: (Thurs, Fri, Sat)**  
Shop around and enter a chance to win!  
❖ 4-Main Street gift certificates @ \$250 each/\$1,000 value  
❖ 1-\$100 Food City gift card

**Market Park Entertainment:**  
5:30PM: Miss Lisa's Dancers  
6:15PM: Armfield Dance Academy  
7:15PM: Inspiration Dance Studio

**Lighting of the Christmas Tree**  
7:00PM: Market Park  
By: City of Athens

A Main Street Community  
423.333.0329

Historic Downtown Athens TN  
[www.mainstreetathens.org](http://www.mainstreetathens.org)