

Ashe Baptist Association News



July
2021

OFFICE HOURS: 9:00 AM—4:00 PM Monday—Friday
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Appalachian
Bald Mountain
Beaver Creek
Big Flatts
Big Laurel
Blue Ridge
Bristol
Buffalo
Calvary
Christian Unity
Cristo el Salvador
Farmers Memorial
Fletcher Memorial
Friendly Grove
Friendship
God's Will Missionary
Grassy Creek
Happy Trails Cowboy
Healing Springs
Laurel Knob
Liberty Grove
Little Helton
Midway
Mission Home
Mount Olive
New River
North Beaver
Oak Hill
Obids
Old Fields
Orion
Phoenix
Pilot Mountain
Pine Swamp
Pleasant Home
Pleasant Valley
Riverview
Round Knob
Trinity
Tuckerdale
Wagoner
Warrensville
Welcome Home

Preacher David's Corner

Rev. David Blackburn, Director of Missions



"Pre – 135th Ashe Baptist Association Annual Meeting"

I am very excited about the Annual Meeting this year. After a year of COVID we are planning on a two day event as usual! On Friday, August 20 we will be at Appalachian Church at 2:00 and on Saturday, August 21 at 9:00 we will be at North Beaver Baptist Church. **Our theme this year is, BE YE ENCOURAGED!** Our scripture is from 2 Timothy 1:7 which shares with us; For God hath not given us the spirit of fear; but of power, and of love, and of a sound mind. I want to **encourage** you to be excited about serving God as He leads you. We will have congregational singing as well as special singing and a little business as usual mixed in the meeting. This year Rev. Tom Graybeal from the Buffalo Baptist Church is scheduled to preach at 2:40. We will hear reports from the Baptist Children's Homes of NC, Southeastern Seminary, NC Baptist Hospital, Faith Health of NC, NC Baptist Foundation, NC Baptist Men, NC Baptist Aging Ministry, Western Area Representative for the Baptist State Convention of NC and our special report will be from the Senior Consultant, Compensation and Benefits Services from the Baptist State Convention of NC following that we will hear a sermon from Rev. Ken Jones Senior Pastor at Friendship Baptist Church. At approximately 6:20 we will adjourn for supper, this will conclude the Friday Session. On Saturday morning we will begin at 9:00 at North Beaver Baptist Church. Rev. Russell Hart of the Laurel Knob Baptist Church is schedule to preach at 10:10 that morning. Reports from the Director of Missions, Ashe Really Cares, Evangelism, FaithHealth Ashe County, Disciplemaking, Historian, Baptist Men, Vacation Bible School, Ashe Baptist Campground, Gideons, International, Ashe Pregnancy Center, Church Music, Baptist Women, and Memorial Service. There will be some business as usual, Congregation Singing as well as special singing. At 11:45 we will adjourn for lunch and that will conclude our 135th Annual Meeting. Histories of both churches will be given. A video will be shown of the Ashe Baptist Campground during the VBS presentation by Jeffery Cotton, Youth Minister from Friendship Baptist Church. Our Book of Reports Cover picture was taken by Mr. Ed Reed of the Warrensville Baptist Church. The butterfly blossomed in to something beautiful from a worm and that is **encouraging** to all of us. God can change us into an **encouraged** person if we will let Him work in our life. May this be the year that you become positive and do away with negative thoughts and actions. Now, if we've been paying attention in Sunday School over the years, we might remember that Barnabas traveled with Paul during many of his missionary journeys. But what we might not remember, is that Barnabas' real name was "Joseph." The early apostles just decided to call him "Barnabas"—which means "son of **encouragement**"—when he sold a field that he owned and brought the money to the leaders of the church so they could distribute it to those who had need (see Acts 4:36-37). And for the rest of the Book of Acts, whenever we hear about Barnabas doing something—especially on his own—it usually has to do with helping somebody else. In Acts Chapter 9, for example, Barnabas is one who brings Paul into the fellowship of the disciples after Paul saw Jesus on the road to Damascus. And in Acts Chapter 15, it's Barnabas who decides to give a second chance to a young Christian named Mark, who eventually went on to write one of the gospels. And the extraordinary thing about Saint Barnabas, I think, is that what he did to earn his reputation is the kind of stuff that anyone could do! We might not think of ourselves as being "saints." But we could give, and provide a welcome, and offer second chances. And who knows? Maybe someday we could be remembered as "sons and daughters of **encouragement**."

Your Servant, David



Ashe Really Cares

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ashereallycares@gmail.com

And we know that all things work together for good to them that love God, to them who are called according to his purpose. Romans 8:28

Just look around to all the things in this world that God gives us to enjoy! The things that are good, like the beauty of our mountains, the sea that hold many living creatures. To sit back and to think of all the good things that we enjoy is a blessing in itself. God is so good to his children that love and honor him.

We are amazed as we work with the churches and individuals in our community to let Christ's light shine to those around us. OF how much God blesses the efforts of his people to help those in need both physically and spiritually. Our prayer is that hurting people can see and feel the love of Christ through what is said and the things that are given out.

Last month we were able to help 105 families with food. This touched 238 individuals and we also had 153 families to shop in the clothing section. We had 3 new families to come in needing assistance.

We appreciate all of the donations that we receive. Without the donations we would not have food, clothing or household items to be able to help families. As mentioned before remember the items in your garden. If you have an abundance of things bring them to the ARC. We would love to share with our folks that come in. Some items needed are: dry pinto beans, can sauerkraut, can potatoes, can mixed vegetables. Thank you so much!

As we are one of His and called with a purpose to be sharing the love of Christ with those around us let us get busy and share God's love and the plan of salvation. Put a smile on your face and a smile in your heart so that others know who you belong to.

Ashe Really Cares

Pat Miller, Director



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| July 2 | Rev. Johnny Huffman |
| July 6 | Mrs. Joyce Mahaffey |
| July 7 | Rev. & Mrs. Cherie Monsees |
| July 8 | Rev. Derrick Hodges |
| July 14 | Mrs. Anna Mary Shepherd |
| July 15 | Rev. Steve Leashomb |
| July 17 | Rev. Keith Wagoner |
| July 18 | Rev. Keith Woodie |
| July 20 | Rev. & Mrs. Keith Wagoner |
| July 21 | Mrs. Barbara Murdock |
| July 21 | Rev. & Mrs. Cory Halsey |
| July 27 | Rev. Alan Ambrose |
| July 28 | Mr. & Mrs. Johnny Calloway |
| July 30 | Rev. Wayne Jones |

Hope for the Mountains PRAYER TEAM

meets weekly at 8 AM on Tuesday mornings in the sanctuary of Midway Baptist Church. We have a short devotion, share prayer requests, and gather around the altar for prayer. It is open to the public, men and women; all are welcome!

GOOD SOIL MINISTRY would like to remind everyone that we accept your used literature and other materials monthly at Ashe Really Cares. This literature goes out all over the world to assist in aiding those you are spiritually orphaned. We do appreciate your support with this mission work.

ANNUAL MEETING 2022 We are in need of hosts for next year's Annual Meeting! We ask that the church you attend be praying about hosting either the Friday Session or Saturday Session in August 2022. Call the ABA office at 336-846-5621

THANK YOU

Ashe Baptist would like to thank our sponsors for the Ashe Baptist News heard on WKSK each Saturday and on SoundCloud on the Web. Ashe County Ford, Rev. Jeff and Amy Dollar, Tri-County Paving, Lucian and Patricia Jordan, Tri County Monuments, Mike and Lisa Peters State Wide Insurance Solutions, Chris and Andrea Finney. They are all Christians and attend church and welcome you to come see them when you find yourself in need of their services.

Newsletter

We want to CELEBRATE with you and share the GOOD NEWS when exciting things are happening at the church you attend! Please send articles, pictures or flyers to our e-mail address: ashebaptist@gmail.com, and we will announce on our WKSK weekly radio show, post on the events page of our website, ashebaptist.org, and on our Facebook Page, in addition to printing in this monthly newsletter publication that is posted in color on the website and mailed to 680+ folks in Ashe Co., all across NC, and neighboring states!

As you set dates for VBS, Special Singings, Revivals, or Speakers, let us know! You must submit articles for the Newsletter NO LATER THAN the 20th of each month in order for them to appear in the next month's publication.



BREAKFAST AT SHATLEY SPRINGS

May 20

with all Director of Mission's from District 7 and a few others! Delicious food, great fellowship and a good meeting with all in attendance.



Community Wide VBS at the Campground



**LIBERTY GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH
VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**

**July 12-16, 6 pm- 8:30 pm at Liberty Grove Baptist Church
Classes Pre-K- 12th Grade- Dinner Provided Nightly**

VBS Celebration & Breakfast

July 18, 10:30 am at the Ashe Baptist Campground

ALL ARE WELCOME!!!



Come join us!

FOOD GAMES
CRAFTS MUSIC
FUN...

and the LOVE of JESUS at VBS!!!

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

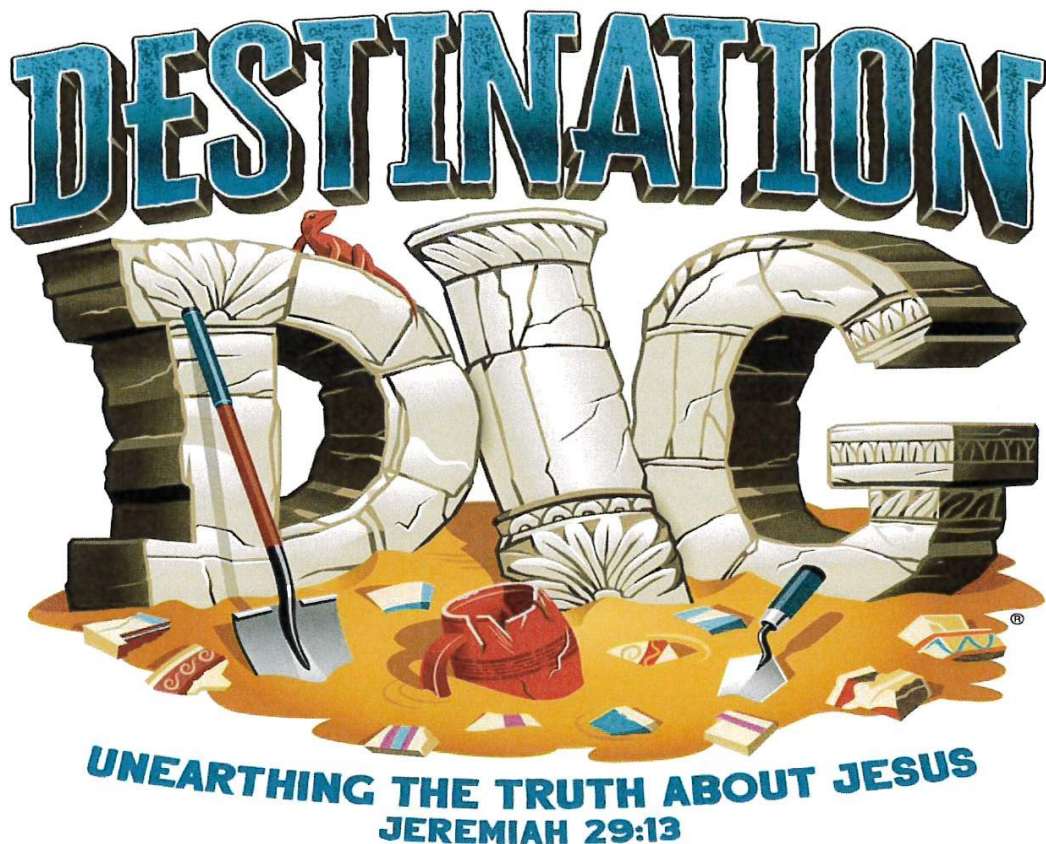
Orion Baptist Church

477 Frank Dillard Road, Jefferson

Kick-Off Saturday, July 24 at 3:00 pm

Games, Blow-Ups, Cook-out for the Family

July 25-29 Supper at 5:30 VBS 6:00-8:15



**LAUREL KNOB BAPTIST CHURCH
VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**



Saturday, July 10 10:30 am- 1:00 pm

Sunday, July 11 4:00 pm- 6:00 pm

Cook-out to follow!!!

Sunday, July 11 Worship—VBS Emphasis

Sunday School 10 am Worship 11 am

Pastor Russell Hart



OBIDS BAPTIST CHURCH

“Come Learn About Jesus”

July 9, 10, & 11

**at the Ashe Baptist Campground
VBS Kick off, Friday, July 9 at 6:00**

with a Pizza Party & Camping

Saturday, July 10

Vacation Bible School

10 am– 4 pm

Bible Study– Fun– Games

Sunday, July 11th

Obids Baptist Church

will hold church at the campground

Sunday School 10 am - Worship 11 am

Cook-out to follow service!

Pastor Mark Harless

**MIDWAY BAPTIST CHURCH
VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**



DATE: July 18– 22

TIME: 6:00 pm– 8:30 pm

BRING YOUR BIBLE, A FRIEND & A SMILE

**We will uncover the truth about
our Creator God at Mystery Island!**

Pastor Steve LeaShomb

MISSION HOME BAPTIST CHURCH



Saturday, July 10th 9 am– 2 pm

Breakfast & Lunch Provided

Bible Lessons– Games– Crafts

Come join us

for fun, fellowship & food at

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Everyone Welcome

Pastor Evan Moore

Church Service Schedules

The following are new church announcements that have been received. Many churches are opening up with Sunday School, please send in your new church announcements and they will be announced, published on website and in the newsletter. All announcements are at www.ashebaptist.org Click on MORE and then Church Announcements to view them.

Bald Mountain Baptist Church -now has Inside Worship Service on Sundays at 10 am and Sunday School at 9 am as well as online and on Facebook. Inside Wednesday night services are at 7 pm and Thursday morning Bible Study is at 10 am. Pastor, Rev. John Elledge welcomes you to Bald Mt. Bald Mountain Baptist Church is looking for a **part time Worship Director**. This will include leading the congregation and directing the choir. Please send resume to Bald Mountain Baptist Church, 1460 Bald Mountain Road, West Jefferson, NC 28694 or contact Rev. Alan Ambrose at 336-877-1550

Big Flatts Baptist Church— In-House Service 10 am for Sunday School. Worship at 11 am. Drive-In Service FM 87.9. Pastor, Rev. Billy Norris and congregation invites you to attend.

Bristol Baptist Church— Inside Service—Sunday School 10 am Worship 11 am . Pastor Keith Wagoner invites you to attend.

Buffalo Baptist Church— Sunday School at 9:45 am Worship at 10:30 am, both services broadcast on FM 99.9. Everyone Welcome! Pastor, Rev. Tom Graybeal invites you to attend

Christian Unity Baptist Church- Inside Sunday School 10 am -Worship Service 11 am. Service live on FB. Wednesday Bible Study 6:30 pm, Choir Practice 7:30 pm. Pastor Darien South invites you to attend.

Fletcher Memorial Baptist Church-Inside Sunday Worship Service and on FB at 10:30 am No Sunday School! Wednesday at 6:15 live. (Youth and College Level Services). Go to our website: www.fletchermbc.org for services and information or call the office and speak with Jean Ann. Pastors Cory and Doug Halsey invite you to attend. Masks are recommended.

Friendship Baptist Church- services inside the building and drive-in services and also on Facebook. Bible Study at 9am and Worship Service at 10am. Pastor Ken Jones invites everyone to attend

Laurel Knob Baptist Church— Sunday School 10 am Worship 11 am Pastor, Rev. Russell Hart and the congregation invite you to attend. **Concrete & Cranes VBS July 10 10:30-1:00— Sunday, July 11 Worship-VBS Emphasis with Cook-out to follow!**

Midway Baptist Church-will have Inside Services on Sunday we have Sunday School at 8:45am classes including nursery, K-5th kids, 6th -12th youth and adults Followed by Worship at 10:00 and will be livestreaming all their Sunday Services and doing Drive in Services@ 10:00 am tune car radio to 100.9 FM or on their FB Page & via their website @ www.midwaybaptistnc.org, or on youtube.com by looking up Midway Baptist of West Jefferson. We have Wednesday night services at 7:00pm at the church. Adult prayer, Children and Youth classes along with Choir practice. Please check out our website for other activities and services may be watched anytime on website or youtube.com. Rev. Steve LeaShomb pastor invites you to attend. **MYSTERY ISLAND— VBS— July 18-22 6:00-8:30 pm Come & Bring a Friend!**

Obids Baptist Church —Inside Sunday School 10 am Worship Service 11 am. Pastor, Rev. Mark Harless & the congregation invite you to attend. **VBS July 9 & 10 at Ashe Baptist Campground. July 11 Sunday 11 am Worship Service at the Campground with Cook-out following service.**

Old Fields Baptist Church— Inside & Drive-In Sunday Worship Service at 11 am. Deacon Chris Greene and the congregation invites everyone to attend.

Orion Baptist Church —Sunday School at 10 am. 11 am Worship together in the sanctuary. Pastor, Rev. Lawrence Goodman invites you to attend. **Destination Dig VBS— July 24th at 3 pm games and cookout— July 25-29 Supper at 5:30 pm—VBS 6 pm— 8:15. Everyone welcome!**

Phoenix Baptist Church— Inside Services—Sunday School 10 am Worship 11 am. Pastor Chris Taylor invites you to attend.

When you pray, please remember **Old Fields Baptist, Friendly Grove Baptist & Round Knob Baptist**. They are currently without a pastor.

New Church Announcements: please send updated church information for the church you attend to: domblackburn@gmail.com or ashebaptist@gmail.com. We will get all new information provided on the Saturday Radio Program, the www.ashebaptist.org and the August newsletter. Thank you.

The LOOMS

Ladies with Open Hearts and Open Minds Seeking
God thru Bible Study, Prayer, and Fellowship
The LOOMS meet weekly, 11:30 am each Thursday
at the Ashe Baptist Associational office.

204 Beaver Creek School Road West Jefferson

A 7-Session Study on the Prophet Elijah from Best-Selling Author Priscilla Shirer

Linda Blackburn your facilitator and Ellen Reedy welcome you.

To reserve your seat or further information contact the ABA office at: (336) 846-5631

**Congratulations to Midway, Orion, and Friendship—Ashe Baptist Churches
leading our Association in giving and supporting NC Baptist On Mission.**



Pastor Steve Leashomb,
Pastor at Midway accepts
Certificate leading Ashe Co.
In total giving to NC Mission
Offering in the amount of
\$3,500.



Mr. Russell Vannoy, Orion
Baptist accepts Certificate
for Second in Ashe County
total giving to NC Missions
Offering in the amount of
\$1,825.

Pastor Ken Jones at Friendship
Baptist accepts Certificate for
Third in Ashe County total
giving to NC Missions Offering
in the amount of \$ 1,176.



**THANK YOU TO EACH OF THESE
THREE CHURCHES FOR THEIR
SUPPORT IN 2020– (Covid-19 year)
to the
NORTH CAROLINA
BAPTIST ON MISSION OFFERINGS!
YOUR SUPPORT IS APPRECIATED !
YOU HAVE REPRESENTED OUR
ASSOCIATION VERY WELL!**

"What's Your Rhythm"

July 12-14, 2021

Caraway Conference Center in Asheboro, NC

North Carolina Baptist Ministers' Wives 2021 Retreat



Guest speaker, Linda Branch Pitman and
Guest Worship Leader, Wendy Ellis

<https://ncbminwives.wixsite.com/ncbmw/events>

Linda Branch Pitman is a Mitchell County residence where she lives with her husband of 40 years, Sid Pitman. She has 2 children and 5 grandchildren. Linda was saved in 1976 and began her Ministry life in 1982. She has been a nurse for 40+ years and is a retired teacher of Nursing after 20 years of teaching high school students. She is now working with Baptist on Missions. Linda has a powerful testimony and loving the Lord is her first priority in life. Please welcome Linda as she leads us into a study titled, "WHAT'S YOUR RHYTHM"?

Wendy Ellis is a native of Mitchell County, North Carolina. She has been married for 26 years to Scott Ellis. They have two daughters, Jada and Erin, and a third daughter, Zoe, who gained her heavenly home in January 2019. She is also Grammy to two amazing grandsons, 6 & 9. Wendy studied music at Mars Hill College and her heart is being God's song. She enjoys spending time at the keyboard singing, playing and writing music. Let us welcome Wendy to our 2021 retreat by singing praises to God.

Beverly Williams 2021 Retreat Chair and Chrissie Redding &
Susan Troutman, Retreat Co-Chairs.

<https://ncbminwives.wixsite.com/ncbmw/events>

MAIL IN REGISTRATION NCBMW Retreat July 12-14, 2021

Please complete a Registration Form for each individual attending

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____

E-MAIL: _____

CHURCH: _____

ASSOCIATION: _____

ROOM: _____ DOUBLE-OCCUPANCY _____ SINGLE OCCUPANCY
\$202 PER-PERSON \$232 PER-PERSON

Do you have someone you want to room with? YES or NO

Roommate Name: _____

Is this your first time attending the NCBMW Retreat? YES or NO

Do you have any special food or room requirements? _____

Make checks payable to:
NCBMW

Mail Registration Form and Check to:
Harriet Lovett
47 Al Davis Rd
Bear Creek, NC 27207

ONLINE REGISTRATION: [HTTP://WWW.NCBMINWIVES.WIXSITE.COM/NCBMW](http://www.ncbminwives.wixsite.com/ncbmw)



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To: Area Churches
From: Terri Hopkins, Ashe County Volunteer Coordinator
Date: June 7, 2021
RE: Countywide School Supply Drive

It is hard to believe but another school year will soon be upon us. This can be a difficult and stressful time for many families in our county who cannot afford the necessary supplies for their children when returning back to school.

To help meet this need, the Sixteenth Annual Ashe County School Supply Drive has begun and will run through August 4, 2021. All supplies are donated to the guidance offices at each school to ensure that the children in most need in our county will receive them. It may interest you to know that although North Carolina does not have a tax-free weekend, Tennessee will have one from July 30th-August 1st while South Carolina and Virginia will have one from August 6th-8th.

If you would like to participate by donating school supplies or with a monetary donation, please call me, Terri Hopkins, at 336-246-4347 and I will be happy to pick up supplies or donations. If you would prefer to mail a check, please make it payable to Generations Ashe and in the memo section of check write School Supply Drive. It can be mailed to the address above. We truly appreciate your consideration.

Thank you,

Terri Hopkins

Terri Hopkins
Ashe County Volunteer Coordinator

16th Annual Back to School Supply Drive

June 7th – August 6th

Most needed items:

- ◇ Binders, Filler Paper
- ◇ Mechanical Pencils and Pencils, Colored pencils
- ◇ Composition notebooks
- ◇ Ear buds, Book Bags
- ◇ Boxes of Kleenex
- ◇ Disinfecting supplies, Clorox wipes, Paper Towels



Donation boxes will be set up at Generation Senior Center, Ashe County Library, all LifeStore Banks, First Citizens Bank, United Chemi-Con, Generations Ashe, Ingles, Jefferson Drug, Medi-Home Health and Hospice & 5/3 Bank. Monetary donations are greatly appreciated as well. School supplies that are donated are divided equally among all 6 Ashe County Schools and the guidance counselors will give supplies to the children in need.

If you would like to participate by making a donation, please make your check payable to Generations Ashe and in the memo section of the check write School Supply Drive. It can be mailed to Generations Ashe, 180 Chattyrob Lane, WJ, NC 28694, or if you have any questions, please call, Terri Hopkins, Ashe County Volunteer Coor-

ASHE COUNTY BAPTIST CAMP MEETING

HOSTED BY:

River View
Baptist Church

&

Clifton Baptist
Church

**SPECIAL SINGING
EACH NIGHT**

6 PM SUN

7 PM MON - FRI

MODERATED BY:

Jimmy Galgano

&

Curtis Presnell



Leonard Fletcher



Steve Dagenhart

Sunday July 25th - Friday July 30th

11759 Hwy 88 West

Creston, NC 28615

*Ashe Baptist Association & NC Baptist
Foundation*
present

A Gift to Pastors and Families

**Leaving a Legacy
That Lasts**



The Ashe Baptist Association, in partnership with the NC Baptist Foundation, is offering opportunities for pastors/families to leave a lasting legacy that prepares for their future and impacts Christ's kingdom through Christian estate planning. The Bible urges us, "***We must not hide them from their children, but must tell a future generation the praises of the LORD, His might, and the wonderful works He has performed.***" (Psalm 78:4, HCSB) Details below.

Ministers' Lunch/Fellowship

[DATE and TIME]

on leaving a legacy through
planned giving & estate
planning for your family &
the future!

Highlights:

- ◆ Two approaches on making a family legacy plan with practical actions for your family & Christ's kingdom
- ◆ Guest presentation by Allen Schuyler, NC Baptist Foundation Western Area Manager

For more information, contact David Blackburn, Director of Missions
Ashe Baptist Association, 204 Beaver Creek School Road
West Jefferson, North Carolina 28694 - (336) 846-5631

Ashe Missionary Baptist Association



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For God hath not given us the spirit of fear; but of power,
and of love, and of a sound mind. II Timothy 1:7



One Hundred Thirty-Fifth Annual Session

Friday, August 20, 2021

Hosted by:

Appalachian Church

Saturday, August 21, 2021

Hosted by:

North Beaver Baptist Church

Ashe Missionary Baptist Association

ONE HUNDRED THIRTY FIFTH ANNUAL SESSION

APPLACHIAN CHURCH

Friday Afternoon, August 20th, 2021

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| 4:30 | NC Baptist Foundation | Rev. Allen Schuler |
| 4:40 | Baptist Men Region 7 | Rev. Paul Langston |
| 4:50 | NC Baptist Aging Ministry | Mrs. Angie Gregg |
| 5:00 | Baptist Retirement Homes of NC | Mr. Keith Dixon |
| 5:10 | Western Area Baptist State Convention of NC | Rev. Lester Evans |

5:20 Special Report (20 Minutes)

Senior Consultant, Compensation and Benefits, BSC of NC

Mr. Davis Blount

5:40 Congregational Hymn There Is A Fountain

Mr. Butch Miller

5:45 Special Music

Appalachian Church

5:50 Annual Message / Associational Sermon

Alternate

Rev. Ken Jones
Senior Pastor, Friendship Baptist Church
Rev. Lonnie Carpenter
Pastor, Pleasant Home Baptist Church

6:15 Benediction & blessing on food

Rev. Steve Ashley
Pastor, Appalachian Church

Supper will be served by Appalachian Church

Special thanks to Appalachian Church for hosting and to the ladies and men for a delicious meal! Thanks to everyone who attended today's meeting.

Ashe Missionary Baptist Association

ONE HUNDRED THIRTY FIFTH ANNUAL SESSION
NORTH BEAVER BAPTIST CHURCH
Saturday Morning, August 21st 2021

- 9:00 Call to order** Moderator, Mr. Joe Brown
Deacon, Liberty Grove Baptist Church
- Congregational** Blessed Assurance Mr. Butch Miller
- 9:05 Welcome / Devotion / Prayer** Rev. Rick Miller
Pastor, North Beaver Baptist Church
- 9:15 Roll Call of the Churches** Mrs. Debbie Miller
Associational Clerk
- (See "Rules of Order" page16)
- 9:20 History of North Beaver Baptist Church** Mr. Glenn Miller
Member, North Beaver Baptist Church
- 9:25 Mission Reports (5 Minutes Each)**
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| Associational Missions Strategist | DOM David Blackburn |
| Ashe Really Cares | Mrs. Pat Miller |
| Baptist Men | Mr. Fred Walters |
| FaithHealth N.C. | Rev. Wade Huntsinger |
| Evangelism | Mr. J.C. Trivette |
- 9:55 Special Music** North Beaver Baptist Church
- 10:10 Message** Rev. Russell Hart
Pastor, Laurel Knob Baptist Church
- Alternate Rev. Lonnie Jones
Pastor, Welcome Home Baptist Church
- 10:25 Reports** (Local & Associational)
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| 5 minutes each | ????????? |
| N. C. Baptist Women | Mrs. Linda Blackburn |
| Disciple Making | Mr. Butch Miller |
| Church Music | Mrs. Debbie Miller |
| Historian | Rev. Johnny Goodman |
| Baptist Campground | Mr. Jeffery Cotton |
| Vacation Bible School | |
- 11:00 Congregational Hymn** Because He Lives Mr. Butch Miller

Ashe Missionary Baptist Association

ONE HUNDRED THIRTY FIFTH ANNUAL SESSION
NORTH BEAVER BAPTIST CHURCH
Saturday Morning, August 21st. 2021

- 11:05 Reports** (Local & Associational)
5 Minutes each (See "Rules of Order", page16)
- GuideStone ABA Rev. Johnny Goodman
Gideon's International ??????????????
Ashe Pregnancy Care Center Director, Mrs. Sherry Edwards
- 11:20 Congregational Hymn & Offering** Amazing Grace Mr. Butch Miller
Offering to Ashe Baptist Association Budget
- 11:25 Business Session** Moderator, Mr. Joe Brown
Old Business
Adoption of Associational Budget
Other ???
- New Business
Other ???
- Resolutions Committee Mr. Fred Walters
Report of Time / Place Preacher Committee Mr. Jerry Powers
2022 August 19th, Friday, Host ??
2022 August 20th, Saturday, Host ??
- 11:35 Memorial Service** Rev. Allen Huffman
Pastor, Pleasant Valley Baptist Church
- 11:45 Benediction & blessing on food** Rev. Rick Miller
Pastor, North Beaver Baptist Church

Lunch will be served by North Beaver Baptist Church

**Special thanks to the ladies and men of North Beaver Baptist Church for the delicious meal.
Also thank you to North Beaver Baptist Church for hosting.
Thanks to everyone who attended today's meeting.**

Discipleship Tip of the Month

Freedom !

John 8:36 So if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed. Galatians 5:1 It is for **freedom** that Christ has set us free. Stand firm, then, and do not let yourselves be burdened again by a yoke of slavery. Freedom comes in many forms and faces. May we enjoy the freedom that we have. Free from the burden if sin is a big one for me. I am not perfect but I am free from my short comings because of what Christ has done for me. We are free in American because of God's blessings and because men and women put their life on the line for is in our military services. On July the 4th may we renew of thoughts about the Bible and about the flag of the United States. I encourage to stand up for what the Bible shares and stand up for America and all of its values. Enjoy your freedom and celebrate what God has given us!!!! **Happy 4th of July!!!!**



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Jefferson, NC 28640

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

July

- 1- 2 ABA./ARC Closed for Summer Vacation
- 4 Happy Independence Day
- 6 ARC Committee Meeting 7:00 pm
 @ ABA Board Room
- 8 ABA Executive Meeting 7:00 pm
 @ Tuckerdale Baptist Church



July 2021

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August 2021

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September 2021

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August

- 20 ABA Annual Meeting
 Appalachian Church 2:00 pm
- 21 ABA Annual Meeting
 North Beaver Baptist 9 am



September

- 6 Labor Day ABA/ARC Closed
- 22 First Day of Autumn



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