



# The Beacon

Jefferson County Baptist Association

May 2024



## BACKYARD KIDS CLUB

### WHO IS GOD?

TUES.,  
MAY 21-  
SAT.,  
MAY 25

BIBLE TEACHING, GAMES,  
SNACKS, NIGHTLY DOOR  
PRIZES!

ALL  
AGES!  
YOUNG  
& OLD

6-8  
PM



### REIDTOWN TRAILER PARK

25/70 just past the Jefferson County line on left (watch for signs)  
VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! (call Sharon Sartain 865-776-2877)



SCHOOL

VBS season is upon us!

We are planning to place an ad in the Standard Banner which will include all our Jefferson County Baptist Church Vacation Bible Schools. Please be sure to get your church's VBS info to us ASAP. You may e-mail or call the Association if you have your VBS scheduled (please be sure to include: **dates, time, ages, and theme**).

865-475-1453-leave a message if no answer or [office@jcbatn.org](mailto:office@jcbatn.org).  
*Don't be left out!*

*Please support through our annual  
Mother's Day Offering*



Tennessee Baptist  
Children's Homes

**JCBA FINANCIAL INFORMATION,  
March, 2024**



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

**INCOME**

Church	March Receipts 2024	YTD Receipts 2024
Antioch	0.00	0.00
Beaver Creek	216.64	724.46
Bethel Mission	0.00	0.00
Buffalo Grove	309.05	1,048.46
Central Heights	0.00	0.00
Dandridge First	2,083.37	6,000.03
Deep Springs	175.31	513.81
Dumplin	500.00	1,380.54
East Ridge	52.00	140.00
Emmanuel	0.00	375.00
Flat Gap	50.00	152.00
French Broad	0.00	1,050.00
Good Hope	53.22	165.72
Holston Memorial	600.00	1,717.18
Living Water	500.00	500.00
Mansfield Gap	0.00	171.41
Mill Springs	150.00	150.00
Mullins Chapel	0.00	0.00
Nance's Grove	0.00	0.00
New Hope	0.00	256.72
New Market	536.46	1,565.60
Nina	540.00	1,468.00
Oak Hills	0.00	0.00
Piedmont	404.93	1,111.65
Pleasant Grove	0.00	0.00
Pleasant Grove Piney	188.82	577.66
Rocky Valley	0.00	1,117.81
Strawberry Plains First	208.34	625.02
Swann's Chapel	6,000.00	6,000.00
Talbott	856.00	1,935.00
White Pine First	583.33	1,166.66
TBMB	626.00	1,878.00
Other Receipts	4,248.32	6,118.67
<b>Total Receipts,</b>	<b>18,881.75</b>	<b>37,909.98</b>

**EXPENSES**

March, 2024	
Beginning Bal. March 1, 2024	49,639.74
Total Receipts March, 2024	18,881.75
Less Expenses for March, 2024	14,642.83
Ending Balance March 31, 2024	53,878.66



**Sunbright Community Tornado Need**

Please consider a gift to help those who suffered damage in the recent tornado touchdown in Sunbright, TN. John Pinkston and Tom Sartain visited the area last week, saw the extent of damage, and spoke with the mayor, who assured them any assistance would go directly to those who suffered damage. If you would like to contribute, please send your check to the association with designation "tornado" this month and we will send the funds collectively from our Jefferson County Association.



**Disaster Relief Ministry**

Sat., April 27th we had a training time at Carson Springs Conference Center and helped cut down 6 dead trees and changed a couple of street light bulbs. We had 7 people out of 22 from Jefferson County participating. In past years I have seen at least 75 people at the training. I have been Disaster Relief Director since 2005 and the need is greater than ever. We Need You! If you would consider joining us in this mission please call the Associational office. Thank you—Danny Newman

- 1 Antioch Baptist Church
- 1 Verdad en Amor Baptist Church
- 2 Beaver Creek Baptist Church
- 3 Bethel Mission Baptist Church
- 4 Buffalo Grove Baptist Church
- 5 Central Heights Baptist Church
- 6 First Baptist Church Dandridge
- 7 Deep Springs Baptist Church
- 7 IMB Missionaries
- 8 Dumplin Baptist Church
- 9 East Ridge Baptist Church
- 10 Emmanuel Baptist Church
- 11 Flat Gap Baptist Church
- 12 French Broad Baptist Church
- 13 Good Hope Baptist Church
- 14 Holston Memorial Baptist Church
- 14 NAMB Missionaries
- 15 Living Water Baptist Church
- 16 Mansfield Gap Baptist Church
- 17 Mill Springs Baptist Church
- 18 Mullins Chapel Baptist Church
- 19 Nance's Grove Baptist Church
- 20 New Hope Baptist Church
- 21 New Market Baptist Church
- 21 TBMB Missionaries
- 22 Nina Baptist Church
- 23 Oak Hills Baptist Church
- 24 Piedmont Baptist Church
- 25 Pleasant Grove Baptist Church
- 26 Pleasant Grove Piney Baptist Church
- 27 Rocky Valley Baptist Church
- 28 First Baptist Church Strawberry Plains
- 28 Jefferson County Baptist Association
- 29 Swann's Chapel Baptist Church
- 30 Talbott Baptist Church
- 31 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

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**Bible Class postponed until September**

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### **Children’s Ministry Training**

Sat., May 4th from 9-11 AM at Deep Springs Baptist Church. Donna Blaydes, TBC Children’s Ministry Specialist will be teaching with breakouts for Babies-K & Elementary Ages.

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### **Ladies Lakeway Prayer Gathering**

“Concert of Prayer” Sat., May 4th from 10 AM-Noon  
(Harrel Park in Grainger County)

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### **Women in Christ Brunch**

Sat., May 4th at 10 AM (Talbot Baptist Church)

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### **RAM Free Medical Clinic**

Free for all Jefferson County Residents

Sat., May 4th from 10- AM-2 PM at First Baptist Church Dandridge. First come, first served. Services Provided: cold & flu symptoms, minor injuries, rashes, infections, diabetes screening, prescription refills, and much more...

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### **Pastors Wives Conference**

Thurs., May 16th at 6 PM (JCBA Conference Room).

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### **Verdad en Amor Baptist Church**

Worship Sundays at 3 PM

Bible Study Tuesdays at 7 PM

(Buffalo Grove Baptist Church)

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### **Newsletter Announcements**

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, facebook page, and monthly newsletter! Please e-mail Sharon Campbell at office@jcbatn.org. Check out our website jcbatn.org to view events at all of our local churches.

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Support our Tennessee Children’s Homes  
Visit [tennesseechildren.org](http://tennesseechildren.org)



Our Home Run Derby at the New Market Little League Field was held on Saturday, April 6. The event was a great success as there was one little boy that professed faith in Jesus as his Savior. I want to thank everyone who helped with this great ministry event.

On the same afternoon we had an Association-Wide Dinner provided by our Disaster Relief team. The food and fellowship was great. We want to thank our Disaster Relief team for a great job.

Our Associational VBS training was held on Sunday, April 28, at Central Heights Baptist Church. If you missed the meeting you can call me at the office for assistance and more information about conducting your VBS.

The City-Wide Tent Revival at the Jefferson City Community Center was held on April 14 -21. Everyone who attended received a great blessing. I want to thank everyone who helped with the meeting. I want to also thank Ronnie Trent and Wayne McKinney for bringing the messages.

### ***Golf Fellowship***

Monday, May 20 at 5:30 P.M.

**Patriot Hills Golf Club**

*Green Fee: 15.00*

### ***Back Yard Kids Club***

The club will be held again this year in the same trailer park it was held in last year, beginning Tuesday, May 21 thru Saturday, May 25. Eight of our churches helped with the club last year and we look forward to as many being involved this year.

### ***JCBA Biblical Resource Center***

Our second new webpage is live. It includes articles, commentary, and web links to Biblical answers to help us follow the Apostle Peter’s command in 1 Peter 3:15 where he says, “But sanctify the Lord God in your hearts: and be ready always to give an answer to every man that asketh you a reason of the hope that is in you with meekness and fear.” You will be able to find the webpage at [www.jcbabiblicalresourcecenter.org](http://www.jcbabiblicalresourcecenter.org)



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meetings at [www.jcbatn.org](http://www.jcbatn.org)**

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### Birthdays

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|--------------------|---------------------|
| 6 Linda Taylor     | New Market          |
| 9 LeAnn Hayes      | FBC Straw Plains    |
| 11 Clarissa Coffey | Mullins Chapel      |
| 12 Lauren O'Piel   | FBC Dandridge Asst. |
| 20 Tony Hayes      | FBC Straw Plains    |
| 25 Melaine Thurman | Living Water        |
| 28 James Tullock   | Antioch             |

### Anniversaries

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|-------------------------------|------------------|
| 6 David & Mary Walker         | New Market       |
| 27 Rev. & Mrs. Tony Hayes     | FBC Straw Plains |
| 28 Rev. & Mrs. Richard Nicely | Good Hope        |
| 30 Dr. & Mrs. Chris Headley   | FBC Dandridge    |

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



# PASTORS CONFERENCE

### *May Speakers*

- 6 Kelly Reed
- 13 Benny Keck
- 20 David Walker
- 27 Happy Memorial Day!