



The nations of the world recently gathered for the winter Olympics. My younger daughter calls these the sliding Olympics. Everything involves sliding, either on skates, skis, or sleds. Even the curling is a sliding event.

The Bible speaks of the gathering of the nations three times.

First the nations were gathered in sin. Arrogance and pride convinced them they could build a tower to heaven. God showed them different and confused their languages as He scattered them around the earth.

Next the nations were gathered in seeking on the Day of Pentecost. The Holy Spirit empowered the believers and all heard in their own tongue the good news of Jesus Christ.

The last gathering will be a gathering in salvation. The saved of every tongue, tribe, and nation will be gathered before the Lamb of God and we will praise Him. Is it not interesting there is one word which means the same in every language. Hallelujah means Praise The Lord in every tongue on earth.

There may be some of us who could be a part of the Olympics. I know I am not one of those. But we can all be a part in telling others about the third gathering of the nations. Let's be as faithful to this task as the athletes are to theirs.

Your co-laborer.

Bro. Mike T.



Consignment Sales



March 12-26.

Please order your supplies and T-shirts through the Association. You save time and effort. The association receives a commission.

The VBS Clinic will be at 6:30, April 10, 2014, Pine Grove Baptist Church.

Associational Bible Drill



April 15, 2014 at the Resource Center.
Names of Drillers due by April 10, 2014.



This year the FamilyFest mission trip will be to Eastern Kentucky July 19-24.

There will be a variety of mission projects. Please encourage your people to be signing up now. Details are available through the Resource Center or Linda Campbell.

INVITE A UNION STUDENT TO PREACH NIGHT — April 27, 2014 —



All churches are invited to open their pulpits to a young preacher boy from Union University. This will give these men an opportunity to preach as they continue their training.

All we ask of a church is the following:

- ✠ Let us know your church will host a preacher
- ✠ Have someone transport him from and back to the Resource Center. We will provide a supper.
- ✠ Take a love offering (which will be added to a common fund and divided equally among the preachers.)



BALANCE SHEET

Feb. 28, 2014
General Budget

Initial Bal.	9,680.54
Church Rec.	8,885.94
Other Rec.	+ 1,287.95
	19,854.43
Expenses	- 11,556.29
Budget Bal.	\$ 8,298.14

Other Funds

Designated	\$ 12,602.53
DOM Disc.	\$ 424.36
Missions Fd.	\$ 1,802.43
Contingency	\$ 14,002.67
Cent. Fund	Variable

YTD Activity

Inc.	23,156.48
Exp.	21,598.57
Bal.	\$+ 1,557.91

BIRTHDAYS

- 2 Angela Henderson
- 5 Judy Wyatt
- 7 Charlotte Heskett
- 8 Cindy Buffaloe
- 9 Hoyt Wilson
- 13 Glen Kolwyck
- 16 Diane Crowe
- 16 Barbara Ray
- 17 David Walker
- 23 Janet Minor
- 26 Jeanne Crocker
- 27 Virginia Biggers
- 28 Johnny Owens

ANNIVERSARIES

- 15 The Keith Runyon's
- 21 The Christopher Young's

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CHURCH RECEIPTS

(Jan. 1, 2014 — Feb. 28, 2014)

Thank you. Our Churches are our Association's primary source of income.

CHURCH	MONTH	YTD
Barren Springs		
Bath Springs	150.00	300.00
Beacon		250.00
Bear Creek	103.28	209.66
Beech Lake		100.00
Bible Hill	110.00	220.00
Bunches Chapel	23.00	48.00
Calvary	227.88	523.52
Chapel Hill	193.44	370.84
Corinth	100.00	200.00
Crossroads		344.97
Cub Creek Hall		12.15
Darden		
Decaturville, 1 st	100.00	200.00
Fellowship		
Flatwoods	590.23	1,188.40
Hopewell	200.00	400.00
House of Wor.	49.83	201.76
Huron		
Judson		100.00
Lexington, 1 st	1,666.66	3,333.32
Mt. Ararat	436.78	889.32
Mt. Gilead	325.00	650.00
Mt. Zion		
New Beech G.		150.00
New Hope		100.00
Parsons, 1 st	637.17	2,428.96
Perryville, 1 st	50.00	50.00
Pine Grove	360.33	1,000.19
Poplar Springs *	1,630.00	1,630.00
Ridge Grove		
Rock Hill	284.00	574.00
Salem		102.88
Sand Ridge	1,023.18	2,006.53
Sardis		189.99
Sardis Ridge		
Scotts Hill		530.60
Southside		
Twin Oaks	226.75	502.41
Union		984.30
Union Grove	245.87	492.17
Wildersville	152.54	278.75
TOTALS	\$ 8,885.94	\$ 20,562.72

* multiple checks

Church News

BUNCHES CHAPEL - We thank Bro Terry for the good messages he brings. We invite you to our Wed. Night services. You will enjoy the Bible studies. Continue to pray for those who have lost loved ones and the sick. Terry Rhodes, pastor.

CHAPEL HILL - Everyone is enjoying Jeff Weaver who is filling our pulpit. A large group of teens & adults will attend YEC. The Bible Drillers had a lock-in session preparing for the CBD. Our kids & adults are going to Bible Fun Field Day. Plans are underway for VBS the 1st week in June. The weekly Wednesday night community meals at 5 pm are well attended. Continue to pray for deacon Willie Hugh who broke his hip. Continue to pray for us as we seek a Pastor.

HOUSE OF WORSHIP - On March 9 at noon there will be a wild game lunch at church followed by a skeet shoot. Fellowship Baptist Church joined us on Feb. 16 for the evening service. Our Easter program will be 5:00 p.m. April 20 during the evening service. Everyone is invited. Jeff Todd, pastor.

LEXINGTON, 1ST - We welcome 2 new staff members: Angela Henderson, Children's Director & Ryan Keaton, Interim

Youth Minister. Jerry Tidwell, Interim Pastor.

WILDERSVILLE, 1ST - We will have a Fifth Sunday Praise Service March 30th at 6:00 p.m. The Special guests will be G.R.A.C.E. (Girls Running After Christ Everyday) Praise. These are girls in grades K-6 and are led by Susan Britt. All are welcome. Easter Sunrise Service will be at 7:00 a.m. with breakfast to follow. Mark Peterson, pastor.

ELEVEN CONGREGATIONS SEEKING PASTORS

Barren Springs	Judson
Bath Springs	New Hope
Chapel Hill	Salem
Fellowship	Sardis
Flatwoods	Southside
FBC, Lexington	

2014 BFFD 2014 Bible Fun Field Day 14 Look It Up

March 22, LindenValley Conference Center
 Track 1: 9:45am - 3:45pm
 Track 2: 11:00am - 4:45pm
 For Children grades 1 - 6, leaders & parents
 For more information or to register online go to www.tnchildhood.org or call 800-558-2090, ext. 7905.



Join Dr. Randy Davis, The Executive Director of the Tennessee Baptist Convention, on the lawn of the County Courthouse as he prays for the lost.

March 28, 2014

9:00 a.m.— Lexington

11:00 a.m. — Decaturville

Everyone is encourage to attend this time of prayer.



JEWELS FOR HIS KINGDOM

The Association WMU Team cordially invites you to celebrate 100 years of G. A.'S 2 PM, Sun., March 30th at Calvary Baptist Church in Parsons.

Ministry Project: Items to benefit Human Trafficking Victims (women's sports bras & underwear, feminine hygiene products) Contact the Association for more details.

An offering will be taken for the WMU Foundation.

Check "Upcoming Events" on www.brbaweb.org for changes and additions

March

- 3 Pastors' Conf. - Rev. Dale Gravatt
- 4 R. G. Lee - Session 7
- 9 Time Change - [Spring Forward ☺](#)
- 10 Pastors' Conf. - Dr. Steve Echols
- 11 R. G. Lee - Session 8
- 17 Pastors' Conf. - Dr. Randy Davis
- 24 Pastors' Conf. - Dr. Jerry Tidwell
- 28 Court House Rallies
- 30 GA/Acteen 100 Year Celebration
- 31 Pastors' Conf. - Dr. Hoyt Wilson

April

- 4-6 W.M.U. Get-Together
- 7 Pastors' Conf. - Dr. Gilbert Cubbison
- 10 VBS Teacher And Worker Training
- 14 Pastors' Conf. - Rev. Terry Rhodes
- 15 Children's Bible Drill
- 20 EASTER SUNDAY— He Lives !!!**
- 21 Pastors' Conf. - Dr. Todd Brady
- 22 WMU Annual Mtg. - Corinth Baptist
- 26 Regional Bible Drill at Jackson
- 27 Union Night in Association

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