



The Beacon

Jefferson County Baptist Association

February 2024



EVANGELISM

Rally

Sunday, January 28 at 6 PM



First Baptist Church Dandridge

Speaker Pastor John Pinkston, Jefferson County Baptist Association

JCBA FINANCIAL INFORMATION, November 1—December 31, 2023



Please pray for the church or ministry, their pastor, and his family on the day of the month that corresponds.

INCOME

Church	11/1 – 12/31 Receipts 2023	YTD Receipts 2023
Antioch	1,000.00	2,000.00
Beaver Creek	453.59	2,392.38
Bethel Mission	0.00	500.00
Buffalo Grove	821.51	3,938.16
Central Heights	0.00	500.00
Dandridge First	5,499.99	25,166.68
Deep Springs	0.00	1,028.39
Dumplin	950.00	5,134.28
East Ridge	92.00	561.00
Emmanuel	375.00	800.00
Flat Gap	123.00	659.00
French Broad	2,149.50	8,598.00
Good Hope	138.27	1,157.25
Holston Memorial	593.00	2,419.46
Living Water	0.00	500.00
Mansfield Gap	0.00	252.81
Mill Springs	150.00	600.00
Mullins Chapel	0.00	0.00
Nance's Grove	0.00	1700.00
New Hope	0.00	985.34
New Market	980.26	6,350.26
Nina	2,024.56	6,284.56
Oak Hills	0.00	333.32
Piedmont	760.76	4,891.75
Pleasant Grove	0.00	00
Pleasant Grove Piney	439.98	2,380.58
Rocky Valley	0.00	4,216.23
Strawberry Plains First	439.98	4,000.00
Swann's Chapel	249.00	8,244.00
Talbott	1,321.00	6,131.00
White Pine First	1,166.66	5,249.97
TBMB	1,252.00	14,570.20
2 Other Receipts	249.00	3,385.60
Total Receipts,	20,966.84	124,467.41

EXPENSES

November 1—December 31, 2023	
Beginning Bal.	49,949.25
November 1, 2023	
Total Receipts	
11/1–12/31, 2023	20,966.84
Less Expenses for	
11/1–12/31, 2023	18,709.16
Ending Balance	
December 31 2023	52,206.93



Women's Celebration 2024 *"Celebrating Jesus: the Way, the Truth, and the Life"*

Sat., March 23rd at First Baptist Church Dandridge
(Register before Monday, March 18th to 865-397-3940)

11-11:30 AM Registration
Program 11:45 AM-2:30 PM

Cost is \$15 payable in advance or at the door.

Join us for lunch, table-scapes, worship, testimonies, inspiration, prayer, fellowship, and door prizes!

Childcare will be provided, please indicate childcare request at the time of reservation.

If your church is having a special event, please call or e-mail artwork to the Association and we will help promote it on our OneCall and facebook page!

- Antioch Baptist Church
- Verdad en Amor Baptist Church
- Beaver Creek Baptist Church
- Bethel Mission Baptist Church
- Buffalo Grove Baptist Church
- Central Heights Baptist Church
- First Baptist Church Dandridge
- Deep Springs Baptist Church
- IMB Missionaries
- Dumplin Baptist Church
- East Ridge Baptist Church
- Emmanuel Baptist Church
- Flat Gap Baptist Church
- French Broad Baptist Church
- Good Hope Baptist Church
- Holston Memorial Baptist Church
- NAMB Missionaries
- Living Water Baptist Church
- Mansfield Gap Baptist Church
- Mill Springs Baptist Church
- Mullins Chapel Baptist Church
- Nance's Grove Baptist Church
- New Hope Baptist Church
- New Market Baptist Church
- TBMB Missionaries
- Nina Baptist Church
- Oak Hills Baptist Church
- Piedmont Baptist Church
- Pleasant Grove Baptist Church
- Pleasant Grove Piney Baptist Church
- Rocky Valley Baptist Church
- First Baptist Church Strawberry Plains
- Jefferson County Baptist Association
- Swann's Chapel Baptist Church
- Talbott Baptist Church
- First Baptist Church of White Pine

Office Hours

Monday – Wednesday

8:30 AM–4:30 PM

Closed for Lunch

12:00–1:00 PM

Thursday

8:30 AM – 2:00 PM

Bible Class

Mondays at

1 PM

(Associational Office)

Newsletter Announcements

Any announcements you would like to include in the next Associational newsletter, please e-mail to Sharon Campbell at office@jcbatn.org by February 21. Check out our website jcbatn.org to view events at all of our local churches.

Verdad en Amor Baptist Church

Worship Sundays at 3 PM

Bible Study Tuesdays at 7 PM

(Buffalo Grove Baptist Church)

Disaster Relief is looking for another bucket truck operator to join their team to cut trees. Contact Danny Newman at 865-604-4990 or the Association office.

We are looking for intercessors to form an **Intercessory Prayer Team**. If the Lord has gifted you in that area we would love to speak with you, please call the Association.

Children/Youth Event Planning Meeting

Anyone who would like to volunteer to help with our many events planned for 2024, please meet with us!

Pastors Wives Conference

Thurs., February 15th at 6 PM (JCBA Conference Room)

Disaster Relief Training

Introduction to Disaster Relief and Specialized Classes

Sat., February, 17 from 8 AM-4 PM

First Baptist Church Dandridge

Preregister by February 13th by contacting Don Owen at dnowen@bellsouth.net with your names and classes desired or go to the following link for detailed information.

[Introduction to Disaster Relief and Specialized Classes - Dandridge \(East TN\) - Tennessee Baptist Disaster Relief \(\[tndisasterrelief.org\]\(http://tndisasterrelief.org\)\)](#)



It is hard to believe that I am entering my fifth year as your Associational Missionary. I am looking forward to what God will do through our churches this year. First, we will kick the year off Sunday night, January 28 with our Associational Evangelism Conference to be held at First Baptist Church of Dandridge beginning at 6 PM. I will be bringing the message entitled, “*The Way of The Master*”, from Luke 18:18 – 23. I want to encourage you to come and bring your neighbor.

We now have four Good News Clubs in four of our elementary schools. They are as follows: Dandridge Elementary, led by First Baptist Church of Dandridge, Jefferson Elementary, led by Verdad en Amor Baptist Church, Mt. Horeb Elementary, led by Buffalo Grove Baptist Church, and Talbott Elementary led by Talbott Baptist Church. The clubs meet either on Tuesday or Thursday from 3:00 – 4:30 each week. Good News Clubs in Jefferson County are the combined ministries of the churches of our association and Child Evangelism Fellowship.

We are planning plenty of outreach events this year. We will begin with the Disciple Now weekend for all our youth. It will be at the Carson Springs Conference Center February 23-25th. This year we will have with us Jeremiah Young the campus minister at Carson Newman University as our speaker. Also, The Birdsong Family will be leading us in worship. For more information, please contact Kevin Perrigan at kperrigan@tnbaptist.org.

On February 5th, at 6 PM we will have a meeting of everyone who would like to volunteer to help with our children and youth events. We are planning on conducting two Home Run Derbies this spring, several Back Yard Kids Clubs/ 5 Day Good News Clubs this summer, and an association wide Youth Rally in the early fall. We are also planning to begin an association wide singles ministry and will meet at a later date to discuss these events.

Lastly, VBS is on many people’s minds at this time of year. We have a great opportunity to reach our community with the Gospel. My prayer is that we will see many people come to faith in Jesus Christ. Your association wants to be your partner in this important evangelistic effort



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info, upcoming events, and
meetings at www.jcbatn.org***

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FEBRUARY

Birthdays and Anniversaries

Birthdays

7	Tyler Johnson	Swanns Chapel
10	Kathy McCullough	Talbott
10	Sharon Campbell	JCBA

Anniversaries

14	Doyle and Darlene Bell	JCBA-Retired
14	Rev. and Mrs. Ken Lacey	Rocky Valley

*If we have not included your name for your
birthday or anniversary please contact the JCBA
office.*



February Speakers

5	Rex Rogers
12	WD Swafford
19	Tom Sartain
26	John Pinkston