



## Shine

In March, the Holston Valley Baptist Association hosted Shine: An Event for Pastor and Church Staff Wives.

The wives were treated to a day to celebrate them and their unique role of being married to someone in the ministry. Jennifer LaFollette began by leading in worship. Then Lisa McKay, author of “You Can Still Wear Cute Shoes”, shared how Psalm 57 has been a comfort to her during her life as a pastor's wife. The ladies shared together in small groups and enjoyed a delicious lunch prepared by Volunteer High School's Culinary Program. We are grateful to each and every lady who attended and to Ridgeview Baptist Church that graciously allowed us to host the event in their church and provided gift bags for each of the ladies.





## New Pastor

East Rogersville Baptist Church has elected a new Associate Pastor. Rev. Dale Hughes was called as their Pastor of Care Ministry in February. Dale and his wife Heather have two sons, Hunter and Jordan. Please join us in praying for Dale and his family as they begin to serve in this new ministry.



## Executive Board Meeting

The Holston Valley Baptist Association held an Executive Board Meeting on March 12, 2024 at West View Baptist Church. Several leaders gave reports informing those present on the latest activities of the association including Mitch Russell, HVBA's VBS Director, who discussed the association's upcoming VBS training on April 6th at Surgoinsville First Baptist Church. Thank you so much to West View Baptist Church for their hospitality and for providing an excellent meal!







# Hawkins County Pregnancy Center by Kelly Snodgrass

Hawkins County  
Pregnancy Center

Thank you to everyone that has brought baby bottles this month or participated in the baby bottle fundraiser in any way! I greatly appreciate your generosity! During the first months of 2024, there have been 70 client visits to the Center which is similar to the same time period last year. Five of those visits were new clients. I am seeing clients come in that have a variety of needs, and I try to meet those needs on an individual basis. I also want to provide opportunities for them to build community in a church setting. Currently, there are three weekly discipleship meetings that clients of the Pregnancy Center are invited to, in addition to a regular church service. Posted here are pictures at the Center and some from those meetings. I also wanted to mention that Camp Hope is a huge blessing to many families that come to the Pregnancy Center. Camp Hope allows children in Hawkins County to attend camp for free. Currently, they are looking for interns to staff their camps this summer. The internship is a paid position. If you know any mature teenagers or college students at your church, please tell them to consider applying for this local ministry. They can find all the information on Camp Hope's website.





# Guatemala Mission Trip

Another mission team from the Holston Valley Baptist Association travelled to Esquintla, Guatemala in March to assist our partner church Emmanuel Baptist Church by hosting a medical clinic and distributing food bags and water filters. While doing each of these activities the team was able to share the Gospel. During the course of their week they saw 17 people come to Christ! The team consisted of Ethan Roberts, Anna Haley, Jim Lumpkins, Tom Wells, Frank Gal, and Glenna Seals. We are grateful to those willing to go, those who provided funds for the supplies, and especially to the Lord who watched over and guided them on their trip. The next team will be going in October to conduct a VBS. If you would like to participate or find out more information about going on our next trip please contact our office at 423-272-7318 or hvbaoffice@gmail.com





HOLSTON VALLEY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

# ... 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

## Churches to Pray for without Pastors

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

## Financial Report February 2024

Balance February 1, 2024 49136.77

Gifts	February	2024
Belmont	50.00	100.00
Bentleys Chapel	90.00	90.00
Bethel	0.00	0.00
Big Creek	200.00	400.00
Burem	68.81	265.16
Caney Creek	25.00	50.00
Cave Springs	0.00	0.00
Choptack	345.00	510.00
Christians Bend	125.00	250.00
Church Hill FBC	2083.26	2083.26
Cool Branch	0.00	0.00
Cross Anchor Cowboy	0.00	0.00
Duck Creek	100.00	200.00
East Rogersville	359.25	1239.97
Elm Springs	0.00	0.00
Fishers Creek	0.00	0.00
Gills Chapel	627.90	1425.15
Henards Chapel	706.20	1624.46
Hickory Cove	1159.46	2209.21
Howes Chapel	2000.00	2000.00
Independence	0.00	0.00
Indian Ridge	217.62	459.42
Keplar	0.00	0.00
Kyles Ford	40.00	40.00
Lone Oak	30.00	60.00
Looneys Chapel	48.81	119.04
Lyons Park	30.00	60.00
McKinneys Chapel	400.00	400.00
McPheeters Bend	181.47	339.63
Mooresburg	0.00	0.00
Morrisetts Chapel	0.00	625.00
Mount Pleasant	30.00	45.00
New Hope	0.00	0.00
New Life	0.00	250.00
North Fork	80.70	182.83
Oak Grove	1678.18	3821.19
Persia	50.00	100.00
Prices Grove	0.00	0.00
Ridgeview	833.34	1549.97
Rogersville FBC	833.33	1666.66
Shady Grove	0.00	0.00
Shepards Chapel	275.00	550.00
Sneedville FBC	414.56	414.56
Speedwell	50.00	100.00
Surgoinsville FBC	374.76	1312.46
Tar Pine	0.00	0.00
Tunnell Hill	241.51	541.43
Valley View	0.00	256.00
War Creek-Eidson	0.00	0.00
War Creek-Sneedville	0.00	0.00
West View	170.60	341.20
TBMB Supplement	626.00	1252.00
Church Directed Gifts	3405.00	3405.00
Other	544.50	591.46
Total	18495.26	30930.06

**Balance and Receipts** 67632.03  
**Disbursements in February 2024** 17158.59  
**Balance March 1, 2024** 50473.44

PASTOR  
**SEARCH**

First Baptist Church, Rogersville, TN is seeking a Full-Time Senior Pastor. We are a Southern Baptist Church, Members of Holston Valley Baptist Association, TBMB, and SBC. Requirements: Believes inerrancy of scripture, sound doctrine (No Calvinists/Reformed), Seminary Degree Required, Mission-Minded, Good Communication Skills.

Resume may be mailed or emailed.

FBC Rogersville

Att: Pastor Search Committee

PO Box 267, Rogersville, TN 37857 fbcrog@fbcrog.net

Deadline for receiving resumes is May 31, 2024.

Holston  
Valley  
Baptist  
Association

207 Hawkins Street  
Rogersville, TN 37857

HVBA: 423-272-7318

PC: 423-272-7309

Find us online:

Website:

[www.hvbaptist.org](http://www.hvbaptist.org)

Facebook:

Holston Valley Baptist Association  
Hawkins County Pregnancy Center

Instagram:

[holstonvalleybaptistassoc](https://www.instagram.com/holstonvalleybaptistassoc)

X/Twitter:

HVBaptistAssoc

Associational Missionary

Mark Roberts

[hvbamissions@gmail.com](mailto:hvbamissions@gmail.com)

Ministry Assistant

Melinda Eidson

[hvbaoffice@gmail.com](mailto:hvbaoffice@gmail.com)

Pregnancy Center Director

Kelly Snodgrass

[hcpfcrog@gmail.com](mailto:hcpfcrog@gmail.com)

Churches to Pray  
for this Month:



West View Baptist Church  
Rev. Dean Buell



Belmont Baptist Church  
Rev. Mike Jones



Bentleys Baptist Church  
Rev. Robby Drinnon



Bethel Baptist Church

