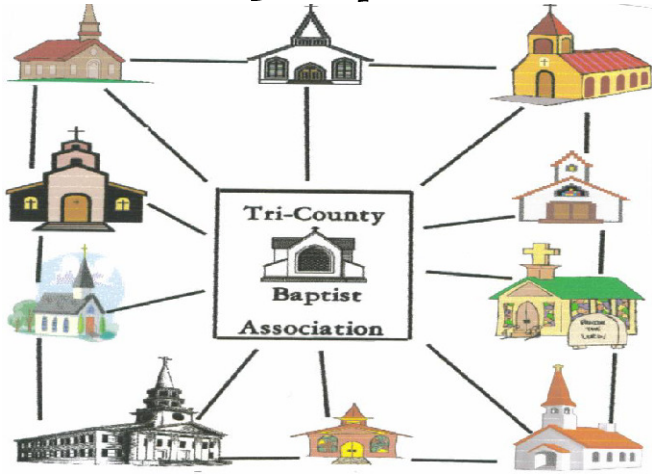


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51 Churches--3 Counties--1 Association

September 2007

"Churches joined together...Serving here...Reaching the World"

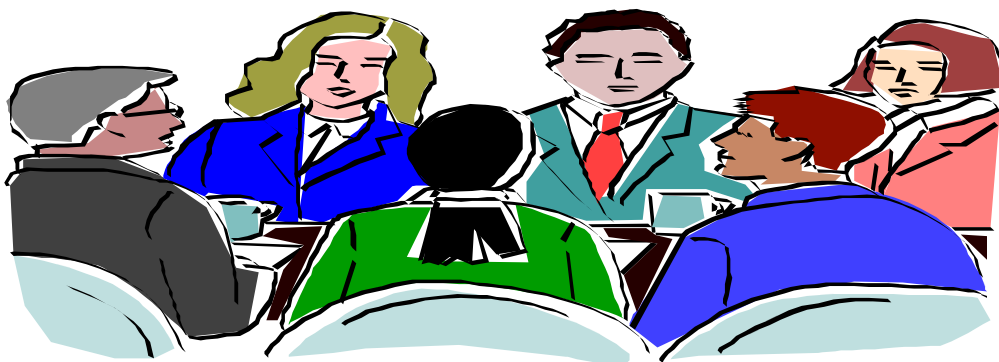
ANNUAL MEETING

When: October 22, 2007

Where: Pine Tree Baptist
Church

Time: 2:00 p.m.

Annual Message: Rev. Andy Price
Pastor of Pine Tree Baptist Church



I've just finished reading an article written by Dr. Emil Turner, executive director of the Arkansas Baptist State Convention. The article in e-Vision is entitled, Sunday Nights and address', as you might expect, Sunday Night Worship Services.

Unfortunately in some churches the Sunday night service has become a thing of the past. Dr. Turner stated in the article, "Sunday evening services are not commanded in the Bible, **but they are in our spiritual DNA.**" Don't you agree, that we should strive to make Sunday night worship, just as exciting and full of worship as any other service.

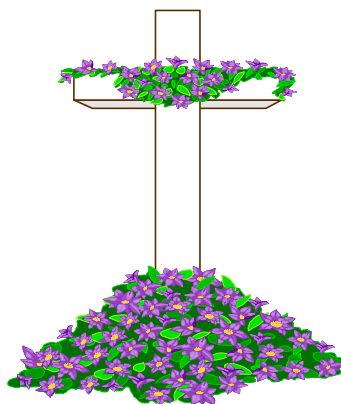
Traditionally Sunday night crowds are smaller than Sunday morning crowds but they do not have to be and we should not just accept that, as the normal. Dr. Turner, I believe was correct when he said, **"Increasing your Sunday night crowd will require work."** It means planning, recruiting and improving the way we do things. We are usually more casual on Sunday evening, but we should not equate casual with unprepared and unplanned.

If you were unable to attend the Evangelism Conference this past Saturday evening at Emmanuel Baptist Church, in Forrest City, you missed a wonderful blessing. The music was superb and the messages delivered by Dr. Sonny Tucker and Dr. Wes George were inspired and challenging. I expect we should see an increase in Baptisms this next year as we answer the call to share our faith in Jesus, as we tell others what He has done in our lives, as was explained in the testimony given by Rob Rash.

I want to personally thank Doug and Anita Callahan, for the delicious meal and Bro. Alan Payne and the membership of Emmanuel Baptist Church for their preparations and gracious hosting of the Tri-County Baptist Association Evangelism Conference.

Working Together To Build The Kingdom,

Ray D. Davis, Associational Missionary





Financial Report

JULY 2007

ASSOCIATIONAL RECEIPTS 2006-2007

CAMP RECEIPTS 2006-2007

CHURCH	JULY	YEAR TO DATE
ANGELS WAY (Vanderbilt)	\$259.00	\$2,618.78
ANTIOCH	\$111.74	\$1,160.76
BARTON CHAPEL	\$100.00	\$1,000.00
BECK SPUR	\$863.07	\$6,886.55
BURNT CANE	\$124.01	\$747.91
CALVARY	\$220.00	\$2,008.00
CHERRY VALLEY	\$274.83	\$3,295.30
COLT	\$50.00	\$550.00
COMMUNITY	\$90.93	\$883.32
CORNERSTONE	\$795.81	\$5,404.81
CRAWFORDSVILLE	\$0.00	\$0.00
CROSS ROADS	\$150.00	\$1,500.00
EARLE	\$330.00	\$1,650.00
EAST	\$65.18	\$505.44
EMMANUEL	\$499.02	\$6,038.62
FAIR OAKS	\$92.94	\$439.32
FAITH	\$0.00	\$1,026.94
FITZGERALD	\$484.24	\$4,078.29
FORREST CITY	\$25.00	\$175.00
FORREST CITY, FIRST	\$483.33	\$4,833.30
GLADDEN	\$224.05	\$1,425.42
GOOD HOPE	\$200.00	\$2,000.00
GOODWIN	\$169.94	\$1,870.41
HARRIS CHAPEL	\$227.00	\$2,043.00
HORSESHOE LAKE	\$0.00	\$450.00
HUGHES FIRST	\$100.00	\$1,000.00
HYDRICK	\$103.00	\$435.75
IMMANUEL	\$0.00	\$664.92
INGRAM BLVD.	\$190.54	\$2,069.45
MADISON	\$82.21	\$787.27
MARION	\$1,642.39	\$13,307.09
MIDWAY	\$95.00	\$1,414.00
MORTON	\$64.12	\$417.25
NEW HOPE BAPTIST MISSION	\$0.00	\$0.00
ONE ACCORD	\$57.00	\$663.00
PALESTINE	\$0.00	\$184.00
PARKIN	\$140.81	\$1,423.76
PINE TREE	\$111.68	\$904.09
PLEASANT HILL	\$296.00	\$2,979.36
RIDGEVIEW	\$204.25	\$2,517.45
RIDGEWOOD	\$789.57	\$7,437.61
SHELL LAKE	\$0.00	\$1,151.06
TILTON	\$0.00	\$0.00
TURRELL	\$0.00	\$0.00
UNION AVENUE	\$404.89	\$4,472.81
VALLEY VIEW	\$10.00	\$10.00
VANNDAL	\$211.60	\$2,105.19
WEST MEMPHIS FIRST	\$800.36	\$8,197.04
WHEATLEY	\$0.00	\$0.00
WIDENER	\$0.00	\$826.59
WYNNE	\$1,250.00	\$6,212.50
CHURCHES RECEIPTS	\$12,393.51	\$111,771.36
Misc. Receipts	\$100.00	\$3,625.00
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$12,493.51	\$115,396.36

CHURCH	JULY	YEAR TO DATE
ANGELS WAY (Vanderbilt)	\$50.00	\$500.00
ANTIOCH	\$15.00	\$150.00
BARTON CHAPEL	\$25.00	\$250.00
BECK SPUR	\$172.61	\$1,422.30
CHERRY VALLEY	\$274.83	\$5,450.02
COLT	\$40.00	\$440.00
CORNERSTONE	\$79.58	\$540.49
EARLE	\$200.00	\$1,000.00
EAST	\$65.18	\$505.44
EMMANUEL	\$332.68	\$4,025.76
FAIR OAKS	\$92.94	\$439.32
FAITH	\$0.00	\$114.08
FORREST CITY FIRST	\$83.33	\$583.31
GLADDEN	\$200.00	\$1,000.00
GOOD HOPE	\$25.00	\$250.00
HARRIS CHAPEL	\$50.00	\$500.00
HYDRICK	\$0.00	\$483.75
INGRAM BLVD.	\$25.00	\$250.00
MADISON	\$10.00	\$100.00
MIDWAY	\$63.00	\$943.00
PINE TREE	\$25.00	\$225.00
RIDGEVIEW	\$204.25	\$2,517.45
RIDGEWOOD	\$150.00	\$1,500.00
SHELL LAKE	\$0.00	\$575.53
UNION AVE.	\$404.89	\$4,472.81
VALLEY VIEW	\$10.00	\$20.00
VANNDAL	\$60.00	\$600.00
WIDENER	\$0.00	\$100.00
WYNNE	\$250.00	\$1,172.19
MISSION RECEIPTS	\$2,908.29	\$30,130.45
MISC. RECEIPTS	\$17,526.86	\$55,961.65
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$20,435.15	\$86,092.10
ASSOCIATIONAL REPORT		
Beginning Balance 7/01/07	\$20,066.79	
Mission Receipts	\$12,393.51	
Misc. Receipts	\$0.00	
Accountable Funds	\$32,460.30	
Less Expenses	\$6,337.98	
Ending Balance 7/31/07	\$26,122.32	
CAMP REPORT		
Beginning Balance 7/01/07	\$7,662.29	
Mission Receipts	\$2,908.29	
Misc. Receipts	\$17,526.86	
Accountable Funds	\$28,097.44	
Less Expenses	\$11,764.40	
Ending Balance 7/31/07	\$16,333.04	
Camp Loan Indebtness	\$16,800.69	
Missions Savings Account	\$1,044.64	
Reserve Savings Account	\$5,457.37	
Camp Savings Account	\$1,065.89	
Disaster Savings Account	\$2,149.00	

Thanks for your partnership in ministry.

9 Churches Without Pastors:

Crossroads, Midway, Immanuel,
Union Avenue, Horseshoe Lake, Shell Lake, Parkin First,
Palestine, Forrest City and Crawfordsville First



up coming events

"Pray The Perimeter"

Fish Fry, Prayer, Fellowship, Question & Answer

Held At: FBC Marion

Sponsored by: Leadership Worship Team of ABSC

Monday, Sept. 24, 2007, 6:30-8:00



Please RSVP By September 17th 870-238-2175

WOMENS RALLY



WHERE: Good Hope Baptist Church

WHEN: SEPTEMBER 10, 2007

TIME: 6:45 pm

COST: \$5.00

Please RSVP by Sept.

5 870-238-2175

THERE will be AN OPPORTUNITY FOR EACH CHURCH TO
GIVE A REPORT ON ANY MISSION PROJECTS OR WHAT
THEIR WMU HAS BEEN INVOLVED IN THIS YEAR

MENS RALLY

Where: Tri-County Baptist Camp

When: September 17, 2007

Time: 6:45 pm

Meal: Fish Fry

Cost: \$6.00

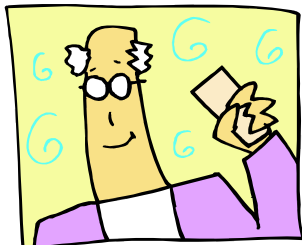


Please RSVP By

September 10

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Senior Adult Rally



Please RSVP By

Sept 17

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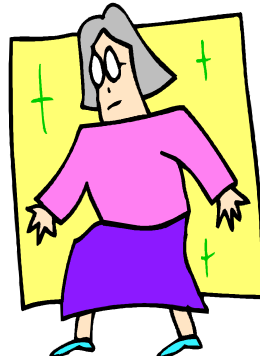
Where: Tri-County Baptist
Camp

When: September 27, 2007

Time: 10:30 am

Meal: Fish Fry

Cost: \$6.00



Youth Rally

Where: Tri-County Camp, Wynne AR

When: October 1, 2007

Time: 7:00 pm



TEA PARTY



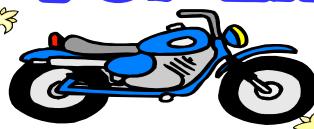
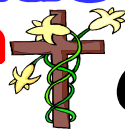
When: September 8, 2007

Time: 10:00 a.m.

Where: Earle Baptist Church

All Pastors wives invited to meet and get to know one another and to get acquainted with Sheila Davis our new Associational Missionarys wife.

4th Annual Ride For Life Support The Unborn



RIDE TO THE BLUES

FESTIVAL IN HELENA

CALL: 870-238-4329

FOR MORE INFORMATION

When: October 6, 2007

Where: Registration Wynne High School 10:00a.m.- 12:00p.m.

Cost: \$25.00-Driver \$10.00- Rider

Free:

T-shirts, Bar-B-Que, & Prizes

Proceeds benefit Concepts of Truth, a non-profit organization providing comprehensive professional counseling, care pregnancy services and a National Helpline 1-866-482-LIFE.

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Associational Pulpit

Speakers

List

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Johnny Green....870-238-7757 / 870-208-3361

James Dollahite....870-739-1336

Jim Watkins....870-733-0157

George Fink....870-208-8777

Justin Murphy....870-208-6894

Gary Crawford....870-238-4544

Herbert Rowland....870-238-3415

John Smith....901-634-5465

Bill Watt....870-792-9033

Ken Pickett....870-238-4458 / 870-318-7187

Tommy Miller....870-931-5787 / 870-240-3541

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Matthew Justice....870-809-1686

Walter Phelps....870-295-2374

Larry Revelle....901-872-2962

Bob Freudiger....901-277-0122 / 870-739-3679

David Birkhead....870-238-4625





We would like to welcome Rev. Larry Denton and his family from Mid Oak Baptist Church, Mark Tree to the Tri-County Baptist Association. Rev. Denton is the new Pastor at Barton Chapel in Tyronza Ar.

Tri-County Baptist Youth Camp needs a new sound system. If there is a church that would like to donate one please contact the Tri-County Baptist Association Office at 870-238-2175.



Please Respond

This is a list of the churches that have sent in their Vacation Bible School Reports, if you have not done so please **SEND THEM TO THE ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE**

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