



The Newsletter of Maury Baptist Association, Inc.

“Building For The Future”

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Greetings from the sunny Bahamas!

Yep, it’s me, your Director of Missions. As you read this, I’m “suffering for Jesus” on the sandy beaches of a small island in the Bahamas. Well, the picture in your mind isn’t quite accurate. Let me explain...

As most of you know, I became of member of Samaritan’s Purse Disaster Assistance Relief Team (DART) several months ago. In November of 2018, I was deployed to the island of Saipan after the devastating Cat 5 Cyclone Yutu pretty much wiped out the island. Since that time, this makes the 5th hurricane representatives of the Maury Baptist Association have responded to. Hurricane Dorian hit the islands in the Caribbean and our East coast in late August of 2019. At least 70 deaths occurred in the Bahamas alone with nearly 300 people still missing. 70,000 people are homeless.

DART has deployed me for the second time to the very small island of Great Guana Cay. It’s 7 miles long with almost complete devastation. Infrastructure is minimal at best and I think we’ll have a generator and running water at our lodging but not really sure. Yep, there will be some beautiful beaches but that’s it. All the “fun” stuff was washed out to sea - literally.

I’ll be supervising a team of folks removing debris and doing demolition. As a reminder, SP pays for all my expenses. There is no cost to MBA. With this being our traditional slow period stateside, this provides an opportunity for us to be involved in helping where the need is very great. I covet your prayers. I’m scheduled to return January 31.

Ty will be around the office until January 15. She has a medical procedure scheduled for then and will be out for several days. She’ll be checking messages though and will return when she’s mended. Keep her in your prayers as well.

News around the association:

Church name change: Thompson Station Columbia campus is now called “Connection Church”.

New Song – dedication of remodeled facilities is Sunday, January 26.

Oh, by the way. Happy New Year everyone!

Blessings, Bro. Dale

SUPPORT OUR LOCAL MINISTRIES....

Discipleship House—Under new management - Craft Memorial Methodist Church partnering with Discipleship House for the next year. - Walter & Betty Clot— 931-379-9609

Family Center—In need of Hygiene Products, Laundry Detergent, Toothbrushes, Toothpaste, Blankets, Socks, Peanut Butter, Canned Goods, etc.

Maury Chaplain Ministries—Contact Marie Cline at maurychaplainministriestn@gmail.com —Need women and men to minister to inmates.

Maury United Ministries (MUMS)—Contact Randy Nichols MUMs needs couples who can volunteer just one morning or afternoon, per month! You drive your own car and help others get to work and back, or to the grocery store, or to the doctor, etc. Randy schedules all the rides and is in contact with you, by cell phone, while you're driving!

MUMs also needs mentors who can to donate one hour per week for 13 weeks to help local citizens overcome PayDay Loan debt! MUMs will provide training and alongside assistance throughout the process!

Call Randy at 931-626-2611

or visit www.mauryunited.org for more information!

Pregnancy Centers of Middle Tennessee—Needs for both the Columbia and Spring Hill locations are for Diapers (Size 4 & 5) and Baby Shampoo, Wash and Lotion, Sunscreen and Baby Wipes. Contact Kathy Cook or Stephanie Stanfill—931-381-4024. www.pcofmt.org

2020 Church Prayer Calendar

January 12, 2020 - Allensville - Kelly Harris

January 19, 2020- Calvary- Edward Dickson

January 26, 2020 - Columbia First - Steve Livengood

February 2, 2020 - Cross Bridges - Interim, Stephen McCullum

February 9, 2020 - Faith- Dale Yates

February 16, 2020 - Friendship - Kenneth Jones

February 23, 2020 - Grace Park - Jason Davis

Pulpit Supply List:

Gary Bailey	931-446-5343	Robin Jackson	931-334-4094
Jon Bell	731-645-200	Matthew Lemay	931-540-0923
Jamie Bone	931-359-2219	James Moore	931-334-6322
Bronson Bradley	931-722-1594	Randy Nichols	931-626-6867
Michael Burgett	931-379-7698	Jerry Price	615-714-6779
Walter Clot	931-381-2191	Kevin Roe	931-446-2944
Danny Grooms	931 334 4404	Bob Vassar	931-380-3649
Thomas Hagerty	615-591-181	Mike Washington	615-310-9988
Randy Harness	931-797-8458	Guy Yeager	931-201-3056



Churches without Pastors:

Cross Bridges, Hillsboro, House of Prayer, Pleasant Heights & Theta

Hampshire Baptist Church

Organist needed to join the worship team
Contact Pastor Dustin Laster for details.

931-446-6198

Riverview Baptist Church

Columbia TN seeks a Youth Director...

If interested pray about it and if God leads you... please send resume to
jtlaws01@charter.net or mail to:

Youth Committee
2978 Fly Road
Santa Fe TN 38482

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Please email the information you need posted by the 10th
of each month. Send the information to
ty@maurybaptist.org and we will be happy to help get
the information out to our members.