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## Executive Board Meeting

September 12 at Beaverdam Mission Center  
*215 N Townville St, Seneca*

7:00 PM

The pastor plus two church members of each church in the association make up the Executive Board.



## Association Baptist Church Secretaries

September 15 at Beaverdam Mission Center  
12:00 PM / Noon

Menu: pizza, salad, and dessert

*Please register by September 13.*  
882-7070 / [bbaemily@bellsouth.net](mailto:bbaemily@bellsouth.net).

From the DOM,

There are several upcoming associational meetings and events I encourage you to mark on your calendars. The **Executive Board** of the Beaverdam Baptist Association will be meeting on Monday, **September 12 at 7:00**. The Executive Board of the association meets twice a year (February and September) to transact business on behalf of the association. This board is made up of one pastor and two additional members from each affiliated church, associational officers, coordinators of associational organizations, and ministry team leaders.

Please help us get the word out to all senior adults concerning our upcoming **Associational Senior Adult Celebration**. We are thrilled to have America's Minister of Encouragement, Dr. Dennis Swanberg, back with us on Tuesday, **October 11** for this special day of fun faith. The Senior Adult Celebration will be hosted by Utica Baptist Church and will begin at 11:00 AM. We invite/encourage all of our churches to make plans for your senior adults to be with us that day as we hear from Dr. Swanberg. In fact, please feel free to invite all of your senior adult friends and neighbors to join us for this special celebration.

All pastors, church staff ministers, and their spouses are invited to attend **An Evening of Encouragement** with Dr. Swanberg on Tuesday, **October 11** at 6:30 PM. The event will take place at the Madren Center on the campus of Clemson University. Those in attendance will be blessed with a wonderful meal followed by the humor of Dr. Swanberg. Those interested in attending should call Emily at (864) 882-7070 to register. There is no cost to attend this event.

We'll wrap up the fall with our **Annual Association Meeting** on Sunday, **October 9** at Westminster Baptist Church. Pre-session music will begin at 5:45 and the meeting will be called to order at 6:00. Our speaker this year will be Dr. Ken Hemphill. Dr. Hemphill has served as the director of the Southern Baptist Center of Church Growth, president of Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, national strategist for Empowering Kingdom Growth for the Southern Baptist Convention, and currently the founding director of the Church Planting and

Revitalization Center of North Greenville University. Dr. Ken Hemphill is also the author of 38 books.

We'll conclude this fall with a trip to the Holy Land. We are so excited to have 32 people from several different churches and associations planning to be a part of the October 18-27 trip to Israel.

David

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



Put on then, as God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, compassionate hearts, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience, bearing with one another and, if one has a complaint against another, forgiving each other; as the Lord has forgiven you, so you also must forgive. And above all these put on love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony.

Colossians 3:12-14

## Church Contributions

	Jul 22	Jan-Jul 22
Beaverdam	183.06	1,291.47
Belmont	0.00	0.00
Bethel	219.00	1,217.87
Bethlehem	0.00	0.00
Calvary	54.08	423.57
Chauga	57.04	435.51
Cheohee	200.00	1,400.00
Clearmont	425.00	1,208.00
College Street	0.00	2,796.92
Coneross	75.00	525.00
Corinth - Seneca	900.00	900.00
Corinth - Westminster	0.00	1,000.00
Christ Fellowship*	0.00	0.00
Cross Roads - Seneca	0.00	968.32
Cross Roads - Westminster	100.00	700.00
Damascus	0.00	50.00
Davis Creek	0.00	0.00
Earle's Grove	832.40	8,438.38
Ebenezer	799.59	5,861.63
Faith	0.00	708.32
Fants Grove	0.00	610.44
Golden Corner	1,500.00	4,500.00
Heart Land	87.00	3,813.00
Hepsibah	780.34	5,462.38
Holly Springs	372.10	2,633.59
Hopewell	552.04	4,210.04
Iglesia Bautista Bethel	0.00	0.00
Little River	0.00	0.00
Long Creek	167.00	1,169.00
Lydia	1,238.43	3,600.20
Maranatha	109.46	700.84
Monte Vista	25.00	175.00
Mountain Rest	941.87	6,420.74
Mountain View	100.00	700.00
Mt. Freedom	0.00	500.00
Mt. Pleasant	0.00	1,249.98
Mt. Tabor	341.59	1,610.81
New Hope	660.00	2,985.00
Old Liberty	163.80	1,795.39
Open Door	250.00	1,500.00
Pleasant Grove	104.32	660.08
Pleasant Hill	100.00	700.00
Pleasant Ridge	0.00	0.00
Poplar Springs	491.28	3,692.98
Puerta Abierta	0.00	0.00
Reedy Fork	364.97	2,075.40
Retreat	0.00	0.00
Return	668.59	5,566.39
Rock Hill	0.00	400.00
Rocky Knoll	428.82	3,258.07
Salem	0.00	3,749.99
Scenic Heights	300.00	2,100.00
Seneca	1,673.00	9,083.00
Shiloh	0.00	0.00
Snow Creek	0.00	1,382.96
Souls Harbor	145.00	1,015.00
South Union	109.96	999.90
Utica	1,570.10	11,539.72
Walhalla	150.00	450.00
Welcome	136.22	1,405.97
West Union	0.00	0.00
Westminster	500.00	3,500.00
Westminster First	200.00	1,400.00
Wolf Stake	234.00	567.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>18,310.06</b>	<b>125,107.86</b>
<b>Other Contributions</b>		
La Roca		250.00
The Well		1,000.00
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>18,310.06</b>	<b>126,357.86</b>
*Watch care		

## Church News

### Staff Changes:

**Seneca Baptist** called Jackson Norton as youth pastor.

### Staff Needs:

**Bethel Church** in Westminster, SC is currently seeking a full-time Family Minister with an emphasis on youth. This person should have a clear calling from God and desire to minister to children, youth and families. Please send your resume to Bethel Church Search Committee by email to [info@lovingbethel.com](mailto:info@lovingbethel.com). You can also find more details on the position at [www.lovingbethel.com](http://www.lovingbethel.com)

**Crossroads Baptist Church** is seeking a pastor led by the Holy Spirit who teaches/preaches God's word. Crossroads church was founded in 1889 and is located in a growing community of beautiful Oconee County in upstate South Carolina. We are a loving, unified congregation hungry for both spiritual growth and revitalization. Both full time and bi-vocational applications will be considered. This man of God must have a passion for lost souls and serving the needs of the congregation and surrounding community. All interested applicants please send your resume to: Attention: Pastor Search Committee Crossroads Baptist Church 215 Cross Roads Drive Seneca, SC 29678.

**Earle's Grove Baptist Church** is seeking a PT Children's Minister to lead children in the four key areas of Christian life: to be actively involved through fellowship, evangelism, discipleship, and ministry. Those feeling lead by the Holy Spirit send resume to: Earle's Grove Baptist Church, 398 Cedar Lane Road, Westminster, SC 29693 Attn: Personnel Committee; [earlesgrovebc@gmail.com](mailto:earlesgrovebc@gmail.com); [lrhodes@bellsouth.net](mailto:lrhodes@bellsouth.net).

Full-Time Associate Pastor/Youth: **Hopewell Baptist Church** in Seneca, SC, is seeking an Associate Pastor/Youth to lead our student ministry (grades 6-12) and assist the

Senior Pastor. Interested candidates must have a love for the word of God and a love for teaching/preaching the word to students. Please email resumes to [whaleysc@bellsouth.net](mailto:whaleysc@bellsouth.net).

**Scenic Heights Baptist Church** is seeking a pianist. For more information, please contact Claudia Belue 803-420-0485 or Ed Addis 638-6709.

**Souls Harbor Baptist Church** in Westminster, SC is seeking a full time pastor dedicated to preaching the Word of God without compromise. All interested applicants please send your resume to: Souls Harbor Baptist Church C/O Michael Adams, 307 Gaston Circle, Westminster, SC 29693. For inquiries: Michael Adams [michaelsteveadams@gmail.com](mailto:michaelsteveadams@gmail.com) or phone 864-710-1323.

## Ministers' Wives Retreat

*September 30-October 2  
Myrtle Beach, SC*

\$75.00 – Includes lodging, food, and materials. Every participant will have her own room.

Speakers: Joy Canupp and Jenny Provin

For more information and registration visit [www.scbaptist.org/women](http://www.scbaptist.org/women). For questions, contact Kacie Woods at [kaciewoods@scbaptist.org](mailto:kaciewoods@scbaptist.org) or 803-227-6050



## Annual Church Profile

All church profiles are due October 27. Every BBA church is responsible for submitting a complete profile by the deadline.



## Bible Drill

If your church is interested in beginning a Bible Drill program please contact Rev. James Dyar – 864-419-1813 or [jdyar@nctv.com](mailto:jdyar@nctv.com).

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- 5 – Labor Day, Office Closed
- 8 – Pastors' Cohort, BMC, 9:00 AM
- 11 – Janie Chapman State Missions Offering (11-18)
- 12 – Pastors' Prayer Time, BMC, 9:00 AM
- 12 – Executive Board Meeting, BMC, 7:00 PM
- 15 – Association Baptist Church Secretaries, BMC, Noon
- 17 – Children's Ministry Focus Day
- 19 – Pastors' Prayer Time, BMC, 9:00 AM
- 26 – Pastors' Prayer Time, BMC, 9:00 AM
- 27 – Next Steps, BMC, 10:00 AM

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

## Birthdays and Anniversaries

### Birthdays:

- 6 – Joey Hawkins, New Hope
- 9 – Heather Bryant, Westminster First
- 12 – James Holcombe, retired
- 16 – Randy Keasler, retired
- 17 – Ronnie Wald, Snow Creek
- 18 – Scott Bedenbaugh, Mt. Tabor
- 20 – Michael Adams, retired
- 20 – David Jones, Shiloh
- 22 – Tim Tate, Corinth, Seneca
- 26 – Alan Adams, Bethlehem
- 30 – Sam Adams, retired
- 30 – Buddy Byars, retired

### Staff Anniversaries:

- 1 – Deana Grant, Corinth, Seneca, 2014
- 2 – Laura Owens, Seneca, 2018
- 6 – Barry Jordan, Retreat, 2009
- 13 – Troy Nicholson, Pleasant Ridge, 2020
- 13 – Jeff Whaley, Hopewell, 2020
- 21 – Tim Rackley, Mt. Pleasant, 1997
- 25 – Matthew Crain, Chauga, 2011

### Wedding Anniversaries:

- 3 – Tony & Vonda Brown, Salem First
- 7 – David & Jean Walker, Westminster
- 12 – James & Kelley Murphy, Pleasant Ridge
- 20 – Jeremy & Kim Garrett, Open Door
- 23 – Jeff & Becky Lunsford, Maranatha
- 26 – Kenny & Lynn Owen, Westminster First

## Janie Chapman State Missions Offering



September 11-18, 2022