



Have you ever *revved* up anything? The word *rev* has several shades of usage. I grew up using it to refer to *revving up* the motor on the car. With the car in neutral, pushing the accelerator would cause the engine to race. You remember those days, don't you! Don't act innocent - you know.

Rev is also used in reference to making something more effective. It is hoped someone can *rev up* the economy. Or it may be used in a negative sense as in *revving up* the children before bedtime. This is not a good practice.

When capitalized the word *Rev* is short for reverend. It is the title of the individual who hands the reverent things. It is not a reference to his perfection, but to his profession.

October is Pastor Appreciation Month. I encourage you this month to "rev up your Rev." Do something to show your pastor and other ministers how much you appreciate their efforts on the behalf of your spiritual life.

Hopefully all year long you are revving up your Rev, but be especially thoughtful this month.

I can tell you from experience, the pastors know October is Pastor Appreciation Month. It is depressing to get to the end of October and no one has said anything positive or appreciative to you. Do not let this happen to your minister.

Rev up the Rev and take him and Mrs. Rev out to eat, give him a gift card, have a special time at church, provide a money tree, just tell him you appreciate him and all he does.

It is amazing the difference it makes when the Rev is revved up.

Your co-laborer, *Bro. Mike T.*

## ANNUAL MEETING

Rooted in the Word ~ Reaching Out to Others



October 20, 2014  
Pine Grove Baptist Church



October 21, 2014  
Corinth Baptist Church

### 6:30 Registration

### 7:00 p.m. Service Begins

Please join us for this time of inspiration and information on **YOUR** association.

Monday Evening — Dr. Jerry Tidwell  
Tuesday Evening — Celebration of Ministry



### Operation Christmas Child

Collection Week is Nov. 17-24.

Cosmin Majors, a recipient of a shoebox, will speak at Sand Ridge Baptist, October 9, at 6:00 p.m.

**BREAK THE MOLD**  
YOUTH DISCIPLE NOW  
ISAIAH 64:8  
NOVEMBER 13-16 AT FBC LEXINGTON

Contact Ryan Keaton  
968-3685  
www.brbadnow.com



Oct.  
17-19  
Linden  
Valley

www.racamporee.org



**JAN 2014**  
A one-day missions event  
for 1st through 6th graders  
"All things are possible  
with God"  
Mark 10:27 (NIV)

Oct. 25  
FBC,  
Bemis



## BALANCE SHEET

Sept. 30, 2014

### General Budget

Initial Bal.	\$ 6,547.06
Church Rec.	10,494.79
Other Rec.	+ 2,375.13
	<u>19,416.98</u>
Expenses	- 11,172.54
<b>Budget Bal.</b>	<b>\$ 8,244.44</b>

### Other Funds

Designated	\$ 14,808.51
DOM Disc.	\$ 950.49
Missions Fd.	\$ 2,049.14
Contingency	\$ 14,011.86
Cent. Fund	Variable

### YTD Activity

Inc.	102,140.31
Exp.	100,640.70
<b>Bal. \$ +</b>	<b>1,499.61</b>

## CHURCH RECEIPTS

(Jan. 1, 2014 — Sept. 30, 2014)

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

CHURCH	MONTH	YTD
Barren Springs		110.00
Bath Springs	150.00	1,050.00
Beacon		750.00
Bear Creek	108.84	964.56
Beech Lake *	200.00	450.00
Bible Hill *	353.58	1,233.58
Bunches Chapel *	47.00	215.50
Calvary	289.87	2,159.72
Chapel Hill *	414.42	1,801.27
Corinth	100.00	900.00
Crossroads		865.11
Cub Creek Hall		22.05
Darden		
Decaturville, 1 <sup>st</sup>	100.00	900.00
Fellowship		
Flatwoods	504.25	4,819.49
Hopewell	200.00	1,800.00
House of Wor.	68.02	562.66
Huron	683.13	1,724.05
Judson		300.00
Lexington, 1 <sup>st</sup>	1,666.66	14,999.94
Mt. Ararat	707.47	4,450.12
Mt. Gilead	325.00	2,925.00
Mt. Zion		481.39
New Beech G.		450.00
New Hope	100.00	500.00
Parsons, 1 <sup>st</sup>	673.07	7,331.54
Perryville, 1 <sup>st</sup>	50.00	358.24
Pine Grove *	685.30	3,701.01
Poplar Springs	887.00	7,387.00
Ridge Grove		
Rock Hill	347.00	2,706.00
Salem		335.86
Sand Ridge		7,986.36
Sardis	233.01	1,510.13
Sardis Ridge		150.00
Scotts Hill	402.85	2,785.70
Southside		
Twin Oaks	215.56	2,178.35
Union	663.35	5,128.39
Union Grove	319.41	2,323.71
Wildersville		1,126.30
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$ 10,494.79</b>	<b>\$ 89,443.03</b>

\* multiple checks

### BIRTHDAYS

- 4 Harold Hopper
- 11 Doris Walker
- 25 Donna Peterson
- 27 Bob Hull
- 30 Tim Buffaloe
- 31 Dawn Jones
- 31 Jerry Jones

### ANNIVERSARIES

- 12 Lavaughn & JoAnn Moody
- 17 Jeff & Tammie Todd
- 19 Roy & Judy Wyatt
- 24 Don & Rebecca Franks



# Church News

**CALVARY** - We had a great revival with 3 professions of faith & 1 reeducation. Rev. Micah Renfro was the evangelist. Attendance was good & everyone enjoyed the great messages & singing. Greg Stanford, pastor.

**CHAPEL HILL** - We had 1 join by baptism. Our revival will be in Oct. (date to be announced.) Bro. Tommy & Debbie will be going on a mission trip to Romania in Nov. The 1st Sat. in Oct. will be the free community stew for fellowship. The children/Youth will have a bake sale in accompaniment with Fire Station #7's stew sale on Sat. Oct. 11. Some of our ladies attended the "Women of Joy"

conference in Milan. The Youth/Children led our 5th Sun. service. Trey did a great job. Our OCC Shoe box collection is kicking into high gear. Tommy Smith. Interim pastor.

**HOUSE OF WORSHIP** - We enjoyed listening to the Garner Family at our great homecoming. Thanks to Bro. Jonny Owens for preaching our revival. The Fall Fundraiser is underway & plans are being made for the Fall Festival. We would like to welcome our 3 new members who joined by letter. Jeff Todd, pastor.

**TWIN OAKS** - Aug. 8 several attended movie night. On Aug. 9 the Infinite Kings were here. On Aug. 10 everyone enjoyed the awesome song service presented by the

Barnetts. The men of the church presented breakfast. Jeremy & Jennifer Wall invited everyone to their home for a pool party. Bobby Crowe, pastor.

## JUDGEMENT HOUSE

FBC, Loretto, TN, 110 N Main St  
 Oct 25, 6 - 9 pm ; Oct 26, 2 - 6pm;  
 Nov 1 - 6 - 9 pm; Nov 2 - 2 6 pm.  
 Cost, \$2 donation Call 931-853-7171 for info or to register.

## The Well

A worship service for the community will be 6:00 p.m., Oct. 25, 2014, at the Civic Center.

## ELEVEN CONGREGATIONS SEEKING PASTORS

Barren Springs	FBC, Lexington
Bath Springs	Judson
Bear Creek	New Hope
Chapel Hill	Salem
Crossroads	Southside
Fellowship	

## Check "Upcoming Events" on [www.brweb.org](http://www.brweb.org) for changes and additions

### October

- 6 Pastors' Conf. - Rev. Lewis Screws
- 7 R.G. Lee Class - Session
- 13 Pastors' Conf. - Rev. Randy Poole
- 17-19 R.A. Camporee
- 20 Annual Meeting at Pine Grove B.C.
- 21 Annual Meeting at Corinth B.C.
- 25 JAM at FBC, Bemis
- 25 The Well Worship Service
- 27 Pastors' Conf. - Bro. Charles Gentry

### November

- 2 **TIME CHANGE** - Fall Back ☺
- 3 Pastors' Conf. - Rev. Wilkey Jones
- 4 **VOTE YES ON 1**
- 10 No Pastors' Conf. — TBC Pastors'
- 11 TBC Summit at Brentwood
- 12 TBC Summit at Brentwood
- 13-16 **D'Now Weekend**
- 17 Pastors' Conf. -
- 17-24 OCC Collection Week
- 22 The Well Worship Service
- 24 Pastors' Conf. -
- 27-28 Office Closed for Thanksgiving

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# Tidings

BEECH RIVER  
 BAPTIST ASSOCIATION



Currently the Tennessee Legislature is not able to enact laws addressing abortions. This proposed amendment takes the law making process from the courts and returns it to the legislature.



A "yes" vote is needed to pass this amendment. Failure to vote is a "no" vote.

For more information go to our website [www.brweb.org](http://www.brweb.org). In the newsletter archives access "Mike's Minute" in the September, 2014, Tidings.



Early Voting begins  
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