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Continuing to be an Acts 1:8 Association

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Looking Ahead...

August Calendar

• ESL Workshop coming to Carrollton—8/27/29

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- Sunday School Workshops—8/29
- Carrollton Baptist Association Annual Meeting—October 18th at FBC, Villa Rica

From Your Associational Missionary...

Thank you for your promotion and involvement in our VBS Mission Project as we collected funds to purchase a boat, motor, and trailer for an IMB missionary family in Brazil. The response has been overwhelming having received over \$7,500 so far. Our goal was \$10,000 and with the other churches who were involved and who have shared with me their totals, we will exceed that amount! Thank you for "catching the vision" and "seeing the need" to provide this missionary family with an incredible vehicle for ministry on the Amazon. To God be the Glory!

Thank you to our Children's Camp leadership at Rockridge. What an incredible week of Bible study, worship, music, crafts, swimming, archery, delicious food, and just plain fun! I am grateful for Justin Richards, Camp Pastor, and Angie Presnal, Camp

Director, and all they did to make this a wonderful week for every boy and girl who attended. Also thanks go out to Idella Hooker, camp nurse, who drove from Savannah to serve in this important area: to Heather and Brett Robertson who directed our crafts and archery choices; to Greg Arnold who led the morning recreation time; and to the Tyus worship team who led our music during worship. I am also very appreciative of every coach and assistant coach in each cabin-Lisa Puckett, Emily Driver, Abbie Driver, Katie Beth Walls, Lora Casselman, Jaclyn Eaves, Jennifer Arnold, Megan Puckett, Matt King, Nate Barnes, Anthony Puckett, Sam Beam, Greg Arnold and Samuel Thompson. Thank you for encouraging the boys and girls in your church to attend this life changing week. Rockridge 2016 will be June 27-30. Its not too early to

begin planning.

Hopefully you have heard about the international mission project to provide shelters for those who lost their homes due to the earthquake in Nepal. Many of you have asked how you could help and we found this opportunity to provide shelters through Baptist Global Response—a ministry Disaster Relief partners with internationally. For \$100.00 a shelter can be provided for a family to keep them out of the elements and to give them a temporary home. We are hoping that every church in our association will agree to provide at least one shelter for this great need. We have also set aside August 16th (the 3rd Sunday of August) to collect a special offering for this project. Thank you already for making a difference in our world!

Dan

Regional Sunday School Workshops—"Growing Groups"

August 29

8:00 a.m.—3:30 p.m.

FBC, LaGrange or Tabernacle Baptist in Cartersville

Must Pre-register to attend—\$25.00 per person

Baptist Collegiate Ministries

These are definitely the dog days. I am very grateful for my air conditioning during Georgia summers! I have been hearing some of the stories from our students who are out on mission. The stories of how so many people have to live around the world truly makes me grateful for how God has blessed us in America. Please continue to pray for the students who are out on mission. Please pray for the BCM as well. We are working hard to get ready for the fall. We are going to be meeting a lot of new students and are going to be doing our best to spread the Gospel! God bless, Bill

2014-2015 CBA Gifts

Thank you to all the CBA churches who have supported our Association financially since September 1st (the beginning of our fiscal year).

Antioch, Bethesda, Bethsaida, Beulah, Bowdon, Calvary, FBC Carrollton, First Centralhatchee, Eureka, Fellowship, Flat Rock, Fullerville, Glenloch, Harmony, Indian Creek, Kansas, Mars Hill, Midway Macedonia, Midway West, Mountain View, Mt. Pleasant, Oak Grove, Pleasant Grove, Pleasant Ridge, Pleasant View, Rocky Mount, Roopville Road, Salem, Shady Grove, Son Rise, Tabernacle, Temple First, Trinity, Tyus, Veal, FBC, Villa Rica, & Whitesburg.

Church News...

<u>Centralhatchee:</u> will have their first WOW (worship on Wednesday) night of the summer on August 12th at 5:30 p.m. Students will be exposed to Bible study, worship and fellowship, recreational time and a host of other activities. There will also be an adult Bible study beginning at 6:30 p.m. For transportation, contact James Sloan, Transportation Director at (678) 576-4990.

<u>Consolation:</u> is having a Special Singing by "Second Coming" Sunday, August 2nd at 10:30 a.m. We will have a covered dish dinner following the morning service. There will be no Sunday School or evening worship service.

<u>Tabernacle:</u> went on a mission Trip to Cumberland, KY, July 18-24. They worked with the Survivor Camp at Club 180, had Block parties each afternoon in four different neighborhoods, and worked on various construction projects.

Roopville Road: celebrated Homecoming July 26th with Dr. Jerry Vines as guest speaker. They also honored Bro. Stephen for 17 years of faithful service.

August Meeting Schedule...

8/03 **Missions Development Team Meeting**—8:15 a.m. at Chickfil-A

8/06 **Community Ministries Team Meeting**—Noon at the CBA.

8/12 Administrative Team Meeting—at American Pie Pizzeria following the Ministers' Luncheon

Note To Pastors:

Our monthly Ministers' Luncheons will resume on Wednesday, August 5. We will meet at American Pie Pizzeria at 11:30 a.m. every Wednesday in August.

NOTE: Please have all announcements for the September Newsletter into the CBA office no later than Thursday, August 13th.

Student Evangelism Day

Sunday, August 9

Social Issues Sunday

August 2nd

Great Mission
Opportunity

Several of our churches have asked what they could do to help following the devastating earthquake in Nepal. We are partnering with Baptist Global Response to purchase shelters for families left homeless after the quake. On Sunday, August 16th our CBA churches will take a collection to help purchase these shelters. The cost is \$100.00 each. You can donate through your church, or send donations directly to the CBA. Make checks out to the CBA, and mail to PO Box 571, Carrollton, GA, 30112. Thanks for helping in this important ministry!

Please pray for these upcoming Mission Trips...

Mt. Pleasant: August, Indonesia Roopville Road: August 14-21,

Honduras

Roopville Road: September 14-19,

Honduras

Midway: September 20-26, Cuba Midway: October 1-31, East Asia Midway: December 6-12, North Africa

ESL Workshop (English as a Second Language) coming to Carrollton

August 27-29
Impact West GA's Adult & Community Education
(ACE) Center
Space is limited.

Thank you! Thank you! Thank you!

To every church that participated in our VBS project to help IMB missionaries John & Sonya Grady get a boat & motor for their work on the Amazon River in Brazil. To date we have received \$7,594.23 with over \$3,500.000 pledged!

Praise the Lord!



From the WMU

PrayerWalking our Schools

We want to encourage all of our churches to prayerwalk community schools as the school year begins. You can find some ideas on our website,

<u>www.carrolltonwmu.com</u> about adopting a school if your church would be interested in supporting a school throughout the school year.

A Morning of Missions

As we begin thinking about the new church year, I hope you might be planning to begin some mission groups in your church. In September, there is an opportunity to learn about our mission organizations. There will also be a conference to learn about mission action ideas. Stephanie Carr, Director of the Savannah Baptist Center will be there. We will be joining with the Western Association this year for our training. We wil meet at Macedonia Baptist in Newnan. This church is actually before you get to Newnan and only takes about 25 minutes to get there from Carrollton.

We will meet Saturday, September 12 at Macedonia Baptist, 1504 Macedonia Road, Newnan. Registration begins at 9:00. Stephanie Carr will share at 9:30. We will have mission organization conferences and also a conference for mission action ideas. We will end with lunch at 11:45.

Registration is \$5 per person. Please call or email Keri Perkins or Barbara Swayngham by **Monday morning**, **September 7 to make reservations**.

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We will be collecting ministry items for the Savannah Baptist Center. Items needed include travel size deodorant, disposable razors, NEW men/women socks, underwear, \$5 McDonalds gift cards.

Thanks for all you do, Keri Perkins 770-834-6965

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August



- July 27-Aug. 2 **Pray for Temple First**—Rev. Larry Boswell, Pastor
- 2 Social Issues Sunday
- 3 **Missions Development Team Meeting**—8:15 a.m. at Chick-fil-A
- 3-9 **Pray for Trinity,** Rev. Jay Sutton, Pastor
- 5 **Ministers' Luncheon**—11:30 a.m. at American Pie Pizzeria
- 6 **Community Ministries Team Meeting**—Noon at the CBA. Bring your own lunch.
- 9 **Student Ministries Day**
- 10-16 **Pray for Tyus,** Rev. Justin Richards, Pastor
- 12 Ministers' Luncheon—11:30 a.m. at American Pie Pizzeria.

 Administrative Team Meeting—at

American Pie Pizzeria following the

Ministers' Luncheon

- 16 Offering for Nepal
- 17-23 **Pray for Unity**—Rev. Randy King, Pastor
- 19 **Ministers' Luncheon**—11:30 a.m. at American Pie Pizzeria
- 24-30 **Pray for Veal,** Rev. Wesley Boatman, Pastor
- 26 **Ministers' Luncheon**—11:30 a.m. at American Pie Pizzeria.
- 27-29 English as a Second Language
 Workshop—Impact West Georgia's ACE
 Center
- 29 **Sunday School Workshops**—FBC, LaGrange, or Tabernacle Baptist in Cartersville. 8:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m.
- 31-Sept. 6 **Pray for Whitesburg, -** Rev. David Haag, Pastor