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Saturday, March 12 at 9:30 AM

Women on Mission Brunch

Westminster First Baptist Church
426 W Oak Hwy, Westminster

Guest Speaker: Martha Dyar from Tamassee DAR School. A **special offering** will be taken to help with Starlight at Tamassee Recovery.

Please register by Monday, March 7. Registration is \$5.00/person to Beaverdam Baptist Association.



Association Baptist Church Secretaries

March 17 at Noon

Beaverdam Mission Center
215 N Townville St, Seneca

Come fellowship with other secretaries and retired secretaries of the association.

Register by March 14.

bbaemily@bellsouth.net or 864-882-7070

Youth Revival

Saturday, March 26 at 6:00 PM

Return Baptist Church
733 Return Church Rd, Seneca

All youth are invited to attend this event.

For more information, please contact Return Baptist Church: 864-972-3616 or returnbaptistchurch@gmail.com

From the DOM,

What a joy it has been to serve as the Director of Missions for the Beaverdam Baptist Association for the past 12 years. God led me to fill this role in March 2010 and, without a doubt, one of the joys of my life has been the privilege of serving the pastors and churches of the Beaverdam Baptist Association. As I look back upon the past 12 years, I want to say thank you to this association for allowing me the opportunity to do what I am blessed to do each day. Someone asked me recently: "What does a director of missions/associational missions strategist do?" My response was that I get to consult with churches quite often as they seek to bring God much glory and I also get to be an encourager to those who serve as pastors in our churches. So again, thank you for the honor and privilege of serving as your Director of Missions.

I realize that it's only March; however, I also understand how quickly our calendars fill up. Below you will see several ministry opportunities planned for 2022. I would ask that you go ahead and put those dates/times on your calendars.

Beaverdam Baptist Association's
Fall Senior Adult Celebration

Special Guest Dr. Dennis Swanberg
America's Minister of Encouragement
Tuesday, October 11, 2022

11:00 AM at Utica Baptist Church
There is no charge to attend this event and everyone is invited.



An Evening of Encouragement

Special Guest Dr. Dennis Swanberg
Tuesday, October 11, 2022 6:30 PM
Madren Conference Center, Clemson University

October is Clergy Appreciation Month and we want to let those who so faithfully serve the churches of our association know how much we love and appreciate them. We are planning a special event for all Beaverdam Baptist Association pastors, church staff members, retired pastors, and their spouses. There is **no cost** to attend. Mark your calendars now and make plans to spend the evening enjoying a wonderful meal followed by an evening of encouragement from

America's Minister of Encouragement. To register call Emily at (864) 882-7070.



Holy Land Tour

October 18-27, 2022
Sponsored By Beaverdam Baptist Association

We are so excited and looking forward to an incredible experience this coming October. We still have room for a few more people if you'd be interested in being a part of this trip. This trip is open to anyone interested in going. Trip brochures are available at the Beaverdam Mission Center in Seneca. If you would be like to receive a brochure stop by the association office or call 882-7070 to request one in the mail. This would be a wonderful opportunity for churches to provide their pastor and wife with a pastor's appreciation gift that they will never forget. If you would be interested in more information about this trip, please contact the association office at 864-882-7070.

Fortitude Counseling Ministry Update

- ❖ Number of pastor referrals89
- ❖ Total clients seen.....60
- ❖ Average sessions per referral.....10
- ❖ Total number of sessions (2020-2022)571
- ❖ Total cost to BBA (2020-2022)\$56,972

Thank you to the churches of the Beaverdam Baptist Association for your continued financial support of the association. It is because of your generous giving to the association that we are able to provide this critically important ministry.

David

Mondays at 9:00 AM
Pastors' Prayer Time
Beaverdam Mission Center

Church Contributions

	Jan 22	Jan 22
Beaverdam	134.25	134.25
Belmont	0.00	0.00
Bethel	151.00	151.00
Bethlehem	0.00	0.00
Calvary	55.01	55.01
Chauga	46.23	46.23
Cheohee	200.00	200.00
Clearmont	0.00	0.00
College Street	934.24	934.24
Coneross	75.00	75.00
Corinth - Seneca	0.00	0.00
Corinth - Westminster	0.00	0.00
Christ Fellowship*	0.00	0.00
Cross Roads - Seneca	133.74	133.74
Cross Roads - Westminster	100.00	100.00
Damascus	0.00	0.00
Davis Creek	0.00	0.00
Earle's Grove	2,160.13	2,160.13
Ebenezer	0.00	0.00
Faith	272.68	272.68
Fants Grove	0.00	0.00
Golden Corner	0.00	0.00
Heart Land	119.00	119.00
Hepsibah	780.34	780.34
Holly Springs	228.90	228.90
Hopewell	477.94	477.94
Iglesia Bautista Bethel	0.00	0.00
Little River	0.00	0.00
Long Creek	167.00	167.00
Lydia	1,041.42	1,041.42
Maranatha	67.04	67.04
Monte Vista	25.00	25.00
Mountain Rest	817.38	817.38
Mountain View	100.00	100.00
Mt. Freedom	0.00	0.00
Mt. Pleasant	0.00	0.00
Mt. Tabor	234.25	234.25
New Hope	684.00	684.00
Old Liberty	0.00	0.00
Open Door	250.00	250.00
Pleasant Grove	0.00	0.00
Pleasant Hill	100.00	100.00
Pleasant Ridge	0.00	0.00
Poplar Springs	546.38	546.38
Puerta Abierta	0.00	0.00
Reedy Fork	309.06	309.06
Retreat	0.00	0.00
Return	661.35	661.35
Rock Hill	0.00	0.00
Rocky Knoll	621.76	621.76
Salem	1,249.97	1,249.97
Scenic Heights	300.00	300.00
Seneca	1,268.00	1,268.00
Shiloh	0.00	0.00
Snow Creek	1,382.96	1,382.96
Souls Harbor	145.00	145.00
South Union	125.78	125.78
Utica	3,187.06	3,187.06
Walhalla	0.00	0.00
Welcome	286.00	286.00
West Union	0.00	0.00
Westminster	500.00	500.00
Westminster First	200.00	200.00
Wolf Stake	0.00	0.00
Total	20,137.87	20,137.87
Other Contributions		
La Roca	100.00	100.00
Total Income	20,237.87	20,237.87

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Church News

Staff Changes:

Rev. Ronnie Hodge has transitioned to teaching pastor of **Golden Corner** Church. Rev. Tim McCall has been voted in as senior pastor.

Staff Needs:

East Side Baptist Church, Liberty, is looking for a part-time worship leader. We are a church trying to create a convergent worship service, incorporating music of all types and times. If interested, email charldondennis@gmail.com.

Maranatha Baptist Church is looking for a part time Worship Leader. We are interested in a blend of music with a mix between traditional and contemporary. As a church body we would love to pour into your ministry as you bless us through worship. For more information contact maranathabaptistsc@gmail.com.

Seneca Baptist Church is looking for a full-time Child Development Center (CDC) Director who will oversee about 100 children weekly and staff members.

As a ministerial staff member of Seneca Baptist Church, the CDC Director will help SBC family by declaring the gospel and discipling the children and families of the Child Development Center. Working with the pastoral staff, the CDC Director shall also be responsible to ensure that the CDC is active in the overall mission and vision of Seneca Baptist Church by creating an environment to train the next generation who will serve their community and point others to Jesus.

The CDC Director shall have the responsibility to provide and maintain a safe Christ-centered environment where children engage in creative learning and spiritual growth. The CDC Director will encourage and maintain a high level of academic and spiritual excellence for students and families.

For more information, visit <https://www.senecabaptist.org/cdc-director/>

Send resumes to office@senecabaptist.org

Westminster Baptist is asking God for an individual to serve alongside our fellowship as our Family Ministry Pastor. Experience leading children and/or youth is a must. This individual will develop a discipleship culture to our next generation within the church and community. This will involve uniting the power of the church's gospel message and mission with the influence of the parental bond (family) to lead the Next Generation to Jesus. The person must be mature in their people skills in working with children, youth, parents, volunteers, and staff. They must demonstrate preparation, organization, and punctuality. The person WBC is seeking is one who has an ever-growing desire to bring God Glory through their life story. Connect with Pastor David to send your resume or request a full job description: david.walker@wbc.life.

VBS Expo

March 5 at Boiling Springs First Baptist Church

Register at scbaptist.org/events

Looking Ahead... Disaster Relief Training

April 2 at Lakeview Baptist Church, Hartsville

Springs for Jesus Sandy Springs Free Community Event

April 2 at Sandy Springs Community Park

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- 6 – Week of Prayer for North American Missions and Annie Armstrong Easter Offering (6-13)
- 7 – Pastors' Prayer Time, BMC, 9:00 AM
- 12 – WOM Brunch, Westminster First, 9:30 AM
- 14 – Pastors' Prayer Time, BMC, 9:00 AM
- 17 – ABCS, BMC, 12:00 PM
- 21 – Pastors' Prayer Time, BMC, 9:00 AM
- 28 – Pastors' Prayer Time, BMC, 9:00 AM

BMC = Beaverdam Mission Center
215 N Townville St, Seneca, SC

Birthdays and Anniversaries

Birthdays:

- 6 – Ronnie Hodge, Golden Corner
- 7 – Bobby Bugg, Wolf Stake
- 16 – Rolando Garcia, Iglesia Bautista Bethel
- 19 – J. Ray Allen, retired

Staff Anniversaries:

- 8 – Perry Gardner, Hepsibah, 2015
- 8 – David Shirley, BBA, 2010
- 8 – David Walker, Westminster, 2020
- 9 – Joe Steele, Utica, 2009
- 14 – Mark Tannery, Hopewell, 2021
- 27 – Kelley Murphy, Pleasant Ridge, 2016
- 29 – Kenneth Hood, Walhalla First, 2004

Wedding Anniversaries:

- 4 – Ken & Betsy Reid, retired
- 9 – Sam & Norma Adams, retired
- 19 – James & Teresa Dyar, Earle's Grove
- 29 – Fred & Sara Astin, retired

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