

November 2015

Continuing to be an Acts 1:8 Association

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Looking Ahead...

- **Baptist Women's World Day of Prayer—November 2 at Antioch Baptist at 6:00 p.m.**
- **Senior Adult Picnic—** November 5th at Rockridge Baptist Assembly
- **Georgia Baptist Convention—** November 9-10
- **Operation Christmas Child Shoebox Collection Week—** November 16-22
- **Thanksgiving Holidays—** Office closes at noon on the 24 and will reopen on the 30th

From Your Associational Missionary...

It was an incredible sight to see all of those backpacks covering the entire altar at FBC Villa Rica! Overall there were 430 backpacks brought to the Annual Meeting/Mission Celebration Sunday night and we loaded 200 of them in the back of the "Of One Accord" van to go to Rogersville, TN. On Monday afternoon Myles Brown, Justin Richards and Anthony and Anna Puckett helped move the other 230 backpacks to my office to join the 209 which had been brought to the office either last week or Monday morning. We have now already collected 639 backpacks for Appalachia, which does not count the 60 delivered by Bowdon Baptist in September to Rogersville. That brings the total to 699. But it also does not count the 190 backpacks that are still out being filled with supplies or being taken to Copper Hill, TN. In other words we are looking at al-

most 900 backpacks for Appalachia. To God be the glory! Thank you for your incredible response to this ministry and this great need. This will exceed last years total by over 200. You continue to amaze me with your generosity and your commitment to missions. We heard on Sunday night from Sheldon Livesay of "Of One Accord" Ministry where over 100 decisions were made by children and parents who received a backpack. So not only are you meeting a physical need you are helping to meet a spiritual need.

Thank you First Baptist Villa Rica for hosting the 142nd Annual Meeting/Mission Celebration. It was definitely a celebration of what God has done and we were inspired by the testimonies and the music, and definitely challenged by the message by Dr. Adam Greenway, Dean of the Billy Graham School of Evangel-

ism and Missions at Southern Seminary. It was a great evening and I am grateful for Dr. Kevin Williams and his staff especially Jeff Powell, Austin Williams, and Patty Pritchard for all they did to make the evening go very smoothly; and to my ministry assistant, Teresa Britt, who prepared all the materials you received. I am also grateful for the leadership of Justin Richards, Moderator, and Myles Brown, Vice-Moderator who worked along side us to make the evening special. Also a special thanks to those who helped register each person, who welcomed folks and directed traffic in the building and to Brian Stocks, Sydney and Carson Richards, Josiah and Gabriella Brown, Katie Perkins, and others who helped us with the backpacks. It was definitely a TEAM effort!!

Happy Thanksgiving!

Dan

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November 26th

The CBA Office will close at noon on Tuesday, the 24th and reopen on Monday the 30th.



Baptist Collegiate Ministries

Hey everyone! We hope you are having a very blessed fall! Summer is still a long way off, but we have several students already praying over the opportunity to do Summer Missions. Our deadline this year to sign up is November 3. Our BCM has been richly blessed through our BCM Summer Missions program called sendmenow.net. We have already raised over \$2000.00 for summer missions this fall and we still have a couple of fundraisers to go! Our next fundraiser is a volleyball tournament, which will be on Friday, November 6 beginning at 6:00 PM at Roopville Road Baptist Church. We are asking Churches that participate in the tournament to raise \$50.00 for an entry fee all of which will go to summer missions. Please watch your mail for promotional material that will be coming your way and please help us support our summer missionaries!
 God Bless, Bill

2015-2016 CBA Gifts

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

Bethesda, Beulah, Bowdon, FBC Carrollton, Centralhatchee, Consolation, Ephesus, Eureka, Flat Rock, Fullerville, Glenloch, Harmony, Indian Creek, Kansas, Midway Macedonia, Mt. Pleasant, Oak Grove, Pleasant Grove, Pleasant Ridge, Pleasant View, Rocky Mount, Roopville Road, Salem, Shady Grove, Tabernacle, Temple, Trinity, and FBC Villa Rica

Church News...

Association: The Association has two mission trips planned to Rogersville, TN—December 4-5 and December 11-12. If you would be interested in going on either trip, please contact the CBA office.

Mt. Pleasant: will have “Celebration Sunday” November 1st to honor Dr. Doug New for his years of ministry at Mt. Pleasant. Dr. J. Robert White will be the guest preacher during the morning worship service at 10:15 a.m. Everyone is invited.

Mt. Zion: called Rev. Chris Bonner as Pastor

Oak Grove: called Rev. Charles Gibbs as Interim Pastor and Melanie King as Interim Worship Leader

Roopville Road: Rev. Bryant Turner recently celebrated his 20th Anniversary as Minister of Music.

November Meeting Schedule...

- 11/02 **Mission Development Team Meeting**—8:15a.m. at Chick-fil-A
- 11/05 **Community Ministries Team Meeting**—8:15 a.m. at Chick-fil-A
- 11/11 **Administrative Team Meeting**—at American Pie Pizzeria following the Ministers’ Luncheon
- 11/12 **Leadership Development Team Meeting**—Noon at the CBA. Bring your own lunch

NOTE: Please have all announcements for the December Newsletter into the CBA office **NO LATER THAN MONDAY, NOVEMBER 9TH!!!!** We will be working with a short month and need the extra time.

Note to Pastors
 We will meet on November 4th, 11th, and 18th for our Ministers’ Luncheons. There will be NO meeting on November 25th.



Daylight Saving Time Ends

November 1st

Senior Adult Picnic



Thursday, November 5
 Rockridge Baptist Assembly

Cost: \$8.00

RSVP and money due by Thursday, October 29th

Menu: Chicken and Dressing, Green Beans, Cranberry Sauce, Creamed Corn, Rolls, and Peach Cobbler

Georgia Baptist Convention
 Roswell Street Baptist Church

November 9-10



Operation Christmas

**Child: Shoebox
Collection Week**

November 16-22

Collection Times: Monday-Thursday: 9AM-4PM, Friday-Saturday: 9AM-12PM, and Sunday: 2PM-4PM

NOTE If you need to bring your shoeboxes before the week of the 16-22, please call ahead to make sure someone is in the office, have them here by 4pm, & bring enough volunteers to help you unload. Thank you!

**Week of Prayer for International
Missions and the Lottie Moon
Christmas Offering**

November 29th-December 6th

Looking Ahead...

***Minister/Mate After
Christmas Fellowship***

*January 12
FBC, Carrollton*

*R.S.V.P. by Wednesday,
January 6th*

From the WMU

Baptist Women's World Day of Prayer

Please join us Monday, November 2 at Antioch Baptist as we gather to pray for women around the world. We will also pray for our community and nation. We will have a covered dish meal at 6:00 p.m.

Week of Prayer for International Missions (November 29-December 6)

The week of prayer provides a daily prayer focus for eight days so you can learn about different missionaries and the people they are called to reach. You will find requests to pray for them and their needs. It's also a time to reflect on giving to the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering that supports them. Each church can get free materials from our state WMU office. These include posters, prayer guides, and offering envelopes. You can contact our state WMU office at 770-936-5326. You can also find some other supplemental materials by going to imb.org and click on "Lottie Moon" and then "Week of Prayer." One resource available is a family missions devotional. There is an online guide that provides daily devotions to turn your family's heart toward God's work and glorify Him as you go on mission together. You can also find great ideas from the website to engage your church for the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering.

Diane Robinson, Haralson Associational WMU Director, has invited our association to come see a drama performance of the life of Lottie Moon. This event will be November 14, 4:00 PM at Corinth Baptist Church, 43 Rockmart Rd., Bremen, GA. Pattie and Kirk Lytle from Longwood, Florida will be performing the drama. This drama performance presents her mission work as self-sacrificing, dangerous, lonely, and life threatening. Diane would like to know how many from your church would attend. You can reach her at 770-537-5612. Or you can get in touch with me if you have any questions.

Thank you for all you do,
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Baptist Women's World Day of Prayer

Monday, November 2nd

Antioch Baptist Church

6:00 PM: Covered Dish Meal

6:50 PM: Program and Prayer Time

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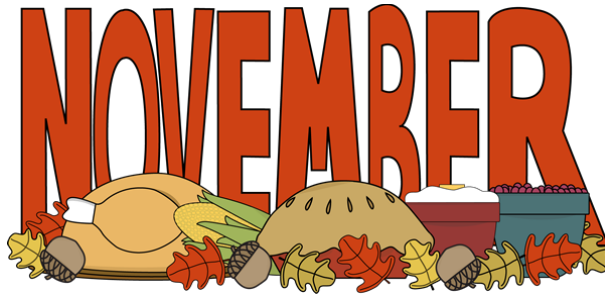
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Senior Adult Picnic—Noon at Rockridge</p> <p>9-10 Georgia Baptist Convention—Roswell Street Baptist Church</p> <p>9-15 Pray for Calvary</p> | <p>11 Ministers' Luncheon—11:30 a.m. at the CBA.
Administrative Team Meeting—at the CBA following the Ministers' Luncheon
Veteran's Day</p> <p>12 Leadership Development Team Meeting—11:30 a.m. at the CBA. Bring your own lunch.</p> <p>16-22 Pray for FBC, Carrollton
Operation Christmas Child Collection Week</p> <p>18 Ministers' Luncheon—11:30 a.m. at American Pie Pizzeria</p> <p>23-29 Pray for Centralhatchee First</p> <p>24 CBA Office closed at Noon</p> <p>25-26 CBA Office closed for Thanksgiving Holidays</p> <p>29-December 6 Week of Prayer for International Missions and the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering</p> <p>30-December 6 Pray for Consolation</p> |
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