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Notes Along The Journey,

Pastors and Wives Christmas Banquet Monday, December 2

In less than 2 weeks we will celebrate the birth of our Savior at our Annual Pastors and Wives Christmas Banquet. It will be at The Blacksmith Restaurant across from Dyersburg High School AND on a new date, December 2. We will begin at 6 pm and enjoy a buffet style meal. We are planning for 50 to attend so let me encourage you to let us know ASAP if you are coming by Tuesday, November 26. You can contact Christy at the office (731-285-2727) or me on my cell (615-946-5495).

The Lottie Moon Christmas Offering and Week of Prayer

At The Summit a few weeks ago, we all celebrated with newly commissioned IMB missionaries as they prepared to go around the world to share the gospel with people in other lands. It was another reminder of the Great Commission of our Lord Jesus Christ that we are to work together to spread the gospel throughout the world.

The task is definitely God-sized. I recently read that in 2023, over 123 million babies were born throughout our world. Each one of these needs the opportunity to hear the gospel. How will they hear without a multitude of believers being sent out by our Lord. Let's remember to pray for laborers to be sent out into the harvest.

AND let's remember that these laborers will need financial support like the kind we can give through the LMCO.

Enjoying the Journey,

Dennis R. Jones, your DOM

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Treasurer's Report October 2024-September 2025

Undesignated		
	October	YTD
Beech Grove	150.00	150.00
Beech Grove Viar	0.00	0.00
Bogota	372.84	372.84
Calvary Chapel	0.00	0.00
Church Grove	400.00	400.00
Curve	288.00	288.00
Dyersburg First	2,500.00	2,500.00
Dyersburg Second	130.00	130.00
Emmaus	0.00	0.00
Enon	129.92	129.92
Evansville	73.64	73.64
Fairview	0.00	0.00
Finley	728.40	728.40
Fort Hudson	300.00	300.00
Fowlkes	50.00	50.00
Gates	104.51	104.51
Halls	0.00	0.00
Halls Westside	200.00	200.00
Harmony	113.51	113.51
Harvest	0.00	0.00
Hillcrest	1,976.11	1,976.11
Lenox	0.00	0.00
Macedonia	570.88	570.88
Mary's Chapel	439.00	439.00
McCullough Chapel	235.95	235.95
Miston	0.00	0.00
Mt Tirzah	319.55	319.55
Mt Vernon	1,129.50	1,129.50
New Hope	0.00	0.00
New Mitchell Grove	100.00	100.00
Newbern FBC	3,541.60	3,541.60
Parrish Chapel	25.00	25.00
RoEllen	288.81	288.81
Southside	130.53	130.53
Springhill	0.00	0.00
Three Oaks	0.00	0.00
Trimble FBC	350.00	350.00
Wstsde, Dyersburg	0.00	0.00
Williams Chapel	150.00	150.00
Woodville	0.00	0.00
Zion Hill	230.69	230.69
Church Donations	15,028.44	15,028.44
TBMB Income	6,459.54	6,459.54
Total	21,487.98	21,487.98

Mark Your Calendar

November

28: Happy Thanksgiving

December

1-8: Week of prayer for International Missions. Lottie Moon Christmas Offering

12: DBA Christmas Banquet

12: BCM Christmas Party

25: Merry Christmas

January

1: Happy New Year

14: DBA Executive Board Meeting

DBA Churches that need a Pastor

Beech Grove Baptist Church in Viar, Tn.
Enon Baptist Church in Halls, Tn.
New Mitchell Grove in Halls, Tn.
Southside Baptist Church in Dyersburg, Tn.

DBA Churches that need a Music Minister

Hillcrest Baptist Church in Dyersburg, Tn.
Macedonia Baptist Church in Ripley, Tn.
Mount Vernon Baptist Church in Halls, Tn.



April 4th-5th

“Because we loved you so much, we were delighted to share with you not only the gospel of God but our lives as well.”

1 Thessalonians 2:8

[Missions Get-Together - Tennessee Baptist Mission Board](#)

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Youth Ministry Conference



Youth Ministry Conclave

Chattanooga Convention Center

1 Carter St, Chattanooga, TN, United States

A worship and training event for all youth ministers, adult youth leaders (full-time, part-time, volunteer) & student leaders in grades 6-12.

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And they came with haste, and found Mary, and Joseph, and the baby lying in a manger.



Luke 2:16

National Human Traffic Awareness Day



January 11, 2025

National Human Traffic Awareness Day

January is National Slavery and Human Trafficking Awareness Month. Did you know slavery still exists in the United States and throughout the world? Each day, men, women, boys, and girls are trafficked through labor and sexual exploitation. US law defines human trafficking as the use of force, fraud, or coercion of a person into commercial sex acts or labor. It is estimated 25 million people worldwide are currently victims of this type of abuse.

DBA Pastors and Wives Christmas Banquet



Pastors and Wives Breakfast

Join us for a time of Fellowship



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Regional VBS Training

March 4, 2025

6:15pm- 8:45pm



Regional VBS Training Clinic- West TN.

Calvary Baptist Church Jackson,
119 Oil Well Rd, Jackson, TN.

[Regional VBS Training Clinic - West TN - Tennessee Baptist Mission Board](#)

WMU Scholarships



Tennessee Woman's Missionary Union (WMU) awards scholarships to encourage and assist Baptist students in Tennessee colleges, Southern Baptist Seminaries, and in their Christian development and academic preparation for a life of Christian service

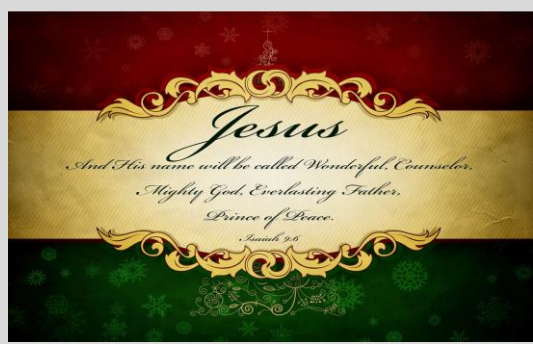
[WMU Scholarship Information - Tennessee Baptist Mission Board](#)

Join us in praying on these days for the International Mission Board- December 1-8

- Dec. 1st— The Great Pursuit in Senegal.
- Dec. 2nd—The Pursuit in Central Asia
- Dec. 3rd- The Great Pursuit among the Deaf
- Dec. 4th— The Great Pursuit in Brazil
- Dec. 5th— The Great Pursuit on Southeast Asian Islands
- Dec 6th— The Great Pursuit In Northern Africa
- Dec. 7th— The Great Pursuit in South Asia
- Dec. 8th— The Great Pursuit in Europe



[Week of Prayer for International Missions Board / Lottie Moon Christmas Offering - Tennessee Baptist Mission Board](#)



FINANCIAL ISSUES

Seminar for church treasurers, secretaries, financial secretaries, ministry assistants, business administrators, office managers, finance committee members or any person interested in church finances.

[Financial Issues Seminar - Tennessee Baptist Mission Board](#)

Merry Christmas



We hope that you have a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. We pray that your holidays are filled with all the bountiful blessings of Jesus Christ.

DBA Bible Battle

The DBA Bible Battle Churches have decided to study the Old Testament this year. Study these Characters, teach students all the facts that you can about them. Next Meeting Information TBD, will be posted on the DBA Website and sent to the group. Contact Christy at 731-334-2120 to join the Bible Battle Competition.

Characters:

King David, Elijah
Gideon, Moses
Joshua, Eve
Rahab, Shamgar
Samuel, Ruth
and Naomi



DBA Women's Ministry



DBA Women's Ministry Christmas Child

Please help us make a Childs Christmas special this year. Our Children are from Lake County. We ask that you spend 100.00 plus an age-appropriate Bible. 9 Children still need adopting. Call Christy at 731-334-2120 if you are intrested in serving in this ministry. Gifts need to be at the BCM by Dec. 13th.