

## DOM PRAYER TIME

Each Wednesday 10:00 am  
at GRBA

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.

## WEEKLY MINISTERS' CONFERENCES

Each Tuesday 11:00 am  
(10:30 fellowship time)  
at the Association Office

**Date:**            **Preacher:**

July 4	NO CONFERENCE
11	Chris Brackin
18	Sean Porter
25	Peter Surran

August 1	Armando Rodriguez
8	<b>OPEN</b>
15	Scott Huffine
22	Jim Colon
29	Horace Carson

AVAILABLE  
at the ASSOCIATION

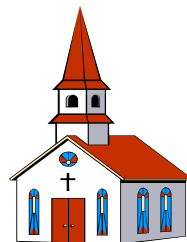
### FREE:

- ⇒ Used Books & Bibles from pastors
- ⇒ Split Track music on DVD
- ⇒ Used VBS Materials /Kits from Lifeway

### For LOAN:

- ⇒ Biblical costumes including robes, 2 complete soldier outfits and accessories

## Church News



Please pray for the  
following Churches  
during their pastoral  
transitioning:

\*Bill's Creek \*Fellowship\*Gilkey  
\*Montford Cove \*Mount Vernon  
\*Oak Springs \*Rutherfordon First  
\*Spindale First \*West Memorial  
\*Westminster

## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

**Adaville:** JULY 30-AUGUST 3,  
6:15 to 9:00pm "Answers in Genesis  
- Kingdom Keepers"

**Green Hill:** JULY 23-27,  
6-8:15pm "Zoomerang"

**Pleasant Hill:** July 9-14,  
6-8:30pm "Twists and Turns"

**Southern:** JULY 17-21,  
6-8:30pm "Keepers of the Kingdom"

**West Point:** JULY 17-21,  
6:30-8:30 pm "Keepers of the  
Kingdom" (Ages Pre-K-6th grade)

## Floyd's Creek Baptist Church...

(2004 Chase High Rd. Forest City)

...will be hosting their Sportsman's  
Banquet, Saturday, August 19<sup>th</sup> at  
6:30 pm. Rev. Robert Carnell, pastor,  
will be the speaker and there will be  
special music provided by Carley  
Arrowood Music. Tickets, which  
include a BBQ dinner, live music and  
a chance to win a great door prize,  
are only \$15 each and must be  
purchased in advance at Floyd's  
Creek Church, Scrappy's Food and  
Fuel, Butler's Jewelry & Loan, or  
Clark's Automotive Towing. For  
further information, please call the  
church at 828-245-1059.

*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.*

## A WORD FROM THE DIRECTOR

Summer has arrived and VBS and other outreach programs are in full swing. What a wonderful opportunity to touch the lives of those in our communities. It is so refreshing to see the churches of Green River on the move. What is more exciting is to hear how the gospel is being proclaimed.

Let me remind you that even as summer is upon us, pray for our brothers and sisters around the county to be on mission for Jesus. Summer camps and youth camps are moving forward. Pray that God will touch the hearts of our young people.

Coming this fall there are many outreach projects in the works. We have the Mountain State Fair Ministry coming up in September with GRBA Day on September 12<sup>th</sup>. During that same week we will also be joining the Sandy Run Association on September 10-13 for Camp Meeting/Remnant Revival at Crest View Baptist Church in Forest City. We are also working with Adaville on a fall youth event which will be held on November 4th.

Finally, a word about our office roof. I want to thank everyone who has given donations for this project. As I am writing this letter, the roof is being replaced. This necessary project will ensure that the office facility stays in good working order. Thank you so much for your generous support.

May our God be lifted up and glorified among the churches of Green River.

Respectfully,  
David

**The Lord bless you and keep you; the  
Lord make His face shine upon you,  
and be gracious to you; the Lord lift  
up His countenance upon you, and  
give you peace.**

**Numbers 6:24-26**



Rev. Lewis Jackson, pastor of Oak Ridge Baptist Church, receiving NC BAPTIST FOUNDATION SUPPLEMENTAL FUND CHECK.

(left to right: Dr. Allen Schuyler (NCBF Western Area Manager), Mrs. Staci Jackson, Rev. Lewis Jackson)

Over 30 Years of "Making a Difference; One life at a Time"

## Walk for Life

**Saturday, September 16, 2023**

Registration & T-Shirt pickup: 10:00-11:30  
HotDog Lunch provided after the Walk  
11:00 - 11:30: Michelle Flynn; Executive Director - Welcome  
Angie Davis: Client Services Director - What We Do  
Pastor ? - Prayer  
Pastor Miles Ensley - Devotion  
?? - Testimony  
Walk: 11:30-12:15

Your support helps provide families in our area who are facing an unplanned pregnancy with information to **CHOOSE LIFE** for their child. We offer comprehensive, positive alternatives to abortion with continued support for the first two years of the child's life.

- The Walk is about 1.5 miles, starting at Truist Bank on Main St. in Forest City. (Please Park in Public Parking on Trade Street)
- Bring the whole family.
- Come rain or shine.
- If you cannot come to the walk, walk on your own. (Please turn in your pledges before the walk.)



Visit [hh4life.org](http://hh4life.org) to learn about the free services we provide.

Thank you to our local Churches, Truist Bank, the Knights of Columbus, the Rutherford County GOP, and other groups who have helped make this event possible.





mountain state fair ministry

**GRBA Day Tuesday Sept. 12, 2023**  
**Montford Cove BC DAY: Wednesday, Sept. 13**

**2023 WNC Mountain State Fair Ministry Needs List**  
Please bring all items to **GRBA before 3:00 pm on Wednesday, July 26** or take them to **Buncombe Association before 4:00 pm on August 10.**

**HYGIENE KITS:** Prepare 2 men's kits for each woman's kit made. Please use clear two-gallon plastic bags. Please mark "MALE" or "FEMALE". DO NOT put mouthwash or after-shave in the hygiene kits. **DO NOT use trial sizes.**

**ITEMS NEEDED FOR BREAK TENT:**

- 8- and 12-ounce Styrofoam cups
- Instant lemonade mix

- **MEN'S KIT:** toothpaste, toothbrush, soap, washcloth, shampoo, deodorant, comb, shaving cream, razors, hand lotion, **Gospel message tract.**
- **WOMEN'S KIT:** toothpaste, toothbrush, soap, washcloth, shampoo, conditioner, deodorant, comb, hairbrush, women's shaving cream and razors, hand lotion, **Gospel message tract.**

**MONETARY DONATIONS** may be made.

Make checks to Buncombe Baptist Association designated for Fair Ministry.

Send to:

Buncombe Baptist Resource Center  
227 Hazel Mill Road  
Asheville, NC 28806

**OTHER NEEDS FOR FAIR WORKERS:**

Blankets & Towels (full size, new or gently used)

**We are NOT accepting clothing items for this year's ministry.**

**"JESUS LOVES YOU" TEDDY BEARS:**  
Call 828-252-1864 to obtain pattern. Make bears, carefully following pattern instructions. Do not use buttons, craft eyes or any other small parts which may be removed and swallowed.

**A 20+ Game Night!**

Who? Christian Singles 20+ years old  
What? A night of games, snacks & fun!  
When? Thursday, July 13th, 6-9 pm  
Where? Liberty Baptist Church Fellowship Hall

For more info., or to RSVP, call/message  
Howie Lederfind @ (828) 429-7968

*Associational Prayer for our Churches*

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

**JULY:**

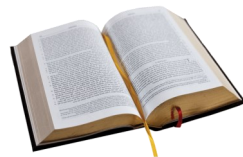
- Week 1: Rutherfordton First**  
Dr. Joe Yelton (I)
- Week 2: Rutherfordton Second**  
Dr. Keith Stephenson
- Week 3: Southern**  
Rev. Peter Surran
- Week 4: Spencer**  
Dr. Bruce Caldwell
- Week 5: Spindale First**  
No Pastor

**AUGUST:**

- Week 1: Sulphur Springs**  
Rev. Ethan Gardner
- Week 2: West Memorial**  
Rev. Alan Beane
- Week 3: West Point**  
Rev. Lance Scarlett
- Week 4: Westminster**  
No Pastor
- Week 5: West Point**  
Rev. Lance Scarlett

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**REMNANT REVIVAL  
CAMP MEETING**

*"Please let our petition be acceptable to you, and pray for us to the LORD your God, for all this remnant, that the LORD your God may show us the way in which we should walk and the thing we should do." Jeremiah 42:2b-3*

**September 10-13 6:30 pm nightly**  
**Crestview Baptist Church**  
(630 S Church St, Forest City, NC 28043)

Various churches will gather nightly to worship, pray, and submit to the Word of God. Each night a local pastor will bring a message from the Word of God and we will prepare our hearts in praise, prayer, and special music before the message. We long to see a move of God in our county and it begins with the people of God humbling themselves before Him.

**Joint Choir**—Each night at 6 pm there will be a practice for a joint choir for anyone who wants to participate!



Newsletter  
July-August  
2023

*Churches Helping Churches Fulfill the Great Commission*

**Dr. David Jendrey**  
Director  
of Missions

**Rev. Dale Dubose**  
Moderator

**Rev. Alex Heafner**  
Vice-Moderator

**Dr. Bob Morgan**  
Treasurer

**Mrs. Teresa Sams**  
Administrative  
Assistant & Clerk

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**OFFICE HOURS:**  
Monday - Thursday  
8:30 am - 4:00 pm

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828-287-9383

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grba@bellsouth.net

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greenriverbaptist  
association.com

**July Calendar**



- 1 8 am Prayer at Courthouse
- 4 OFFICE CLOSED FOR INDEPENDENCE DAY
- 5 10 am Prayer time with DOM
- 6 4:30 - 6 pm Soup Kitchen open
- 11 10:30 -12 Noon Ministers' Conference
- 12 10 am Prayer Time with DOM
- 13 4:30 - 6 pm Soup Kitchen open
- 18 10:30 -12 Noon Ministers' Conference
- 19 10 am Prayer time with DOM
- 20 4:30 - 6 pm Soup Kitchen open
- 25 10:30 - 12 Noon Ministers' Conference
- 26 10 am Prayer Time with DOM
- 27 4:30-6 pm Soup Kitchen open
- 31 6:45 pm GRBA Quarterly Association Mtg., Southern BC

**August**

- 1 10:30 -12 Noon Ministers' Conference
- 2 10 am Prayer time with DOM
- 3 4:30 - 6 pm Soup Kitchen open
- 5 8:00 am Prayer at Courthouse lawn
- 8 10:30 -12 Noon Ministers' Conference
- 9 10 am Prayer time with DOM
- 10 4:30 - 6 pm Soup Kitchen open
- 15 10:30 -12 Noon Ministers' Conference
- 16 10 am Prayer time with DOM
- 17 4:30 - 6 pm Soup Kitchen open
- 22 10:30 -12 Noon Ministers' Conference
- 23 10 am Prayer time with DOM
- 24 4:30 - 6 pm Soup Kitchen open
- 29 10:30 -12 Noon Ministers' Conference
- 30 10 am Prayer time with DOM
- 31 4:30 - 6 pm Soup Kitchen open

**Birthdays**  
Pastor/Wife

- July**
- 10 Rev. James Henson, Pleasant Hill
- 11 Mrs. Bethel Stephenson, Rfdtn. Second
- 16 Mrs. Lori Scarlett, West Point
- 28 Dr. Bruce Caldwell, Spencer

**August**

- 8 Mrs. Natalie Huffine, Calvary
- 9 Rev. Scott Huffine, Calvary
- 10 Mrs. Lilani Roos, Lake Lure
- 10 Rev. Tripp Queen, CrossLink
- 13 Dr. Ansel Pace, Cane Creek
- 14 Rev. Lance Scarlett, West Point
- 26 Dr. Garin Hill, Forest City First
- 27 Dr. David Jendrey, DOM

