

## DOM PRAYER TIME

Each Wednesday at GRBA office  
All Pastors are invited to meet together to pray for our churches, Association, community and country.

## PRAYER AT COURTHOUSE

First Saturday of each month  
8:00 am, GRBA will meet on the courthouse lawn to pray together for our county.

## MONTHLY MINISTERS' CONFERENCES

2nd Tuesday of each month  
11:00 am at the Association Office

Date:	Preacher:
March 12:	Rev. Darold Crawford
April 9:	Rev. Marvin Green

## BI-VOCATIONAL PASTORS

....meet 4th Saturday each month  
8:00 am for breakfast at McDonalds, Oak St., Forest City.

## AVAILABLE at the ASSOCIATION

**FREE:** Pastor's library study books; Church/Sunday School Study materials, Books, DVDs, VHS and Cassette Tapes.

Used VBS Materials /Kits from Life-way are free.

**For LOAN:** Biblical costumes including robes, complete soldier outfits and accessories.

**THANK YOU!!!**  
**TO ALL WHO HELPED WITH SOUP KITCHEN CLEAN-UP IN FEBRUARY**

## GRACE OF GOD RESCUE MISSION

### NEEDS LIST

- ♦ Gallon sized vegetables
- ♦ 12 oz Styrofoam cups
- ♦ Sectioned Styrofoam to go trays
- ♦ Coffee
- ♦ Men and Women hygiene products
- ♦ Any running cars
- ♦ Cleaning products
- ♦ Both long and short envelopes
- ♦ Caps, Scarves, Gloves
- ♦ Applies, Oranges, Candy

## Church News



Please pray for the following Churches during their pastoral transitioning:

**Adaville, Fellowship,  
Greem Hill, Mountain Creek,  
Southern, West Memorial**

### Adaville ...

is seeking a Minister of Children.  
If interested, please email resume to [personnelteam2017@gmail.com](mailto:personnelteam2017@gmail.com) or send to ATT: Personnel Committee, Adaville Baptist Church, 805 Oak-land Rd, Spindale, NC 28160.

### Lake Lure...

**will hold a YOUTH RALLY  
"BREAKING DOWN BARRIERS"**  
Wednesday, March 27th 6:30-8pm  
Lake Lure Baptist Church  
Praise & Worship by the Lake Lure  
Praise Band/S3 Youth Group  
Games focused on unity & team  
building!

For more information, call Joey Pitts  
at 864-516-3527

## From the Director's Desk

*Good morning Green River members. I am grateful for all that you folks have done for this association. In January we had our quarterly meeting and adopted a new budget that should help us meet the needs for 2019. Many of our member churches have taken on this need and helped. I want to just thank you for this. We can use any help you or your church can give us. Please keep this as a matter of prayer.*

*We have had our first Deacon Training for this year and it was great. We were not able to finish it, though, so we will meet again on March 30<sup>th</sup> for a second training which will be held at Southern Baptist Church again from 9 am-12 Noon with breakfast at 9 am. I want to remind everyone that this is for deacons, their wives, and anyone that wants to come. The goal is educating the church on what the role of deacons are in our churches. So, sign up and attend with us.*

*Our two teams are meeting and looking at ways they can help our churches touch their communities. The Inreach Team has sent the messengers a short survey so they can get input from our members. The goal of that survey was to help the team to focus in on what the churches would like to do, so, please pray for them as they review these surveys.*

*The year is off and running. We have four churches who will be looking for a pastor during this year. I ask that you would keep them in your prayers. This will be a great challenge for all of them, yet, we have a wonderful year ahead of us. May we look to our Savior to see Him work and send revival to Rutherford County. Thank you again for all you do.*

*Because of Christ and His Grace,*

*David J.*

*If you are not yet receiving our MONTHLY E-NEWS to keep you more informed of our current events, please contact the office at 286-9278 or email us at [grba@bellsouth.net](mailto:grba@bellsouth.net).*



## A NORTH CAROLINA PRAYER GATHERING

**MARCH 8-9, 2019  
PLEASANT GARDEN, NC  
1415 NEELLEY RD, PLEASANT GARDEN, N.C.**

*The Awaken Prayer Gathering provides an environment for God to speak to His people through seasons of worship, focused prayer, dialogue and the preaching of God's Word.*

FRIDAY, March 8, 3pm-9pm	SATURDAY, March 9, 8:45am-12:15pm
3-6pm Pastor and Ministry Leader Dialogue Session and Dinner	8:45-10:30am Awaken General Session
6:30-9pm Awaken General Session	10:30-12:15pm Awaken Concert of Prayer Gathering

### SPEAKERS / PRAYER TESTIMONIES

- ♦ Richard Owen Roberts, Intenational Awakening Ministries, Wheaton, Ill.
- ♦ J. Chris Schofield, Director, Office of Prayer, BSCNC Cary, NC
- ♦ Stephen Buys, Lake Hills Church, Candler, NC
- ♦ David Cox, Beaver Island Baptist Church, Mayodan, NC
- ♦ Jimmy Hammons, Bethel Hill Baptist Church, Lumberton, NC

### REGISTRATION

Register at the door. A love offering will be received. For more information, please visit [www.praync.org](http://www.praync.org) or contact Fatima Roma at [fro-ma@ncbaptist.org](mailto:fro-ma@ncbaptist.org) or 1-800-395-5102 ext. 5513.

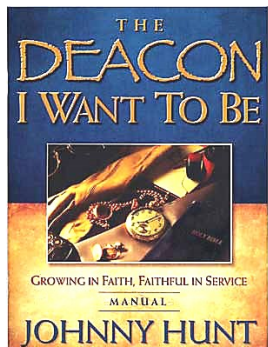
The event is sponsored by the Office of Prayer for Evangelization and Spiritual Awakening, Administration and Convention Relations Group, Baptist State Convention of North Carolina in partnership with Pleasant Garden Baptist Church and the Piedmont Baptist Association.

*Also He said to me, "Prophesy to the breath, prophesy, son of man, and say to the breath, 'Thus says the Lord God: "Come from the four winds, O breath, and breathe on these slain, that they may live." EZEKIEL 37:9 NKJV*

**APRIL 26-27 Region 7  
DISASTER RELIEF TRAINING, Taylorsville**

**MAY 17-18 Region 9  
DISASTER RELIEF TRAINING, Asheville**

## DEACON TRAINING



### GRBA ASSOCIATION WIDE

**Saturday, March 30, 2019**

**Biscuit Breakfast 9:00 am**

**Training 9:00 am-12:00 Noon**

**Southern Baptist Church**

**140 Church St., Rutherfordton, NC 28139**

**Facilitator: Dr. David Jendrey**

*Director of Missions*

- We invite deacon wives and anyone that would like to learn what is the ministry of a deacon.
- Material from *"The Deacon I Want to Be"* and *micro messages by Johnny Hunt*
- No cost, material provided
- Please contact the Association office with the number of those who plan to attend at 286-9278.

## 2019 MISSIONS CONFERENCE

*Open to all Baptist Men, Women and Students*

**April 5-6**

**Hickory Grove Baptist Church**

**7200 E WT Harris Blvd., Charlotte NC 28215**

The speakers for 2019 are Bob Goff, Jennifer Rothschild, D.A. Horton, Bryan Loritts, Karen Kingsbury, and Tom Richter. Worship will be led by Laura Story. There is a \$20 per person registration fee which includes all general sessions, all breakout sessions, name tag, materials and lunch on Saturday. There is also an optional "Mission Opportunities" Friday supper for \$8 per person.

Special features include Mission Breakout Sessions, Volunteer Supper, Mission Testimonies, Mission Fair Exhibits and much more. For more information or to register, contact Tracey Ford at 800.395.5102 x 5596. Registration Deadline: March 29, 2019.

### SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

#### Friday, April 5

4:30 - 6:40 pm Volunteer opportunities supplier with special emphasis on disaster relief, partnerships and other volunteer mission efforts.

7 - 9 pm General Session: D.A. Horton, Karen Kingsbury & Laura Story

#### Saturday, April 6

9-11 am General Session: Bryan Loritts, Jennifer Rothschild & Laura Story

11:00 - 11:40 am **Breakout Session 1**

11:50 am - 12:20 pm **Breakout Session 2**

12:20 - 1:00 pm Lunch and visit mission Fair exhibits

1:10 - 1:40 pm **Breakout Session 3**

2:00 - 4:00 pm General Session: Tom Richter, Bob Goff & Laura Story

### Associational Prayer for our Churches

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

#### MARCH:

**Week 1: Gilkey**  
Rev. Danny Hamrick

**Week 2: Green Hill**  
No pastor

**Week 3: Lake Lure**  
Rev. Anton Roos

**Week 4: Long Branch Road**  
Rev. Jerry Ruppe

#### APRIL:

**Week 1: Main Street**  
Rev. Dale Dubose

**Week 2: Montford Cove**  
Rev. Shawn Berryhill

**Week 3: Mount Vernon**  
Dr. Scott Courtney

**Week 4: Mountain Creek**  
Rev. Darold Crawford (I)

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## APRIL QUARTERLY ASSOCIATION MEETING

**Monday, April 29, 6:45 pm**

**Long Branch Road Baptist Church**

**500 Long Branch Road, Forest City, NC 28043**

*Mission Speaker:*

*Rev. Mack Tester, pastor of Liberty Baptist Church*



Newsletter  
March-April  
2019

*Churches Helping Churches Fulfill the Great Commission*

## Calendar

### March

2 8 am Prayer at Courthouse  
6 10 am DOM Prayer Time  
7 10 am Committee on Committees Meeting  
7 6 pm Outreach Team Meeting  
8 Place & Preacher meet by email  
10 DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME  
12 11 am Ministers' Conference, Preacher: Darold Crawford  
13 10 am DOM Prayer Time  
20 10 am DOM Prayer Time  
30 9am-12Noon Deacon Training (see further details in this newsletter)

### April

3 10 am DOM Prayer Time  
6 8 am Prayer at Courthouse  
9 11 am Ministers' Conference, Preacher: Anton Roos  
10 10 am DOM Prayer Time  
Deadline for Scholarship applications  
14 PALM SUNDAY  
17 10 am DOM Prayer Time  
19-22 Office Closed  
24 10 am DOM Prayer Time  
29 Quarterly Association Meeting, 5:30 pm, Meal:  
6:45 pm Session, Long Branch Road Baptist Church  
30 Deadline for Bapt. Children's Homes Food Drive

## Birthdays

**Pastor/Wife**

### March

1 Mrs. Susan Heafner, Chimney Rock  
1 Mrs. Shannon Hamrick, Gilkey  
2 Mrs. Gail Jones, Round Hill  
4 Dr. Keith Stephenson, Rfdtn. Second  
5 Mrs. Amanda Berryhill, Montford Cove  
11 Mrs. Susan Brown, Piney Knob  
12 Rev. Michael Jones, Round Hill  
22 Dr. Tony McCraw, Camp Creek  
23 Mrs. Rhonda Jendrey, GRBA  
30 Rev. Alex Heafner, Chimney Rock  
31 Rev. Greg Huntley, Rock Springs  
31 Rev. Randy Darley, Pleasant Grove

### April

1 Mrs. Stacey Jackson, Oak Ridge

