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"ReachYour World"



Tates Creek Baptist Association *ANNUAL FALL MEETING*



Monday, October 17, 2016

4:00 p.m. Afternoon Session — 5:00–5:50 p.m. Dinner

6:00 – 6:45 p.m. Breakout Sessions

7:00 p.m. Evening Session

West Side Baptist Church

699 Prince Royal Drive, Berea

Annual Sermon: Danny Davis, Director of Missions, TCBA

All Pastors, Executive Board Members and Guests are encouraged to attend.



TATES CREEK BAPTIST ASSOCIATION *14th ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT*

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2016

9:00 a.m.

BATTLEFIELD GOLF COURSE

Mulligans (Maximum of 2 Per Person)

Skirts (Maximum of 2 Per Person) /Flag Putt (1 Per Team)

*Each may be purchased at a cost of \$5 per Mulligan, Skirt and Flag Putt.

"SUPER DEAL" - \$25 (2 Skirts, 2 Mulligans/1 Putter Length/

1 Throw/ + Ladies Tee on #11+Extra Putt on #2)

Full rules will be placed on golf carts at tournament.

Registration Fee (includes greens/cart fees, door prizes/awards)

Individual \$50.00 / Team \$200.00

Registration Deadline: Friday, September 19, 2016



From your Director of Missions

Danny Davis

It's hard for me to believe that I've now been your **Director of Missions** for a whole year, having begun my tenure at Tates Creek Baptist Association on October 1, 2015. My, how the past 12 months have flown by! Interestingly, on the last Sunday of September—almost a year after beginning our journey—Sandy and I finally achieved a most important milestone. We can now say that we have worshiped with all 43 churches, 2 missions and 2 collegiate ministries in our association! It's truly been a blessing and we look forward to cycling back through again.

Looking back over this past year, I am so thankful for the expansion of our existing **MexiGo partnership** and the birth of our new **Northeastern Indiana partnership**. What a blessing to see so many of our churches getting involved in these type of mission endeavors, some of them for the very first time. It's also been encouraging to see the emergence of the KBC's new **Twelve24 Initiative**, and the priority we have already begun to give it here locally in our own association. It's going to be exciting to see what God does through these, and other, mission opportunities in the years to come.

I am so grateful for the tremendous response to our special "**Prayer for Spiritual Awakening**" event at First Baptist Richmond on the 15th anniversary of 9/11. More than 400 people turned out to collectively intercede for our nation and our world. What a powerful and blessed moment, certainly one we will not soon forget. Going forward, we will need to prayerfully consider other unique spiritual opportunities wherein our associational family can come together as one for worship, fellowship and mutual encouragement.

Looking ahead to the month before us, our third **Bi-Vocational Pastors Gathering** is scheduled for **Monday, October 10th at 6:30 PM**. There will be a complimentary meal followed by a special guest speaker. We'll be done by 8:00 PM. I certainly hope you can make it!

Our **Annual Associational Meeting** is slated for **Monday, October 17th at West Side Baptist Church in Berea**. (We had to make a venue change due to unexpected construction delays at Bethel). The meeting will come to order with an afternoon session at 4:00 PM. Dinner will follow at approximately 5:00 PM. Then, we are interjecting a **new discipleship element** into this year's schedule. From 6:00 to 6:45 PM, we will be offering a variety of **breakout sessions**, featuring some wonderful presenters and great options to choose from. (The only problem is you can only choose one!) The sessions are:

"Reaching out to the Internationals in your own backyard" – **Sandi McDowell**, TCBA WMU Director

"How your church can effectively engage a school campus" – **Mike Erickson**, pastor, Waco

"January Bible Study Overview: The Book of Malachi" – **J. B. Hall**, manager, Richmond LifeWay Store

"Music as a Discipleship Tool" – **Jordan Nickell**, Minister of Music, Red House

We then reconvene at 7:00 PM for our evening session. Our main speakers will be **Jeff Prosser**, who will share about the **Twelve24 Initiative**, and me as I deliver the annual sermon. The theme of our meeting is "**Give Hope**". I pray that this gathering will certainly engender hope for all whom attend. And remember, you don't have to be an elected messenger from your church in order to be there. Our entire associational family is welcome to come and be challenged and inspired.

ATTENTION: YOUTH AND YOUTH LEADERS

The Gatti-town Lock-In is Friday, October 21st—11pm to 6am. Cost: \$25. For every 15 students, a chaperone is free. Each church will pay upon arrival. The cost includes: pizza buffet (until 1am), unlimited drinks all night, unlimited game-play, and breakfast (donuts, orange juice, and milk). A headcount from each church must be turned in by Thursday, October 13th. Please email this information to Dwayne Abrahamson (Minister to Students at Red House Baptist Church) at Dwayne@redhousebc.com.

Kirksville Baptist Church is accepting applications for the church custodian position. If anyone is interested in this part-time paid position, please call 1-859-328-4922 for further information or submit a resume : c/o Personnel Committee, 542 Kirksville Road, Richmond, KY 40475



CHURCH NEWS



BETHLEHEM—Chris Cobb, Interim: One of God's beautiful seasons is Fall, and time for Bethlehem's Chili Supper and Hay Ride—Saturday, October 22nd at 5:00 pm. Harvest Time: John 4:35.

GALILEE—Lee Abney, Pastor: Our Fall Revival will be held October 10—14, at 7:00 pm. Brother Zandell Hasty will be the Evangelist. There will be special singing nightly.

KNOB LICK—Fred Livingood, Pastor: Free breakfast every Sunday morning at 9:30. We are having our Octoberfest on October 29th at 4:00pm. Games, Food, Prizes and Fun. Also planning a trip to the Ark Museum.

ROSEDALE — We have an Interim Pastor. His name is John Weaver, and he has pastored churches in Kentucky, North Carolina, and Texas. He and his wife Beth live in Lexington.

CHURCHES WITHOUT PASTORS: Please pray for the following churches seeking pastors: Bethlehem, Clarksville, Gilberts Creek, Rosedale, and Stoney Run.

TCBA MEN'S FISH FRY

October 22, 2016 5:30 pm

Kirkville Baptist Church

542 Kirkville Road, Richmond

Speaker:

Special Music: TBA

Fish, Hush Puppies, Fries & Drinks provided.

Please bring Slaw, Vegetables or Desserts.

Join us for Great Food and Fellowship.

Pre-Marriage Counseling Seminar

TCBA Office

Friday, October 21st

6:00 to 9:00 pm

Saturday, October 22nd

9:00am to 1:00 pm

ASSOCIATIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS

Received by August 31, 2016

CHURCH	AUGUST	JAN–AUG	CHURCH	AUGUST	JAN–AUG
Berea	500.00	4,000.00	Linden Street	92.00	556.00
Bethel	1,616.62	13,030.79	Middletown	155.45	1,159.82
Bethlehem	293.13	1,715.61	Mt. Tabor	1,411.00	2,039.00
Calvary	-0-	-0-	Owsley Fork	47.41	206.02
Clarksville	-0-	-0-	Peytontown	-0-	1,439.00
Dixie Pk Cornerstone	-0-	-0-	Pilot Knob	805.43	6,792.33
Eastside	-0-	-0-	Red House	1,606.72	14,927.43
Emmanuel	348.78	2,450.92	Richmond First	4,250.00	17,000.00
Faith Decision	100.00	650.00	Rosedale	-0-	220.83
Freedom	-0-	-0-	Rugged Cross Cowboy	-0-	74.19
Friendship Valley	-0-	-0-	Silver Creek	310.38	1,376.43
Galilee	355.28	3,521.32	Stoney Run	43.05	334.31
Gethsemane	213.00	1,448.00	Tates Creek	280.00	2,240.00
Gilbert's Creek	-0-	600.00	Union City	372.46	3,579.30
Gilead	35.00	280.00	Unity	253.98	2,680.63
Good Hope	-0-	600.00	Valley View	10.00	70.00
Harris Memorial	71.54	539.22	Viney Fork	-0-	-0-
Hays Fork	178.48	1,173.56	Waco	796.46	5,815.37
Kirkville	306.24	2,593.10	Wallaceton	315.14	999.54
Knob Lick	75.00	600.00	West Side	201.43	2,397.51
Liberty	-0-	-0-	White Hall	100.00	800.00
Liberty Avenue	-0-	2,067.05	White Lick	232.39	1,843.61

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2016 CALENDAR OF EVENTS



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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2	3	4	5	6	7	8 TCBA Golf Tournament Battlefield Golf Course 9:00 a.m.
9 WMU Team Meeting 2:30 p.m.	10 Bi-Vocational Pastors Meeting TCBA Office 6:30 pm	11	12 Family Ministry Meeting 9:00 a.m.	13	14	15
16	17 Annual Fall Meeting 4:00 p.m. / 7:00 p.m. West Side BC	18	19	20	21 Pre-Marital Counseling Seminar Friday 6:00 to 9:00 Saturday 9:00 to 1:00	22 Men's Fish Fry Kirkville BC 5:30
23	24	25 Minister's Fellowship Lunch 12 Noon TCBA Office	26	27	28	29
30	31					