



SBA News

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Good afternoon everyone!!

I hope you all made it through the down pour recently. So glad for the dry days but we'll be ready for the wet again soon.

So just a couple of things:

Ministry Assistant Professionals (MAPs) sent out this week an E-mail to the churches. If you have a ministry assistant please encourage her/him to go, if your church can help with the expense that would be a plus for sure. In any case there are a couple for sure going so there is room for car pooling at the very least. These conferences are well attended. The opportunity to network with other Ministry Assistants who have years of experience is indeed a plus. Your church will be blessed because they come back home renewed and with a wealth of information.

Camp planning meeting - If you are interested in helping with the children's or youth camps this year here is your opportunity to get involved early. Your pastor and church have received E-mails for the meeting on Feb. 2nd. Contact either of them for the information.

Scholarship applications – If your church has young folks furthering their education do not forget to put an application in at the NW Baptist Foundation. Contact information is: foundationinfo@nwbaptist.org or www.nwbaptistfdn.org or 360.882.2250

In case you missed the information for the Revive This Nation, simultaneous revival. <https://swbts.edu/campus-life/revive-nation/> This is a great opportunity for your church and for the preacher coming. March 10-13, 2019.

Nancy

January 2019

January Birthdays and Anniversaries: Please remember to pray for these on their special days.

Ken Goss, 6th; Daniel Woody, 16th; Drew Granade, 21st, Cheryl Pearson, 23rd

February 2019

February Birthdays and Anniversaries: Please remember to pray for these on their special days.

Ron and Carol Lloyd (ret), 6th; Cady Knight, 10th; Bev McKinney, 16th; Ron and Jeanette Allen, 16th;
Susan Sloan, 19th

2/14– Valentines

2/15-16 - Spring Training CM52 Friday at 7:00 PM- Saturday at 8:30 -4:30. Includes Children's leader training and LifeWay's VBS 2019 In the Wild plus much more. Bring your whole team. Contact Leigh Ann Stark at 360.882.2100 or LAstark@nwBaptist.org

2/18 - Presidents Day observance

March 2019

March Birthdays and Anniversaries: Please remember to pray for these on their special days.

Kaye Craig (ret), 3rd; Abigale Gates, 13th; Elissa Vanlandingham 13th; Josué Delgado, 15th; Jim McKinney, 16th;
Larry Brons (ret), 17th;

3/3-10 – Annie Armstrong week of prayer and Easter offering for North American Missions (you can do this any time)

3/10 – Daylight Saving Time – Spring forward!!!

3/10-13 – Revive this Nation – Simultaneous Revival. See info above.

3/14-16 – MAPs 20th Anniversary Retreat and Conference at Cannon Beach, OR - Ministry Assistants, Clerks and other church assistants are encouraged to go. Please contact Shelley Billet, 509.735.6585, shelley@qbc.org Churches should have the e-mail with the flyer at this time. Many of the ladies are bringing their husbands so if that is your plan get your reservation in soon.

April 2019

4/12-13 – 2019 NW Women's Summit at Lake Bible Church in Lake Oswego , OR. There should be an information card in this mailing. Nancy Hall is the contact at nancyh@nwBaptist.org



Col 4:2 CSB "Devote yourselves to prayer; stay alert in it with thanksgiving."

There is a lot to pray for, about, with, etc. This is your spot as an association of churches and beyond. Please let me help others to pray for your church in this spot. If we are not connected in prayer we are not connected.

To begin with here are the SBA churches and lead pastors:

First Baptist, Phoenix, Brett and Erica White,
Grace Baptist, Rogue River - Charlie and Brooke Granade,
Living Hope, Medford - Shawn and Tina Snyder,
Lozier Lane Baptist, Medford - Michael and Teri Franell,
New Horizon Fellowship, Medford - Josué and Janet Delgado,
Prospect Baptist, Prospect - Richard and Bonnie Giles,
Riley Creek Fellowship, Gold Beach - Lester and Lucia Altermatt,
Solid Rock, Grants Pass - William and Brandie Woody,
Trinity a Loving Church, White City – Jake Thompson

Pray also for SWOBA churches and pastors (I will get a list for next time☺)

Pray as we work with the idea of being connected with SWOBA in more projects, it is important that we flood it in prayer.

Pray for Tim and Sherrie Foster as he continues to have health problems

PRAYING FOR A KINGDOM VISION FOR SOUTHERN OREGON

Steve Schenewerk

Pray that God would give each of our churches

- eyes to see the harvest (John 4:34-35);
- ears to hear the cry of the lost (
- strength to enter into the work (Colossians 1:28-29);
- to discover and train workers for the harvest (Luke 10:2).

Pray that God would empower pastors

- to communicate faithfully and accurately the truth of the gospel;
- to set the example as men exercising the ministry of prayer and the Word;
- to protect their time alone with God-

learn to say NO to things that distract;

learn to say YES to the habits and practices that strengthen godliness;

Pray that God would raise up leaders (men and women) to stand beside our pastors;

Pray that churches would recognize open doors for service and that they would trust God for the necessary resources;

Pray that as leaders across the region we might have a renewed heart for reaching people, discipling people, and establishing new churches.