



# SBA Weekly News

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Good afternoon Everyone,

Coming up is the NWBC Annual Meeting in Portland (see below). Please be sure to get your reservations in for the various lunches and dinners. SBA will probably get together, those who are not otherwise involved, for dinner on Tuesday. If you are going please let me know so I have a head count!!

I sent E-mails to the pastors and Associates. If you would please respond I would appreciate it very much.

The office will be closed during the NWBC Annual Meeting. Then later in the month it will be closed again over Thanksgiving week.

Have a wonderful day!

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### November 2015

**November Birthdays and Anniversaries: Please remember to pray for these on their special days.;**

Jorie Allen, 8<sup>th</sup>; Claudia Pantoja, 17<sup>th</sup>; Emilee Woody, 23<sup>rd</sup>; Josué and Janet Delgado, 26<sup>th</sup>

#### **NWBC Annual Meeting info:**

All of the following are at Red Lion Inn, Portland, OR 909 N Hayden Island Dr. Portland, OR 97217 800-733-5466

If you are staying there mention NWBC for reservation and rates.

**11/9 – 1:30 & 6:30 – NWBC Pastor and Layman conference – “Encourage One Another”**

**11/9 – 1:30 – NW Women - mission celebration and dessert** - please RSVP [nwwomen@nwbaptist.org](mailto:nwwomen@nwbaptist.org) or 360-882-2100

**11/10 – SBA dinner, not sure where at this time. Please let me know if you will be there.**

**11/10 – Ministry Wives Luncheon \$25** - Send non refundable reservation fee to NWBC attn : ministry Wives Luncheon 3200 NE 109<sup>th</sup> Ave. Vancouver, WA 98682 - Deadline Oct 31st

**11/10-11 – NWBC Annual Meeting – “Neighborhoods to Nations”**

**11/10 – Missions Dinner \$25** per person with advanced purchase by Oct 31

**11/13-14 – World Changers, Rogue River Yard SALE! Good stuff. At Grace Baptist 9-3** Donations can be brought to Grace Baptist Church 4233 East Evans Ck Rd. Rogue River from Monday Nov 8th to the 12th. 9:00 am to 7:00 pm. For an earlier drop off, call 541-582-5958 and leave a message.

**11/14 – Youth Paintball!! Grace Baptist - 10-3.**

**11/29 – 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Sing – Grace Baptist – Dinner at 5 PM bring a side or a dessert - Holiday theme.**

**11/29 – 12/6 – Week of Prayer for IMB Missions and Lottie Moon Christmas Offering**

### December 2015

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

Bruce Pearson, 2<sup>nd</sup>; Barbara Roberts, 2<sup>nd</sup>; Zach Badley, 4<sup>th</sup>; Rileyann Snyder, 4<sup>th</sup>; Abigale Woody, 13<sup>th</sup>; Tina Snyder, 18<sup>th</sup>; Mike and Teri Franell, 22<sup>nd</sup>; Janet Delgado, 27<sup>th</sup>; Dwayne and Tammy Johnson, 28<sup>th</sup>; Karen Barnett (ret) 30<sup>th</sup>; Lenny and Sherry Brewer, 30<sup>th</sup>; Doug and Brook Gates, 31<sup>st</sup>

**12/5 – 12 noon - Senior Appreciation luncheon** – Trinity – A Loving Church in White City will be hosting. Contact Brandie Woody with questions. 541-787-0792. A flyer is being prepared.

- **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:**

Health/travel issues for those in our churches: **Baby Emmelyn** – PTL she is 3 months old now and over 3 lbs. **Jeanette Allen** – at home but still working on getting better. **Waters of Life Baptist** – many of their regulars are seriously ill. Ruthi Martin's husband passed away on Monday morning. Pray for her and the family.

**SBA:**

- **Our churches special needs:**
  - **Nueva Vida** for Jaime and Claudia Pantojas as they reach into the community to encourage encounters with Jesus.
  - **Living Hope Church** for Shawn and Tina Snyder as they step into their community and see where God is leading.
  - **Sixth Street Baptist** as they search for a new pastor.
  - **Grace Baptist Church** they continue the process of Pastor search.
- **Pray for these SBA Pastor's and Wives:**
  - Kevin and Linda Darr, Trinity, White City
  - Zach and Heidi Merritt,
  - Ron and Jeanette Allen,
  - Doug and Brook Gates
- Intercede for your pastor and church staff/leaders. Pray their passion for spreading the gospel beyond the church walls and to the nations would spread throughout the congregation
- **Pray for our school children and young adults as they live their faith out before peers and teachers.**
- **For the Admin Team, Fellowship Team, Missions Team, Children & Youth Team as we work to accomplish the task that you have assigned us to do, that we would be unified in what God would have us to do.**
- **SBA teams to be energized with new participants and helpers** – Pray about how you can be serving our churches in our association.
- **For the planning and execution of plans made here in and through SBA and our churches.** That He will be glorified in all that happens and that many would come to know Jesus as Lord and Savior.
- **For ministries and outreaches throughout our SBA area that are reaching out to their greater community.** (SOS, Lozier; U-Turn, Lampman Rd; River Valley New Hope Church; Southern Oregon Truck Stop Ministry and others) Want to join them give them a call!
- **For Youth Ministries in our churches:** College Heights, First Baptist, Grace, Lozier Lane, New Horizon, Prospect, Sixth Street, Trinity, River Valley New Hope Church. Those working to encourage Youth attendance in their churches.
- **For our churches that are struggling with both much and lack of growth and financial issues.**

**Region 4**

- Pray that the rural area of region 4 will experience vibrancy and ability to spread the gospel message to every person around them through ministry endeavors. Pray for churches in urban areas to experience the Spirit's leading in reaching people from all backgrounds with the message of the gospel.
- Pray for all the churches in region 4 as they share the love of Jesus Christ in word and deed. Ask God for specific direction on being the churches He desires. Pray that your own church will be a community where people find hope and healing in the Lord. (from NWBC Prayer Guide)
- Pray that there would be the funds to train our folks who are coming to be church planters. That there would be funds to help them with their travels and moves.

**Region 4 Church Plants:** Pray for these Pastors, their leadership teams and the many partners helping to start and grow these works.

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| • Boris & Teresa Alfaro ( <i>Hispanic</i> )     | Comunidad Cristiana Renuevo, Salem    |
| • Josh & Elizabeth Howeth ( <i>Collegiate</i> ) | The Branch, Corvallis                 |
| • Sean & Christina Sullivan ( <i>English</i> )  | RVCC/New Hope, Grants Pass            |
| • Jamie & Claudia Pantoja ( <i>Hispanic</i> )   | Nueva Vida, Medford                   |
| • Shawn & Tina Snyder ( <i>Legacy Plant</i> )   | Living Hope, Medford                  |
| • John & Cindy Peters ( <i>English</i> )        | Living Water Fellowship, Salem        |
| • John Y & Kyungyoung Lee ( <i>Korean</i> )     | Salem Grace Church, Salem             |
| • Bryan Bernard ( <i>Collegiate</i> )           | Mosaic Church (OSU Campus), Corvallis |
| • Ryan & Lori Moore ( <i>English</i> )          | Beautiful Mess, Eugene/Springfield    |
| • Hernan & Maria Cancino ( <i>Hispanic</i> )    | North Bend (sponsor: FBC, North Bend) |
| • Fernando & Ruby Duran ( <i>Hispanic</i> )     | Eugene/Springfield                    |
| • Jorge & Lourdes Franco ( <i>Hispanic</i> )    | Salem                                 |
| • Daniel Estrada ( <i>Hispanic</i> )            | Unassigned                            |

**NWBC**

- **Pray for our Pastor's and wives, Region 4 Team, Missionaries (IMB and NAMB) and NWBC staff** that we would work together in unity with each other and other ministry partners. Romans 15:5
- **NWBC leadership as they continue to serve Northwest churches.**
- **That the Northwest Impact offering will be funded.**

## USA

- Pray for those involved in yet another evil attack at a college in Merced, CA and the San Diego situation regarding a shooter near the airport. I believe the one with the knife was killed and the San Diego situation has been taken care of but there are those who have been affected by both situations.
- For the USA to turn back to God.
- Pray that our government will do the right thing for our Christian brothers and sisters who are incarcerated in another country..
- Continue to pray for the Baptist Disaster Relief folks. Nepal, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Around the USA, Our own back yard.

## World

- For IMB missionaries as those who have and will be retiring or otherwise be stepping down from their positions arrive "home".
- For our USA churches as they step up to help our missionaries to find new ministries, work, and help with all that comes with an unexpected move.
- **NWBC East Asia Partnership.** <http://www.nwbaptist.org/ministry/eastasia/Current%20EA%20Partnership%20Project%20Requests.pdf>
- **200 from our NWBC churches will go to Thailand for an IMB missionary meeting. This will include their children. If you feel lead to go contact the convention office (360) 882-2100 for more information. (See Randy Adams 2015 report below)**
- **For our missionaries who are in difficult countries or working in difficult situations.**
- Pray for the missionaries who must move to be out of harm's way in so many of these situations around the world.
- Pray for the families of those who have lost their lives because of their Christian belief.
- Pray for those who are dealing with unexpected health issues. That they will receive or be able to get to proper care.
- 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.

Don't forget to change your clocks this weekend.



World Changers provides opportunities for students to understand the spiritual impact of sharing their faith. Construction ministry opens the door into a city for students to share the message of God's grace and the gift of reconciliation in our cities. Participants will be assigned to ministry crews, serving with students and adults from other participating churches. What students learn through ministry experience throughout the day will be reinforced each night through a worship gathering and church group devotions.

Opportunities may include (but are not limited to):

- Replacing windows and doors
- Updating house siding
  - Sheet rocking
  - Interior home repair
- Painting Wheelchair ramps

Project specific details will be shared soon.

Don't forget the Yard Sale in November. (see the calendar section)