



SBA Weekly News

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Hi everyone. "It's the Climate" here in Grants Pass. A small view of Spring here as we are anxious for this time of year to end. Thank you Jesus for your precious creation. I am right now listening to a favorite trio, The Heavenly Trio, from Lampman Road. I hope they are still blessing their church.

Mission Trip news is a God thing. (see below)

Next Executive Board Meeting will be April 22nd at Lozier Lane.

See below for information regarding Pastoral Tax preparation.

There was no response to the Women's Ministry/WMU meeting to make plans for the Women of the NWBC. I think there is a little time to do this if there is interest.

Reminders of upcoming Current Calendar Information:

541-659-7261 or E-mail office@siskiyoubaptist.org

The rest of this year's calendar for SBA is listed here. Please make note and attend as much as possible.

February

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

Stan and Rhonda Smith, 1st; Ron and Carol Lloyd, 6th; Ron and Jeanette Allen, 16th, Beverly McKinney, 16th; Susan Sloan, 20th

Cozy Mountain Lodge Retreat - Deadline: Feb 7 for the February 22-24 Galice Lodge \$45 Call 541-582-1617 for more information. Call 541-582-1617

March

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

Linda Darr, 6th; Dave and Nita Kanton, 9th; Josué Delgado, 15th, Jim Mc Kinney, 16th; Larry Brons, 17th;

VBS/Children training - Mar 1 - 2, 2013. More info to follow Call Sherry if you have anyone that is interested in this training. 541-582-1617

1st Sunday Sing - March 3rd at Grace Baptist in Rogue River - More info closer in

Annie Armstrong Week of Prayer and North American Mission Board Offering - See more information at <http://www.anniearmstrong.com/> Your church should have your promotion packet (DVD, poster, envelopes, etc.).

Winter Mosaic Retreat - Gold Beach March 14-16 \$75 per person RSVP by February 25th Call 541-582-1617 Ladies 19 and older. Missions focus. More info to follow.

MAPS(Ministry Assistant Professionals) Conference - March 14-15 Sue Jarrett 360.377.6200 Flyers should have been received at your church.

April

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

Bruce Sloan, 22nd; Carol Lloyd, 23rd; Betty Batte, 25th; Tabitha Badley, 28th

Executive Board Meeting - April 22nd - Lozier Lane 7 PM

Mission Trips Update:

July 20-28 is a building outreach mission to Baja, Mexico

I just spoke with Tammy Johnson this AM. They went from a group of 40 to a group of 60!! PTL! If you would like to be on the waiting list call Tammy (541-621-9534). There is usually someone who cannot go closer to the time. See a list of names under prayer needs. Pray for spiritual growth, physical health, financial needs, safety of the team, family at home.

Let them know if your church is praying for them. This is encouraging. Also if you can give towards the expenses that is always appreciated.

We have Buy 1 get 1 free meals cards for Hometown Buffet, cost:\$10, which are good Monday - Thursday thru March 31st if you or anybody should want any Sherry (541-582-1617) will deliver... Until we run out!

• Prayer Needs and Praises:

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

- SBA teams to be energized with new participants and helpers** - Looking good need more!
- NWBC leadership as they continue to lead and serve Northwest churches.**
- NWBC Search Committee:** Clint Ashley, Barry Campbell, Ben Davis, Jamie Sims, Leslie Toll and Steve Schenewerk.
- Building projects around our association: Prospect and Grace (maybe done by 3/3/13). Lampman is beginning to do a major remodel.(See below for more info)**
- For upcoming retreats and events,** that they would encourage and edify the Body of Christ here in So. Oregon. That He will be glorified in all that happens, that many would come to know Jesus as Lord and Savior.
- For upcoming Revivals:** Grace, Rogue River; Dayspring (I know there are a couple more but...oh the memory)
- For So. Oregon New Work and Church Renewal** that we will seek to see where God is leading and follow Him to reach many for Jesus.
- College Heights - Needs a music leader - volunteer at this time. 11 AM service time. 509-312-0805**
- Pray for these Pastors and their wives:**
 - **NWBC, Region 4**
 - Danny and Laurie Kuykendall
 - Bruce and Susan Sloan
- Pray for our Pastor's and wives, Region 4 Team, Missionaries (IMB and NAMB) and NWBC staff** that they and we would be bold as they and we share the Gospel or preach. Eph. 6:19
- Be in prayer for Bill Crews,** NWBC Executive Director, for his health and his family.
- Be in prayer for Sara Wisdom,** Retired Women's Strategist/WMU Director of the NWBC. For her health.
- Pastor Howard A. Johnson- Healing from cancer surgery** 541.673.1379 Roseburg pastor.
- Be in prayer for Jeanette Allen,** Next MRI type test scheduled tomorrow, 2/7/13. Pray that the Dr will see what her problem is and know how to make her well.
- For ministries throughout our SBA area that are reaching out to their greater community.**

Continued Prayer requests:

- For the planning and execution of those plans here in SBA. Mission trips, outreach ministries, etc.
- For our churches that are struggling with both much and lack of growth and financial issues.

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

- **The Branch in Corvallis** - Pastor Josh Howeth,
- **The Cure** - Sean Sullivan - Core group is forming
- **Freedom Pointe Church** - Bobby J. Blake Church Planter, Willamette Valley Baptist Association

Up coming Events: Pray for God's leadership and lives to be touched by the Holy Spirit.

541- 326-1237 or 541-582-1617

- Cozy Mountain Retreat Feb 22-24 - Pray for the women who take part that it would be blessed and fulfilling.
- March 3rd - 1st Sunday Sing - Grace Baptist -
- Winter Mosaic Retreat - Gold Beach March 14-16 (see Web page for more info)
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Mexico Mission Team:

(These are the ones going from the SBA churches, Lozier Lane, Grace, College Heights)

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| 1. Dwayne Johnson | 16. Daniel Woody |
| 2. Tammy Johnson | 17. Rom Vichi |
| 3. Eric West | 18. Natasha Vichi |
| 4. Barbara West | 19. Jewell Garnett |
| 5. Julie Punsuk | 20. Gray Garnett |
| 6. Allyson Floyd | 21. Bobby Hoskins |
| 7. Ben Floyd | 22. Brenda Phelps |
| 8. Lenny Brewer | 23. Lys Phelps |
| 9. Sherry Brewer | 24. Chris Hoskins |
| 10. Jill Stickler | 25. Josh Walton |
| 11. Courtney Hardy | 26. Nate Johnson |
| 12. Megan Stone | 27. Jake Siegfried |
| 13. William Woody | 28. Desiree Siegfried |
| 14. Brandie Woody | 29. Waiting for Parents to tell her |
| 15. Emilee Woody | |

Lampman Road Information and Request for U-Turn for Christ:

Lampman Road has grown to the point that we have substantially outgrown our church.. We will soon be embarking on making some changes to our current building (increase sanctuary size, adding a bathroom, replacing the siding outside, etc.). This being said, the church can no longer accommodate U-Turn for Christ. So, U-Turn is in the process of looking to find some place to call home. The prayer is that we can find some place outside of town with acreage to move the ministry to. I'm putting this request out the members of the association hoping that someone has a piece of property that they would lease to us very cheap, and U-Turn could improve the condition over time (paint, minor repairs, etc.).

Pastoral Tax Preparation

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Why pray for missionaries?



February 5, 2013 by [Eddie Cox](#)

It's been another challenging week for us. My husband's back suddenly started to spasm on Wednesday and by Thursday, he was in real pain. Our crate arrived Thursday, which was a great encouragement. It's been a little slow trying to get everything in place by myself, but I've done pretty well and things are shaping up. Did I forget to mention that my husband also slashed his finger pretty badly Wednesday afternoon? We just washed it, put a dab of super glue on it, and bandaged it.

WHY do you need to pray for missionaries? Because these are some of the more minor things we face. Because a cut finger and severe back issues mean we're a man down. Because we can't just run down the road for medical attention. And because little things can become big things if you let them.

God doesn't need us to do His work. He can get it done however He chooses, with us or without us. He does need us to cooperate with Him if we are to be made holy and sanctified saints. And this requires the right attitude. Pray for us to persevere through all circumstances and to rejoice in all things. In this way, we honor the Lord and bring glory to His name. And that is what will draw the nations to Him.

(Names, locations and original blog links omitted due to security concerns; stock photo)

Please find links to the International Mission Board and the North American Mission Board on our web site: www.siskiyoubaptist.org

Even if we are not "called" to go we are called to be God's light where we are. Praying for and supporting our missionaries is of the utmost importance.