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All Things VBS

Pastors, VBS Directors, and all VBS workers are invited to attend the Holston Valley Baptist Association's Next Gen VBS Workshop.

Join us Saturday, April 6th at 8:30 a.m. at Surgoinsville First Baptist Church and we will get you excited and ready for VBS! Every topic we will cover can be applied to any theme and church size. After serving breakfast we will cover 5 topics that will help make your VBS more successful. Casey Carter will discuss how to get excited and find your passion for VBS. Nathan Lawson will talk about the best ways to promote your VBS. Jill Price will provide tips on how to keep kids safe and how to best feed snacks and meals at VBS. Debbie Stewart will show us how to effectively follow up with families that attend VBS. Lastly, Mitch Russell and Mark Roberts will discuss how to best present the Gospel with children at VBS. The event will also include door prizes and a display of Lifeway's Breaker Rock Beach VBS material. When we finish at 11:30 a.m. you will be completely prepared for VBS! Plan to join us and bring your whole VBS team!

When you are ready to order your VBS materials, if you plan to use Lifeway's Breaker Rock Beach VBS we can help! We have a display of all of the materials in our office that anyone can stop by to see before you place an order for your supplies. When you are ready to order we'd like to help. We can submit VBS orders for churches which are charged to the church's Lifeway account and delivered to the church. In turn Lifeway gives the HVBA a 15% commission which we can use to purchase supplies for next year's VBS workshop. Stop by or give us a call (423-272-7318) to learn more!

HOLSTON VALLEY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION'S

... VBS ...
Next Gen

04 | 06 | 2024

Surgoinsville First Baptist Church
8:30 AM - 11:30 AM

Join us for breakfast and learn how
to help make your VBS a success!

Finding Your Passion for VBS
Promoting Your VBS | Keeping Them Safe and Fed
Finishing Well | New Birth: Every Child Matters

Questions? 423-272-7318 or hvbaoffice@gmail.com

New Pastor

Tunnell Hill Baptist Church has elected a new pastor. Rev. Joe Davis was called as their pastor in February. Joe and his wife Kim have four sons, Austin, Kameron, Joshua, and Caleb. Please join us in praying for Joe and his family as they begin their new ministry.



Annie Armstrong Offering



This year the week of prayer for North American Missions and the Annie Armstrong Offering is March 3-10, 2024. The offering began in 1895 by the Woman's Missionary Union. The name of the offering was changed in 1934 to honor Annie Armstrong, who served as the WMU's first national executive leader. To date over \$2 billion has been given through the offering to benefit the North American Mission Board. You can learn more at www.anniearmstrong.com.



Hawkins County
Pregnancy Center

Hawkins County Pregnancy Center by Kelly Snodgrass

I am so grateful for the HVBA churches and individuals that support the Center year round! Many friends have picked up Baby Bottles for our annual fundraiser over the last month. Thank you! The bottles can be picked up or turned in at anytime. We appreciate every donation!

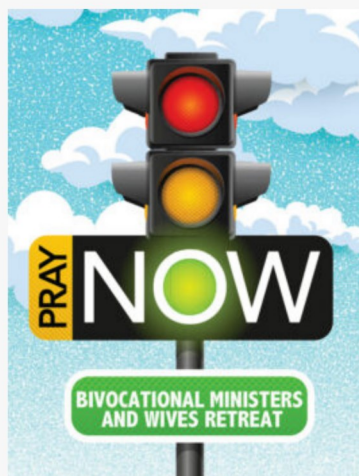
The Isaiah 117 House is coming together and we are so excited! There will be a lunch and dinner Fundraising Event on April 8th at Ridgeview Baptist Church. The lunch will begin at noon and the dinner will begin at 6:30 pm. The Isaiah 117 House expansion team is looking for people that would be interested in hosting a table. There is no cost to hosting a table, you just need to invite seven of your friends to join you for the event. There is no cost for your guests either, but the goal is to raise money so there will be an opportunity to give. If you would like to attend you can RSVP at hawkinstn@isaiah117-house.com.

Along with meeting practical needs of the women that visit the Center, I also want to provide opportunities for them to build community in a church setting. Currently, there are three weekly meetings that clients of the Pregnancy Center are invited to, in addition to a regular church service. Outside the Walls meets every Wednesday at the Shepard's Center. Several families from the Center come regularly. It is a family atmosphere, and children are welcome. The second is a ministry at East Rogersville Baptist Church called Redeemed by Grace. This is a recovery ministry that helps women and men find freedom in Christ through Bible study. Usually a handful of Pregnancy Center clients participate. We meet every Sunday at 5:00 pm, with a meal, worship, and small groups by gender. Lastly, there is a meeting every Friday at Henards Chapel Baptist Church called Embrace Grace. This group is for single moms who are pregnant or have a baby less than 6 months of age. All of these groups provide community and practical support for clients of the Pregnancy Center. They are different but at the same time, similarly focused on the gospel and discipleship of men, women, and children.



Bivocational Retreat

In January the Tennessee Baptist Mission Board hosted their annual Bivocational Ministers and Wives Retreat in Gatlinburg. Three couples from the Holston Valley Baptist Association were in attendance, William and Jeannie Truman (Indian Ridge), Ron and Margie Grimes (Indian Ridge), and Codi and Ardra Ann Miley (New Hope).



Directories

The new HVBA Directories of church information are ready. If your church ordered one you may pick them up anytime at our office. We also have a few extras that may be purchased for \$10.00 each.





MOORESBURG BAPTIST CHURCH
REVIVAL
Sunday, March 24th
7 PM Nightly
Preachers:
Dustin Lamons
Travis Lunsford

MOORESBURG BAPTIST CHURCH 405 OLD HWY 11W MOORESBURG, TN 423-272-6931

Pastor Search

New Fellowship Ministries Baptist Church in Church Hill, TN, is seeking a Southern Baptist Bivocational Minister. Seminary training is a plus. Good communication and technology skills would be helpful. Sunday worship attendance is 40-50. We are a debt free, mission minded church that believes in the inerrancy of scripture. For further information or to send resumes, contact the chairman of the pastor search committee at tnschilling37642@gmail.com or by mail, David Schilling, 736 Morning Star Road, Church Hill, TN 37642.



Burem Church
REAL MOMENTUM
Engage Equip Exalt
3-6 MARCH 2024
10:30AM SUN
6:30PM SUN-WED

SUNDAY MORNING
 Rick Gage
 gotell

SUNDAY - TUESDAY
 Johnny Hunt
 www.buremchurch.com

WEDNESDAY EVENING
 Keith Boggs
 SANCTUARY HILLS

Churches to Pray for without Pastors

Bethel
 Caney Creek
 Indian Ridge
 Lyons Park
 Mount Pleasant
 Persia
 Rogersville First
 Sneedville First

Financial Report January 2024

Balance January 1, 2024		50634.60
Gifts	January	2024
Belmont	50.00	50.00
Bentleys Chapel	0.00	0.00
Bethel	0.00	0.00
Big Creek	200.00	200.00
Burem	196.35	196.35
Caney Creek	25.00	25.00
Cave Springs	0.00	0.00
Choptack	165.00	165.00
Christians Bend	125.00	125.00
Church Hill FBC	0.00	0.00
Cool Branch	0.00	0.00
Cross Anchor Cowboy	0.00	0.00
Duck Creek	100.00	100.00
East Rogersville	880.72	880.72
Elm Springs	0.00	0.00
Fishers Creek	0.00	0.00
Gills Chapel	797.25	797.25
Henards Chapel	918.26	918.26
Hickory Cove	1049.75	1049.75
Howes Chapel	0.00	0.00
Independence	0.00	0.00
Indian Ridge	241.80	241.80
Keplar	0.00	0.00
Kyles Ford	0.00	0.00
Lone Oak	30.00	30.00
Looneys Chapel	70.23	70.23
Lyons Park	30.00	30.00
McKinneys Chapel	0.00	0.00
McPheeters Bend	158.16	158.16
Mooreburg	0.00	0.00
Morrisetts Chapel	625.00	625.00
Mount Pleasant	15.00	15.00
New Hope	0.00	0.00
New Life	250.00	250.00
North Fork	102.13	102.13
Oak Grove	2143.01	2143.01
Persia	50.00	50.00
Prices Grove	0.00	0.00
Ridgeview	716.63	716.63
Rogersville FBC	833.33	833.33
Shady Grove	0.00	0.00
Shepards Chapel	275.00	275.00
Sneedville FBC	0.00	0.00
Speedwell	50.00	50.00
Surgoinsville FBC	937.70	937.70
Tar Pine	0.00	0.00
Tunnell Hill	299.92	299.92
Valley View	256.00	256.00
War Creek-Eidson	0.00	0.00
War Creek-Sneedville	0.00	0.00
West View	170.60	170.60
TBMB Supplement	626.00	626.00
Church Directed Gifts	0.00	0.00
Other	46.96	46.96
Total	12434.80	12434.80
Balance and Receipts		63069.40
Disbursements in January 2024		13932.63
Balance February 1, 2024		49136.77

OUR OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED
MARCH 29TH
IN OBSERVANCE OF
GOOD FRIDAY



Churches to Pray
for this Month:



Tunnell Hill Baptist Church
Rev. Joe Davis



Valley View Baptist Church
Rev. Neal Lane



War Creek Community Church
Rev. Danny Ogle



War Creek Baptist Church
Rev. Fred Tankersley

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Hawkins County Pregnancy Center

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