



2015 SENIOR ADULT FALL CELEBRATION

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 2015 – 10:30 AM

BOUNTY LAND BAPTIST CHURCH

1926 BLUE RIDGE BLVD, SENECA

PROGRAM: ON-STARZ

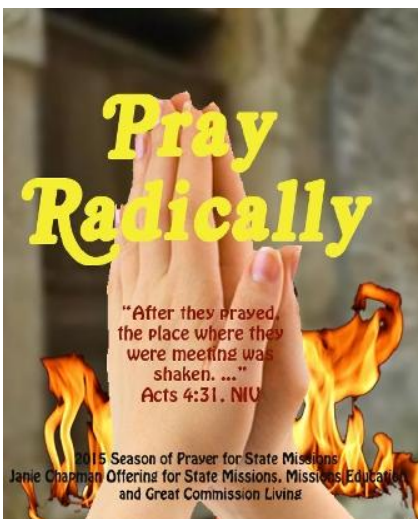
(FUD CATER, LANNY WILKIE, MIKE ADAMS)

MEAT & DRINKS WILL BE PROVIDED – PLEASE BRING A COVERED DISH

2015 Season of Prayer for State Missions and Janie Chapman Offering

September 13-20, 2015

State Goal: \$1,850,000



As believers and followers of Christ, Southern Baptists recognize our relationship with Him is our most basic and important need. Helping others recognize this need in their lives is a priority for missions. Across South Carolina, we are focusing on the Season of Prayer for State Missions with "Pray Radically" as our theme for 2015. Our focal Scripture passage, **Acts 4:31**, reminds us to prioritize our activities with prayer, "After they prayed, the place where they were meeting was shaken. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and spoke the word of God boldly." As we learn more about this year's mission focus areas, we can choose to "Pray Radically," to speak the truth of God boldly, and to give generously. Through this time of focus, South Carolina Baptists can know better how to pray and give. God is providing opportunities and bringing together people from other countries and across the state so South Carolina Baptists can meet their needs, building relationships that will allow the Gospel to be spoken boldly. Through this year's week of prayer, we want to open eyes to what is God is doing. We are reminded that He is still able to shake the ground. *As you learn more about this year's focus areas, you are asked to pray radically and to give generously to the Janie Chapman State Missions offering so the Gospel can continue being shared.*

The 2015 Season of Prayer for State Missions materials is available in downloadable format at www.scwmu.org.

DOM Thoughts,

Wow, where did the summer go? Where did the first eight months of 2015 go? Welcome to fall and to football season! As I get older (I'm a Grand Pa now you know) it seems that time just flies by. James was absolutely right when in James 4:14 he asked "For what is your life? It is even a vapour, that appeareth for a little time, and then vanisheth away." As we enter the month of September I wanted to make you aware of a few upcoming events.

The **Church at The Well** will be celebrating their **One Year Anniversary** in the Seneca High School Auditorium at 4:00 PM on Sunday, September 13th. Pastor Mark Bagwell will be the guest speaker. The Church at The Well cordially invites everyone to come and join in as we celebrate the completion of our first year of ministry. The Church at The Well has spent this past year ministering primarily in several Seneca area apartment complexes. They have reached out to these communities through community block parties, by meeting certain benevolence needs, job assistance, addiction recovery placement, providing Christmas gifts to needy families as well as offering a weekly worship service on Sunday afternoons at Seneca High School. It would be a TREMENDOUS blessing to The Well if your church would join us as we celebrate our first year of ministry!

Mark your calendars for our upcoming **Fall Senior Adult Celebration**. The Celebration will be held on Tuesday, September 22nd at 10:30 AM in the Bounty Land Baptist Church Activity Building. The music will be led by Steve Musielak of Scenic Heights Baptist Church. The program will be provided by On-Starz (Fud Cater, Lanny Wilkie and Mike Adams). Everyone is asked to bring a covered dish and the meat/drinks will be provided by the Association.

I am excited to announce that our new Hispanic Pastor Luis Carrion and his family have relocated to the upstate from Charleston. We are also excited that the SCBC has agreed to provide us with a Start-Up Grant (\$2500 - \$3000) for this new work and they will also be meeting soon to consider providing Pastor Luis with some ongoing monthly financial support. We are praying that 50 churches, individuals, missions organizations (WMU, Men's Ministries), Sunday School classes, Student Ministries, etc. would make a financial commitment to support this ministry. We are asking you to please consider accepting responsibility for a "Share" (Ministry

Partnership). One "Share" would be \$986 a year or \$82 a month or approximately \$19 a week. What a tremendous blessing it would be if 50 churches/classes/organizations would commit to giving \$986 a year to this new Associational Ministry. If you or your church would be interested in possibly supporting this new work or if you would like more information please contact me at 882-7070.

I am thrilled to announce that the dates, venue and speaker for our **2016 Associational Pastors/Wives Retreat** have been set! The 2016 retreat will be held March 11-12 at the Hyatt Regency Downtown Greenville. We are thrilled that **Dr. Richard Blackaby** will be our speaker. As in the past the Hyatt will reserve us a block of rooms. I encourage those interested to call the Beaverdam Mission Center (882-7070) ASAP to reserve your spot.

Impacting Oconee & Beyond,

David

Our New Bouncy House Has Arrived!

We are excited to announce that we have replaced the old worn-out bouncy house with a brand new Train Bouncy House! We were able to purchase this new addition to our Community Block Party Trailer because of your generosity in giving to the **2015 Leonard Irwin Offering for Associational Missions**.



Shade Tree Ministries

Mark Bagwell, former pastor of Golden Corner Church for 22 years, and his wife Sheila have started a new ministry for Ministry Leaders. Their vision is to provide care and rest for those in ministry.

- ***Rest and Relaxation*** – Casual atmosphere giving ample down time for physical and mental refreshing.
- ***Spiritual Renewal*** – A quiet retreat offers the opportunity to commune with God and renew the passion for ministry.
- ***Personal and Marital Restoration*** – Time to refocus on personal commitments and marriage.

Private accommodations in Mark & Sheila's Lake Keowee home are provided for each ministry couple at NO CHARGE. This includes home cooked meals and snacks.

For more information or to register for Shade Tree, visit www.shadetreeministry.com. You may also call Mark at 864-710-6933.

Beaverdam Mission Dollars at Work

	July 15	Jan-July 15
Beaverdam	551.00	2,094.00
Belmont	0.00	0.00
Bethel	150.00	1,373.00
Bethlehem	0.00	0.00
Bounty Land	435.95	3,372.63
Calvary	77.99	605.29
Chauga	59.68	444.93
Cheohee	200.00	1,400.00
Church at the Well *	0.00	550.00
Clearmont	595.70	2,483.49
College Street	835.37	5,747.17
Coneross	75.00	525.00
Corinth Seneca	0.00	600.00
Corinth Westminster	166.63	1,333.04
Cross Roads Seneca	0.00	787.00
Cross Roads Westminster	158.00	657.00
Damascus	0.00	269.17
Davis Creek	151.08	626.26
Earle's Grove	1,200.00	8,400.00
Ebenezer	0.00	1,000.00
Faith	140.63	936.94
Fants Grove	464.15	1,551.46
Golden Corner	0.00	0.00
Heart Land	121.00	995.00
Hepsibah	780.34	5,462.38
Holly Springs	317.60	3,466.24
Hopewell	412.78	1,651.12
Iglesia Bautista Bethel	0.00	0.00
Little River	0.00	0.00
Long Creek	144.00	1,008.00
Lydia	689.41	2,551.95
Maranatha	266.24	2,307.82
Monte Vista	25.00	175.00
Mountain Rest	564.38	4,798.43
Mountain View	500.00	875.00
Mt Freedom	0.00	600.00
Mt Pleasant	266.66	933.31
Mt Tabor	234.99	1,471.82
New Hope	319.00	2,633.24
Old Liberty	135.82	1,137.63
Open Door	0.00	1,249.98
Parkway	64.02	453.52
Pleasant Grove	92.49	1,042.86
Pleasant Hill	100.00	700.00
Pleasant Ridge	400.00	2,800.00
Poplar Springs	0.00	3,157.52
Puerta Abierta	0.00	0.00
Reedy Fork	428.94	1,348.34
Retreat	0.00	0.00
Return	585.74	3,955.34
Rock Hill	0.00	100.00
Rocky Knoll	458.65	4,599.23
Salem	0.00	3,749.99
Scenic Heights	0.00	1,049.00
Seneca	1,107.49	8,581.50
Shiloh	0.00	0.00
Snow Creek	0.00	1,092.42
Souls Harbor	125.00	875.00
South Union	203.38	1,140.50
Trinity	0.00	0.00
Utica	1,125.00	7,875.00
Walhalla	0.00	200.00
Welcome	187.00	1,158.94
West Union	0.00	126.07
Westminster	500.00	3,500.00
Westminster First	125.00	875.00
Wolf Stake	0.00	376.00
Total Income	15,541.11	114,829.53

* Church Plant

General Fund

Brought Forward	61,655.01
Receipts	15,541.11
Expense	15,118.26
Balance 7-31-15	62,077.86



Staff Changes:

Mark Bagwell has resigned as Pastor of **Golden Corner** effective August 30, 2015.

John Watkins has resigned as Minister of Education & Families of **Seneca** effective August 2, 2015.

Golden Corner has announced the following staff changes effective September 1, 2015:

Ronnie Hodge will become Senior Pastor; Tim McCall will become Lead Pastor; Scott Lee will become the Care Ministry, Life Groups and Missions Pastor

Maranatha has called Shaun Watkins as Interim Pastor effective August 9, 2015.

Staff Needed:

Cross Roads-Seneca is currently seeking a part-time Minister of Music to lead in a blended musical worship service on Sunday mornings and evenings. Please send resumes to Cross Roads Baptist Church, 215 Cross Roads Dr. Seneca, SC 29678, Attention: Pastor or email to perrytwo@bellsouth.net.

Cross Roads-Westminster is seeking a piano player for Sunday AM & PM services. Please contact Pastor Lyda at 864-324-9458 for additional information or to submit a resume.

Ebenezer is looking for a part-time Student Minister that has a heart for young people (grades 6th-12th) and their maturity in Christ. Education in ministry not required but preferred. Responsibilities include working directly under the guidance of the Senior Pastor in development of the Wednesday night program and in the planning of other activities for the youth. Background check required and should possess a valid driver's license. Resumes accepted until September 27 and should be sent to: Ebenezer Baptist Church, 1405 Ebenezer Road, West Union, SC, 29696, Attention: Youth Search Committee or email to ebcpastor@hotmail.com.

Mt. Tabor is seeking a pastor. Please send resumes to: Mt. Tabor Baptist Church
Attn: Pastor Search Committee
401 Tabor Road
Westminster, SC 29693

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WMU Leadership Development
Saturday, September 12, 2015
Saluda River Baptist Church,
West Columbia
9 AM – 4:00 PM
Visit www.scwmu.org to register.

The Edge
A One Day Acteens/YOM Event
October 3, 2015
9 AM – 4:30 PM
Anderson University
Join other youth in worship, testimonies, and hands-on mission action projects.
Cost: \$20 on or before September 25
\$25 after September 25
Visit www.scwmu.org/students to register online.

Carolina Women (NC & SC WMU)
October 16-17, 2015
Fort Caswell Baptist Assembly,
Oak Island, NC
Speakers Include: Debby Akerman,
Phyllis Elvington, Beth Greer

Visit www.wmunc.org for details and to register.



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- 2 - Golden Triangle News articles due
- 7 - LABOR DAY - BMC CLOSED
- 13 - Season of Prayer for State Missions and the Janie Chapman Offering (13-20)
- 14 - Ministers Prayer Time, BMC - 8:30 AM
- 21 - Ministers Prayer Time, BMC - 8:30 AM
- 22 - Senior Adult Fall Celebration, Bounty Land - 10:30 AM
- 23 - SEE YOU AT THE POLE
- 28 - Ministers Prayer Time, BMC - 8:30 AM

BMC = Beaverdam Mission Center,
1659 Sandifer Blvd

Special Days in September

Staff Anniversaries:

- 6 - Barry Jordan, Retreat, 2009
- 21 - Tim Rackley, Mt Pleasant, 1997
- 22 - Randy Koon, Mountain Rest, 2002
- 25 - Matthew Crain, Chauga, 2011

Birthdays:

- 1 - Sarah Chewing, Open Door
- 5 - Joseph Saunders, Little River
- 6 - Joey Hawkins, New Hope
- 12 - Jimmy Cox, Davis Creek
- 12 - James Holcombe, retired
- 13 - Andy McDaniel, Bounty Land
- 15 - Brian Goss, Lydia
- 16 - Randy Keasler, Westminster
- 17 - Ronnie Wald, Snow Creek
- 18 - Scott Bedenbaugh, Mt Tabor
- 20 - Michael Adams, retired
- 22 - Tim Tate, Corinth Seneca
- 26 - Alan Adams, Parkway
- 30 - Sam Adams, retired
- 30 - Buddy Byars, retired

Wedding Anniversaries:

- 11 - Bart & Tonya Kelley, Bethel
- 12 - Jimmy & Judith Cox, Davis Creek
- 20 - Jeremy & Kim Garrett, Open Door
- 26 - Kenneth & Lynn Owen, Westminster First
- 29 - Brian & Carole Ann Goss, Lydia

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Living Proof Live Simulcast with Beth Moore
Fountain Inn First Baptist Church
206 N Weston Street, Fountain Inn, SC, 29644

September 12, 2015
10:30 AM - 5:15 PM

Fountain Inn FBC has extended an invitation to all women of Beaverdam Baptist Association to join them for a Beth Moore Simulcast on Saturday, September 12.

Tickets are \$25.00 covering one full day of music and worship, sessions led by Beth Moore, a Chick-Fil-A box lunch, a listening guide and opportunities to fellowship with other women.

To register, go to www.fifbc.org/newsevents.

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