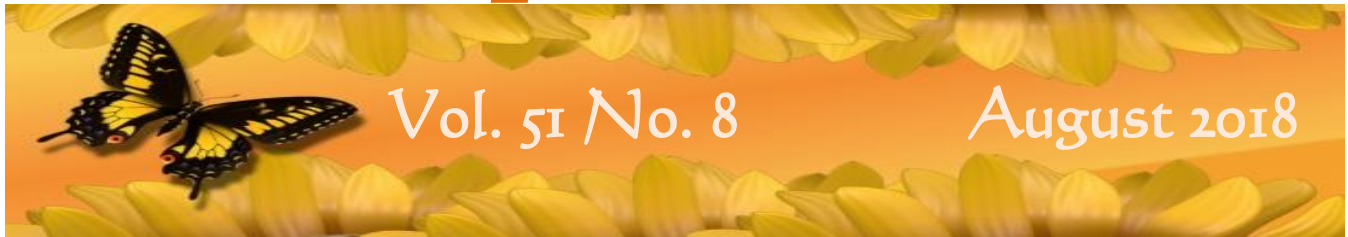


The Baptist Window



We have been hearing a lot about church revitalization lately. To help our churches revitalize we want to offer a time for churches to gather for an idea sharing session. If you are doing something that is really working, we would love for you to join us to share so that other churches might be able to use it or maybe customize it to fit their situation. Please join us on August 23 at 7 PM at the Mission Center for this idea sharing event. As iron sharpens iron, we can work together to help each other to sharpen our ministry. Please call the office at 706-678-7381 to let us know you are planning to attend so we can have enough chairs set up. Thanks.

School is starting in most counties in Georgia this month. We have a suggested date of August 5 to prayer walk our schools. If you prayer walk in your county and have an opportunity to take some photos, please share them with us. Some other suggestions for ways to connect with your community are: 1. Adopt a class room and provide supplies for the kids who can't provide their own. 2. Serve the teachers a breakfast to show your support. 3. Offer to read to the kids on a regular basis. As I've said before, the community will not pour into your church until your church pours into the community.

Donations for our Backpacks of Hope project are due by August 30 so that we can buy supplies and pack them in time to deliver them to Kentucky in early December. If you have already sent yours in, thanks for helping with this very meaningful ministry to those less fortunate. We will let you know when we begin to pack the backpacks so that you can get in on the blessing by helping with this project. Also, we will let you know when we plan to deliver them to Kentucky in case you want to go be a part of a very exciting weekend of sharing Jesus and Backpacks with so many families.

With an Open Heart!

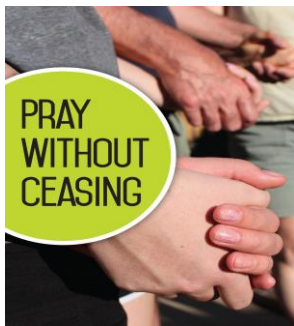
Andy Perryman



District Prayer Report

- District 1 – 3 total 2 churches
- District 2 – 4 total 4 churches
- District 3 – 13 total 5 churches
- District 4 – 5 total 2 churches
- District 5 – 10 total 4 churches

17 churches represented
35 attending



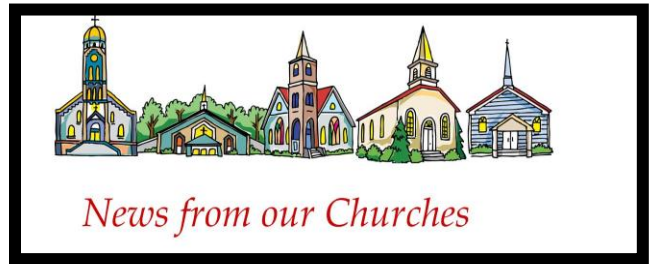
August 14
 Prayer &
 Spiritual
 Awakening Team
 Mission Center
 @ 10 AM

August 28

- District 1 – Morningside
- District 2 – Margrets Grove
- District 3 – Siloam
- District 4 – Sardis
- District 5 – Danburg



Double Branches	5
Fishing Creek	5
Hephzibah	1
New Hope	1
Sardis	4
Washington, FBC	5



News from our Churches

County Line Baptist will have Homecoming on August 5. Revival August 6-8, Rev. Paul Reviere will be guest speaker and there will be special music each night, starting at 7 PM. Rev. Larry Davison is pastor.

Shiloh Baptist will have Homecoming at 2:30 PM on August 12 with former interim pastor Rev. Craig Foster. Revival Services, August 13-15 at 7 PM each night with a different speaker each night. Rev. Ken Keely is pastor.

New Hope Baptist will have Homecoming on September 16 with Rev. Paul Reviere as guest speaker. Revival Services will be on September 17-19 at 7 PM each night. Madison Beggs preaching and Matt Conway providing the music. Rev. Larry Beggs is pastor.

Phillips Mill Baptist will have Homecoming on August 12 at 11 AM and will begin revival services at 6 PM. Revival services continue through August 15 at 7 PM each evening. Rev. Paul Reviere will be preaching and there will be special music every night. Renee Hall will lead the music. Rev. Mark Woods is pastor.

Our Calendar Dates

can be found here on our Website

<http://www.gaassn.org/519743>



Our Address

Georgia Baptist Association
Post Office Box 776
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Washington, Georgia 30673



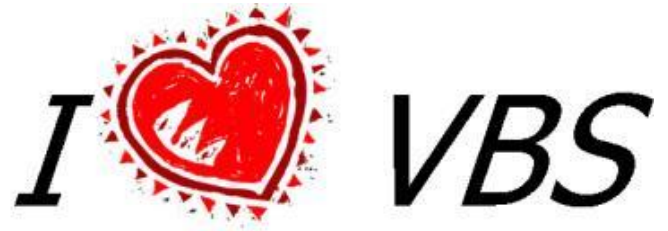
Our Staff

Andy Perryman-Director of Missions
Robert Robinson – Moderator
Jeremy Bunnell – Vice-Moderator
Jim Newsome – Treasurer
Randall Edmunds – Clerk
Lauree Shelton – Ministry Assistant



Our Numbers

DOM's Home 706-678-3304
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Thomson Exchange 706-986-3922
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Website www.GaAssn.org



“Game On” Music Camp sponsored by Mt. Zion, Penfield, Shiloh, Union Point First, and West End was a great time of fellowship. Total enrollment of 30 children and teens with 19 adults. Plans are in the making for next year with even more churches joining in. God is truly doing great things. What a blessing when the body of Christ comes together for ministry and fellowship. Thanks to all those who helped to make things go smoothly.

Do NOT forget to send your VBS Report form to us. We will forward the reports to the GBMB and LifeWay for you.



2018 Budget \$124,398.06

Monthly

Requirement \$10,366.50
Income \$ 7,317.96

Year-to-Date (January-June)

Requirement \$62,199.00
Income \$65,610.92



**Deadline for the September
Baptist Window is
August 15**



August BIRTHDAYS

- Seaborn Dell – 1**
- Rob Cohen – 8**
- Albert Stroup – 10**
- Susan Yearwood - 12**
- Joy Crawford – 14**
- Ann Reviere – 17**
- Gayla Brown – 17**
- Maudine Guin – 18**
- Paul Reviere – 19**
- Deborah Smith – 20**
- Ann Palmer – 20**
- Mike Thigpen – 27**
- Tripp Goodwin – 27**
- Agnes Robinson – 27**
- Kim Wynne – 31**



Mike & Chris Walker
36 years August 7

Rob & Ann Cohen
30 years August 13

Lee & Deborah Smith
47 years August 21

Gary & Barbara Walker
51 years August 27



Robert Robinson – West End
35 years August

Lauree Shelton – GA Baptist Association
32 years August 1



CHRISTMAS BACKPACKS

FOR CHILDREN AND TEENS

We appreciate your participation over the years. We are increasing our goal from 600 to 700 this year. Donations are due by August 30 so that we can order supplies and backpacks in time to get them packed for early December delivery.



Acts 1:8
Samaria Project
October 1-5, 2018

Cost will be \$40.00 a person - this covers gas going and coming home and food and lodgings while we are at Big Creek. Each person will be responsible for food while we are on the roads.

Check out Big Creek Missions @
www.bigcreekmissions.com



Some resources to help you reach the next generation are at www.gabaptist.org

Conferences

#ReachingNextGen conferences are **3 HOURS OF FAST-PACED LEARNING**. Some of the finest leaders in the state and country are putting into practice what they will be sharing and doing what it takes to reach the next generation.

October 15, 2018

West Acres Baptist Church
555 Gibbs Rd., Evans, GA 30809

October 22, 2018

Mt Zion Baptist Church
7102 Mount Zion Blvd., Jonesboro, GA 30236

Leadership Roundtables

#ReachingNextGen Roundtables are for pastors, youth pastors, children's pastors/directors, college pastors and other NextGen leaders. Presentation and discussion will be focused on how the church can be effective in reaching the next generation, those 19 years of age and under.

September 13, 2018

Northside Baptist Church
4605 Murray Ave., Tifton, GA 31794

September 13, 2018

First Baptist Church, Cumming
1597 Sawnee Dr., Cumming, GA 30040

September 18, 2018

First Baptist Church, Fayetteville
205 Stonewall Ave E
Fayetteville, GA 30214

September 18, 2018

First Baptist Church, Statesboro
108 N. Main St., Statesboro, GA 30458

September 20, 2018

First Baptist Church, Social Circle
195 N. Cherokee Rd.
Social Circle, GA 30025

September 20, 2018

Shirley Hills Baptist Church
615 Corder Rd., Warner Robins, GA 31088

More dates and locations will be announced soon.

What's the difference between ROUNDTABLES and CONFERENCES?

1. Roundtables are a peer-to-peer learning environment and the conferences are learning experiences from top-level leaders.
2. The target for the roundtables are the professional ministry leaders and the target for the conferences are anyone that works with kids and students.
3. Roundtables are during the daytime and the conferences will be at night.
4. The content of the roundtables is determined by the participants and the topics for the conferences are determined by the state missions staff and the presenters.
5. We will be live streaming the conferences, but we will not live stream the roundtables because the roundtable format does not lend itself to do so.