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The Light

The Daniell Baptist Association is churches partnering together to accomplish the Great Commission to the Glory of God!

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What is YOUR calling?

Ephesians 4:11-13

And He gave some as apostles,
some as prophets, some as
evangelists, some as pastors and
teachers, for the equipping of the
saints for the work of ministry, for
the building up of the body of
Christ; until we all attain to the
unity of the faith, and of the
knowledge of the Son of God, to a
mature man, to the measure of
the stature which belongs to the
fullness of Christ.

Why do we engage in Missions?

Our goal is more Jesus Christ. More Christ in the world. More Christ in me and more Christ in my neighbor. Evangelists pursuing Christ in the lost. Pastors pursuing Christ in their flock. Teachers pursuing Christ in their students. All of us together pursuing Christ until Christ is in all and fills all things (Eph. 4:10).

DBA ANNUAL CELEBRATION Report!

Our Annual Celebration was hosted by First Baptist Church Mt. Vernon on October 15th! We had a great turnout and a wonderful time of food, fellowship, and a time of hearing about all of the many great things that God has done through the churches of the DBA this past year!

If you were unable to make it, please click on this link:
[DBA Annual Celebration 2023](#) to see a recording of the meeting!

The Program Included:

Our Faith Family

- Introduction of Selena Hutcheson
- Celebration of the ministry of Dannie Williams
- Celebrate our New Pastors
- Remembering saints who have gone home

Missions – Our neighborhoods

- The Calvine Durrence Mission offering Report
- Ray of Hope, Gaynor Ridgdill, Cornerstone
- WCF Prison
- Brewton Parker College, Steve Echols
- Children's Camp, Selena Hutcheson, Smith Street

Our State and Nation

- Tiny House
- Praetorian Project, Jack Rountree, FBCL
- Baxley Children's Home Cakes

The Nations

- Operation Christmas Child
- India
- Bahamas, Thomas Bowers, Tabernacle



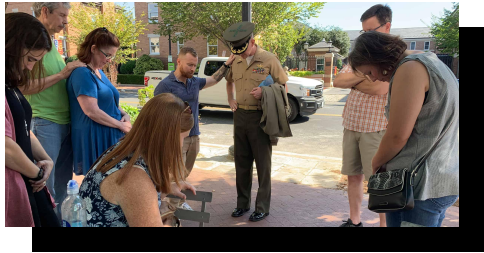
~ Annual Celebration 2023 ~
Look what the Lord has done!



Dannie and
Gwen Williams



Armor of God Camp with Ray of Hope and others



Praetorian Project – Church Planting – NAMB



Green Turtle Community Church



India Church Leadership Training



Pastor Chad Ritchie at FBC Mt. Vernon



Pastor Justin Weaver at New Corinth

**Welcome
New Pastors!**



Pastor Thomas Rhodes at East Gordon Street



Pastor Larry Perkins at United Fellowship

An Acts 1:8 Christmas



Gospelizing over the holidays!!

CAKES FOR BAXLEY'S CHILDREN'S HOME

GOAL: 400 Cakes

Cake Boxes are available at the DBA Office.



**Please give Selena a call at: 912-293-7760 to
schedule pick up!**

Drop Off:

Date: Thursday, December 7th

Place: Tabernacle Baptist

Time: 7-9 a.m.

(The van leaves PROMPTLY at 9:00)

PACKAGING INSTRUCTIONS:

- **Wrap the contents inside the box with Saran Wrap**
- **Then wrap with aluminum foil (They will be frozen until used)**

PRINT ON THE OUTSIDE OF THE BOX!!!:

- **A description of the contents (and whether they include Peanuts)**
- **Your NAME and your Church NAME**

CHRISTMAS BACKPACKS

FOR CHILDREN AND TEENS



UPDATE!

MISSION GEORGIA BACKPACK PROJECT!

“How” changes but “why” never does.

The Georgia Baptist Mission Board is **NO LONGER** sending backpacks to the Appalachian Christmas Outreach. Instead, Mission Georgia is encouraging GA churches, associations, and regions to be involved in distributing backpacks locally to share the gospel with children, teens, and families. Every backpack that is created and given will help personalize the love of Christ for someone who needs to know His love!

The DBA is connecting with local DBA churches and national ministry partners to distribute these blessings for the spread of the gospel this Christmas.

**BE ON THE LOOKOUT FOR INFO ABOUT
HOW THIS MINISTRY WILL WORK IN 2024.**





Imago Dei Missions

Supporting Foster, Adoptive, Guardianship, and Kinship Caregivers

Imago Dei Missions is a local ministry opportunity located in Lyons, Georgia. You may find out more about them on Facebook or through their website:

Click on this link: [Imago Dei Missions](https://www.facebook.com/ImagoDeiMissions/)

Providing Cost-Free Clothing & Essentials For Foster, Adoptive, Guardianship, and Kinship Caregivers



Cost-Free Clothing

Our organization offers a unique opportunity for caregivers to access cost-free clothing for the children under their care. In addition to restoring dignity to those in need, this service provides significant financial relief to the caregivers who have generously opened their doors to these children.



Ashley Martin and Mandy Johnson



Essential Care Items

We offer a range of non-clothing essentials, vital to the proper care of children in need, spanning from infants to teenagers. These necessities include but are not limited to diapers, wipes, toiletries, baby supplies, and accessories.

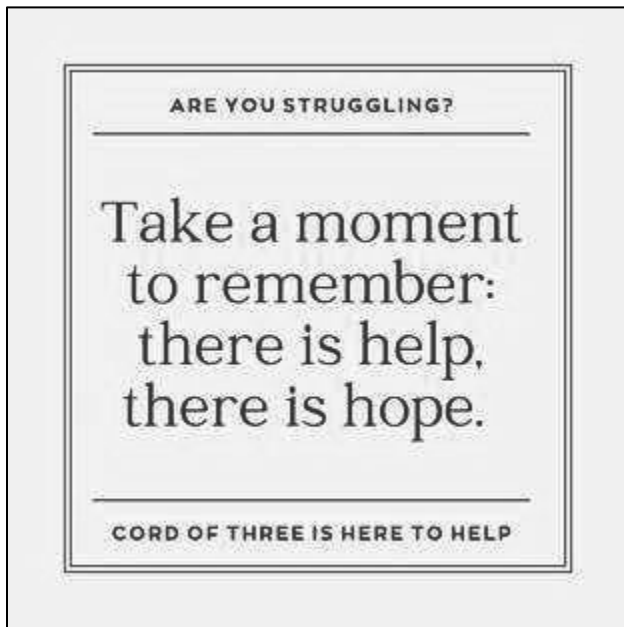


This is an excellent opportunity for **YOUR CHURCH to partner with a ministry that is on the frontlines of Kingdom work! **Matthew 25:35-36****

**If you would like to donate money or items, you may send them to
DANIELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, Designated: Imago Dei**



Cord of Three Counseling Services is a Christian based counseling agency committed to working to preserve the institution of the family and to bring hope and emotional healing to those individuals in crisis. In Ecclesiastes 4:12, Solomon writes "a threefold cord is not quickly broken." This scripture has become the vision of the agency. Cord of Three recognizes that in order to bring emotional healing to the families we serve, a team of three is necessary - God, the agency, and the client.



Contact

Contact info

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!! ATTENTION PASTORS !!

In partnership with Georgia Baptist Mission Board, **Cord of 3** offers counseling to our DBA Pastors and church staff. Our Georgia Baptist Convention covers the cost for the first eight counseling sessions. Those who serve the Bride of Christ go through troubled and deep waters too. We love our overseers and want them to flourish. Meeting with **Cord of 3** is a great way to win.

Cord of 3 is also a wonderful resource for ALL members of our faith family. They are ready to serve as a means through which our Lord might bring healing. We encourage our DBA church leaders to point church members to **Cord of 3** for counseling.

For More Information, Click on this link: Cord of Three Counseling



GEORGIA BAPTIST BIBLE INSTITUTE



The Georgia Baptist Bible Institute of Brewton-Parker College is a collaborative effort with the local Baptist Associations which provides Biblical and Ministry training for pastors or lay persons who desire to increase their effectiveness in ministry and pursue a college education.

The DBA is partnering with Temple Baptist Theological Seminary to offer undergraduate college level Christian Studies courses to our DBA faith family!

When:

BEGINNING Monday, January 8th and finishing on Monday, April 8th
Classes will be held each Monday from 6:00 - 8:30 p.m.

Where:

First Baptist Church Vidalia
(Thanks to FBCV for hosting)

Course Name:

CHR 100 Intro to Biblical Worldview

Anyone who desires to be a student should express their interest by contacting the DBA at daniellbaptist@gmail.com or by calling Billy at: 912-347-0053

Each student must fill out the online application at:

www.apply.GBBI.bpc.edu

Faithfully Providing Ministry Training – committed to the BFM2000

- The Program is designed to support pastors and churches
- Courses are geared toward Ministry Training
- Professors are serving in ministry and approved by Brewton-Parker College

Admission Requirements:

- designed for the non-traditional or returning student.

A high school diploma or equivalent
– transcript must be sent to BPC
Five years post high school
Two years of work experience

Affordable and Accessible

- committed to making ministry training affordable and flexible.

- Semester length courses – one session per week
- All courses are provided in-seat at a local site
- \$150 per course (with one-time application and registration fee.)
- Fully Accredited College Credit – up to 27 credit hours

How to Apply and Register:

Apply online for the GGBI program at apply.gbbl.bpc.edu

Register for your class online or complete the form provided by your GGBI site leader or professor.

GGBI Sample Courses:

CHR 100 Intro to Biblical Worldview
CHR 101 Intro to Old Testament
CHR 102 Intro to New Testament
CHR 200 Biblical Hermeneutics
CHR 210 History of Christian Thought
CHR 220 World Religions
CHR 250 Formation for Ministry

CHR 314 Five Books of Moses
CHR 320 The Synoptic Gospels
CHR 322 Epistles of Paul
CHR 352 Ministry of Preaching
CHR 353 Biblical and Servant Leadership
CHR 417 Christian Theology
CHR 431 Baptist History

Tuition: \$150 per course (Inquire about available scholarships)

Apply Now: apply.GBBI.bpc.edu

For information on BPC - bpc.edu and for TBTS - temple.bpc.edu



God continues to move in India! Please be in prayer for the coming crusade in January!



Good News for All
VICTORY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
Evangelistic Crusades-INDIA



Continue to Pray: For The Victory Baptist Association, Dr. Pandu Maddala and the spread of the gospel in India. **Pray for our DBA pastors and leaders who are going to India in January: Bobby Thompson - Dannie Williams - Matthew Hendley**

Consider: Purchasing Bibles for Pandu to distribute. \$3.25 per Bible. Money can be sent to the Daniell Baptist Association, designated Bibles for India.

Encourage: Your faith family and let them know that God is using them to accomplish a good work in India.

Missions around the world! The thought that God would give us the opportunity to participate in the salvation of literally thousands of Muslims and Hindus in the country with the highest concentration of unreached people groups in the entire world, is mind blowing. <https://joshuaproject.net/unreached/1>

Want to know more?

Billy would be delighted to come on a Sunday or Wednesday and share an encouraging word about the mission work in India. **Contact Billy at 912-347-0053 or daniellbaptist@gmail.com**

What's left in.....

2023

NOVEMBER

12-14 GBMB Annual Meeting, Church on Main,
Snellville, Georgia

27 Pastor Fellowship Lunch at 11:30am at
FBC Mount Vernon

DECEMBER

4 Pastor's Holiday Christmas Party

7 Cakes for Baxley's Children's Home,
Tabernacle Baptist Church, 7am-9am

What's coming up in.....

2024

January

15 – MLK Prayer Walk and Celebration

18 – Administrative Team Meeting

28-30 – VBA India Crusade

31 – Feb 2 – VBA Church Leadership Training

TBA – Pastor Fellowship

February

16-17 – Winter Surge Weekend

TBA – Pastor Fellowship

March

3-10 – Annie Armstrong Easter Offering Emphasis

TBD – BPC/DBA Church Strengthening Conference

TBA – Pastor Fellowship Lunch

April

TBD - DBA/TBTS Church Strengthening Conference

TBA – Pastor Fellowship Lunch

May

2 – National Day of Prayer

DBA Calvin Durrence Acts 1:8 Offering

June

7-13 Southern Baptist Convention

24-28 – DBA Adrian Children's Camp

July

TBD – Summer Surge Weekend

August

TBA – Pastor Fellowship

TBA – BPC Church Student Meet and Greet

September

TBA – Pastor Fellowship

October

13 – DBA Annual Celebration

21 – DBA Executive Committee Meeting

TBA – Pastor Fellowship

November

10-12 – GBMB Convention (TBA)

TBA – Operation Christmas Child

TBA – Pastor Fellowship

December

2-6 – Lottie Moon Christmas Offering emphasis

3 – Wheeler Correctional Graduation

5 – Cakes for the Baxley Children's Home

13 – Pastor Christmas Party

Events TBD and dates TBA

TBA – Mission Trip(s) to the Bahamas

TBA – GBMB AMS retreat and regional meetings

TBA – GBMB Spark Conference

TBD – Possible Praetorian Project mission trip(s)

TBD – Tiny House Mission trip(s)

TBD – Ray of Hope Service Opportunities

Tuesdays or Wednesdays - Wheeler Correctional Facility

TBA – Various DBA Committee meetings



PRAYER

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

**- FBC Vidalia - Vidalia Baptist Temple - Normantown -
- Mt. Pisgah - FBC Lyons -**

**Let's celebrate that these churches have partnered together financially in the
third quarter (July, August, September)
to accomplish the Great Commission for the glory of God.**

Alamo First Baptist
Alston Baptist
Boiling Springs
Cedar Crossing Baptist
Fairview Baptist
Faith Missionary Baptist
FBC Lyons
FBC Mount Vernon
FBC Soperton
FBC Vidalia

Friendship Baptist
Higgston Baptist
Hope Baptist
Longpond Baptist
New Corinth Baptist
Normantown Baptist
North Thompson Baptist
Oak Grove Baptist
Ohoopsee Baptist
Providence Baptist

Rocky Creek Baptist
Smith Street Baptist
South Thompson Baptist
Springhill Baptist
Stuckey Baptist
Tabernacle Baptist
Tarrytown Baptist
Trinity Baptist
Uvalda Baptist



Daniell Baptist Association

Churches Partnering Together to Accomplish the Great Commission

Our desire is to assist each DBA church in spreading the gospel from our neighborhoods to the nations. Please contact us and bless us with the opportunity to come alongside you and help you connect with your sister churches in the ministry of the gospel.

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