



SBA Weekly News

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Good Afternoon everyone!

So it is officially Fall with weather that is so unpredictable, churches updating and setting out on new programs and Bible Studies for all ages.

I will do a mail out next week with the Newsletter and information for the pastors and messengers so you all can be well informed as you come to the Annual Meeting on October 22, 10-2, at Living Hope Church in Medford.

Please be praying for two officer openings: Moderator and Treasurer. I will send the job descriptions to the pastors and churches in a separate E-mail.

Coming up:

Julie Calvert will be in So Oregon on Nov 27 at First Baptist, Phoenix and on Dec 4 at Lozier. As far as I know they are both in the AM. She may be available other times as well so let me know if your church is interested in having her.

Keeping the Faith Galatians 6:9 is the theme of the SBA Annual Meeting – October 22, 10-2 - at Living Hope, 2722 Springbrook, Medford. We are still discussing lunch. Mike Franell will be the preacher. The Living Hope band will lead the music. NWBC/Region 4 will present some encouraging words and the Northwest Foundation will be represented by Cris Yaw. We will also be hearing from our brothers with U-Turn for Christ who have a lot of exciting things happening along with testimonies of changed lives.

5th Sunday Sing on October 30 will be at Lozier Lane, 794 Lozier Lane, Medford. Eat at 5 (bring sides or dessert) and Sing at 6! Along with your food items please bring a music selection, skit, poetry or.... Each church may have two selections. Someone will come around to see if you will be participating during dinner.

November as you see below will be the NWBC Annual Meeting. Just before it, on Monday, at 1:30 will be the Pastor/Layman Conference and the NW Women Missions Celebration and Dessert. Also on Tuesday November 15 at lunch the Ministry Wives Luncheon will take place. Be sure to register on line by Nov 7. It is \$23 per person. There are usually other activities and a LifeWay bookstore presence as well. This is all happening in Spokane at the Red Lion in the Park. Make your reservations soon.

Don't forget, to send in your events so they can be added to the calendar. This allows the rest of the SBA to pray for your church family before and during your event.

Have a wonderful afternoon!

Nancy

October 2016

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

Jeanette Allen, 7th; Bob Batte (ret), 17th; John Dawson (ret), 19th; Carolyn Brons (ret), 20th; Brandie Woody, 20th
Ron Allen, 26th; Dwayne Johnson, 30th

10/1-8 – East Asia training. 10/1-4 at Hope Fellowship, Maple Valley; 10/6-8 at Greater Gresham

10/7 – Pastor Appreciation Dinner 5:30 - Original Road House, All pastors have been contacted by E-mail or phone or both.

10/15 - Come solve the mystery of D.B. Cooper at Grace Baptist What: An interactive mystery game where you and your friends will journey back into time, search an entire building in order to interview the suspects, gather evidence and piece together the mystery of Cooper's whereabouts. Teams of 6 will compete against one another to be the first to figure out the mystery (like being in a real-life Scooby Doo episode or a game of Clue)! It **WILL** be the funnest thing you do this Halloween season, guaranteed! When: 2 shows- Saturday, October 15th at 5:30 PM and 8PM Where: Evans Valley Elementary School, 8205 E Evans Creek Rd, Rogue River, OR Cost: Tickets are \$5 and must be purchased in advance at the church during office hours (Tuesday?Thursday 9-2) or Sunday mornings.

10/22 – SBA Annual Meeting 10 – 2 at Living Hope Church, Michael Franell preaching.

10/24-26 – NWBC Senior Adult Conference

10/29 – Fall Festival at Trinity a Loving Church in White City. 10-2

10/29 – Youth Paintball at Grace Baptist 10-2

10/30 – 5th Sunday Sing – Lozier Lane, Eat at 5 PM (bring sides/dessert); Sing starts at 6 (2 selections per church)

November 2016

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Charlie Granade, 7th; Jorie Allen 8th; Emilee Woody, 23rd; Josué and Janet Delgado, 26th

11/14-15 – NW Pastors Conference – 1:30 and 6:30 at Red Lion Hotel, Spokane, WA

11/14 – NW Women Missions Celebration and Dessert -1:30-3:00 - Red Lion Hotel, Spokane, WA –

11/15-16 – NWBC Annual Meeting – Red Lion Hotel, Spokane, WA (you should have your messenger cards in the mail!)

• **Prayer Needs and Praises:**

- **Let me know if your church has a prayer concern it will be posted here.**
- **Updates are a great thing.**

Home:

Pray for our school children and young adults as they prepare to live their faith out before peers and teachers.

Health/travel issues for those in our churches:

Trinity Baptist as they look to sell the property in Gold Hill. Pray it happens soon.

Richard & Bonnie Giles –Sale of their house in Medford.

For our churches as they set to get their Annual Church Profiles completed.

SBA:

Our churches special needs:

- Each of our churches has their own situations that need prayer. Please keep your sister churches of Southern Oregon on your personal prayer lists.

Pray for these SBA Pastor's and Wives:

- Michael and Teri Franell, Lozier, Medford
- Richard and Bonnie Giles, Prospect
- Josué and Janet Delgado, New Horizon Fellowship, Medford

Intercede for your pastor and church staff/leaders. Pray that they would stay focused on the Gospel of Jesus Christ and not be distracted by issues of the day.

Region 4

Pastor Tim Foster, First Baptist Myrtle Creek – Continue to pray for his recovery.

Pray for the church plants – The leadership, finances, attendees, growth

NWBC

Pray for our Pastor's and wives, Region Teams, Missionaries (IMB and NAMB) and NWBC staff that we would be so renewed by God's Word that no sin will have dominion over them.

NWBC leadership as they continue to serve Northwest churches.

USA

For our folks who are in the back ground working with our missionaries all over the world. For IMB, NAMB, BGR, NWBC personnel to always have the heart of God.

For the USA as we seek to vote according to our conscience.

Continue to pray for the Baptist Disaster Relief folks.

That there would be a Great Awakening

World

Pray for those who used to follow Islam who have dreamed dreams and seen visions during this year's Ramadan. That they will understand what that is all about, Jesus! Pray that they would seek to be discipled and be able to share with their family.

Pray for the Unreached/Unengaged People Groups all over the world. That many servants of God will be lead to their very door with His message of salvation, love, grace, and mercy.

Hello,

We are hosting a Base Camp at Valley Baptist Church in McMinnville, Oregon on November 4th and 5th. This is taught by IMB staff and is specifically for work in Sub-Saharan Africa but it is applicable to mission work anywhere around the world.

If you send out emails to your churches we would love if you could let them know about this opportunity. A flyer is attached below with information about registration. The cost is only \$20 per person which includes two meals.

Blessings, Hannah Cooksey (I will attach the flyer to the E-mail)

Hi Everyone,

Just wanted to follow up with many of you about the film "The Insanity of God", that was made from a book by the same title written by Nik Ripkin. Please see the information below as there is an opportunity for churches to see it via simulcast. It looks like it is \$49.00 per simulcast for the entire church to see it. Here is the trailer...<http://www.insanityofgodmovie.com>

Blessings to you all,

Julie Calvert

Thanks to so many of you who mentioned The Insanity of God movie to your supporters and network. Many mentioned it thru prayer letters. Over 88,000 people saw a movie that boldly asked, "Is Jesus Worth it?" Please share with your network:

LifeWay is offering a one-time church simulcast of the film with bonus Q&A of the Ripken's and David Platt. Churches, students, & groups in the USA and Canada can register & watch the simulcast November 9 or 13. Information at <http://www.lifeway.com/Insanity-of-God/Simulcast/c/N-1z0zh6mZ1z12420?type=events&intcmp=Simulcasts-MTX-Text-InsanityOfGod-20160929>

The movie DVD will be available on November 21st at LifeWay and other retailers in USA and Canada. One retailer, www.christianbook.com, is offering pre-orders of the DVD. [Click Here to pre-order a copy](#)

On November 21st a church or university can purchase a license to show the film for a year in USA and Canada. The link will not be active until closer to November 21st but it will be on <http://www.lifeway.com/n/Music-&-Movies/LifeWay-Films>

Prayer points for our missionaries all over the world and in our own hearts. Taken from Missions Mosaic 2016

Pray that:

- A. God will lead them to cultivate a relationship with someone who needs to know Christ
- B. He will send believers to build relationships with their unsaved family or friends
- C. Missionaries will be able to develop relationships that enable them to share Christ or strengthen believers
- D. Missionaries and those in ministry will have relationships that give them companionship and encouragement