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#### A Visit With Dr. John



The Boys Camp is April 30. The emphasis this year is sports. The boys will probably be able to pick up some good pointers. It will be a good time for dads, (moms,) and sons. I appreciate Brad Boykin giving leadership to this event. Please let the office or Brad know if you plan to

GA Camp is May 13 - 14. This event sponsored by the WMU always is a hit. Debra Carnley has led this event for many years and does a wonderful job.

The Southwest Alabama Mission Trip will be June 19 - 24. This has been a good time for Evangelism, Christian growth, and fun for many people during the last two decades. If you are looking for a starter mission trip, this is it. Call the office to sign up.

IncrediCamp has been such an outstanding success. Lester Rachel and his Committee work on this camp all year long. Sometimes, as many as 100 people volunteer to help. The children seem to have a great time. There is a spiritual emphasis. This time, it is about God keeping His promises. It would be great if the church would sponsor their children, so that all may come.

The Mobile Food Pantry gives away tons of food every last Tuesday of the month. It is an interdenominational effort to help people in our area. Several of our churches support it financially and assist with giving out food. The Church on Boll Weevil Circle is hosting a benefit for the food pantry on May 7, 9:00am-noon. They will give away free barbecue plates to the public. The objective is to help other people who need this service to become aware of it. Applications to receive this food will be available at the May 7 event and always at the Association office. If you know of someone this would help, please pass along the word.

## **Boys Adventure Day Camp** at the Vineyard

April 30 8AM-3PM

\$20 per boy. Adult leaders are free

Breakfast at 8 AM Lunch at 12:30 PM

Join us for fellowship, fun events, food, worship, and a devotion.

Call (334) 762-2256 to RSVP

#### Call our office with your church Vacation Bible School dates!

#### **Oneida Mission Trip Meeting**

If you are interested in going on the mission trip to Oneida, you must attend a meeting May 22 at 4:00pm at Goodman Baptist Church. You must be 18 years old to go on the trip. Please call Bruce Williams at 334-389-3621 for more info.

### Please help promote the Military Support Group.

Tuesdays at 7:00 PM Church on Boll Weevil Circle

## **Mission Trip Opportunities**

**Southwest Alabama Mission Trip** - June 19-24 Oneida Mission Trip - July 31 - August 5 Belize Mission Trip - July 18-25 Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic - July 9-16

Call our office at 334-894-6411 for more info.

#### **Personnel Committee Request**

On March 8, the Executive Committee approved a motion from the Personnel Committee to recognize Dr. Granger's service in Coffee County for 30 years. He has been DOM for 22, but served the association in various functions the rest of the time. He was moderator the first year he was here. We felt that this would also be a good opportunity to talk about the work of Coffee Baptist Association.

We are going to do a few things, but you can help us do a couple of them. Dr. Granger usually does a "morning moment" on a few radio stations. We will be using this time during the month of May for pastors and church members to record a one minute spot talking about either your friendship with Dr. Granger or a highlight of something you did together in the work of the Lord and the association. If we cannot put them all in May, we will put them on CCBA Facebook page or publish in other ways.

Emily can set you up with a time and record your message. Just call her at 894 – 6411. Just do it quickly because these things need to be together by the last week of this month.

Another thing we are doing is having people record similar personal messages on their phones. We ask that these may be put on the association's Facebook page. Of course, you may share them as you please. Again, please do these quickly, and alert Emily.

Representing the Personnel Committee, Dr. Sam Self, Chair

#### Calendar of Events

#### April

28 - Minister's Meeting - 11:00 AM

30 - Boys Adventure Day Camp - 8 AM - 3 PM

5 - Vineyard Work Day - 8:00 AM

10 - Executive Committee Meeting - 7:00 PM

13-14 - GA Camp at the Vineyard

14 - Association Work Day - 8:00 AM-Noon

26 - Ministers' Meeting - 11:00 AM

30 - Memorial Day - Office Closed

# **Ministers' Meeting**

April 28 at 11:00 AM The Vineyard Christian Retreat Center

Lunch will be provided. Call our office at 334-894-6411 if you plan to attend.

### IncrediCamp 2022

July 18-20 Vineyard Christian Retreat

For children who have finished 1st-6th grade

Register by May 31 cost is \$120 After May 31 cost is \$130.

Call our office for more information.

# Baptist Men's **Association Work Day**

May 14, 2022 8:00 AM - Noon

Come join us as we spruce up the association office.

Contact John Logsdon at 334-806-2636 for more information.

# **GA Camp**

At the Vineyard May 13-14



Contact Debra Carnley at 334-565-3970 for more info.

#### **Benefit for Coffee County Community Church Food Pantry**

May 7, 2022 9 AM - Noon Church on Boll Weevil Circle

Free BBQ plates and activities for children.

Applications for food will be available. Donations to the food pantry will be accepted.

Call 894-6411 for more info.

#### Bethany Baptist Church, New Brockton

is currently seeking a bi-vocational Music minister.

Call (334) 488-0904 for more info.