Carrollton Baptist Association—Striving to be an Acts 1:8 Association

November, 2010

From Your Associational Missionary...

Reflections of Thanksgiving...

Psalm 136

O Give thanks unto the Lord; for he is good: for his mercy endureth for ever.

O give thanks unto the God of gods: for his mercy endureth for ever.

O give thanks to the Lord of lords: for his mercy endureth for ever.

To him who alone doeth great wonders: for his mercy endureth for ever.

To him that by wisdom made the heavens: for his mercy endureth for ever.

To him that stretched out the earth above the waters: for his mercy endureth for ever.

To him that made great lights: for his mercy endureth for ever.

The sun to rule by day: for his mercy endureth for ever.

The moon and stars to rule by night: for his mercy endureth for ever.

Psalm 136:1-9

Thanksgiving Proclamation of 1863

It has seemed to me fit and proper that (the gifts of God) should be solemnly, reverently, and gratefully acknowledged with one heart and one voice by the whole American people. I do, therefore, invite my fellow citizens... To set apart and observe the last Thursday of November next as a day of Thanksgiving and praise to our beneficent Father who dwelleth in the heavens. Abraham Lincoln

Thanksgiving

I'm thankful for the autumn mist,
A sunrise giving earth a kiss,
A spider's web all drenched with dew
That sparkles when the light shines through.

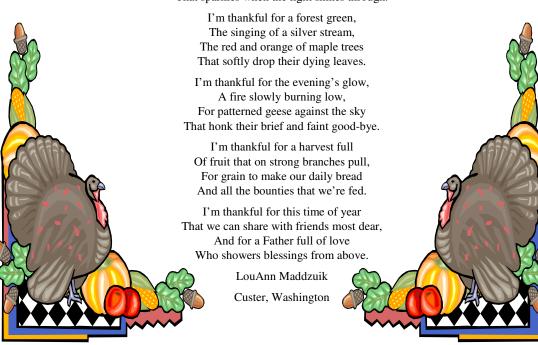
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Coming Up...

- Associational
 Mission Trip to
 Peru—November
 7-13
- Georgia Baptist
 Convention—
 November 15-16
- Hospice Food Sale—November 20
- Thanksgiving—
 November 25
- Week of Prayer for International Missions— November 28-December 5



Baptist Collegiate Ministries

It's hard to believe that the Fall is almost over and Winter is just around the corner. We want to thank everyone who has supported us so far this semester with lunches and in our fundraisers. You are always generous with the food that you bring for our students. The appreciate it more

than you know. For many of our students the meal you provide is the only home cooked meal they get during the week. Thank you so much for your dedication and care for our students! Please be in prayer for our students as the semester comes to a close. They al-

ways have a huge burden on them at the end of the semester. Many of them will be praying over the Holidays whether to apply for Summer Missions. Please pray that they would make a wise decision on how they will spend their summer.

God bless! Bill

Note to Pastors:

Please make note of the dates, for the November's Ministers' Luncheons.

Ministers' Luncheons will be on November 3rd, 10th, and 17th, at 11:30 a.m. at Ryan's. There will be no luncheon on November 24th.

November Meetings...

Missions Development Team meeting—Monday, November 1st at noon. Bring your own lunch.

Leadership Development Team meeting—Tuesday, November 2nd at noon at the Associational office. Bring your own lunch

New Church Starts Team meeting—Monday, November 29th at noon at the Associational office. Bring your own lunch.

Administrative Team meeting—November 17th at 1:00 p.m.

Church Strengthening Team meeting—Tuesday, November 30th at 7:00 p.m. at the Associational Office.



Tyus Baptist Church BBQ

Saturday, November 6 from 11am-3pm BBQ Plates are \$6 and include BBQ, Stew, Chips, Bread, & Homemade Pound Cake



Helicopter Rides: \$25/person (donation to Church)

All proceeds will benefit the Tyus Family Life Center

Note: The
CBA Library
now has the
new video
series—"Out
Live Your
Life" by Max
Lacado

Georgia Baptist Convention

Sherwood Baptist Church Albany, GA

November 15-16

GBC Inspirational Rally—November 14



Operation Christmas Child Samaritan Purse Shoeboxes

November 15-21

Collection Schedule:

Monday & Tuesday: 9:00 a.m.-5:00p.m., Wednesday & Thursday: 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m., Friday: 9:00 a.m.-12 noon, Saturday: 9:00 a.m.-11:00 , Sunday: 2:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.

November Prayer Walking Schedule:

November 1-7: **Bowdon**

November 8-14: Calvary

November 15-21: **FBC**, Carrollton

November 22-28: FBC, Centralhatchee

November 29-December 5: Consolation



Looking Ahead.....

Minister/Mate After Christmas Fellowship

> January 11, 2011 FBC, Carrollton



Be much in prayer for the upcoming Associational Mission Trip to Peru November 7-13

NOTE: If you are planning to put an article or announcement in the December Newsletter, please have it to us by Monday, November 8th. It will be taken to the printers on Thursday, November 11th. Thank you!

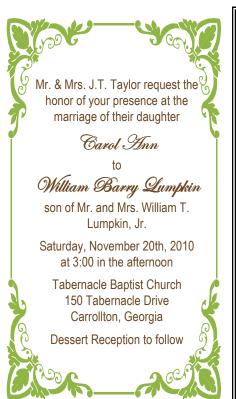
Daylight Saving Time Ends

November 7



Annual Hospice Food Sale

November 20 FBC Carrollton





From Churches...

<u>Eureka:</u> Celebrated their 130th Anniversary on October 17th with former pastor, Rev. Danny Henson, guest speaker.

Roopville Road: Sent Mission Teams to Honduras and Uganda.

They also sent their pastor and wife, Rev. Stephen Peeples and Lisa on a cruise for their 25th wedding anniversary.

Bethesda, FBC Centralhatchee, Discovery, Glenloch, and Mountain View:

held a Love Loud event on Saturday, October 16th reaching out to many families in their communities.

<u>Tabernacle:</u> honored Carol Taylor for her 13 years of ministry as Minister to Children. The Association also recognized Carol for her 11 years as Associational VBS Director by presenting her with a VBS quilt.

From the WMU.....

It is always a wonderful experience to meet together for prayer. As we gathered at Bethsaida, women all around the world met together for prayer also. I would like to thank the ladies and Rev. Bryant for allowing us to meet at their church for the Women's World Day of Prayer. They were very gracious hosts.

Rev. Mark Williams shared a first-hand account of seeing the Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes being delivered while he was on a mission trip. The shoeboxes you will fill during the next few weeks can make a difference in a child's life. Thank you for your gifts that you send.

We will be collecting them at the associational office November 15-21.

Our week of Prayer for International Missions is November 28-December 5. Please pray for the missionaries featured in the Week of Prayer guide and use the prayer guides in your church and family devotions. Our prayers make a difference.

Our associational WMU Team is available to help anyone who would like to begin or restart a missions group. WMU, Women's Missionary Union, provides opportunities for missions education for all agelevels. WMU's work in a church is built around its six areas of Missions focus:

- Pray for missions
- Engage in mission action and witnessing
- Learn about missions
- Support missions (financial giving, supporting missionaries and families)
- Develop spiritually toward a missions lifestyle
- Participate in the work of the church and denomination.

I hope you will have a wonderful Thanksgiving holiday.

Thanks for supporting missions, Keri Perkins perkinskmw797@yahoo.com

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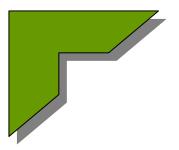
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| | 15-21 | Samaritan Purse Operation Christmas Child Shoebox Collection Week |
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| | 17 | Ministers' Luncheon—11:30 a.m. at Ryan's |
| | 20 | Hospice Food Sale —9:00 a.m12:00 noon FBC, Carrollton. |
| | 24 | Associational Office Closes at noon. |
| | 25 | Happy Thanksgiving! Associational Office closed. |
| 28-Dec. 5 Week of Prayer for International Missions | | |
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