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Join us for VBS Training

@ Harmony Baptist Associational Office, May 11, 2019 9:00-12:00pm

Lunch will be included.

Please RSVP before May 9, 2019
No Cost



The Block Party Trailer has been refurbished. New games have been added. It is ready for people to enjoy.

Robert's Ramblin's

So many wonderful events celebrated at Easter, all culminating in the powerful resurrection of Jesus from the tomb. But the Easter story doesn't end there. The followers of Jesus continued to meet together and pray and fellowship. Not many days after, the Holy Spirit came at Pentecost, giving new direction and power to believers. They went around talking about Jesus and shared the good news with friends, family and neighbors. So it is with us today. We still have the power and responsibility to tell everyone we know about the saving love of Jesus. Have we let down on our desire to win others to the Jesus Way? Have we become complacent in our busy activities to take time to give our testimony and share Christ with others? Maybe that's one reason why churches everywhere are struggling, declining and some even closing. Let's ask God to help us rally the strength within us and live the Christ Life in our world. We could all bring someone to salvation and increase the Kingdom. Start today!

CALENDAR

May 2019 Orval Woolery Offering Month

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| 5/1 | David Ring @ Katy Park, 6:30pm |
| 5/2 | National Day of Prayer, meet at the courthouse steps at noon. |
| 5/6 | Adult Bible Study, 10:00am @ Calvary |
| 5/11 | VBS Training Day, 9:00am @HBA Office |
| 5/12 | Mother's Day |
| 5/13 | Pastor/Staff Lunch, noon @ Best Western |
| 5/16 | Project Parachute, 6:00pm |
| 5/18 | Prayer Breakfast, 8:00am |
| 5/21 | Memorial Day |
| 5/23 | News Deadline |
| 5/28 | Kid's Kamp Meeting, 6:30pm |
| 5/30 | Label News |

Pastor Anniversaries

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|-----|----------------------------|
| 5/1 | Rob Ayers Camp Branch |
| 5/5 | Michael Sproles Calvary |
| 5/6 | Duane Duchesne New Hope |
| 5/7 | Virgil Nunes New Hope |

Birthdays

| | |
|------|--------------------------|
| 5/14 | John Barrett Smithton |
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Upcoming Events

| | | |
|--------|-------|---|
| June | 3 | HBA Executive Board Meeting |
| June | 10-14 | Kid's Kamp |
| July | 4 | Holiday |
| August | 1 | ACP's Due |
| August | 8-9 | Global Leadership Conference Clinton, MO |
| August | 8-18 | Missouri State Fair |

March 2019 Financial Reports

| <u>Church</u> | <u>March 2019</u> | <u>YTD</u> |
|-------------------------|-------------------|------------|
| Antioch | 175.84 | 990.76 |
| Bethany | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Bethlehem | 0.00 | 487.67 |
| Broadway | 136.98 | 574.80 |
| Calvary | 593.73 | 1956.23 |
| Camp Branch | 426.22 | 1568.70 |
| East Sedalia | 0.00 | 208.61 |
| Emmet Avenue | 100.00 | 300.00 |
| FBC, Sedalia | 223.69 | 3596.03 |
| Flat Creek | 487.83 | 1543.18 |
| Green Ridge | 0.00 | 250.00 |
| Hopewell | 345.42 | 1292.99 |
| Houstonia, FBC | 175.80 | 1107.99 |
| Hughesville | 120.96 | 189.05 |
| Katy Park | 0.00 | 2937.82 |
| Lamine | 122.98 | 470.47 |
| LaMonte | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Memorial | 48.18 | 276.38 |
| Mt. Herman | 300.00 | 900.00 |
| Mt Olive | 0.00 | 985.13 |
| New Hope | 0.00 | 1274.49 |
| Olive Branch | 50.20 | 307.72 |
| Primera Iglesia Hispana | 100.00 | 375.00 |
| Providence | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Smithton | 0.00 | 225.00 |
| Syracuse | 0.00 | 300.00 |
| Vision | 0.00 | 91.61 |

Checking - March 2019

| | |
|-----------------------|-------------------|
| Beginning Balance | \$24,793.55 |
| Undesignated receipts | 3,407.83 |
| Reserved receipts | 426.46 |
| Less Expenditures | (5,563.26) |
| Ending Balance | \$23,286.73 |

Reserve Fund - March 2019

| | |
|-------------------|-------------|
| Beginning Balance | \$17,341.79 |
| Interest earned | <u>1.47</u> |
| Ending Balance | \$17,343.26 |

Mission Trip Fund - March 2019

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|-------------------|---------|
| Beginning Balance | \$35.00 |
| Receipts | |
| Less Expenditures | |
| Ending Balance | \$35.00 |

Designated Funds - March 2019

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|-------------------|---------------|
| Beginning Balance | \$9,848.70 |
| Receipts | 225.00 |
| Less Expenditures | (8.60) |
| Ending Balance | \$10,065.10 |

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|-----------------------------------|-------------------|
| 2019 Monthly Requirement | \$8,832.58 |
| March undesignated receipts | \$3,407.83 |
| Difference between Budget/Monthly | (5,424.75) |

Thank you for your Generous Giving.
This enables HBA to spread the Gospel throughout Pettis, Cooper, Morgan and Saline Counties.



GET CONNECTED to Christ
HARMONY BAPTIST CHILDRENS CAMP
2019

get connected to Christ

“Yes, I am the vine; you are the branches. Those who remain in me, and I in them, will produce much fruit. For apart from me you can do nothing.”
John 15:5


I am looking forward to our KAMP this year. Applications are now at your churches and online. Our staff are planning many exciting times for you all in every areas. So get your applications in by May 23rd. Applications received after that date will have an extra fee charged. Camp week is June 10-14



Pictures from Woman's 1st Annual Easter Tea Party.



National Day of Prayer is May 2, 2019
Meet you on the courthouse steps at noon.
Jon Church is leader of this event.



Bible Study Fellowship
Adult Bible Study
Calvary Baptist Church
5/6/2019
10:00am


Speaker: Robert Sisney
Music: John & Linda Streit
Refreshments: Rose Sipes & Anna Lee Bail



PROJECT PARACHUTE
The next Project Parachute Meeting is Thursday, May 16th, at 6:00 pm.




Pastor/Staff Lunch
The next meeting is on May 13, at Best Western at noon.



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Thanks for being a part of the greatest group of churches ever! Some of you may have heard we are planning an “On Mission Celebration” in September. The dates will be September 8-15. In order to schedule properly, we need to know how many of our churches will participate. Please encourage your people to join this great time of learning, celebrating, and fellowship. There will be missionaries from our International Mission Board, North American Mission Board, Missouri Baptist Convention, and some more locals. It will be missionaries from all around the world sharing their experiences culture and stories so HBA churches can be more “in the know” about missions. It will be good for all ages, from kids to seniors.

Please make a commitment right away and let us know at the associational office if you will be a part of this event. If you want more information, call Bro. Robert at 660-631-3331 or the office at 660-826-2070. You can also send as a email note at hbaoffice@iland.net. Thanks already for your commitment to missions.

Bro Robert



Katy Park Baptist Church
Anniversary 5/19/85



HAD A WONDERFUL VISIT WITH KC WOLF.

We need help with supplies for the kids at Kid's Kamp. They will be putting together bags for Haiti. They need supplies to fill these bags here is a list.

- Big Bar of Soap
- Wash cloths
- Tooth brush
- Tooth paste
- Shampoo
- Lotion
- Any basic toiletries
- Deodorant
- Perfumes/cologne

- Also would like to get sewing items
- Needles
- Thread
- Safety pins
- Thimbles
- (no scissors)

*First Baptist Church,
Clinton, MO*

*Everyone has
influence.*



THE GLOBAL LEADERSHIP SUMMIT

Thursday-Friday, August 8-9, 2019

GARAGE SALE



BAKE SALE

Bethlehem

will have a

garage & bake sale

on May 17th & 18th



Project Parachute - Packing Easter Boxes.

“NEWS FROM OUR CHURCHES”

Bethany: April has been a great month for the saints at Bethany. On April 7 we also began moving back into our completely remodeled Fellowship Building, starting with all Sunday School classes in new rooms, also moved in the offices. Our spring Ladies Bible Study continued its Tuesday evening studies of Jen Wilkin's "God of Covenant" at 6:30. We hosted and helped the Central Missouri Food Bank's food pantry truck on the 10th. The Ladies Fellowship collected cookies for the jail. We will meet for a second quarter business meeting on the evening of the 28th. We gathered for worship on Easter weekend. On the evening of Good Friday we gathered to remember Christ's death for sinners as we shared the Lord's Supper. On Sunday morning, we started with a fellowship breakfast then met for worship to celebrate Christ's resurrection. Pastor Bowen preached on "One Cruel Cross, Seven Gracious Words." Pastor Bowen continues to preach through the book of Hebrews on Sunday mornings and Ecclesiastes on Sunday evenings.

Bethlehem: Happy Easter from Bethlehem Baptist! Our spring has gotten off to a great start. Our teens went to Branson for a conference at Silver Dollar City and had a great time and went to some wonderful classes. We are working on a garage sale May 17 and 18th with a bake sale. We will be at El Espolon May 14th for our fundraiser.

Broadway: Our Resurrection Weekend celebration included a Good Friday service with The Lord's Supper. We are studying Paul's epistles with Sunday School curriculum from Answers in Genesis and continue Sunday evening 5:30 Bible study from LifeWay "Discipleship: The Journey". The study is helping us become better disciples and have better fellowship in the Body. We are moving away from the designed weekly lesson and taking longer to study in depth. The current video series at 6:30 is "Moody Science Classics" with Dr. Irwin Moon. These films, from actual science classes in the 1950s, show that science supports the Bible, not opposes it. The church is sending a young person to Kids Kamp. Website www.broadwaybaptistsedalia.org has new info and slideshows. Watch for our new T-shirts celebrating our Lord's Resurrection.

Calvary: Our Choir, Michael Sproles led in the Great Easter Message "THE KING IS COMING". Chris Robinson, Sound Engineer, Elaine Bryson, Narrator and Nancy Scott Soloist. Monthly Men's breakfast were treated to a fine meal provided by Calvary's ladies. Speaker was Patrick Ryan. Pastor Jonathan Wallenbeck led a couple's class bible study. Pastor Don led a Men's Discipleship prayer group Bible study on Thursday mornings. Our church had a church wide baby shower for Shelly Wilckens. Calvary hosted a Lenten Breakfast for Pettis County Ministerial Association. Calvary's own Jonathan Wellenbeck was our speaker. Calvary's ladies, with our own Pat Love's special touch, cooked up a great breakfast. Gospel Conversation Teams met and visited area families, inviting people to church. Pastor Don and Calvary's family made their regular visits to E.W. Thompson, Rest Haven and Fair View. Singing and a message from pastor Don. David Ring's Ministries were here in Sedalia for several days meeting at area churches in an effort of revival by Harmony Baptist Association. Forever Young met with a carry-in covered dish to share. A great time was enjoyed by the Forever Young Ladies Ministries have two bible studies led by Marie Satterwhite and Tina Walters on Tuesday mornings and Wednesday evening. Former pastor Ted Francis' wife, Judy, passed from this life April 16th and is now walking the streets of glory.

East Sedalia: Our church welcomed our new pastor, Rev. Tim Smith and his wife Melody, on April 7th. After morning services a carry in dinner in their honor was held, and food and fellowship was enjoyed by everyone. On Sat. April 13, a Spring Fling was held for families. They enjoyed food, games and face painting, etc. Twenty six workers and thirty party goers attended. Rev. Smith held Maundy Services at noon on Thursday April 18, and Good Friday Services at noon on April 19. We are participating in filling the Embassy Blessing Barrel; very soon we will bless people with bounty.

Emmet Avenue: Everyone is welcomed to come join us at our church on May 19 at 3:00 in the afternoon as the Mark's Family group will be performing and singing. We hope to have a great crowd and will be serving snacks afterward. We have restarted our Wednesday evening bible study at 6 PM each week. We had great food and fellowship during our 5th Sunday fellowship dinner in March. We have set a goal for the Orval Woolery Association Mission offering again this year.

Flat Creek: We served Community Cafe on the evening of Good Friday. On Easter morning we held a Sunrise Service at 6:30 followed by a fellowship breakfast. Our regular Sunday morning service was well attended.

Katy Park: Held our annual Random Acts of Kindness Day on April 6; We served an evening meal at the Community Café on April 9; Held our annual Easter Breakfast at the Shriner's Hall on April 21; We held the Stations of the Cross activity on April 21 as well; Adult III class helped with a church service at Fairview Nursing Home on April 28.

Mt. Herman: We had a good day on Easter Sunday with many visitors. In the early service, the theme was serving the Lord's Supper, then breakfast was served to all. We began Sunday School at 8:30 and Easter Worship at 9:30. Following the service, we observed the ordinance of Baptism, baptizing two new Christians. Grateful to the Lord for exciting times at Mt. Herman!

Mt. Olive: The Annie Armstrong Easter Offering promotion resulted in our church reaching the goal of \$500.00. We joined neighboring churches in worship at Sunrise Easter Services. We ministered at the Tipton Manor Nursing Home.

Providence: Some of the ladies of our church helped prepare the boxes for Project Parachute and reported that eighteen boxes were sent out. There was enough leftover that boxes were made up for our police and fire departments in Sedalia. Our church will engage in a God Loves People projects. Our People Love project is providing donuts and coffee to people on their way to work two Mondays in the month of May. We have set a goal of \$500.00 for the Annie Armstrong Mission Offering. May 19th we will have an emphasis, "Bring a Friend Sunday", to the morning service. We pray God's blessings upon Robert Sisney who is now our DOM for Harmony Baptist Association. We're please to see a picture of our church in the newsletter. April 4th marked 177 years of serving our Lord as a church.