

WMU Report October 2128

Unshakable Pursuit: *Chasing the God who Chases us is the WMU theme for the next two years.* “My dear friend, stand firm and don’t be shaken, Always keep busy working for the Lord. You know that everything you do for him is worthwhile.”. 1 Cor, 15:58 Paul’s words to the Corinthian church is just as relevant today as they were in Paul’s day.

WMU comes along side believers to accomplish the mission of God. WMU provides resources for all ages to help people learn about and pray for missions and also creates opportunities for giving, serving and supporting missions.

WMU helps promote missions offerings throughout the year including World Hunger in October; Lottie Moon in December; Annie Armstrong in March; and Missouri Missions in September. Literature, envelopes as well as very well done videos are available.

Several of our WMU members serve on Disaster Relief Teams, which have been busy this past year with the clean up in Texas and recently North Carolina.

There is a discount on literature incentive for churches who start new mission groups. There have been no request from “new starts”.

Several WMU members attended the state WMU Missions Conference in April in Springfield, MO.

Individual churches have participated in ministry in both our local area and around the world. Some groups are sending items with mission teams, providing supplies for CASA, volunteering at local ministries and camps.

I have been able to identify nine WMU groups in Cape Baptist Association. It has been difficult to communicate with the churches outside of these groups since many churches do not list a contact person for missions education programs.

I would like the opportunity to help more churches start missions education groups and increase my contact and support of those WMU groups in our association. Please feel free to contact me at sane.nurse@charter.net or call 573 887 6024.

Respectfully submitted,
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