



Harmony Baptist Association

NEWS


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Administrative Assistant's
New
Office Hours

Tuesday - Thursday
9:00 am - 4:30 pm

12:00 - 12:30 (lunch)

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Kids Kamp - June 15-19, 2015 at Heit's Point



For boys and girls Grade 3-6
(2014-2015 school year)

Registration deadline

is Thursday, May 14.

Registration forms and Informational
Sheet are available to download from
website: **www.hbamo.org**

Cost \$110

Theme: "I Am Not Ashamed" "I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ for it is the power of God to salvation for everyone who believes." ~Romans 1:16

We will mail information to parents/guardians, please note the following:

- 1) Departure is from East Sedalia Baptist Church
- 2) Kampers must check in at the church and check out at the church upon return.
- 3) Kampers are not to come to the church before 12:00 pm.
- 4) Please remind kids to bring tennis shoes (not flip-flops) to wear at kamp because of the terrain.

Orval Woolery Associational Missions Offering

Since 2004 the association has received an offering during the month of May for the Associational Missions Emphasis Month. This year, the offering is dedicated for Kids Kamp.

M & M Banquet



The Missions and Ministry Banquet was held Tuesday, April 21 at New Hope Baptist Church. There were 74 in attendance.



The speakers were Jeanette Pahlow from Birthright; Jan McDowell and Jamie Poppinga from Kids Kamp; Jerry Jones from Jail Ministry; Sue Foster from Open Door Summer Food Program; and Brenda Moore from Senior Center.

We want to express a big thank you to Stacy Brown and her team for their hard work to make it an enjoyable and informational evening.

CALENDAR

May

- 1-31 HBA Emphasis Month - Orval Woolery Associational Missions Offering
- 4 Adult Bible Study & Music @ Calvary - 10:00 am
Adult Planning 11:30 am
Pastors Fellowship - Bandana's - noon
Associational Coordinating Team - 1:30 pm
- 5 Staff Recommendation Team - 4:30 pm
- 7 National Day of Prayer
Project Parachute - 6:00 pm
Mexico Mission Trip Meeting- Primera Iglesia Bautista - 6:00 pm
- 10 Mother's Day
- 12 Maplewood Association - 7:00 pm
Staff Recommendation Team - 4:30 pm
- 14 Kids Kamp registration deadline
- 16 Armed Forces Day
- 19 Buildings & Grounds Team - 7:00 pm
- 20 NEWS items due
- 26 Memorial Day (Holiday) Mission Office closed
- 28 Label NEWS - 9:00 am
- All meetings at Mission Office unless otherwise indicated**

Church Anniversaries

- Rob Ayers19 years, May 1
Pastor - Camp Branch
- Marlin Brown.....3 years, May 2
Administrative Pastor - FBC, Sedalia
- Duane Duchesne.....3 years, May 6
Pastor - New Hope

Birthdays

- Leroy MoonMay 2
Pastor - Providence
- John Barrett.....May 14
Pastor - Smithton
- Missionary Kid Isaiah Inman.....May 17

Thank you

A Prayer to Thank You. May God, whose love is everywhere, bless you every day for being what you always are—so nice is every way! Thank you for your donation in memory of Charlie.

The Charlie Elliott Family



Receipts from our churches

Church	March 2015	YTD
Antioch	201.36	416.40
Bethlehem	408.10	1199.44
Bethany	250.00	750.00
Broadway	176.40	487.02
Calvary	612.77	1880.03
Camp Branch	488.40	1519.38
East Sedalia	721.27	1289.73
Emmet Avenue	100.00	300.00
FBC, Sedalia	1589.58	5586.57
Flat Creek	528.52	2009.07
Green Ridge00	250.00
Hopewell	518.42	1892.69
Houstonia, FBC	234.63	978.91
Hughesville	43.76	71.72
Katy Park	1618.03	1618.03
Lamine	295.46	844.70
LaMonte00	155.69
Memorial	150.00	371.00
Mt. Herman	500.00	750.00
New Hope00	1223.07
Olive Branch	133.78	395.37
Primera Iglesia Hispana	35.00	45.00
Providence00	150.00
Sedalia Harmony	75.00	225.00
Smithton	75.00	375.00
Syracuse	100.00	200.00
Vision	233.78	497.59

Checking -Beginning Balance - March 2015.....	\$ 2,587.66
Undesignated receipts.....	9,089.26
Other receipts.....	254.77
Transfer to Designated.....	.00
Less Expenditures.....	(7,894.45)
Ending Balance.....	\$ 4,037.24

Reserve Fund — March 2015

Beginning Balance.....	\$32,387.34
Receipts.....	.00
Interest earned.....	2.21
Less Expenditures00
Ending Balance.....	\$32,389.55

Mission Trip Fund — March 2015

Beginning Balance	\$1,146.17
Receipts.....	5,593.00
Less Expenditures.....	.00
Ending Balance.....	\$6,739.17

Designated Funds - March 2015

Balance.....	\$ 8,371.15
Receipt.....	1,709.00
Expenditures.....	(1,127.85)
Transfer from General Fund.....	.00
Ending Balance.....	\$ 8,952.30

2015 required monthly receipts.....	\$ 8,288.00
March undesignated receipts	9,089.26
Amount above or (below) to meet budget	\$ 801.26



Happy Mother's Day

Mission Statement: Equipping churches in partnership to achieve healthy Kingdom growth

Vision Statement: Healthy churches on mission for Christ

“NEWS FROM OUR CHURCHES”

Antioch: Pastor Gary Palmer resigned as pastor at the quarterly business meeting in April. His last Sunday in the pulpit at Antioch was April 19. We wish Gary and Rebecca God's richest blessings on their future ministries.

Bethany: The saints at Bethany prepared for Resurrection Sunday by viewing "The Jesus Film" on Good Friday, then met for breakfast and worship Easter morning. The Men's Morning Fellowship met for breakfast and Bible study on the 18th and the Ladies Fellowship enjoyed a dinner evening out on the 23rd. We'll gather for a congregational meeting on the 26th and serve a meal at the Community Café on the 30th. Pastor Bowen will attend the "Small Town Pastors' Conference" the week of the 27th.

Bethlehem: We praise God for an Easter Sunday attendance of 213.

East Sedalia: On Easter Sunday, Rev. David Faulkner was our guest speaker and we observed the Lord's Supper. Elizabeth Carver has been volunteering as our Worship Leader and is doing a great job. We welcomed Rev. Jim Vest as our guest speaker for three Sundays in April. Messengers from East Sedalia Baptist enjoyed the Semi-Annual meeting at Katy Park. A few members attended the wonderful M&M Banquet at New Hope on April 21.

Emmet Avenue: On April 12th, we voted unanimously to call Harvey Pace as our pastor. We welcome him into the church. Our 5th Sunday fellowship dinner will be held May 31 after our morning worship service. Our church spring cleaning day with pizza served for the workers is scheduled for May 16.

FBC, Sedalia: We baptized one on March 29. We sponsored our annual Children's Easter Egg Hunt on April 4. Over 150 children participated! We served a meal at Community Café on April 6. The youth participated in the 30-Hour Famine April 9-10, and enjoyed a lot of fun and mission activities too. The youth sponsored a fundraiser at El Tapatio April 13. The money will go to the World Changers trip to Louisiana in July. We celebrated "Global Missions Connection" on April 17-19, with 13 of our Mission Partners here to share with us. There was also a church-wide progressive lunch to cap off the activities on Sunday.

Flat Creek: Easter events were a blessing to all in attendance: Good Friday, Sunrise, continental breakfast, and Sunday morning services and children's Easter egg hunt.

Katy Park: We hosted the monthly meeting of the Pettis County Ministerial Association on April 1. The men of the church prepared our annual Easter Breakfast on April 5. We hosted the HBA Semi-Annual Meeting on April 13. Our ladies had a game night on April 16, kicking off their Spring Bible Study, which began April 23. Nine boys and three adults attended the RA Congress at the Missouri State Fairgrounds on April 17-18. We served an evening meal at the Community Café on April 21. We participated in the Trails End Celebration at the Missouri State Fairgrounds on April 25 with a "Cookie Creation" booth for children to decorate their cookies. We ministered to the residents of Fairview Nursing Home in a Sunday morning service on April 26.

Lamine: We had a Singspiration at Jay and Kim Rice's House on April 26th with a barbecue and buggy rides. We had a great turnout for our Bowling Party. The Ladies of Lamine plan to go to lunch on the first Friday of each month. Ellen Hopkins made a pocket quilt hanger for Shirley and Bill Hayworth. Members wrote notes of inspiration to them. Buck and Betty Banner attended the Semi-Annual Association Meeting. We look forward to May activities: Mother's Day, school's getting out for the summer and graduations.

Memorial: MBC and four other churches were involved in a mission project with "KIDS ACROSS AMERICAN" in Golden, Missouri. KAA is a camping facility for inner city kids from all across the USA and several other countries. Seventeen individuals spent March 24-28 remodeling a deck. Twelve people returned the first weekend in April to continue working on the deck. Eleven individuals went back on April 9-11 to finish the deck and the painting project. We celebrated Easter with a Sunrise Service followed by a breakfast. The Hog Roast and Auction will be Saturday, May 2, at 5:30 pm. Proceeds will fund the Mission Trip to Inez, Kentucky in August. For more information contact Grant Newton at 660-620-4570.

Providence: We had a large attendance for the 7:00 a.m. Sunrise Service on Easter. A delicious breakfast was served at 8:00. Worship followed at 9:00 a.m. We were blessed with special music by Betty Heather at the organ, and music and song by Mike and Bobi Frisbie. We praise the Lord that our song leader, Homan Williams, was able to be with us after surgery earlier that week! We exceeded our Annie Armstrong Easter Offering Goal of \$500. Four members attended the Semi-Annual Associational Meeting on April 13 at Katy Park. We have set the dates for our VBS - July 15 - 17, with registration at the church on Sunday, July 12, at 5:30 p.m. We are accepting paper products to help "Paper the Community" on May 16, sponsored by the Ministerial Association. These will be given to the needy through Open Door Ministries. Some of our ladies helped pack boxes for Project Parachute in March. Two members to attended the M&M Banquet on Tuesday, April 21.

Sedalia Harmony: Our church had an Easter Breakfast and Egg Hunt on Easter Sunday. The WMU held their regular meeting following the morning worship service on April 12 with a pot-luck meal. A skating party was enjoyed by the whole congregation on April 18. Several members volunteered at the Open Door Thrift Store throughout the month of April. Pastor Richard Fisher resigned effective May 3. We wish Richard and Albe God's richest blessings on their future ministries in Nickerson, Kansas.

Vision: We served about 70 people at the Community Café. The youth met twice this month. They were in charge of our first Easter egg hunt. We had a great turnout for the egg hunt and we had a BBQ afterwards. On Easter we had a baby dedication and three babies were dedicated. We also observed the Lord's Supper. We volunteered at the Open Door food pantry twice this month. On the 12th we had our quarterly business meeting. The men met at Best Western for their monthly breakfast. A small group went to the dinner for Open Door volunteers on the 20th. The women met at Golden Corral for breakfast on the 25th.

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Helping One Another

Men, women, and youth from Primera Iglesia Hispana will drive to Nurio, Mexico to join seven others who will be flying. They desire to raise money for the mission trip. They will do yard work, cleaning garages, etc.



Call Santiago Carlos at 660-619-6845 to schedule work.

Semi-Annual Meeting Highlights

Attendance 52 from 17 churches. Heard reports from: "Kids Kamp" Director, and sermon by Rev. Bill McDowell.

Adult Bible Study and Music at Calvary

Monday, May 4, is our next Adult Bible Study and Music at Calvary Baptist Church, 1015 West 16th Street, from 10:00 to 11:30 am. Craig Silvey from The Embassy will be the speaker. Warren Anderson (Flat Creek) will lead the music and Judy King (Calvary) will play the piano.

Janice Daleen, Claudell Moore, and Gerry Sumners (all from East Sedalia) will provide the refreshments.

Invite a friend to come with you!

Looking Ahead

June 15-19 - Kids Kamp at Heit's Point Theme: "I Am Not Ashamed"

June 24-27 - mb125 at Skyline Baptist Church, Branson. Event Information available at www.mobaptist.org/mb125 (See page 5 for more details)

July 13 - Executive Board Meeting - 7:00 pm

mb125 Pastors' Conference

June 24-27, 2015
Branson, Missouri

Dates: June 24-27, 2015

(Wednesday-Saturday) **Location:** Skyline Baptist Church, Branson, MO

First Time Participants

- * Early Bird Registration (Tuesday, March 31) is \$99 per family
- * Basic Registration (April 1-May 31) is \$149 per family
- * Late Registration (May 31) is \$199 per family

Registration fee includes three nights lodging and most meals.

Contact information - Gary Mathes, Pastoral Ministries Specialist, or call 800-736-6227 Extension 338 or email to gmathes@mobaptist.org

E. M. Bounds says, "Prayer honors God, and dishonors self. It is a plea of weakness, ignorance, need. . . Great things for God are done by great prayer. Those who pray much, study much, love much, work much, and do much for God."

National Day of Prayer

Thursday, May 7, 2015
mobaptist.org/evangelism/prayer

Challenge to Missouri Baptist: Call a Solemn Assembly at the Capital and each county or city courthouse in Missouri. Pray for the Seven Power Centers in America: Family, Church, Education, Business, Media, Military, and Government.

Promote the event in worship services.

"Forgive us and in the power of Your great love, lift us up to live in Your righteousness. We pray for our beloved nation. May we repent and return to You and be a light to the nations."

Jack Graham, 2015 National Day of Prayer, Chairman

Resources available at
nationaldayofprayer.org

Compassion PRESENTS **THE START A FIRE TOUR**
Saturday, May 2, 2015 7 p.m. (Doors open 6 p.m.)



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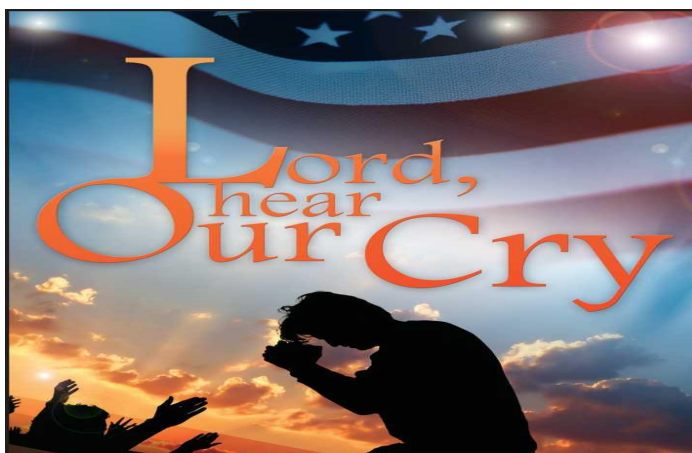
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Vacation Bible School Dates

May 31- June 5	Bethany
June 8-12	FBC, Sedalia, Smithton
June 21-25	Bethlehem
June 21-28	Doing VBS together Primera Iglesia Hispana & Vision
July 10-11-12	Memorial
July 13-17	Flat Creek, Houtonia, New Hope
	Doing VBS together Katy Park & Sedalia Harmony
July 15-17	Lamine, Providence



"Hear the cry and the prayer that your servant is praying in your presence this day." 1 Kings 8:28

Associational Emphasis Month

Prayer Guide

May 2015

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1 No Pastor Antioch	2 Craig Bowen Bethany
3 Corbett Martin Bethlehem	4 Nick Gray Broadway	5 No Pastor Calvary	6 Rob Ayers Camp Branch	7 No Pastor East Sedalia	8 Harvey Pace Emmet Avenue	9 Glenn Sparks & Staff FBC, Sedalia
10 Bill Boatman Flat Creek	11 Bill Talley Green Ridge	12 Ed Broyles Hopewell	13 Kevin Anstine Houstonia	14 Tim Smith Hughesville	15 Jon Church & Staff Katy Park	16 John Dumsday III Lamine
17 Larry Chappell LaMonte	18 Bill McDowell Memorial	19 Robert Sisney Mt Herman	20 Duane Duchesne New Hope	21 Jason McClain Olive Branch	22 Efrain Baeza Primera Iglesia Hispana	23 Leroy Moon Providence
24 Richard Fisher Sedalia Harmony	25 John Barrett Smithton	26 Harold Nicks Syracuse	27 Dave Hague Vision	28 New Church start	29 Pam Tull Custodian	30 Anita Jordan Administrative Assistant
31 Daryl Stagg Director of Missions	<p><i>"I pray for them. I am not praying for the world, but for those you have given me, for they are yours. All I have is yours, and all you have is mine. And glory has come to</i></p>				<p>HAVE YOU TALKED TO GOD TODAY?</p>	