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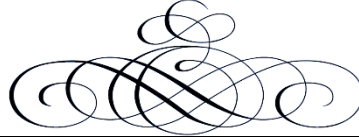


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Prayer & Welcome	Dr. Steve Echols
Call to Order	Kerry Walker
Book of Reports Adoption	Kerry Walker
Vote to Install & Prayer New Team Members	Kerry Walker
Memorials, Pastors Ordained	Kerry Walker
New Pastor Introductions & Prayer Wayne (Cindy) Rountree Cricket (Casey) Green	Bill Black
Finance Session Financial Report 2021 Proposed Budget Vote on Proposed Budget	Brandon Braddy Kerry Walker
Associational Missions Strategist's Report	Billy Puckett
Recommendation of 2021 Annual Executive Business Meeting	Kerry Walker
Blessed to Serve	Billy Puckett
Adjourn to Annual Celebration	



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2023 -

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2023 -
2023 -

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2022 -

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2023 -

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2022 -

2023 -

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Executive Committee (2020/2021)

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Alston- Doyle Waller
Bear Creek- Owen Waters
Beulah- Clarence Best
Boiling Springs- Conway Jones
Cedar Crossing - Reece Mincey
Cornerstone-Gaynor Ridgdill, Peyton Raper
Cross Timbers- Billy Folsom
East Gordon- Bruce Conner
Fairview- Glenn Russell
Faith Missionary- Jimmy Dupree
First Baptist Alamo- Adam Coker
First Baptist Glenwood- Kevin Hammons
First Baptist Lyons- Dannie Williams, John Mosley
First Baptist Mt. Vernon- Karly Hay, Laura Hay
First Baptist Soperton - Chad Cofield
First Baptist Uvalda- Adrian Bell
First Baptist Vidalia- Ricky Cummings
Grace Truth- James Tippins
Hammond- Daniel Caraway
Higgston- Dr. Allen Rea and Ashton Jackson
Hope - Keith Tipton

Journey- Jason Corbett
Long Pond- Joe Siman
Mt. Pisgah- Paul Wilkes, Jr., Lendle Hamilton
New Corinth- Emory Fennell
Normantown-
North Thompson- Joe Phillips
Oak Grove- Robbie Fowler
Ohoopee -
Primera Iglesia Bautista- Juan Vallejo
Providence- Rev. Robert Ferrell and Charles Hart
Red Bluff- Cricket Green
Rocky Creek- Bill Black
Sardis-
Smith Street- Chester Proctor, Dorothy Barrett
Snow Hill- Randell Tarpley
South Thompson- B.L. Horne
Spring Hill- Niles Dixon
Stuckey-
Tabernacle- Bobby Thompson, Drew Bolin
Tarrytown- Roy Drawdy
The Way-Joey Davis
Trinity- Chris Vinson
United Fellowship- Wayne Rountree
Vidalia Baptist Temple- Daniel Gilliam

If no names appear, a response was not received from the church, and/or the pastor's position is vacant

Messengers to the Association

Cornerstone - Ricky Hutcheson, Melanie Hutcheson, Daniel McKay, Brandy McKay, Malissa Burton
FBC Lyons - Mitch Bellflower, Mitchell Johnson,
Mount Pisgah - Heather Williams, Madison Reese
Providence - Jones and Susan Hart, and Jack and Marjorie Garvin
Rocky Creek - Lash Hayes Janice Hayes Sarah Black
Smith Street - Murline Willis, Edward Johnson

If no name appears, a response was not received from the church.

Memorials 2019 / 2020

(If church is not listed, they either had no deaths this year, or a response was not received.)

Ailey - Ellen Thompson, Ned Thompson, Anita Thompson, Mae Moncus

Cornerstone - Paul Moxley, Ricky Waldo Lynn, David Paul Crowson, Sandra Dowd

Fairview - Randy James, Lois Gillis, Debra Pittman

Faith - Ms. Earnestine Watts

FBC Lyons - Mrs. Martha Nell Powell, Mrs. Anne Bryant, Mrs. Betty Kramer, Mrs. Sarah Dickerson, Mrs. Billie Jones, Mrs. Marjorie Jones, Mrs. Brenda Kordzikowski, Mr. Sammy Craft, Mr. Lee Williamson, Mr. Adolphus Mayes, Mr. David Campbell, Mr. Mandel Edenfield

FBC Soperton - Juanita Youmans, Miriam Warnock, Mark Strange, Inez Mullis

Higgston - Anne Horne, David Swearinga, James Boone, Joyce Bailey, Mary Clifton, Grace Morris

Mount Pisgah - Mrs. Margie Barton

Providence - Johnny White, Harold Norton, James Edenfield

Smith Street - Mrs. Linda Miranda, Mrs. Mary Scott, Mr. J. D. Collins, Mr. W. Audrey Humphrey, Mr. Arlis Rigdon

Tabernacle - Billy Hester, Faye Hutcheson, Bonnie Claxton, James "Rooney" Kea, Max McKenzie, Debora Tapley, Raymond Todd, Treasure Wasdin, Jeanette Cook, Pat NeeSmith

Missions Operated by Church

FBC Lyons - El Camino Iglesia Bautista

Tabernacle - The Master's Closet 126 Jackson Street Vidalia, GA 30474

Historical Events 2019/2020

Cornerstone

Nov. 3, 2019 - Gaynor Ridgdill licensed as Minister of Gospel

July 18, 2020 - Ladies' Prayer Group started

July 26, 2020 - Rev. H.G. Ridgdill's last Sunday as Pastor

Higgston: Like most churches in our area we shutdown in person services March 22nd - July 31st due to the Covid-19 Pandemic. We began streaming services through our website and social media, which we are continuing to do now that we have opened up Sunday School classes and in person services. This is also the first year we did not hold VBS. Also, we cleaned and updated our membership list, dividing it into active and inactive lists.

Smith Street: We were impacted in many ways by the Covid-19 virus. We ordained two deacons.

South Thompson - Physical attendance at the church was suspended from March 22 thru June 1, 2020 due to COVID-19

Ministers Licensed 2019/2020

Cornerstone - Gaynor Ridgdill

Higgston - Ashton Jackson, Minister of Music and Youth

Smith Street - David Barrett

REPORTS

Annual Session Ministry Team

The date for next year's annual meeting and celebration is October 17, 2021. The location and times will be determined.

Children's Camp Report

Unfortunately, the DBA Children's Camp was not able to meet this year, due to the Coronavirus. Our dates for 2021 are June 28-July 2.

Submitted by Denise Pournelle, Team Leader

Dental Ministry Report

March 2020 Dental Project Mt. Vernon First Baptist Church

This year was another great year and we got to see God's great work through the whole week and many weeks (months) before this project took place. I give him all the credit and glory he deserves, because without him involved in this project this project would be a totally disasters. So, I thank him and appreciate all he did in providing such a great project.

This week we screened 72 pts

There were 30 cleanings provided

There were 8 fillings provided

There were 68 extractions provided

We had 3 No shows which was great, and 1 patient was not able to come back for his appt due to another appointment.

We prayed or presented the Gospel to 69 patients

We had 7 patients accept Christ through the week, so yes this was a very productive week for the Lord.

We couldn't have done this project without God putting it on the hearts of our volunteers. We had a great group of people volunteer their to work on this project this week and I am thankful for each one that participate this week, whether you came to the dental project or just prayed for us.

Our week consisted of 4 dentist, 1 Oral Surgeon, 9 hygiene student, 4 dental hygienists, and two dental assistants. Not to mention the nurses, nursing students, and other volunteers that shared their time this week. We had several pastors, deacon, lay people, and some students that shared their time to ministry to these patients and this is what is was all about.

Severing the Lords means serving others, sometimes that means sacrificing your time to serve others. If you don't understand that, it means sometimes we give up time to severe others than do something else we would rather do. I am totally gratefully for each and everyone that participated this week. It was such a blessing and I got to meet some new people and I love. My heart goes out to everyone that helped this year may God bless you for serving.

Thanks,

Melinda Gladden

Many Blessings

Missions Team Report

Mexico: Iglesia Bautista Vida Nueva with Pastor Luis and his wife Veronica are doing well but are still under strict restrictions due to Covid 19. Luis stated that the cases in Kantunilkin are rising. Recently Pastor Luis tested positive for Covid but is doing well. The church leaders and families are doing well. The church meets, but with a limited number and are using precautions. They are almost finished with children's building and are saving for the next project. Luis and Veronica stated they were doing fine, financially, and the church has been able to pay its utilities and keep running on their reserves. Please stay in prayer for them, as they have to navigate like us, how to minister to the church and the community during this time. It is actually illegal there to travel, and if one disobeys it can be up to 30 days in jail. The Hospitals in Cancun have no more room for people, and many have ignored the precautions, which has caused the restrictions. Luis and Veronica sounded very happy yet need our prayers. No plans for any trips soon until travel restrictions are lifted.

India: Pandu has put out a video asking for assistance as they need 60,000 bibles for converts, and 100,000 tracts for ministry. They have over 700 church plants and around 40 church planters. Covid has affected their country as well. The Mission team decided to send \$2500 to their Association to buy around 833 bibles. They are still growing with house churches and training pastors and are in need of tracts and bibles.

Bahamas: There is a potential to partner with Drew Bolin as he is working with a pastor there to become a Baptist Church. They are asking that we send money for Mattresses and possibly provide training when travel restrictions are lifted. The DBA Mission plans to organize with Associational churches to help strengthen a church and their leaders.

Local Outreach (Better Together): We have been working with Better Together Church to restore their sanctuary. They have also partnered with Iglesia Bautista de Cedar Crossing to help with the renovations of the Hispanic Church Sanctuary. With the help of Billy Pucket, Iglesia Bautista de Cedar Crossing, Iglesia Bautista El Camino, Better Together, and First Baptist Vidalia the kingdom of God has been demonstrated in a beautiful way as 3 cultures came together to work for the Lord and showed love and fellowship with each other. Better Together has truly been a blessing as an addition to our Association. There is still much left to do at both churches and they are in need of resources.

Real Discipleship Ministries: Real Discipleship Women's ministry will be doing a special retreat for women on October 23. The mission team decided to give \$500 to help with whatever needs they may have that weekend. We look forward to God working in the hearts of our sisters to further His kingdom.

Christmas Backpacks: 146 backpacks for Appalachia and 26 for Wheeler County were collected last year. (The goal this year is 200 for Appalachia and 50 for Wheeler County) Backpacks collected for our area are due in November 4-6 at the DBA Office.

Backpacks for Wheeler County: 27.4% of Wheeler County lives below the poverty line, this is much higher than the national average of 14%. Let's show these children the love of Christ during the Christmas season by providing them with everyday items. You can drop off backpacks at the Annual Fall Celebration (Oct. 20, 6 p.m. Brewton Parker College) or during collection week: Oct. 19-21 from 9:30am-Noon or 1:30pm-3pm Instructions for Backpacks and Supplies can be found on DBA Website.

Submitted by Joey Davis, Team Leader

Surge Youth Camp Report

Winter Surge was held February 21 and 22 at First Baptist Church of Mount Vernon. There were a little more than 100 participants including students and leaders. The Friday evening sessions focused on missions, then on Saturday the students had the opportunity to actively participate in mission activities. They served our local communities in many different ways including passing out Bibles and witnessing. Some also participated in light construction/repair work activities.

Summer Surge which has been held at Brewton-Parker College for the last 19 years was not able to meet this year. Due to the pandemic all camps were cancelled.

Submitted by Laura Hay, Team Leader

Women's Ministry Report

Foreign Missions

Kantunilkin, Mexico -- REALTribe is doing well! They continue to meet every Monday. Veronica and REAL do communicate regularly. Real Discipleship ministry sent new Bible studies.

No change/update on travel plans due to COVID

Local Missions

Joint Venture DBA & REAL Discipleship Ministries-- Date TBD
Evangelism, Discipleship and Serving a Local Church.

Submitted by Teresa Meadows, Team Leader

Associational Missionary Report

These are some of the most interesting days that I have seen. The aftermath of hurricane Katrina in New Orleans was unique, but the events of 2020 may win the prize.

Before we talk about the effects that a pandemic had on all of us, we want to remember one of the highlights of our work together each year, our Acts 1:8 Christmas. This past November and December the Acts 1:8 Christmas was a success as we came together to bless many in our area, our state, our nation and to the ends of the earth.

Shortly after a wonderful Acts 1:8 Christmas, Covid19 arrived in the USA and impacted everything. The first way that Covid19 impacted the DBA was by shutting down our mission trips. Our India trip was the first casualty. Several of our DBA leaders were poised to go to India to work with the Victory Baptist Association and Dr. Pandu Madala when the virus halted international travel. We were going to help train leaders for the 100's of new church plants that are developing in India. As the world closed its doors, it became evident that we would need to wait for another opportunity to go and continue to participate in the ministry through prayer. As time went on it was clear that nearly all mission activity outside our local area would need to wait.

Locally, in the spring, most of our DBA churches closed the church house for a time. Our faithful Lord used this time to teach us that the Church is not a building, but a community of Spirit filled disciples following Christ. During this time our spiritual leaders took counsel together, encouraged one another and continued to spread the gospel into the highways and byways of the internet and around the world. We learned many new skills this year.

Covid19 and social unrest in our country provided opportunities for our churches to engage our community and proclaim the gospel. Several of our churches brought practical relief to our area through compassion ministries such as providing food to the most vulnerable. As our communities gathered to lament over and pray about the current social unrest in our country, many of our spiritual leaders stood tall at these events and made it clear that turning to Christ and submitting to His Word is the only hope we have for healing this nation.

The spiritual life of our children and youth has been greatly impacted by the events of 2020, or maybe we should say the lack of events in 2020. Our DBA camps are so important for the spiritual development of our children and students. This summer we were not able to host our DBA Surge and Children's camps, but we are eager and looking forward to the greatest camps ever in 2021.

Our 2020 emphasis was evangelism and we enthusiastically engaged in A Prayer For Every Home A Bible In Every Home. Many were inspired and began to pray for every home in our 4-county area as well as deliver a Bible to every household who wanted to receive the Word. Beginning at last year's DBA Annual Meeting, every DBA church received a list of every home in their area. This list was used by many DBA churches to pray for the salvation of our neighbors. I was encouraged and hopeful because of the increase of prayer in our churches from October to March. Many pastors rejoiced and testified about the blessings of increased prayer within our congregations.

We led with prayer from October to March and in February we hosted evangelism training for our churches at Brewton-Parker College. In March we began the effort to provide a Bible for every home. From mid-March to the end of May we received more than 40 requests for a Bible and prayer. Unfortunately, as Covid19 brought social distancing and isolation, we were unable to deliver Bibles in person like we hoped. We mailed Bibles to those who asked and many of our pastors made phone calls to share the gospel.

The aspiration to pray for the salvation of our neighbors and to deliver the Word of God to every home has not been extinguished by Covid19. I continue to believe that a great move of God in salvation will be accompanied by a great move of prayer in the Church. This effort to increase prayer for the salvation of our neighbors and distribute the Word in our 4 counties will not stop.

In September we hosted the Georgia Baptist Mission Board's Spark Conference. Spark was an online church strengthening event that touched on every area of church life. The DBA has purchased access to Spark for all DBA churches for the next year. Make sure you have your DBA Spark login and password so that your congregation may benefit.

In 2021 our Association will emphasize discipleship. We are called to be disciples who make disciples who make disciples (that's not a typo). The goal is the increase and spread of the image of Christ in and through disciples who make disciples. Let us pursue our calling together. We move into the future with confidence in our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ and His sovereign power to work everything for the good of all those who love God, are called according to His purpose and are predestined to be conformed to the image of Christ. If He is for us, who can prevail against us? Praise the Father, Son and Holy Spirit! I am excited and looking forward to everything God will do in and through us in the upcoming year.

Submitted by Billy Puckett

DBA Report and Support Letter 2020
from Associational Mission Strategist Billy Puckett

Association members and leaders,
Your servants at the Daniell Baptist Association are praying for you and working to see the churches of the DBA succeed in partnering together to accomplish the Great Commission for the Glory of God. This is why we exist.

The Daniell Baptist Association exists to bring glory to God through facilitating partnerships between churches to accomplish the Great Commission.

The mission statement of the DBA is derived from a kingdom vision driven by God's good pleasure to reconcile all things to Himself through the blood of Christ (Col. 1:19-20). Our prayer is that each church will move toward a greater participation in the life of the association.

Consider taking these steps over the course of the next year to increase your relationship as an association of churches.

1. Revisit the church's current financial participation as a member of the DBA and increase giving from undesignated receipts by .5% or 1%.

For your convenience we provide two ways for our churches to partner financially in work of the Daniell Baptist Association:

- Checks can be mailed to Daniell Baptist Association, P.O. Box 388, Ailey, GA 30410
- Secure online donations via Paypal <https://dbachurches.com/resources/giving/>

2. As a church, commit to attend the annual business meeting and celebration each year in October.

- Each year plan ahead and redirect your Sunday evening worship service and encourage your congregation to gather and worship with their brothers and sisters from around the area.

3. Commit to pray and participate as a congregation in the activities of the association.

- Commit to pray monthly for the other member churches and their leadership. Pray for your DBA servants and for the evangelism, missions, and discipleship efforts.
- The DBA monthly newsletter is a good place to keep up with association events and news that can be shared with the church so that you can be intentional in prayer.

The DBA is working to fulfill its purpose and we want to highlight some of the actions we are taking to reach our goal.

DBA Membership

- **The Lord has increased the membership of the DBA** - Better Together Ministry became a member of our association this year and a second church has applied to join us. Both of these churches are welcome additions and contribute greatly to the strength and excellence of the DBA.

Evangelism and Discipleship

- Dental van ministry - Several of our churches came together and partnered with our Georgia Baptist Mission Board to provide our community with the Dental van ministry which annually opens up opportunities for compassion and evangelism.
- Adrian Children's Camp - Many of our churches partner together to serve at our growing Adrian Children's Camp which strives to instill in our children how much they are loved by God.
- Wheeler Prison Education Ministry - Through the Wheeler Prison Education Ministry many of our pastors and gifted teachers share the redemptive Word of God and disciple men who are incarcerated.
- A Prayer for Every Home A Bible in Every Home - The DBA evangelism team has developed a plan that supplies the churches of the DBA contact list of people in the community who are reaching out for prayer and the Word. Through the A Prayer for Every Home A Bible in Every Home strategy our churches have joined together in prayer in an effort to pray specifically for the people in every home across our 4 counties.
- Evangelism Training - In this year in which we are emphasizing and encouraging local evangelism we are providing evangelism training to our churches both through our association wide training event and providing training at each church who extends an invitation for us to come share.

World Missions

- **Missions -**
 - India - We are engaged in crusades, church planting and Bible distribution in India in partnership with the Victory Baptist Association.
 - Mexico - We are partnered with Vida Nueva church in Kantunilkin, Mexico for the sake of the gospel.
 - Bahamas - We engaged in disaster relief in the Bahamas which has resulted in a partnership with a local Bahamas church moving towards joining our international Baptist community.
 - Women's missions - New Orleans and Mexico - Our kingdom women have engaged in missions in New Orleans and in Mexico.
- **Local Partnerships** - The DBA is currently working to encourage and partner churches to engage our local community through ministry events and long-term compassion ministry. Currently we are working on literacy and afterschool programs.
- **Calvin Durrence Mission Offering** - The churches of the DBA join together financially in May of each year to support local world missions through our Association mission offering.
- **Local Hispanic Church Plants** - We are working toward the goal of sustainable Southern Baptist Hispanic churches in our area.
- **Surge Camp and Winter Surge** – A growing number of students and churches participate in our annual week-long camp in which our youth learn the importance of serving the kingdom of God and being on mission with Christ.
- **Acts 1:8 Christmas** - During the Christmas holidays our churches provide Christmas Backpacks for Appalachia and Wheeler County, Christmas Cards for US Soldiers, Operation Christmas Child shoe boxes and cakes for Baxley Children's Home.

Unity and Fellowship – We provide opportunities for the members of our Christian community to build relationships, serve alongside one another, develop friendships and partnerships.

- **Pastor Connect** – Each month we provide our pastors with an organized method and means to contact one another and pray for one another.
- **Ministry Wives events** - We create opportunities for ministry wives to connect and fellowship.
- **Round table** – We regularly provide pastors with an opportunity to break bread together and discuss topics relevant to our calling.
- **Support for local ministry organizations** – The DBA reserves tables for our leaders at fundraiser dinners for the Dream Center and Mercy Clinic and Brewton-Parker College. We also provide pastors and leaders an opportunity to play together at the Brewton-Parker College Golf tournament and fundraiser.
- **Pastor care** – We have funds budgeted which are used to provide pastors with assistance during times of personal difficulty. We want to increase this fund and be able to do more for pastors.

Without question, when churches partner together in ministry, we expand our scope and accomplish more for our King and His kingdom than when churches only work as completely separate and independent entities. The payer of your DBA leadership is that each church will embrace the opportunities provided through our partnership together and widen their vision of kingdom work by increasing their participation in the life of the DBA. Consider the description of the responsibilities of a DBA member church as listed in our association bylaws:

C. Responsibilities: Member churches of the Association are urged to take seriously their responsibilities to support the cooperative work of the Association. Member responsibilities include:

1. Reporting: Each church shall inform the Association of its annual progress by submitting the Annual Church Profile when requested by the Association.
2. Financial Support: Each church is encouraged to contribute financially to the work of the Association. It is requested that each member church include the Association in its budget on a percentage basis and give at least 3% of its undesignated receipts to the Association.
3. Fellowship and Representation: Each church is encouraged to send its full number of messengers and Executive Committee representatives to the meetings of the Association.
4. Convention Support: Each church is encouraged to contribute to Southern Baptist Convention mission causes through the Cooperative Program.

Your servants at the DBA want to be as useful as possible in facilitating the cooperative effort of our churches for the accomplishment of the Great Commission for the glory of God.

May the Lamb receive the reward of His suffering!

**Calvin Durrance Giving Restructure
from Associational Mission Strategist Billy Puckett**

Dear DBA members,

Through our Calvin Durrance Acts 1:8 mission offering each year we are blessed to be a part of the work of the Great Commission locally and abroad. The DBA is thankful that we have been able to assist several local and international ministries and churches with monthly financial support for several years through the generous giving of our DBA churches.

The Calvin Durrance Acts 1:8 mission offering is a special offering given by our DBA churches in May of every year. When the DBA began the Calvin Durrance offering, we started with a substantial lump sum of money that has enabled the DBA to annually send out more money than the offering has produced. Throughout the years, the annual offering has never generated enough money to cover the financial support that has been sent out each year to the various ministries that the offering supports. Now, that beginning cash padding has been spent and we are no longer able to continue to send out more financial support than we bring in each year.

On July 30th, 2020, the Administrative Team of the DBA reviewed and voted to restructure how the offering is distributed. The new structure for distribution will begin January of 2021. Moving forward, at the beginning of each year the Administrative Team of the DBA, with the help of recommendations from our churches, will decide how to distribute the offering taken up in the previous year.

The DBA will continue to pray, give and go in order to assist the ministries and church planting efforts which have received support from the Calvin Durrance offering. These mission efforts have included our local Hispanic church plants; international church planting efforts in India and Mexico; Mercy Clinic; The Dream Center; First Choice Georgia Pregnancy Clinic (Rachel's House); and the Sweet Onion Learning Center.

Several of our DBA churches give financial support directly to these local and international ministries. The DBA wants to increase direct support from our churches to the local ministries supported by the Calvin Durrance offering. Your DBA leadership is challenging each church to give directly to one or more of these local ministry and mission efforts. These ministries are:

The Sweet Onion Learning Center

Mercy Clinic

The Dream Center

First Choice Georgia Pregnancy Clinic (Rachel's House)

If even three churches will commit to a monthly gift of \$50 to support any one of these local ministries listed, then the DBA will actually increase its local missions giving. Please bring this opportunity before the church and let's increase our support for these local ministries.

How can you give to these ministries? Several of these ministries offer online giving or you can send a check as your financial support to:

The Dream Center

By Mail: P.O. Box 307, Vidalia, GA 30475

Mercy Medical Ministries

Online: <https://bit.ly/2F46mMU>

By Mail: 714-1 NW Broad Street, Lyons, GA 30436

First Choice Georgia Pregnancy Clinic/Rachel's House

Online: <https://rachelshouseprc.org/donate/>

By Mail: P.O. Box 2057, Vidalia, GA 30475

Sweet Onion Christian Learning Center

Online: <https://www.sweetonionclc.org/donate-now>

By Mail: P.O. Box 152, Mount Vernon, GA 30445

If you have any questions or need more information about giving directly to these local mission endeavors, please do not hesitate to contact the Daniell Baptist Association at (912) 583-4985 or daniellbaptist@gmail.com.

DBA's Acts 1:8 Strategy for 2019/2020

1. Jerusalem (DBA)

- Provided ministry teachers and partners in the Wheeler county prison.
- Provided monthly support for Mercy Clinic, The Dream Center, Rachel's House, Sweet Onion Christian Learning Center. Funds used a provided through the Acts 1:8/Calvin Durrence Offering.
- Provided Winter Camp Youth
- Provided local mission opportunities.
- Provided a Dental Van Ministry for those in need
- Provided pastor support through Minister Roundtables
- Provided Spark Conference in partnership with Brewton-Parker College
- Christmas Backpacks

2. Judea (Georgia)

- Sent 400+ cakes to the Baxley Children's Home
- Participation in Christmas Backpacks for Wheeler County

3. Samaria (USA)

- Provide Backpacks to the Appalachia area
- Operation Christmas Cards for deployed soldiers

4. Uttermost Parts (International)

- Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes

Submitted by Billy Puckett

DBA Calendar

October

18 Operation Christmas Cards for Soldiers Due
18 Annual Business Meeting (5:30 pm) & Celebration (6:30 pm), Brewton Parker College
19-21 Christmas Backpacks for Children & Teens Dropoff at the DBA office
28-30 Dental Van for Pastors & Their Wives, DBA Office

November

5 Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes Collections, DBA Office
20 RSVP for Pastors Christmas Party
23-27 Office Closed for Thanksgiving Holiday
29 - 12/6 Week of Prayer International Missions and the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering

December

11/29-12/6 Week of Prayer for International Missions & Lottie Moon Offering
3 Cakes for Baxley's Children's Home, 7am - 9am, Tabernacle Baptist
4 Pastors Christmas Party, 6:00 pm Tabernacle Baptist
18- Jan 3 DBA Office Closed for Christmas Holidays

January

18 Martin Luther King, Jr. Prayer Walk, 9:00 am, Flagpole, Gates Hall, BPC
21 Administrative Team Meeting, 5:30 pm, DBA Office
22 National Sanctity of Human Life

February

TBD Surge Winter

March

TBD Mobile Baptist Dental Van, FBC Mount Vernon

April

15 Administrative Team Meeting, 5:30 pm, DBA Office
24-25 Women's Spring Event

May

6 National Day of Prayer
31 DBA Office Closed for Memorial Day

June

13-16 Southern Baptist Convention Annual Meeting
28-July 2 DBA Children's Camp
TBD DBA SURGE Youth Camp

July

15 Administrative Team Meeting, 5:30pm, DBA Office

August

24 Find Your Sunday, Church Meet & Greet with BPC Students, 5:00 p.m. Phillips Center Lobby

September

6 DBA Office Closed for Labor Day
20 Annual Church Reports Due
17 Administrative Team Meeting

October

17 Annual Executive Team Meeting, TBD
Mission Fair, TBD
Annual Celebration, TBD

Daniell Baptist Association Financial Report September 30, 2020

Expenditures	Totals	Desg	Budgeted
Admin. & Building Expenses			
Admin. & Office Expenses			
A101 Office Supplies	\$ 229.68		\$ 1,500.00
A102 Postage	\$ 494.00		\$ 1,500.00
A103 Printing	\$ 422.10		\$ 500.00
A104 Subscriptions & Fees	\$ 949.01		\$ 1,200.00
A105 Telephone & Utilities	\$ 3,055.65		\$ 6,000.00
A106 Insurance - Building/Van/Workers Comp	\$ 3,683.39		\$ 6,500.00
	\$ 8,833.83	\$ -	\$ 17,200.00
Building / Van / Trailer Expenses			
B101 Bldg & Equip Repairs & Purchase	\$ 2,281.72		\$ 3,000.00
B102 General Maintenance	\$ 1,360.00		\$ 2,040.00
B103 Van Ministry Gas	\$ 44.11		\$ 150.00
B104 Van Ministry Repair & Maintenance	\$ 712.60		\$ 1,000.00
B104.1 Van Desgn	\$ -	\$ (150.00)	\$ -
B105 Trailer Maintenance	\$ (103.12)		\$ -
	\$ 4,295.31	\$ (150.00)	\$ 6,190.00
Department Programs			
D100 DBA Hosted Covent/Seminar	\$ 1,380.25		\$ 3,000.00
D101 Evangelism	\$ 1,851.17		\$ 5,000.00
D102 Bible/Prayer	\$ 3,945.59		\$ -
D102.3 Bibles for BPC Desg	\$ -	\$ (625.00)	\$ -
D102.4 Dental Van	\$ 750.00		\$ -
D103 Minister's Wives Ministry	\$ -		\$ 500.00
D104 Music Ministry	\$ -		\$ 500.00
D105 Women's Ministry	\$ (423.36)		\$ 1,000.00
D106 Minister's Holiday Party	\$ 309.59		\$ 650.00
D107 Flowers, Cards, Gifts	\$ 50.00		\$ 400.00
D108 Misc. Expenses	\$ (148.48)		\$ 400.00
D108.1 Misc. Expenses Desg	\$ -		\$ -
	\$ 7,714.76	\$ (625.00)	\$ 11,450.00
Missions Programs			
M100 Children's Camp	\$ -		\$ 8,000.00
M100.1 Children's Camp Credits/Expenses (Designated)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
M200 Compassion Ministry for Pastors	\$ 650.00		\$ 1,000.00
M300 Disaster Relief	\$ -		\$ 1,000.00
M300.1 Disaster Relief Credits/Expenses (Designated)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
M400 Surge Camp	\$ -		\$ 5,000.00
M400.1 Surge SUMMER CAMP Desg	\$ -	\$ (6,411.32)	\$ -
M400.2 Surge WINTER CAMP Desg	\$ -	\$ (229.31)	\$ -
M500 Missions Ministries	\$ 3,526.56		\$ 9,500.00
M500.1 Missions Ministries Credits/Expenses (Designated)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
M500.1a Bahamas	\$ -		\$ -
M500.1b Mexico	\$ -	\$ (1,226.40)	\$ -
M500.1c WV	\$ -	\$ (150.00)	\$ -
M500.1d Women's	\$ -	\$ (978.60)	\$ -
M600 Acts 1:8 Missions Transfer Fund	\$ -		\$ -
M600.1 Acts 1:8 Desgn	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
M600.1a Dream Ctr - (\$83.33/mo)	\$ -	\$ 666.64	\$ -
M600.1b Mercy Clinic - (\$83.33/mo)	\$ -	\$ 666.64	\$ -
M600.1c SOCLC - (\$150.00)	\$ -	\$ 1,200.00	\$ -
M600.1d Rachel's House - (\$83.33/mo)	\$ -	\$ 666.64	\$ -
	\$ 4,176.56	\$ (5,795.71)	\$ 24,500.00
Personel & Payroll			
(AMS) Associational Missions Strategist			
P101 AMS Salary	\$ 4,973.18		\$ 7,606.00
P102 AMS Housing Allowance	\$ 20,919.18		\$ 31,994.00
P103 AMS Christmas Bonus	\$ -		\$ 500.00
P104 AMS Ga Baptist Suppliment	\$ 784.55		\$ 1,200.00
P105 AMS Retirement	\$ 800.00		\$ 1,200.00
P106 AMS Health Savings Account (HSA)	\$ 3,333.36		\$ 5,000.00
P107 AMS Health Insurance	\$ 3,666.64		\$ 4,500.00
P108 AMS FICA BONUS (7.65% of (P101-4))	\$ 631.70		\$ 3,121.20
	\$ 35,108.61	\$ -	\$ 55,121.20
Employee Reimbursable Expenses			
P601 AMS Mileage Reimbursements	\$ 1,353.46		\$ 3,000.00
P602 AMS Conventions/Conferences Reimbursements	\$ 623.85		\$ 2,750.00
P603 AMS Hospitality Reimbursements	\$ 763.55		\$ 750.00
P604 AMS Books, Periodicals, Etc...	\$ -		\$ 250.00
P610 EA Mileage Reimbursements	\$ 300.00		\$ 600.00
	\$ 3,040.86	\$ -	\$ 7,350.00
(EA) Executive Administrator			
P201 EA Salary	\$ 10,820.50		\$ 16,224.00
P202 EA Christmas Bonus	\$ -		\$ 350.00
P203 EA Insurance	\$ 2,694.37		\$ 3,792.00
	\$ 13,514.87	\$ -	\$ 20,366.00
Other Salaries			
P300 Treasurer's Salary	\$ -		\$ 200.00
P400 Clerk's Salary	\$ 75.00		\$ 300.00
	\$ 75.00	\$ -	\$ 500.00
Payroll Tax Expenses			
P501 AMS Social Security Tax (Ref. P108)	\$ -		\$ -
P502 AMS Medicare Tax (Ref. P108)	\$ -		\$ -
P511 EA Social Security Tax (6.2% of P201-2)	\$ 667.81		\$ 1,985.49
P512 EA Medicare Tax (1.45% of P201-2)	\$ 156.92		\$ 464.35
P521.1 Cedar Crossing	\$ -	\$ 37.32	\$ -
P531.1 The Way	\$ -	\$ 12.54	\$ -
P599 Reimbursement CC & The Way	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
P599 Adujstment	\$ -	\$ 0.03	\$ -
	\$ 824.73	\$ 49.89	\$ 2,449.84
	\$77,584.53	\$ (6,520.82)	\$ 145,127.04

YTD Gen. Fund Checking	
GF Income:	\$ 81,056.95
GF Expenses:	\$ 77,584.53
YTD Net	\$ 3,472.42
P rev. Yr. Bal. Fwd.	\$ 37,709.98
GF Cash/Hand	\$ 41,182.40

YTD Assoc. Reserve Fund	
Guidestone Investment	
Prev. Date:	1/1/01
Prev. Balance:	\$33,216.24
Current Date:	8/20/20
Current Bal.:	\$36,045.27
Change:	\$ 2,829.03

Daniell Baptist Association - Cash on Hand	
General Operating Fund Cash/Hand	\$41,182.40
Associational Reserve Fund Balance	\$36,045.27
TOTAL CASH ON HAND FOR DBA	\$77,227.67
<i>Estimated 3 Months Operating Budget</i>	<i>\$36,281.76</i>
<i>Estimated 6 Months Operating Budget</i>	<i>\$72,563.52</i>

PROPOSED 2021 BUDGET

PROPOSED BUDGET 2021		2021
Admin. & Office Expenses		
A101	Office Supplies	1,000.00
A102	Postage	1,000.00
A103	Printing	500.00
A104	Subscriptions & Fees	1,200.00
A105	Telephone & Utilities	4,500.00
A106	Insurance - Building/Van/Workers Comp	6,500.00
		\$ 14,700.00
Building / Van / Trailer Expenses		
B101	Bldg & Equip Repairs & Purchase	3,000.00
B102	General Maintenance	1,140.00
B103	Van Ministry Gas	150.00
B104	Van Ministry Repair & Maintenance	1,000.00
B105	Trailer Maintenance	
		\$ 5,290.00
Department Programs		
D100	DBA Hosted Covent/Seminar	1,000.00
D101	Evangelism	5,000.00
D103	Minister's Wives Ministry	500.00
D104	Music Ministry	250.00
D105	Women's Ministry	500.00
D106	Minister's Holiday Party	500.00
D107	Flowers, Cards, Gifts	200.00
D108	Misc. Expenses	200.00
		\$ 8,150.00
Missions Programs		
M100	Children's Camp	7,000.00
M200	Compassion Ministry for Pastors	1,000.00
	Pastors Training & Development	500.00
M300	Disaster Relief	-
M400	Surge Camp	5,000.00
		\$ 21,500.00
Personel & Payroll		
	(AMS) Associational Missions Strategist	
P101	AMS Salary	7,606.00
P102	AMS Housing Allowance	31,994.00
P103	AMS Christmas Bonus	500.00
P104	AMS Ga Baptist Supplement	1,200.00
P105	AMS Retirement	1,200.00
P106	AMS Health Savings Account (HSA)	5,000.00
P107	AMS Health Insurance	5,500.00
P108	AMS FICA BONUS (7.65%) of (P101-4)	3,159.45
		\$ 56,159.45

Employee Ministry/Reimbursement Expenses		
P601	AMS Mileage Reimbursement	2,000.00
P602	AMS Conventions/Conferences	1,000.00
P603	AMS Hospitality	1,000.00
P604	AMS Books, Periodicals, Etc...	-
P610	EA Mileage Reimbursments	600.00
		\$ 4,600.00
(EA) Executive Administrator		
P201	EA Salary	16,549.00
P202	EA Christmas Bonus	350.00
P203	EA Insurance	3,792.00
		\$ 20,691.00
Other Salaries		
P300	Treasurer's Salary	200.00
P400	Clerk's Salary	300.00
		\$ 500.00
Payroll Tax Expenses		
P501	AMS Social Security Tax (Ref. P108)	
P502	AMS Medicare Tax (Ref. P108)	
P511	EA Social Security Tax (6.2% of P201-2)	1026.04
P512	EA Medicare Tax (1.45% of P201-2)	239.96
		\$ 1,266.00
TOTAL BUDGET		\$ 132,856.45

