Gasconade Valley Baptist Association

Calendar 2023-2024

October 2023

- **Pastor Appreciation Month**
- 1 Cooperative Program Sunday
- 2 Senior Adult Day at Camp, 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM
- 3 Pastors Breakfast Fellowship, Granny's in Bland, 8:00 AM
- 10 Operation Christmas Child Information Meeting, FBC Owensville, 6:00 PM
- 14 Ministry Wives Gathering "Strong Families Day", Faith Baptist, Belle, 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM
- 16 22 Week of Prayer for Baptist Associations (Emphasize giving to GVBA)
- 20 21 Girls Experiencing Missions (1st-6th grades), Laclede Baptist Association Camp, Richland, MO
- 22 Prayer Rally, Marantha Baptist Church (5533 Highway 89 North, Chamois), 3:00 PM
- 23 MBC Pastors Conference, Springfield, 8:00 AM to 2:30 PM
- 23 24 Missouri Baptist Convention Annual Meeting, Crossway Baptist Church, Springfield, MO
- 27 28 State Tech Lighthouse Christian Fellowship (BSU) Fall Retreat at Camp

November

- 4 All Church Trivia Night @ GVBA Camp, 6:00 PM, Bring snacks and friends!
- 5 Daylight Savings Time Ends (fall back one hour)
- 7 Pastors Lunch Fellowship, River's Bend in Belle, 11:30 AM
- 7 Election Day
- 11 Trustees Meeting (winterize camp) & Volunteer Day, Camp, 9:00 AM to Noon
- 11 Veteran's Day
- 13 20 Operation Christmas Child Collection Week
- 19 Operation Christmas Child Dedication Service, FBC Belle, 2:00 PM
- 21 Pastors Roundtable, FBC Linn, 6:30 PM
- 22 26 Mission Center Office Closed for Thanksgiving

December

- ?? Operation Christmas Child trip to processing center in Aurora, IL
- 5 Pastors Breakfast Fellowship, Granny's in Bland, 8:00 AM
- 3 10 Week of Prayer for International Missions and Lottie Moon Offering
- 12 Pastors and Wives Christmas Dinner, Rustic Garden, Bland, 6:00 PM
- 20 27 Mission Center Office Closed for Christmas

January 2024

- Dec 31 Jan 1 Mission Center Office Closed for New Year's
- Pastors Breakfast Fellowship, Granny's in Bland, 8:00 AM
- 2 6 Voice of the Martyrs Volunteer Mission Trip, Bartlesville, OK
- 21 Sanctity of Human Life Sunday
- 27 Trustees Meeting, Camp, 9:00 AM
- 30 Executive Board Meeting, Crossroads Baptist Church (Alternate: FBC Bland), 7:00 PM

February

- 6 Pastors Lunch Fellowship, River's Bend in Belle, 11:30 AM
- 12 18 Focus on WMU Week

- 18 Prayer Rally, Faith Baptist (35865 Hwy 28, Belle), 3:00 PM 20 Pastors Roundtable, FBC Linn, 6:30 PM 24 Operation Christmas Child Association Celebration, FBC Belle 2:00 to 3:00 PM 25 Racial Reconciliation Sunday March Associational Sing, Location TBA, 3:00 PM 3 3 – 10 Week of Prayer for North American Missions and Annie Armstrong Easter Offering 5 Pastors Breakfast Fellowship, Granny's in Bland, 8:00 AM 7 Nominating Committee Meeting, Mission Center Office Camp, 6:00 PM 10 Daylight Savings Time Begins (spring ahead one hour) 24 Palm Sunday 30 Trustees Meeting (de-winterize camp), Camp, 9:00 AM 31 **Resurrection Sunday** April 1 Campers on Mission work project this week at Camp 2 Pastors Breakfast Fellowship, Granny's in Bland, 8:00 AM 2 Election Day 10 Revival in the Rotunda, Missouri Capitol, Jefferson City, 12:00 – 1:00 PM 13 Spring Cleaning at Camp, 9:00 AM to Noon 22 Senior Adult Day at Camp 11:00 AM 28 GVBA Mid-Year Meeting, FBC Vienna, 3:00 PM May National Day of Prayer Missouri Women's Gathering, Branson 7 Pastors Lunch Fellowship, River's Bend in Belle, 11:30 AM 12 Mother's Day 19 Prayer Rally, Mt. Zion (1071 Hwy NN, Bland), 3:00 PM 21 Pastors Roundtable, FBC Linn, 6:30 PM 27 Memorial Day Observed, Mission Center Office Closed June 1 Clean Camp for summer camps & Volunteer Day, 9:00 AM to Noon Darkness to Light abuse prevention training, Camp dining hall, Noon to 3:00 PM Hannibal-LaGrange University Mission Trip Pastors Breakfast Fellowship, Granny's in Bland, 8:00 AM 9 – 12 Southern Baptist Convention Annual Meeting, Indianapolis, IN
- 16 Father's Day – Baptist Men's Day
- 18 Budget Committee, Mission Center Office - Camp, 6:00 PM
- 22 Evangelism Rally & Training
- 22 Prayer Walk at Camp
- 23 27 Children's Camp

July

- 2 Pastors Breakfast Fellowship, Granny's in Bland, 8:00 AM
- 2 Moderator appointments due

- 4 Independence Day, Mission Center Office Closed
- 6 Trustees Meeting & Volunteer Day, Camp, 9:00 AM to Noon
- 9 Executive Board Meeting, New Salem Baptist Church, 7:00 PM
- 14 18 Youth Camp

August

- Calling Out the Called Emphasis
- 1 Nominating Committee Meeting, Mission Center Office Camp, 6:00 PM
- 6 Pastors Lunch Fellowship, River's Bend in Belle, 11:30 AM
- 6 Election Day
- 15 Annual Church Profile (ACP) due today
- 8 18 State Fair Ministry
- 18 Prayer Rally, Pilot Knob (491 Osage County Road 716, Belle), 3:00 PM
- 20 Pastors Roundtable, FBC Linn, 6:30 PM
- 24 Volunteer Day at Camp, 9:00 AM
- 27 Associational Council Meeting, Mission Center Office Camp, 6:00 PM

September

- 2 Labor Day, Mission Center Office Closed
- 3 Pastors Breakfast Fellowship, Granny's in Bland, 8:00 AM
- 7 Trustees Meeting & Volunteer Day, Camp, 9:00 AM to Noon
- 9 15 Missouri Missions Offering Week of Prayer
- 15 Association Sing, Location TBA, 3:00 PM
- 25 See You at the Pole
- 29 GVBA Annual Meeting, GVBA Camp, 3:00 PM

Respectfully submitted,

Gasconade Valley Baptist Association Council