

August 2022

The Light



The Nation's Largest Total Church Equipping Conference

We've assembled a diverse team of practicing leaders prepared to give you best practices in their field of expertise. Every part of the gathering - from our keynote speakers to our SPARK breakout sessions - has been intentionally designed by our team to equip and inspire your leaders. Make plans now to join us online for #SPARKcon2022!

Who is this for? Anyone involved in ministry and equipping!

- Pastors
- Lay Leaders
- Discipleship Leaders
- Childrens' Leaders
- Student Pastors
- Worship Leaders
- Missions Coordinators
- Sunday School Directors

Attend online or at one of our 5 live event gatherings!
Whether you can attend at one of our event locations across Georgia or you can only attend online, Spark Conference has you covered!

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FOR MORE INFORMATION &
SPEAKER LINE UP

<https://www.thesparkconference.com/>

Northwest Region

First Baptist Church Alpharetta, GA Sat., Aug 20

Central Regions

Second Baptist Church Warner Robins, GA Sat., Aug 6

Northeast Region

Christ Place Church Flowery Branch, GA Mon., Aug 29

Southwest Region

Byne Memorial Baptist Church Albany, GA Sat., Aug 20

Southeast Region

First Baptist Church Douglas, GA Sat., Aug 13



Annual Report

All churches have been emailed their Annual Church Reports
along with a helpful “How To” Video

Please complete & return the ACR by September 15, 2022

If you have not received the report for your church, please contact Jessica
(704) 689-3622 daniellbaptist@gmail.com

**ALL PASTORS WHOSE CHURCH COMPLETES THEIR ACR
WILL RECEIVE A FREE GIFT!!**

Why complete your ACR?

Completing the Annual Church Report can help your church:

- Record an historical testimony to the work that God is doing in and through your congregation
- Provide trends and illustrate change in areas like membership, baptisms, small groups and giving
- Aid a pastor search committee to review church information
- for prospective candidates from any congregation in the Southern Baptist Convention
- Plan for classroom growth and meeting space analysis
- Provide financial information over long periods of time which can help secure a building loan
- Determine the number of messengers to the GBC and SBC annual meetings based on membership and missions giving

Completing the Annual Church Report can help your association, state convention and Southern Baptist Convention:

- Plan for new church starts and missions
- Develop strategies to strengthen churches
- Prioritize areas in the state/nation for strategic evangelism efforts
- Identify church staff and lay leadership for possible training, leadership opportunities and conferences



DBA Team Members are needed for the following teams

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| • Collegiate | • Nominating |
| • Credentials | • Trustee |
| • Finance | • Surge Youth Camp |
| • Minister's Wives | |

DBA Officers Needed
Assistant Treasurer

Any DBA church member is welcomed to be nominated to serve. Please email your nominations to
daniellbaptist@gmail.com by September 15, 2022.



Find Your Sunday Event at BPC!

Join us in welcoming the students of
Brewton-Parker College on August 23rd, 2022.
Location: Lobby of the Phillips Student Center at
Brewton-Parker College

What is it?

Find Your Sunday is an event for churches to
introduce themselves to the students of BPC and for
students to find a place to connect on Sundays!

What should we bring?

You are under no obligation to bring anything at all,
however, the students would certainly be blessed if
you provide a bit of literature about your church,
with information including your church's address
and meeting times.

You can also win the hearts of students with snacks,
helpful items for college students (like laundry
detergent and school supplies) or just something fun
that a college student would enjoy (wristbands,
magnets, T-shirts, and welcome baskets).

How do we get involved?

If your church would like to participate, please
communicate your interest to the DBA **NO**
LATER than August 16th, so we may secure a
table and spot for you. You can let us know via
email daniellbaptist@gmail.com or call/text Jessica
at (704) 689-3622 or Billy at (912) 347-0053

CHANGES IN THE DBA

We are excited to announce that Jessica Bolin,
Executive Administrator for the DBA, will continue
to serve remotely from NC. She will continue to
serve the DBA in the same capacity with a few
changes.

The best way to reach us:

Jessica Bolin

Email: daniellbaptist@gmail.com

Call or text (704) 689-3622

Billy Puckett

Email: bpuckett@bpc.edu

Call or text (912) 347-0053

If you need to stop by the office, please call or text
Billy to set a time. If you have any questions, please
do not hesitate to reach out to us, we are here to
serve the churches of the DBA!

ADMINISTRATIVE TEAM MEETING

SEPTEMBER 22, 2022, 5:30 PM

DBA OFFICE

**All Ministry Team Leaders & Team
Members Should Attend**

Important Business Dates 2022

Team Budget Proposals Due: August 15
Annual Church Reports Due: September 15
Nominations Due: September 15
Team Reports for Book of Reports Due:
September 15

Churches of the Daniell Baptist Association Gather Together for the 2022

ANNUAL CELEBRATION & BUSINESS MEETING

OCT **16** 2022
Celebration at 6:00 p.m.
Meeting at 7:00 p.m.

First Baptist
Church of
Soperton

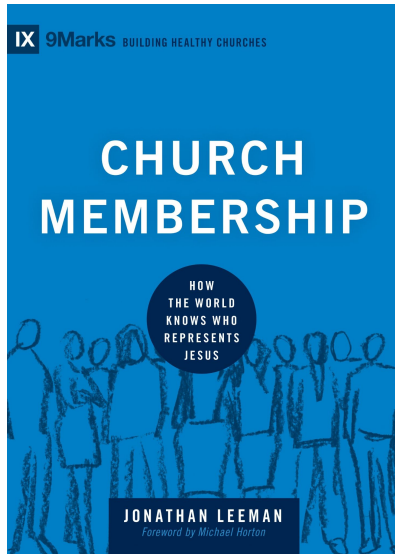
DBA WIDE
FELLOWSHIP MEAL
5:00 PM

LET US KNOW YOUR
CHURCH WILL BE
REPRESENTED



PASTOR'S ROUNDTABLE

We are excited about the **Pastor's Roundtable** gatherings this Fall. Together we will read and discuss the book, *Church Membership: How the World Knows Who Represents Jesus*, written by Jonathan Leeman. This is a much needed refresher on the doctrine of ecclesiology (the church).



The book is free to all DBA pastors who request one, regardless of whether they participate in the Roundtable discussions. We want all DBA pastors to read this book and think on this subject. Request a copy of *Church Membership* via email, text or call at daniellbaptist@gmail.com or (912) 347-0053.

We will meet 4 times this Fall.

Mondays: All in person meetings will be at 11:30am on Mondays. Lunch will be provided.

Locations: Several of our DBA member churches have agreed to host our Roundtable talks this Fall so we can visit and enjoy good fellowship at different locations.

The dates and locations are listed below so you can get them on your calendar.

August 29 at Harmony Baptist Church in Soperton

September 19 at First Baptist Church in Lyons

October 24 at the DBA office in Ailey

November 28 at Trinity Baptist Church in Vidalia

For our many **DBA bi-vocational pastors**, and others pastors who are not able to attend the in person meetings, we will gather together online via **Zoom** on these same dates, **Monday evenings at 6pm** to discuss the important subject of church membership. We will email all pastors the link for the Zoom meetings.

Our prayer is that God will use these times of camaraderie to grow, edify and strengthen the pastors and the churches of the DBA. Call or email the DBA leadership with questions about this opportunity.



GREEN TURTLE CAY MISSIONS

The work to build the church, in structure and hearts, continues in Green Turtle Cay, Bahamas. Construction of the church building continues to advance, while the family of believers in GTC becomes stronger and grows.

If you would like information on becoming involved in this mission, please contact Bro. Billy Puckett at bpuckett@bpc.edu or (912) 347-0053





REAL ARROWS

LET YOUR LIGHT SHINE

MATTHEW 5:16

Arrows is one of our favorite things!
High School to College young women
experience the beauty of true Biblical
discipleship.

This program is designed to equip you for
the next phases of your life.

Bible Study.Prayer.Missions.Adventure

To join, please contact us:

Email -realwministry@gmail.com

Candi Newton- 912-293-0539

Teresa Meadows- 912-293-5631

Donate: Pay Pal @[real3437](#)



Meetings will be the 1st and 3rd Monday of each month at
FBC Vidalia Student Center

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Grace and Peace to you in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ. I am writing this letter to share with you about an exciting outreach we are doing for the Hispanic Community in and around our area and we desire you to partner with us to help us reach the unchurched and those who need Christ. On September 24th and 25th in the evenings we will be doing a rodeo at the Toombs County Ag Center, to give the Hispanics an opportunity to do something fun with their families but also as an avenue to share the gospel of Christ with them. The event will be 2 nights and we plan on having games, information tables, and competitions with prizes. There will also be a special breakfast and “Stud Talk” for any of the men who are helping with the event.

We have contracted with Dr. Lew Sterrett to come down and do “Sermon on the Mount”. He will be teaching the gospel and living for God by using horses as a teaching tool. He has many years of experience and has done his program with Hispanic groups before. Matthew Henley and I have been praying and preparing for this since the beginning of the year and with your help and your prayers we it can be the beginning of a bigger harvest. ***I am asking as a brother and fellow worker in Christ would you/your church please consider helping and being involved?***

El Rancho Del Senor
Psalms 50:10-11,23

Location

523-529 Quint Shrine Rd, Lyons, GA 30436

Time

Saturday 4-8 p.m.

Sunday 4-8 p.m.

What help we need

- Financial need (\$7000 of \$10,000)
 - \$3000 food, supplies, gifts (given by DBA missions team)
 - \$7000 for Dr. Lew Sterrett, housing, food, helpers.
- Greeters giving out information bags.
- Parking attendants
- People to prayer walk Hispanic Communities up until event. (Prayer groups).
- People to hand, post, share Rodeo handouts.
- Need someone who has horses or ponies for kids to ride.
- Help with Audio/Dj show.
- Cookers and kitchen workers for food for event.
- Parenting and marriage resources, books. or pamphlets in spanish. (Biblical).
- Pre Show activities-pictures, ticket booth, games for kids
- Help with cows for cow chasing, sheep for mutton busting, and anyone who can do barrel races. (prizes will be given).
- Anyone know bullfighters or riders we could connect with.
- People to hang around after for afterglow and connecting Hispanics to church.

Thank you dear family,

Joey Davis

912-246-5657



¡Todos al rodeo!



Fecha: Septiembre 24 y 25

Tiempo: 4:00-8:00 p.m.

Dirección: 523-529 Quint Shrine Rd,
Lyons, GA 30436

Contacto: Joey Davis
telefono: 912-246-5657.

Precio:

\$5 Adultos (12 y mayor)

\$3 niños (0-12)




DIVERSION
FAMILIAR,
COMIDA,
JUEGOS Y
MÁS



Sermón de la Montaña



Descubre lecciones para la
vida y el liderazgo desde el
lenguaje del caballo
con el Dr. Lew Sterrett





We have the honor of praying and being a part of the work the Lord is doing in India! Victory Baptist Association's Evangelistic Crusade will take place January 8-10th, 2023 and the New Church Leadership Training will take place January 11-13, 2023.

Please join us in praying for our brothers and sisters from VBA, the DBA, and others as they undertake this overwhelming, but divinely appointed task of sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ with a country that is 79.8% Hindu and 14.2% Muslim, 3.6 other, and only 2.4% Christian.

Please pray for the government to continue to allow the work to be done, that hearts will be opened, that lives will be saved, and that the missionaries will have strength, endurance, clarity, and wisdom from our Lord.



Please consider making a donation.

During the crusade, we expect the Lord to save the lost. Each of these new believers will need a Bible that they can read and study, just as you did when you were welcomed into the family of Christ. A Bible costs \$3.80 (USD) and has eternal effect.

Following the Crusade, a New Church Leadership Training will take place to equip the leaders of the house churches that will begin. This 3-day intensive training includes materials and meals for the leaders. In the past, Pandu has funded this personally and through personal loans, but we have the opportunity To lighten his burden! Please prayerfully consider financially supporting the training. Currently, there are 1700 house churches planted by VBA, with 500 small house churches added from this year's crusade.



If you feel so led, donations can be made online: <https://dbachurches.com/mission-india/> or by check. Checks can be mailed to

Daniell Baptist Association, PO Box 388, Ailey, GA 30410

Please indicate whether you would like the donation to go toward India Bibles, India New Church Leadership Training, India Crusade, or India: wherever it is needed most. Thank you!

If you would like Bro. Pandu to visit your church next time he is in town, please email daniellbaptist@gmail.com

To learn more about Victory Baptist Association, her mission, history, and ministries, please visit: <https://vbaindia.org/>

An Acts 1:8 Christmas



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

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 **Please give Billy a call to set up a time to pick up boxes**

Drop Off Thursday, December 1st, Tabernacle Baptist, 7-9 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 (704) 689-3622.



Christmas Backpacks

DBA Goal: 200

DROP OFF:

Annual Fall Celebration Oct. 16th

At the Daniell Baptist Association Office:

October 24th 8:00 am - Noon & 1:00 pm - 4:00 p.m.

October 26th 8:00 am - Noon & 1:00 pm - 4:00 p.m.

October 28th 8:00 am - Noon & 1:00 pm - 4:00 p.m.

Find all of the information you need and downloadable,

printable resources here >> <https://dbachurches.com/christmas-backpacks/>

The Amazing Journey of a Shoebox Gift Begins with You and Results in Evangelism, Discipleship, and Multiplication.



The DBA is excited to announce that we will have OCC boxes by September 1st, instructions, and prayer bookmarks available for FREE for anyone who would like to pack a box! **Please give Billy a call to set up a time to pick up preprinted boxes**

You can also find other merchandise, free printables, and other resources

<https://www.samaritanspurse.org/what-we-do/operation-christmas-child/>.

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DANIELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION OFFICERS

Moderator	Karl Hay
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Treasurer	Luis Gonzalez
Assistant Treasurer	
Historian	Christine Speegle
Parliamentarian	Chester Proctor
GBC Representative	Karl Hay
Associational Missionary Strategist	Billy Puckett

Officers Needed: Assistant Treasurer

DANIELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION MINISTRY TEAMS

CHILDREN'S CAMP

Denise Pournelle (FBC Soperton)
Margaret Pournelle (FBC Soperton)
Jason Corbett (Journey)

MISSION MINISTRY TEAM

Kerry Walker (Harmony)
Chris Vinson (Trinity)
Thomas Bowers (Tabernacle)

COLLEGIATE MINISTRY TEAM

Steve Edwards (Brewton Parker College)
Scott Morrison (FBC Vidalia)
Luis Gonzalez (Ailey)

MINISTER'S WIVES MINISTRY TEAM

Katy Puckett (FBC Vidalia)

CREDENTIALS MINISTRY TEAM

Dannie Williams (FBC Lyons)
Ben Clark

RESOLUTIONS MINISTRY TEAM

Paul Wilkes (Mount Pisgah)
Chris Vinson (Trinity)

FINANCE MINISTRY TEAM

Luis Gonzalez (Ailey)

TRUSTEE MINISTRY TEAM

Chad Cofield (FBC Soperton)

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Georgia Baptist Mission Board Contacts



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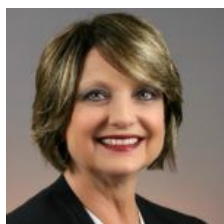
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CALENDAR

AUGUST

7 SBC Send Relief Sunday
 14 SBC Serve Sunday
 23 Find Your Sunday, BPC, 5PM
 28 SBC Global Hunger Sunday
 26 Pastor's Roundtable at Harmony Baptist, 11:30 am

SEPTEMBER

12 Pastors Roundtable, DBA, 11AM
 15 ACR's Due
 17 SBC Children's Missions Day
 19 DBA Pastors Roundtable at FBC Lyons, 11:30 am
 22 Administrative Team Meeting, DBA, 5:30 pm

PRAYER

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

**East Gordon, Interim Dannie Gilliam ~ FBC Vidalia, Interim Steve Echols ~
 Friendship, Interim Walter Jarrell ~ Higgston ~ New Corinth ~ Normantown ~
 Ohoopee lead by Johnny McCullah ~ Rocky Creek ~ Stuckey ~ Vidalia Baptist Temple**

Also, please be in prayer for Bro. Billy. He ruptured this patella and had to have surgery to reattach it. He would be grateful and blessed to be put on your church's prayer list

**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	Journey	Tabernacle
Beulah	Longpond	Tarrytown
Boiling Springs	Mount Vernon FBC	Trinity
Cedar Crossing	Providence	United Fellowship
Fairview	Rocky Creek	Uvalda
Faith	Smith Street	Vidalia FBC
Higgston	Soperton FBC	
Hope	Springhill	

YTD Gen. Fund Checking	
GF Income:	70,456.59
GF Expense	71,294.75
YTD Net	
Budgeted Exp	(838.16)
Excess Funds	0.00
Prev. Yr. Bal. F	35,537.52
GF Cash/Hand	34,699.36

Please note that participation quarterly, biannually, or annually will be listed in the month it was received.

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