

The Light

Churches Partnering Together to Accomplish the Great Commission

I'm encouraged by our recent mission team and evangelism team meetings. God has opened several doorways for missions to you.

Locally many churches are reaching into the community with the gospel and love of God. Outreach efforts surrounding Resurrection Sunday were fruitful this year according to the reports. The report of salvations, baptisms and church growth has been very encouraging.

You are supporting Mercy Clinic, The Dream Center, Hope Pregnancy Center (Rachel's House) and the Sweet Onion Christian Learning Center through the Acts 1:8 Calvin Durrence Mission offering. Also locally, you are engaged in church planting in our Hispanic Community as well as evangelism and discipleship at Wheeler County Prison, and your students can participate in local missions and grow deeper in their walk with Christ through your DBA Surge Camp this summer. I encourage you to lead our congregations to participate in local missions by taking up an **Acts 1:8 Calvin Durrence Mission offering in the month of May.**

Within Georgia you have the opportunity to lead your people to serve at the Baptist Center in Savannah or with NAMB in Clarkston. Decide to go and reach out and your Association Mission Strategy Team who would be thrilled to help you go experience the life of Christ on mission.

Around the United States you have opportunities to serve in New Orleans, Cherokee North Carolina and Pittsburg. This summer a trip to Cherokee is already set up. All you need to do is plug-in. A women's mission trip to New Orleans is set for November. You should call your women to be on mission and encourage your church to support your missionaries financially and with prayer. Calling your people to be on mission is calling your people to be like Jesus and follow the command of Christ. Your Association Mission Strategy Team will be thrilled to help you go experience the life of Christ on mission.

Internationally you have open doors in Mexico, India and Africa. In your DBA community you have access to godly experienced missionaries who are ready to help lead you and those you are called to disciple on the international mission field in obedience to Christ's command found in Acts 1:8.

Brother Billy

MAY IS ACTS 1:8 CALVIN DURRENCE OFFERING MONTH!



Please be in prayer for the DBA Acts 1:8/Calvin Durrence Mission Offering which many of our churches will be taking May. We are trusting the Lord for financial blessings as 100% of the offering will go for mission purposes, locally and around the world.

The DBA will gladly provide a bulletin to print out and offering envelopes. Additionally, we would be delighted to set up a local recipient of the Acts 1:8 fund to come speak on the Sunday you choose (available on a first come basis). We celebrate with you as DBA churches collect, 100% of the donation goes to support the following ministries for 2019:

For more information and offering envelopes please call our DBA office. Please make checks out to Calvin Durrence/Acts 1:8 Missions Offering.



Toombs County

Read through the Bible at Toombs County Courthouse
100 Courthouse Square, Lyons, GA,
6:30 p.m.

Please call Vicky Tillery if you would like to choose
which Bible verse to read
(912) 293-2381

Treutlen County

Cooperate Prayer will take place at the Courthouse in
Soperton
At 12 Noon

Emmanuel County

Oak Park will be having Prayer at 6:30 in City Park at the
Flag Pole.

Montgomery County

Everyone will meet at the Courthouse in Mount Vernon
for a time of cooperate prayer at 7:30 a.m.

Wheeler County

Everyone is invited to meet at the Flagpole in Glenwood
for prayer at 10:00 a.m.

#love1another



YOUTH SUMMER CAMP

Registration is now open for Surge Summer Camp
June 17-21, 2019.

Total camp fee of \$175.00 includes 4 nights, 11 meals, t-shirt, tote bag, a drawing for door prizes, and other items throughout the week.

Register here:

<https://bit.ly/2S6tonr>

**Application & Deposit due by
Friday, June 7, 2019**

If you would like to show your congregation a short, one minute video, you can view and cast from
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=J-V6dVRDPMg>



CHILDREN'S SUMMER CAMP

Registration is now open for the DBA Children's
Summer Camp
June 24-28, 2019.

Cost: \$210

Ages: 8-14

Register here:

<https://bit.ly/2n0rBUa>

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https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xq2EY_s3x7U



PASTORS ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION & LUNCH

May 13, 2019 DBA Office

Topic: Pastors Health

Discussion at 11 a.m. Homemade lunch at Noon

Marty Youngblood from GBMB will be

speaking at the lunch.

Come to one or both and bring a friend! Please RSVP so we know how much food to make.



LOCAL MISSIONS OPPORTUNITY

Brewton-Parker College is framing a NEW DORM to accommodate the many students that want to move to our area to attend college. Come out on Saturday May 11th or 18th from 8:00am - 3:00 pm to be a part of framing this new dorm. Lunch will be provided.

PRISON MINISTRY

Please continue to lift up our brothers as they minister to those in prison.

May: Bro. Ricky Cummings

June: Bro. Gady Youmans

900-N-3 Coaches:

Bro. Billy Puckett

**The prison ministry is in great need of Godly laymen to serve as coaches in the Inmate Led Bible Study on Wednesday mornings. If you are willing & able, please contact the DBA office
912-583-2713**

DENTAL MINISTRY for PASTORS

The dental van for pastors, their family, and church staff will be at the DBA office May 15-18, 2019. For more information, please call Jessica at (912)583-2713.

2019 SBC Annual Meeting

Birmingham, AL June 11-12

Register <http://www.sbcannualmeeting.net/sbc19/preregistration>

Pastors Conference June 9-10

The theme for the 2019 Pastors' Conference is "Kingdom Character" and will focus on the Beatitudes.

Speakers: Andrew Brunson, Ed Litton, Dharti Lewis, Ben Mandrell, Russell Moore, David Platt, Jimmy Scroggins, Robert Smith, Jr, Jay & Katherine Wolf & Martin Young Pastors' Conference is free

**Let's celebrate these churches that have participated financially in our cooperative effort.
We hope you are encouraged by your fellow churches that have partnered with you!**

Boiling Springs
Cedar Crossing
Cedar Crossing Hispanic
Cornerstone
East Gordon
Fairview
Friendship
Higgston
Hope
Longpond

FBC Alston
FBC Alamo
FBC Lyons
FBC Mount Vernon
FBC Soperton
FBC Uvalda
FBC Vidalia
New Corinth
Normantown
Oak Grove

Ohoopee
Providence
Rocky Creek
Smith Street
South Thompson
Stuckey
Tabernacle
The Way Hispanic
Trinity Baptist

DBA Treasurer's Report

	Budget		
	Offerings	Expenses	Net
04/30/19	20,487.86	(10,846.30)	9,641.56
YTD - 2019	48,449.99	(42,811.55)	5,638.44

WELCOME REV. DANIEL GILLIAM!

God has answered our prayers!

Rev. Daniel Gilliam has been called as pastor at Vidalia Baptist Temple. Praise the Lord!

I am thrilled that I have been called to serve as Pastor at Vidalia Baptist Temple. I look forward to serving alongside with some great people. I am excited to see what God has instore for this church. I am praying that we can be a beacon of hope to our community as we work together to further the Kingdom.

I was saved in April of 1996 and surrendered to ministry shortly after. I married my wife, Chrystal, on April 18, 1998. We have four children, three cats and one dog. I am willing to part with some of them... I'm of course talking about the animals.

From 1997 God has led me over the years to serve Him in various rolls in church ministry. In 2007 He opened the door for me to serve as Chaplain at Serenity Hospice in Vidalia, Ga. I am thankful for all God does to show His faithfulness, grace and love to me.

In His Service,
Daniel Gilliam
Romans 15:4,13



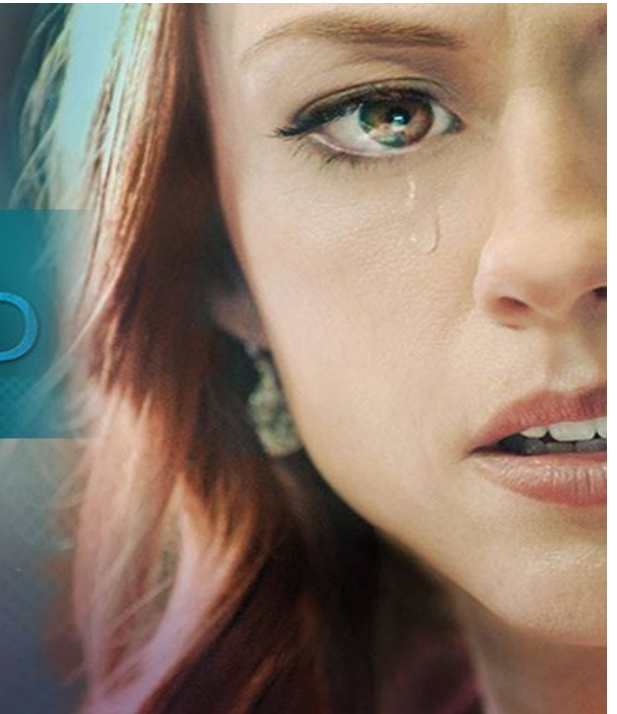
Ministry Partner News

Movie Night at the Pal
FBC Lyons & FBC Vidalia will co-host a special
viewing of *Unplanned* at The Pal Theater on
Sunday, May 5th

IN THEATERS SPRING 2019
UNPLANNED
UNPLANNED.COM

Showtimes:
4:00 p.m. & 6:15 p.m.
\$5 donation

All Proceeds go to Rachel's House
Youth and children activities will be available at FBCV
during both showings.
Sign-up at FBC Vidalia Church office.



vacation **BIBLE SCHOOL**

Bethel Baptist In the Wild

June 2-7, 5:45 pm to 8:00pm.

First Mt. Vernon In the Wild

June 2 - 7, 6 - 9 PM

Ages: 3 - Adult

Meal served each night except Friday which will be
family fun night.

FBC Lyons In the Wild

June 3-7 8:30am - 12 Noon

3 Year Old - 6th grade

FBC Vidalia ROAR!

June 10-14, 9:00am-Noon

Ages: 3 by Sept 1st - Completed 2nd Grade
Register at Kid's Bay or FBC Church Office

Tarrytown Baptist
June 22, 10am-4pm
Registration at 9am

Tabernacle Athens

Monday, June 3rd 5:30 pm-8:30 pm

Tuesday, June 4th 5:30 pm-8:30 pm

Wednesday June 6th, 6:30 pm-8:00 pm Family Day
Dinner will be served each evening.

Registration not required but highly recommended
<https://bit.ly/2GSCt0x>

Ages: Completed Kindergarten - Completed 5th Grade

Trinity Baptist Church God Always Wins

2141 Adams Street, Vidalia, PH: 912-537-2597

May 26th – 29th, 6:00 pm to 8:15 pm

We have classes for kids ages 4 years old to those who
have completed the 5th grade.

***KIDS can wear a different team jersey, shirt or any
sports related t-shirt each night of VBS if they'd like!
Come ready to have some fun with this sports themed
VBS!

"God Always Wins" is a study for children on
the GREATNESS of God in salvation! Children will
learn that God wins over everyone and everything! The
VBS lessons encourage children to not only want to be
on God's side, but also to give them an understanding of
how that is possible.

Love without limits



MISSIONS

ATTENTION: ALL CHURCHES

**are invited to partner together for a mission trip to the
Cherokee Nation of North Carolina.**

July 12-19

For Youth & Adults

Smaller children may attend if accompanied by parent/guardian

Cost: \$400 *(or less if you participate in fundraising)*

Transportation, 20 Meals, Lodging, Supplies & White Water Rafting

Missions

Cherokee Reservation Campground Evangelism

Hold Worship on Cherokee Reservation

Dinner & Games with Orphanage

Visiting & Singing with Nursing Home Residents

Much More

Visit <https://bit.ly/2TTweg8> for more information or to sign up

Or call Drew Bolin at (704) 747-3585



Cornelia Ridgedill
Curtis Wells
Wilma Wilkes
James Tippins
Juan Vallejo

Clifton Drawdy
Daniel Caraway
Chris Vinson



Rev. & Mrs. James Tippins
Dr. & Mrs. Chris Vinson
Rev. & Mrs. Allen Rae
Rev. & Mrs. Glenn Waters

Calendar

May

- 2 National Day of Prayer
- 9 Surge Counselors Meeting, 5:30 pm, DBA Office
- 11 Local Missions, 8am, Brewton-Parker College
- 13 Pastors Roundtable Discussion, 11, Lunch Noon, DBA Office
- 15-18 Dental Ministry for Pastors @ DBA Office
- 18 Local Missions, 8am, Brewton-Parker College
- 27 Memorial Day-Office Closed

June

- 7 DEADLINE FOR SUMMER CAMP REGISTRATIONS**
- 8-12 SBC Pastors Conference & Annual Meeting, Birmingham, AL
- 12-15 Women's Mexico Mission Trip
- 17-21 Surge Youth Summer Camp
- 22 Children's Camp Meeting, 10am, DBA Office
- 24-28 Adrian Children's Summer Camp

July

- 1-5 Mission Trip One
- 8-12 Mission Trip Two: Baseball Camp
- 12-19 Cherokee Mission Trip
- 18 Administrative Team Meeting

Weekly Events:

Wednesday - Wheeler County Prison Ministry, 9:00 a.m.

Would you join us in praying for the following churches
& pastors by name:

Higgston, Pastor Allen Rea
Hope, Pastor Keith Tipton
Journey, Pastor Jason Corbett
Long Pond, Pastor Joseph Siman

Commit to prayer the following churches as they seek
God's wisdom in searching for a pastor:

**Ailey, Beulah, FBC Alamo,
FBC Soperton Friendship, Int. Donnie Brown
Ohoopsee; Stuckey**

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Deadline for submitting information for the next edition of "The Light" is May 20th.