

We are just as confident in the sovereignty of our God and the advancement and accomplishment of the Great Commission as we have ever been. The eternal purpose of God and the growth and establishment of the kingdom of Christ is like the movement of the tectonic plates. Trying to stop his kingdom is futile. Our God has made an eternal covenant and promise in which it is impossible that he would be found a liar. He is the only reality in the universe that doesn't falter or break, not even the slightest fracture.

For those who love God, all the things that happen around us and to us will continue to move us onward in the stream of the eternal purpose of God in Christ. Neither life nor death nor anything in creation will stop us from reaching God's goal. God has made a covenant to bless us in Christ, what can stop him from doing so? Who can thwart his purpose for us or stay his hand?

Our faith and confidence in the eternal purpose of God frees us from fear. We can lay down our personal agenda and arrogance in order to love others and work for their blessing. God's creation needs to experience the love of Christ. As a representative or ambassador of God, His world must be loved by you. The world that God loves must be loved by His church.

With an unshakable confidence in the success of the Great Commission and a freedom from fear we can live our lives together on mission as those who are citizens of the kingdom of Christ. Our commitment to the mission will have a purifying and sanctifying effect on us. Our commitment to the mission will unify us in fellowship. Our commitment to the mission will mobilize us for the work of the gospel.

Our local partnership in the DBA is grounded in our confidence in the indomitable Great Commission. Together we pray for every home. We get Bibles to our neighbors and to the nations. We evangelize; we disciple; we pray, give and go for the sake of our king and his kingdom.

Let us be intentional and diligent in our partnership. Make the most of every opportunity my friends.





Hosted by the Daniell Baptist Association & Brewton Parker College

WHO IS THIS FOR?

Pastors Lay Leaders Discipleship Leaders Children's Leaders ANYONE INVOLVED IN MINISTRY & EQUIPPING Sunday School Worship Leaders Youth Missions

September 18th, 2020

Welcome begins at 9 a.m. at Brewton - Parker Gilder Recital Hall Morning Breakout Sessions 9:30 a.m. - Noon

Lunch Noon - 1 p.m. available for purchase at BPC Dining Hall or local restaurants

Afternoon Sessions 1:00 - 3:15 p.m.

STRENGTHEN YOUR CHURCH TO ADVANCE A DISCIPLE-MAKING MOVEMENT AT THIS ONE DAY TOTAL CHURCH EQUIPPING CONFERENCE

TEMPATURE CHECKS MASKS & SOCIAL DISTANCING ARE REQUIRED WHILE ON BPC CAMPUS

More info: dbachurches.com/spark2020

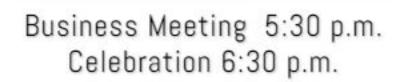
SAVE THE DATE 10 . 18 . 2020



MEETING & CELEBRATION

HOSTED BY BREWTON-PARKER COLLEGE

> 201 David-Eliza Fountain Circle Mt Vernon, GA 30445 Meeting at the BPC Lakeside Grill Celebration by the Lake



Come celebrate what God is doing with your sister churches!

WORSHIP WITH VOICES OF TRUTH CHILDCARE MISSION FAIR DINNER PROVIDED BY CORNERSTONE BAPTIST CHURCH

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Thankful that our Lord equips us to serve! Thankful for the leadership of pastor Clarence Best at Beulah Baptist Church. Congratulations to Wayne Hooks on this new appointment and opportunity to serve at Beulah Baptist.



Sweet Onion Christian Learning Center

Salvation Wednesday... yep, nothing like leading a young man in class to salvation in Christ after class today!!

Thank you to all of you who make it possible by your prayers and giving for me to be able to spend so much time teaching and sharing the Word of God to those in need!! I know I can't tag everyone who supports the Sweet Onion Christian Learning Center, but just know that the young man who gave his life to Jesus today was genuine and had been looking for answers for years!

Thank you! And to God be the Glory! Gady Youmans





Tabernacle Baptist Church, Vidalia, Georgia helped the community get ready for school. They provided clothes and 150 bags of school supplies. Striving to bless others.



Congratulations to the Best family! God is gracious and kind.Cayla Marie made her grand entry into this world at 6 lbs 4 oz 19 1/4 inches on July 25,2020



On August 2nd after church, South Thompson gave out 18 school supply bags and 2 teacher gifts! God is so good! Please pray for these children



and teachers as they get ready to go back to school!

On August 18th Calvary on Aimwell shared the the Love of Christ through food distribution! Thank God for the partnership with other churches in our community!







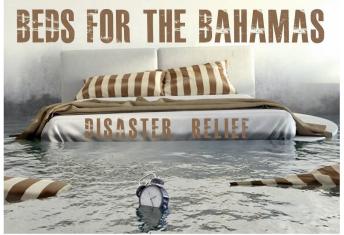
You're Invited

On September 20, 2020, gather at Tabernacle Baptist Church as we join thousands of couples in churches across North America for #MarriageNight2020. Learn from Les & Leslie Parrott Matt & Lauren Chandler **Conway & Jada Edwards Comedian Michael Jr. Register now!** https://events.rightnowmedia.org/attendee/site/2834 **Registration is required.** \$15/ticket \$30/couple Meals will not be provided; however, snacks, water, and coffee will be readily available. Childcare will not be provided. Please plan accordingly.



All Annual Church Report usernames & passwords have been sent out via Email. If you did not receive the email, please contact (912) 583-4985. Reports are due September 15th, 2020 Let's get 100%

participation this year!



BEDS FOR THE BAHAMAS

As you may know the Bahamas were devastated by Hurricane Dorian in 2019. Relief efforts continue to restore the islands homes, power, running water, and necessities. Of the many necessities, mattresses are currently needed. Currently, our mission team has been asked for: 40 Twin Sized Mattress (\$140 each) 60 Oueen Sized Mattresses (\$250 each)

We know that our family of DBA Churches would love to take up the opportunity God is giving us to show His love! If you or your church would like to make a donation for a mattress or mattresses, please forward your donation to Daniell Baptist Association P.O. Box 388 Ailey, GA 30410





Jerusalem (Local): Wheeler County Christmas Backpacks DBA Goal: 50 *****Wheeler County Backpacks must be clear***** Last year the church of the DBA donated 26 Local Christmas Backpacks **BACKPACKS** Judea (State): Appalachia Christmas Backpacks DBA Goal: 200

FOR CHILDREN AND TEENS Last year the church of the DBA donated 146 Christmas Backpacks for Appalachia Drop off: Oct. 18th at the Annual Celebration Oct. 19-21 from 10 am - Noon and 1-2:30pm at the DBA Office Find all of the information you need and downloadable, printable resources here >> 2020 Christmas Backpacks



Samaria (USA): Operation Christmas Cards for Soldiers Drop off by October 18th at 12:30 pm.

** Please help protect our troops by sending cards with NO GLITTER **

Write an encouraging note and Bible verse in a Christmas card. You can send one or one million! Individual cards should be addressed to "any Service Member" and can be signed each by their sender. Hand-made cards do not need an envelope. Otherwise, cards should have an envelope that they are sealed in. Please identify if a card is specifically for a male or female.

Please let the DBA know how many cards you and/or your church would like to pledge.

Drop off at the DBA Office no later than 2:30 p.m. on October 18th. Last year the churches of the DBA sent 1779 Christmas Cards for Troops Overseas! Our goal this year is to collect 2000!



Uttermost Parts (International): Operation Christmas Child

The DBA is excited to announce that we have 400 OCC boxes, instructions, and prayer bookmarks available for FREE for anyone who would like to pack a box! Just call or stop by the office and we will be happy to provide you or your church with as many as you need! You can also find other merchandise, free printables, and other resources here. https://www.samaritanspurse.org/what-we-do/operation-christmas-child/ Please drop boxes off to the DBA office no later than November 5th at 12:30 p.m. Last year the church of the DBA packed approximately 500 OCC Shoeboxes!



CAKES FOR BAXLEY'S CHILDREN'S HOME GOAL: 400 Cakes

Last year the churches of the DBA donated 328 cake boxes to the children at Baxley's Children's Home.

Each year the churches of the DBA partner together to provide the children at Baxley's Children's Home cakes & treats for their birthdays. Cake Boxes are available at the DBA Office

Drop Off Thursday, December 3rd, Tabernacle Baptist, 7 and 9 a.m.

We will need a couple volunteers to assist in loading the cake boxes at Tabernacle. If you are interested in serving, please contact Jessica at (912) 583-2713.



Debbie Hammons Jamie Bell Judy Tipton Margaret Tarpley Bobby Thompson Jolie McDuffie Amy Bowers Thomas Bowers Kristy Cummings



September

14 ACRs Due

18 Spark 2020 Conference, BPC, 9am

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



Rev. & Mrs. Bill Black

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Each pastor in our association and around the world struggles with physical, spiritual, and family health. Pastors, please utilize the monthly Pastor Connect to connect to and pray for each other.Everyone please commit to pray for the following pastors who are currently having physical health issues (shared with permission)

Owen Waters & Daughter Felicia, Bill Black, H.G. Ridgdill Commit to prayer the following churches as they seek God's wisdom in searching for a pastor:

Friendship, Int. Donnie Brown Ohoopee; Stuckey

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!

Alston Bethel Boiling Springs Cedar Crossing Cornerstone Faith Missionary Friendship Glenwood FBC Higgston Higgston Hope Journey Longpond Lyons FBC Mount Vernon FBC Normantown Ohoopee Providence Rocky Creek ist South Thompson Springhill Stuckey Tabernacle Tarrytown Trinity Uvalda Vidalia Baptist Temple Vidalia FBC

TREASURER'S REPORT

YTD Gen. Fund Checking

GF Cash/Hand	\$ 38,969.51
Prev. Yr. Bal. Fwd.	\$ 37,709.98
YTD Net	\$ 1,259.53
GF Expenses:	\$ 79,797.42
GF Income:	\$ 81,056.95

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