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WMU Spring Meeting

Monday, April 15 at 6:30 PM

Rocky Knoll Baptist Church
970 Highlands Hwy, Walhalla

SC WMU Representative: Libby Neil

Missionary Guests: Glenn and Rhonda Stewart

Refreshments served following the meeting.



Association Bible Drill

April 14 at 3:00 PM

Earle's Grove Baptist Church
398 Cedar Lane Rd, Westminster

State Bible Drill

April 27 at Brushy Creek Baptist Church

From the Associational Mission Strategist (AMS),

I wanted to take this opportunity to share with you about a few upcoming events on our associational calendar.

- Our next scheduled Pastors Lunch & Learn will be held on Tuesday, **March 26** from 11:30 – 12:45. Our special guest will be Kelly Ross (Executive Director) from the Collins Children's Home in Seneca. While we are all probably familiar with the tremendous ministry provided by the staff at the Collins Children's Home, you may not be aware that their ministry approach was forced to change recently due to some changes made by the South Carolina Department of Social Services. Those changes greatly impacted the way that the Collins Children's Home operates. I encourage all pastors to be here on March 26 to hear the latest updates from Kelly. Lunch will be provided and we promise to be a good steward of your time. To help us plan for lunch please call Emily at 882-7070 to register.

- The May Men's Ministry Quarterly meeting will be held on Tuesday, **May 7** at Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church. **August 6** (6:00 PM) Rocky Knoll Baptist Church
October 1 (6:00 PM) Ebenezer Baptist Church

- What a blessing in March to have 100 senior adults representing 22 BBA churches participate in our trip to the Billy Graham Library in Charlotte, North Carolina. A special thank you to our Senior Adult Committee for organizing and planning such a wonderful outing for our group. Be watching for upcoming announcements regarding future events/trips for our senior adults.

David



Upcoming Church Events

Springs for Jesus

Saturday, April 13 at Sandy Springs Community Park
11:00 am – 3:00 pm

Bouncy houses, crafts, Choc's BBQ (for purchase), car show, face painting, fire trucks, live music, snow cones & popcorn

Sons of the Savior Motorcycle Ministry and Sydney Sullivan – WYFF 4

Contact 617-9528 or michaelbratcher59@gmail.com for more information. Rain Date: April 20

Corporal Lucas Watts of Oconee County Sheriff's Department BBQ Fundraiser

Friday, May 3 at 6:00 PM

Earle's Grove Baptist Church Family Life Center

\$15.00 donation per plate

All BBQ proceeds will go to Lucas and his family.

Guest Speaker: Sheriff Mike Crenshaw

Call 864-972-3107 for tickets and more information.

Bring ticket to event.

BBA Block Party Trailer



Available for church ministry events.

Two bouncy houses

Snow cone machine

Popcorn machine

Generator and safety equipment

To check availability, contact the association office (882-7070 or bbaemily@bellsouth.net) or fill out the form at beaverdamassoc.com/block-party-trailer/

Church Contributions

	Feb 24	Jan-Feb 24
Beaverdam	168.00	346.06
Belmont	0.00	0.00
Bethel	204.00	527.00
Bethlehem	0.00	0.00
Calvary	66.72	178.36
Chauga	71.72	119.07
Cheohee	200.00	400.00
Christ Fellowship	0.00	0.00
Clearmont	255.59	2,122.66
College Street	0.00	11,412.43
Coneross	75.00	150.00
Corinth	450.00	450.00
Cross Hill Fellowship	0.00	0.00
Cross Roads – Seneca	180.00	736.72
Cross Roads – Westminster	100.00	200.00
Damascus	0.00	0.00
Earle's Grove	978.26	2,395.86
Ebenezer	758.42	1,769.28
Faith	0.00	243.14
Fants Grove	0.00	0.00
Golden Corner	0.00	0.00
Grace	0.00	0.00
Heart Land	75.00	174.00
Hepsibah	780.34	1,560.68
Holly Springs	304.70	304.70
Hopewell	339.85	1,298.34
Iglesia Bautista Bethel	0.00	0.00
La Roca Oconee	0.00	0.00
Little River	0.00	0.00
Long Creek	165.00	330.00
Lydia	1,145.05	1,145.05
Maranatha	111.14	218.22
Monte Vista	25.00	50.00
Mountain Rest	400.47	400.47
Mountain View	100.00	200.00
Mt. Freedom	0.00	1,800.00
Mt. Pleasant	0.00	0.00
Mt. Tabor	404.54	761.59
New Hope	0.00	1,159.00
Old Liberty	463.26	463.26
Open Door	250.00	500.00
Pleasant Grove	70.68	190.92
Pleasant Hill	200.00	400.00
Pleasant Ridge	666.67	666.67
Poplar Springs	0.00	300.00
Puerta Abierta	0.00	0.00
Reedy Fork	324.02	1,095.68
Retreat	0.00	0.00
Return	651.45	1,607.64
Rock Hill	0.00	0.00
Rocky Knoll	502.51	1,001.11
Salem	0.00	1,249.97
Scenic Heights	0.00	3,600.00
Seneca	988.00	1,941.00
Shiloh	0.00	0.00
Snow Creek	1,382.96	1,382.96
Souls Harbor	145.00	290.00
South Union	145.16	273.46
Utica	1,634.04	1,634.04
Walhalla	0.00	450.00
Welcome	124.00	551.10
West Union	0.00	0.00
Westminster	500.00	1,000.00
Westminster First	200.00	400.00
Wolf Stake	0.00	120.00
Total	15,606.55	49,570.44

Church News

Staff Changes:

Matthew Crain resigned as pastor from **Chauga Baptist Church**.

Staff Needs:

Bethel Church in Westminster, SC is currently seeking a qualified Part-Time Children's Director. The person should have a clear calling from God and desire to minister to children (ages birth to 12 years) and families. The Part-Time Children's Director is responsible for overseeing Early Childhood and Elementary Ministry Teams as they disciple children to connect, love, disciple and serve Christ. Please send your resume to Bethel Church Search Committee by email to pastor@lovingbethel.com.

Bethel Church in Westminster, SC is currently seeking a qualified Part-Time Student Director. The person should have a clear calling from God and desire to minister to students (grades 6-12) and families. The Part-Time Students' Director is responsible for overseeing Middle and High School Ministry Teams as they disciple students to connect, love, disciple and serve Christ. Please send your resume to Bethel Church Search Committee by email to pastor@lovingbethel.com.

Cross Hill Fellowship is seeking a wise and spiritually discerning man to build and lead our ministry to youth. This position will help the church bridge the gap between youth and their parents as they interact with the church. Discipleship will be of primary importance in the building of this ministry. Local and long distance mission opportunities paired with regular doctrinally sound teaching are expected. This position will be under the oversight of the Senior Pastor. All qualified candidates must have experience working with youth, a discerned call to youth ministry, and the ability to teach. Candidates

must be able to pass a background check. Resumes shall be sent to pastorCHF@gmail.com through April 15th, 2024. Visit crosshillfellowship.org for more information on our church.

Ebenezer Baptist Church, West Union, SC is seeking a part-time minister of youth. We are a loving and thriving church with a vision of expanding God's kingdom. The candidate will be responsible for weekly Bible study, coordinating selected youth events and activities that engage teens in training and personal Christ-like development. Send resumes to P.O. Box 130 West Union, SC 29696 or emailed to the pastor at jimmyboggs@nctv.com.

Grace Baptist Church of Seneca SC is in search of a part-time Worship Leader. Job Description: A part-time position responsible to the senior pastor for the design, development, coordination, and implementation of the church's music program. Please send resumes to gracelovesoconee@gmail.com.

Hopewell Baptist Church in Seneca, SC is seeking a Worship Pastor. Resumes and inquiries may be emailed to WhaleySC@bellsouth.net.

Rocky Knoll Baptist Church is seeking a full-time Minister of Students. Basic responsibilities would be developing ministries to students, grades 6-12 and care for students in the years after high school. Interested applicants send resumes to jsorrells418@gmail.com

VBS Expo

April 20 at 8:30 AM – 12:00
Check-in begins at 8:00 AM

Simpsonville First Baptist Church
3 Hedge St, Simpsonville SC

To register, visit:
www.scbaptist.org/events/vbsexpo2024greenville/

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- 1 – Pastors' Prayer Time, BMC, 9:00 AM
- 8 – Pastors' Prayer Time, BMC, 9:00 AM
- 14 – Association Bible Drill, Earle's Grove, 3:00 PM
- 15 – Pastors' Prayer Time, BMC, 9:00 AM
- 15 – WMU Spring Meeting, Rocky Knoll, 6:30 PM
- 22 – Pastors' Prayer Time, BMC, 9:00 AM
- 27 – SCBC Bible Drill, Brushy Creek Baptist Church
- 29 – Pastors' Prayer Time, BMC, 9:00 AM

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

Birthdays and Anniversaries

Birthdays:

- 7 – Steve Black, Scenic Heights
- 7 – Tony Grant, retired
- 14 – John McKnight, Hepsibah
- 18 – John Sorrells, Rocky Knoll
- 18 – Gerald Towe, Ebenezer
- 21 – Timothy Rogers, Souls Harbor
- 25 – Randy Koon, retired
- 26 – Cale Downard, Utica
- 26 – Chris Moss, Cross Hill Fellowship
- 30 – John Compton, retired

Staff Anniversaries:

- 7 – Jeremy Garrett, Open Door, 2013
- 13 – Stacey Griffis, Beaverdam, 2014
- 16 – Lauren Beddingfield, College Street, 2014
- 29 – Scott Bedenbaugh, Mt. Tabor, 2007

Wedding Anniversaries:

- 2 – Perry & Michelle Gardner, Hepsibah
- 5 – Steve & Beth Roberts, Pleasant Hill
- 6 – Jeremy & Holly Beauford, College Street
- 24 – Tim & Staci Tate, Corinth
- 25 – Ken & Nancy Hood, retired
- 30 – Kline & Tonya Matthews, Cross Roads – Seneca

