

HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

Don't forget to turn in your application by **April 10, 2016**. **No applications will be accepted after this deadline.** The Scholarship(s) will be given at the July Quarterly Meeting. These funds come from donations and the interest from our Scholarship Fund which has been very little. If you would like to donate to this fund, make your check to GRBA and designate to Scholarship Fd.

HANDS OF HOPE FOR LIFE "WALK FOR LIFE"

...will be held on Saturday, April 30th at 10:00 a.m. Registration will be at 9:00 a.m. There will be one walk site this year because we felt led to unify everyone for the power in numbers. It will be held at the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church grounds in the parking lot. We will walk less than 2 miles down Main Street headed east, turning around at Rutherford Housing Partnership Building and back to the Catholic Church for the remainder of the event. There will be food, Christian music, face painting for kids, door prizes, and good fellowship. Please come join us! For more information you can call 247-4673. **Thanks, Karen Hill**

DOM PRAYER TIME

Each Wednesday at GRBA office
All Pastors are invited to meet together to prayer for our churches and our Association.

MONTHLY MINISTERS' CONFERENCES

11:00 am at the Association Office

DATE: PREACHER:

April: John Perry

May: Keith Stephenson

June: Rick Wall

COUNTYWIDE YOUTH MINISTERS' MONTHLY FELLOWSHIP

Meets 1st Tues. night monthly 7pm
at Village Coffee

Open to all youth ministers.

Call Howie Lederfind at 429-7968.

BI-VOCATION PASTORS

...meet each 1st & 3rd Thursday 6:30 pm at the Association office

DISASTER TRAILER

We have sold and replaced our Disaster Trailer for a smaller, more user-friendly one. We purchased a 5x8 light weight trailer that can be pulled by a car or small truck. The trailer will be available for our Association to use for Disaster Relief and for local Missions work. We have set up one of our Village rooms with all the disaster equipment for easy access.

AVAILABLE AT ASSOCIATION: USED VBS MATERIALS/KITS from Lifeway

- ♦ "Adventure, Big Apple"
- ♦ "Outrigger Island"
- ♦ "Saddleridge Ranch"
- ♦ "Amazing Wonders Aviation"
- ♦ "Journey Off The Map"

Also available, boxes of hymn books and various other books, sidewalk chalk, coloring books, crayons and other small children's items.

CHURCH OF THE EXCEPTIONAL

2843 Hwy 221 A in Henrietta

...will celebrate 42 years of service
on April 24, 2016 at 2:00 pm.

"Celestial Praise" a 25 member choir
will present the worship music.

REMINDER FROM WMU COUNCIL

If you haven't sent in your WMU dues for 2016, please send them as soon as possible. Send to Diane Watkins, 206 Honeysuckle Dr, Rutherfordon, NC 28139.

BIBLICAL COSTUMES

Over time our costumes that were loaned out to churches have not all been returned. If you have some Biblical costumes that you would like to donate or some you have not returned, we would be grateful to receive them.

NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER COURTHOUSE LAWN THURSDAY, MAY 5 12:00 NOON

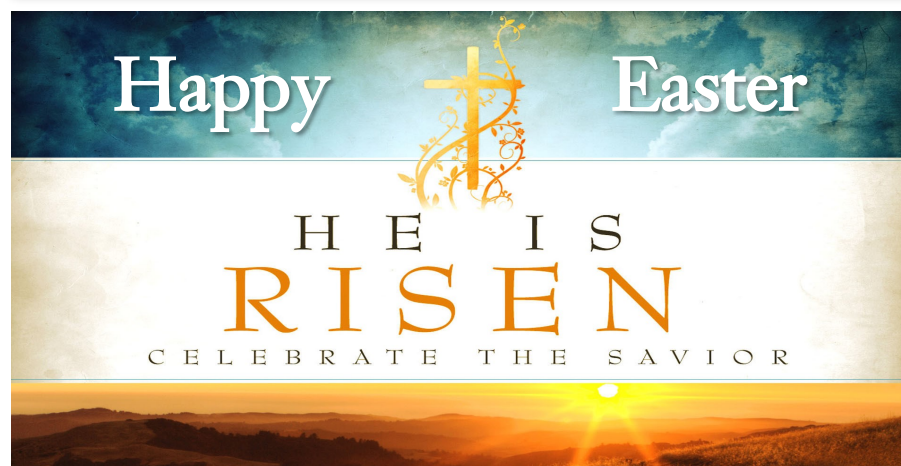
Note from David's Desk,

As I sit here this morning my mind is full of the activities of spring coming on. With spring, churches begin a series of meetings that are called revival. I am pondering the devotion I read this morning about revival. I am considering the question it raised: "What is the nature of revival?" I have read for years the stories of old about the great moves of God as revival broke out around our country. I have often wondered what it might be like. I remember, in particular, reading about a time in the area I grew up where Billy Sunday preached for several months and the whole town changed. I believe that 40,000 people were converted. What more, the moral attitudes changed and society itself was different.

In my devotional book, the writer points to a quote that caught my attention, "Revival is ultimately Christ Himself, seen, felt, heard, living, active, moving in and through His Body on earth." (Stephen Olford) Think about this for a minute. Christ moving through His church. How would that appear in our churches? How would that appear in our lives if we allowed our Lord and Savior to move?

As spring blossoms, maybe just maybe, it would be interesting to see a revival of Christ moving again in our churches. That we would once again allow Christ to have control of us to move us to act, perhaps, then the church would once again move the community.

David Jendrey



NC BAPTIST MEN EVENTS 2016 Baptist Missions Conference April 15-17

Hickory Grove Baptist Church, Charlotte



This event is open to ALL Baptist men, women, and students. Special features include mission action break out sessions, mission fair exhibits, volunteer supper and mission testimonies. Program personalities include Bob Goff, Gary Chapman, Bryan Loritts, Rebekah Lyons and music by Laura Story.

OperationInAsMuch

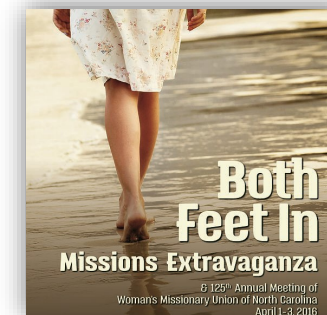


For more info go to www.baptistsonmission.com.

WMU MISSION EXTRAVAGANZA

April 1-3, 2016

LifeWay Ridgecrest Conference Center



Theme: Both Feet In
Scripture: "Give careful thought to the paths for your feet and be steadfast in all your ways." - Proverbs 4:26 (NIV)



Bring your food items or gift cards to GRBA no later than April 29.

THE NORTH CAROLINA PASTORS NETWORK PRESENTS

U-TURN

A CONVERSATION WITH PASTORS ON SOCIETY, CULTURE AND LEADERSHIP.

APRIL 14, 2016 | SOUTHERN EVANGELICAL SEMINARY | 9:00AM-4:30PM

For Pastor's and Church Leaders, this conference is designed to answer questions about the Biblical role and duty of pastors in society, culture and leadership from a Biblical perspective.

For details go to: <http://www.ncpastors.net/2016/02/12/u-turn-a-roadmap-for-renewal/>

Church News...

Thank you for praying for the following churches during their pastoral transitioning...

Fellowship, Main Street, Oak Springs, Pleasant Grove, Southern, Spindale First, West Memorial



Adaville...Church Youth Choir will sponsor their 5th Annual Car Show & Cruse-In. Friday, April 22, 5-9 pm with food, music and trophies. All Types of Vehicles are welcome. For more information call (828) 286-2361.

Green Hill...is planning a "Shoes of Hope" event for this fall. Shoes of Hope is an event where every child who attends will get a brand new pair of shoes and socks but most importantly the Gospel of Jesus Christ shared with them. This event is open to all children from ages 4-16. Green Hill Baptist Church would like to invite your church to participate. Help will be needed in many areas during the day. Your church can agree to participate on the day of, donate shoes and socks or simply just pray for this event. If you or your church are wishing to participate or would like more information please contact Wendy Craig at 828-527-7474 or breezyh77@hotmail.com.

Mountain Creek...is having a breakfast fundraiser meal at FATZ on March 26, 8am-5pm with proceeds for youth mission trip to Rumney, NH.

Mountain View (R)...is in need of a pianist. Call Hilda Thompson at 980-2121 if interested.

CHURCH VBS DATES

- June 12-16, 6:00—8:30 pm
Calvary “Outback-Boomerang Express”
- June 18, 9am—3 pm (one day)
Cane Creek “The Conquerors”
- June 20 - 24, 6:00 - 9:00 pm (supper provided) 3 yrs - 7th grade
Lake Lure “Submerged...Finding Truth Below The Surface”
- June 27 - July 1, 9:00 am - Noon
Rfdtn Second “Submerged...Finding Truth Below The Surface”
- July 10-15 6:30-8:30 pm
Oak Springs “Journey Off The Map”
- July 17-20, 6-8:30 pm
Mount Vernon “To the Edge: Encountering the God of the Universe.”
- July 17-22, 6:00 - 8:15 pm
Green Hill “Submerged...Finding Truth Below The Surface”

NANNIE NEWSOME OFFERING
Associational Emphasis Week
May 15-22, 2016 GOAL: \$7,000.00
Prayer Guides available at the Association Office

1. Resort Area Missions \$1,000
2. Scholarship Fund \$500
3. Village Ministry Center Improvement/Development \$4,500
4. Lottie Moon \$1,000

Associational Prayer for our Churches

Please pray for these churches and pastors during your midweek service.

APRIL

- Week 1: Calvary
Rev. Rick Wall
- Week 2: Camp Creek
Dr. Tony McCraw
- Week 3: Cane Creek
Dr. Ansel Pace
- Week 4: Chimney Rock
Rev. Gene Daggerhart

MAY

- Week 1: Fellowship
No Pastor
- Week 2: Forest City First
Dr. Garin Hill
- Week 3: Gilkey
Rev. Danny Hamrick
- Week 4: Green Hill
Rev. John Bridges

JUNE

- Week 1: Lake Lure
Rev. Anton Roos
- Week 2: Long Branch Road
Rev. Jerry Ruppe
- Week 3: Main Street
Mr. Joey Allen (Associate)
- Week 4: Montford Cove
Rev. Marvin Green (I)
- Week 5: Mount Vernon
Dr. Scott Courtney

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YEAR-TO-DATE BUDGET RECEIPTS

Month	Recv'd	Needed YTD	Bdgt. % Met
January	\$13,051.46	\$11,745.42	111%
February	\$ 8,760.60	\$11,745.42	75%
March	\$ 8,998.11	\$11,745.42	77%

APRIL QUARTERLY
ASSOCIATION MEETING
Monday, April 25, 2016
5:30 pm Meal 6:45pm Meeting
Southern Baptist Church
(140 Church St, Rutherfordton)
Mission Speaker: Rev. Terrell Dillingham



Quarterly Newsletter
April—May—June
2016

Churches Helping Churches Fulfill the Great Commission

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Calendar

April
6 10am DOM Prayer time, GRBA
7 6:30 pm Bi-Vocational Pastors' Conference, GRBA
10 Cooperative Program Sunday
12 11am Ministers' Conference, GRBA
13 10 am DOM Prayer time, GRBA
15-17 Baptist Mission Conf, Hickory Grove BC, Charlotte
20 10am DOM Prayer time, GRBA
21 6:30 pm Bi-Vocational pastors' Conference, GRBA
25 6:45 pm Quarterly Association Meeting, Meal begins at 5:30pm, Southern Baptist Church
27 10 am DOM Prayer time, GRBA
29 Deadline to have BCH Food Drive items to GRBA
30 OperationInAsMuch Statewide Blitz

May
4 10am DOM Prayer time, GRBA
5 6:30 pm Bi-Vocational Pastors' Conference
10 11am Ministers' Conference, GRBA
11 10 am DOM Prayer time, GRBA
12 7:00 pm WMU Annual Meeting, Spencer BC
13-15 Region 8 Disaster Relief Trng., Catawba County
15-22 Assoc. Emphasis Week, Nannie Newsome Offering
18 10 am DOM Prayer time, GRBA
19 6:30pm Bi-Vocational Pastor's Conf, GRBA
25 10 am DOM Prayer time, GRBA
30 MEMORIAL DAY, Office Closed

June
1 10 am DOM Prayer time, GRBA
2 6:30 pm Bi-Vocational pastors' Conf., GRBA
8 10am DOM Prayer time, GRBA
9 FAITH NIGHT at the Owls Stadium
14 11am Ministers' Conf, GRBA
14-15 SBC Annual meeting, St. Louis, Missouri
15 10AM DOM Prayer time, GRBA
16 6:30 pm Bi-Vocational Pastors' Conf, GRBA
22 10am DOM Prayer time, GRBA
29 10am DOM Prayer time, GRBA

Birthdays

Pastor/Wife

April
1 Mrs. Lewis Jackson (Stacey), Oak Ridge
14 Rev. Gene Daggerhart, Chimney Rock
21 Rev. John Perry, Southern
29 Mrs. Gene Daggerhart (Sherri), Chimney Rock

May
2 Dr. Jim Whitlow, Adaville (I)
3 Mrs. Tim Marsh (Rebecca), Rutherfordton First
7 Rev. Bryan Hardin, Calvary (I)
15 Mrs. Bryan Hardin (Angela), Calvary
22 Mrs. Tony McCraw (Sherry), Camp Creek
22 Rev. Marvin Green, Montford Cove (I)

June
13 Mrs. Bruce Caldwell (Ann), Spencer
14 Rev. Alan Beane, Westminster (I)
27 Mrs. Scott Courtney (Lisa), Mount Vernon