

September 2010
Calendar

Date

- 1- Articles for **October** 2010 newsletter due today
- 6- Labor Day (BMC Closed)
- 12- Season of Prayer for State Missions and Janie Chapman Offering (12-18)
- 13- Ministers Prayer Time, BMC - 8:30 am
- 14- Senior Adult Fall Celebration, Rocky Knoll - 10:30 am
- 15- Annual Reports Due Today (Associational Leaders)
- 17- Men's Leadership Retreat, Sunset (17-18)
- 20- Ministers Prayer Time, BMC - 8:30 am
- 22 - See You At the Pole
- 16- Ministers Prayer Time, BMC - 8:30 am
- 27- Ministers Prayer Time, BMC - 8:30 am
- 27- Canada Vision Trip (27 Sept - 1 Oct.)

BMC = Beaverdam Mission Center, 1659 Sandifer Blvd

Special Days in September 2010

Staff Anniversaries:

- 6 – Barry Jordan, Retreat, 2009
- 15 - Arvil Stephens, West Union, 2002
- 21 – Tim Rackley, Mt. Pleasant, 1997
- 22 – Randy Koon, Mountain Rest, 2002

Birthdays:

- 5 – Joe Saunders, retired
- 7 – Glenn Hunter, retired
- 7 – Stephen Lamb, Seneca
- 15 – Brian Goss, Lydia
- 16 – Randy Keasler, Westminster
- 17 – Ronnie Wald, Snow Creek
- 17 – Joel Hendricks, Open Door
- 19 – Scott Bendenbaugh, Mt. Tabor Westminster
- 20 – Michael S. Adams, Mt. Tabor Westminster
- 23 – Bradley Martin, Clearmont
- 26 – Bob Dickard, Hopewell
- 30 – Houston Hawkins, retired
- 30 – Sam Adams, Little River

Wedding Anniversaries:

- 1 – Bill & Robbie Ellison, retired
- 20 – Jeremy & Kim Garrett, Open Door
- 26 – Kenny & Lynn Owen, retired
- 26 – Bob & Barbara Spearman, retired
- 29 – Brian & Carole Ann Goss, Lydia

Beaverdam Mission Dollars at Work

	Jul 10	Jan - Jul 10
Beaverdam	548.00	2,403.00
Belmont *	0.00	0.00
Bethel	0.00	1,578.00
Bethel Hispanic	0.00	0.00
Bethlehem	35.00	200.00
Bounty Land	911.69	8,384.78
Calvary	72.68	546.44
Chauga	268.64	1,290.37
Cheohee	302.98	2,223.15
Clearmont	1,581.71	3,804.96
College Street	0.00	5,164.35
Coneross	75.00	525.00
Corinth Seneca	65.00	130.00
Corinth Westminster	1,149.06	2,191.89
Cross Creek	0.00	0.00
Cross Roads Seneca	100.54	838.80
Cross Roads Westminster	90.00	762.19
Damascus	0.00	365.10
Davis Creek	289.38	772.92
Earle's Grove	1,210.00	8,470.00
Ebenezer	0.00	500.00
Faith	62.63	440.43
Fants Grove	170.00	1,626.00
Golden Corner	0.00	0.00
Heart Land	785.00	3,118.00
Hepsibah	738.75	5,171.25
Holly Springs	722.77	3,864.53
Hopewell	0.00	1,085.33
Little River	0.00	0.00
Long Creek	122.00	854.00
Lydia	762.56	2,532.39
Madison	0.00	867.00
Maranatha	236.65	1,407.30
Monte Vista	170.25	1,254.32
Mountain Rest	626.64	4,112.76
Mountain View	125.00	875.00
Mt Freedom	0.00	600.00
Mt Pleasant	0.00	1,232.46
Mt Tabor Westminster	261.41	1,460.36
New Hope	1,005.00	4,621.69
Old Liberty	0.00	1,045.00
Open Door	400.00	2,800.00
Parkway	78.94	527.04
Pleasant Grove	140.67	969.45
Pleasant Hill	100.00	700.00
Pleasant Ridge	333.33	2,333.31
Poplar Springs	373.08	2,782.90
Puerta Abierta	223.16	576.29
Reedy Fork	200.00	1,400.00
Retreat	0.00	321.03
Return	264.22	2,079.36
Rock Hill	100.00	300.00
Rocky Knoll	967.21	6,341.71
Salem	874.97	2,624.91
Scenic Heights	339.30	2,155.97
Seneca	974.44	9,085.03
Shiloh	0.00	0.00
Snow Creek	46.39	324.73
Souls Harbor	125.00	875.00
South Union	158.56	1,439.74
Trinity	0.00	125.00
Utica	666.67	4,666.67
Walhalla	100.00	700.00
Welcome	0.00	1,274.10
Weldon Road	0.00	0.00
West Union	0.00	75.09
Westminster	559.44	3,827.41
Westminster First	244.90	887.74
Wolf Stake	100.25	701.75
Total Income	19,858.87	126,213.00

* Watchcare

General Fund Financial Summary	
Brought Forward 7-1-10	93,372.70
Receipts	19,858.87
Budget Expenses	23,140.44
Non Budgeted Expense	0.00
Balance 7-31-10	90,091.13

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SENIOR ADULT FALL CELEBRATION



Tuesday, September 14, 2010

10:30 a.m. until ?

Rocky Knoll Baptist Church

970 Highlands Highway, Walhalla



Bring your favorite dish

(drinks, "sweet tea, unsweetened tea, and water"

meat and paper products will be provided).

Invite a friend to come with you for a time of

GOOD FOOD, FUN, AND FELLOWSHIP!

Please bring a can of food to be donated to the local food bank.

Sponsored by the Beaverdam Baptist Association Senior Adult Committee

NEWS

Church News:

New Hope Golf Tournament, September 18, 2010 at Falcon's Lair. Proceeds to support mission trip to Honduras. Four-Main Captain's Choice format, three flights with contests, door prizes and a meal following. Visit www.nhbcseneca.org or contact the church office for details at 882-0828.

Mountain Rest invites you to join them in the dedication of their new activities building on Sunday, September, 19, 2010 at 2:00 pm. Thank you for your prayers and contributions.

Staff Changes:

Joey Hawkins has been called to **Seneca** as Minister of College and Youth effective August 16, 2010. Joey and his wife, Gina, have four children: Brett (16) Ike (14, Hunter (12) and Lagen (3).

Jason Woods has been called to **Ebenezer** as their Youth Director as of August 16, 2010. He and his wife, Kelly, have a daughter Chloe and will be residing in West Union.

Jeremy Garrett, Minister of Youth of Westminster First resigned and was called as Associate Pastor of Family and Education of **Open Door** effective August 15, 2010.

Staff Needed:

Scenic Heights is looking for a part-time Music Director. Please send resumes to Steve Black, 229 Miller Farm Road, Westminster, SC 29693 or 864-647-2308.

Westminster First is seeking a full-time Pastor. Please send resumes and references to First Baptist Church of Westminster, 426 West Oak Hwy, Westminster, SC 29693 Attn: Pastor Search Committee.

Mountain View is seeking an interim pianist for Sunday am service, and Wednesday pm choir practice. Contact Matt Boomhower, at 873-4313 or email matthew.boomhower@duke-energy.com.

Corinth Westminster is seeking a part-time Worship Pastor for a "blended" style worship service. They are also looking for a pianist. If interested, please contact Brett Myers at 864-784-0558 or at pastor.corinthebaptist@gmail.com.

Walhalla First is looking for a part-time Music Director. Please send resumes to Walhalla First Baptist Church, 403 East Main Street, Walhalla, SC 29691

All ministers are invited and encouraged to come to Prayer Time at 8:30 am every Monday morning at the Beaverdam Mission Center, 1659 Sandifer Blvd, Seneca, SC

Women's Get-Away

September 17-18, 2010 - Camp LaVida

This will be a time to get away for spiritual refreshment, fun, food and fellowship. Cost: After August 16th: \$50.00 per person.

For more information, see the Missions Link, go to www.scwmu.org or call Donna Britt at 1-800-723-7242.

Men's Quarterly Fellowship Report

On August 3, 2010 the Beaverdam Men's Ministry meeting was held at Corinth Baptist Church, Westminster with 145 men in attendance. Dr Sam Duncan, Pastor, Getheseme Baptist Temple challenged us from Leviticus, Chapter 6: as men it is our responsibility to always keep the fire burning in our hearts for God. Joel Goddard, Griffin, Ga inspired us with his singing of old time gospel hymns about the blood of Jesus. Thanks to Corinth Church and Pastor Bret Myers for the good food and fellowship. Also thanks to all the churches that participated. Our next meeting will be November 9, 2010 at Hopewell Baptist.

Please pray for this ministry. Clayton Justice

DOM Thoughts,

I want to take this opportunity to share a few of the things that we are presently working on:

- We have begun planning for our first ever **Beaverdam Baptist Association Countywide Crusade** for the fall of 2011 (Dates/Site TBA). Our desire is that all 69 churches in the BBA would make a commitment to be a part of this effort to share Christ with Oconee County. I would ask every church in the BBA to begin praying now for God to "rend open the heavens and come down" (Isa. 64:1) and make His presence known among His people.
- I am excited that we have almost 20 Pastors/Staff planning to participate in our first Ministers Golf Outing. The event will take place on Tuesday, August 31 at the Cross Creek Plantation in Seneca. Room is still available for others (Pastors/Staff) who are interested in participating. Call Cathy at 882-7070 to sign up. Cost is \$30.
- Be in prayer for those from our Association who will be taking part in the Canada Vision trip in late September (September 27- October 1). We will be meeting with local Pastors in the Calgary area as well as leadership at the Canadian National Baptist Convention to discuss a possible partnership between the Canadian National Convention and the Beaverdam Baptist Association. While on this trip we will also be visiting the Canadian Baptist Seminary and meeting with Dr. Rob Blackaby, President of the Seminary. This possible partnership will provide our churches with many wonderful mission opportunities in the future. Please pray for our Canada Vision Team:
David Shirley (DOM)
Carl & Christian Krezdorn (Salem)
Steve Black (Scenic Heights)
Brad Kelley (Ebenezer)
Phil Henry (Rocky Knoll)
John Watkins (Seneca)
- Within the next few months we will be asking our Pastors to take part in a process called **Associational Strategic Preparation Process**. The ASPS is a process developed by the North American Mission Board. Through this interview process (conducted by Staff of the NAMB) we will be able to determine such issues as: what priorities do churches say are important to them; what structure would best suit the association as it addresses these priorities; and what resources would the association provide in response to the voiced needs of the churches.

As I have stated in previous articles, I am so honored to serve the churches of the Beaverdam Baptist Association. I am excited about where we are headed as an Association and all that God desires to do through 69 churches working together to "Impact Oconee" with the Good News of Jesus Christ!

Impact Oconee,
David Shirley



Disaster Relief Training Conference

October 8-9, 2010 - White Oak Conference Center

Registration deadline is September 30, 2010.

For more information, go to www.scbaptist.org/dr, or contact Gwen Eargle at 1-800-723-7242, x 3400.

In Remembrance

Reverend James Henry Mizell, affectionately known by many as Preacher Jim, age 67, of 18011 Augusta Highway, Round O, South Carolina, passed away on Thursday, July 22, 2010, at his home with his loving wife at his side and under the care of Heartland Hospice and with many special faithful loving caregivers.

Rev. Mizell served his country faithfully in the SC National Guard Reserves. He held pastorates at Zion Baptist Church, Walterboro; Bethlehem Baptist Church, Round O; Hopewell Baptist Church, Parkers Ferry; Edisto Beach Baptist Church, Edisto Beach; Macedonia Baptist Church, Raleigh, NC; First Baptist Church, Spruce Pine, NC, and then his final appointment at First Baptist Church Walhalla where he served for 18 years until his retirement. He was Moderator of the Beaverdam Baptist Association from 1999-2000. Rev Mizell will always be remembered as a friend to all, loving life, and living each day to the fullest.



2010 Season of Prayer for State Missions and Janie Chapman Offering

For State Missions, Missions Education, and Empowering Kingdom Growth

Theme:
Oppportunity...Respond

September 12-19, 2010

A special emphasis and observance focusing on praying for and giving to state missions.

Goal: \$2 million

Living Proof Live - featuring Beth Moore

Living Proof Live brings beloved Bible teacher Beth Moore and worship leader Travis Cottrell via simulcast directly to women in your community. This fun, authentic ministry team prepares a unique message from God for each event. You'll leave knowing that the message you heard was created just for you.

Brushy Creek Baptist Church - Easley, SC

Saturday - September 18, 2010 - Doors open 9:00 am - event 10:30 am - 4:00 pm
Advance Purchase Tickets (before September 10) - \$15 includes lunch; \$10 no lunch
After September 10 - all tickets \$15 (no lunch) - call 864-859-2273 for more information or visit website at www.brushycreekchurch.com for online purchase - email BCBCWomen@brushycreekchurch.com.