

The Mallery Messenger

“Radically Impacting our World for Christ”

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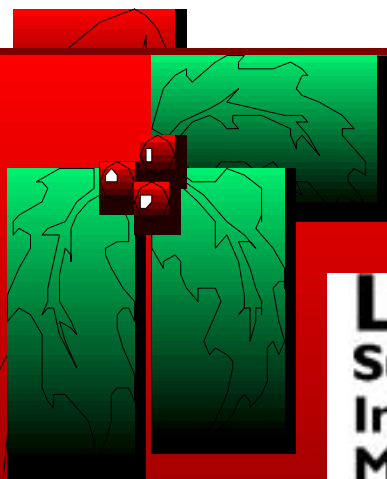
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LOTTIE MOON: Supporting International Missions



Support International Missions
Through Southern Baptists' Annual
Lottie Moon Christmas Offering

2005 National Goal: \$150 Million
“That All Peoples May Know HIM”

Church News

Isabella: Looking for a part-time paid minister of youth. To apply or for more information call Pastor Al Wilbourn, 229-776-3175 or 229-776-4142.

Cornerstone: Will have a float in the Celebration of Lights Christmas parade in Albany, December 3rd, 6:00 p.m.

Mt. Pilgrim: 2nd District General Missionary Baptist Convention, Nov. 30, Dec. 1, and Dec. 2 at 7:30 p.m. Annual Christmas Banquet, Dec. 16, 7:00 p.m. at First United Methodist Church, 307 Fint Ave.; tickets are \$12.00 (ages 13 & up), \$4.00 (ages 12 & under). Please purchase tickets by Dec. 11. Christmas Program will be held Dec. 18 immediately after morning services.

Northside: Looking for a bi-vocational minister of music. Adult International Missions Study (India), Nov. 27, 6:30 p.m. & Nov. 30, 7:00 p.m.. Following the mission study on Sunday, Nov. 27, a reception will be held honoring the country of India at approx. 7:30.

Radium Springs: The Gospel Whistlers will perform on Dec. 7th at 7:00 p.m.. All are welcome.

Raleigh White: Every Thursday from 6-8 p.m. a quilting bee will be held in the dining hall; everyone welcome. For more information call Linda Butler, 420-9739. WMU will host a Craft and Food Bazaar, Dec. 3rd from 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. All proceeds will go to the Lottie Moon Offering for foreign missions. For more information call Janet Simpson, 436-8211.

Thundering Spring: Help is needed to give a 50-year face lift to our children's education and fellowship hall building. We are in need of teams of workers to assist us in removing walls (sheetrock and plaster) and rebuilding rooms that will be dedicated to the building of God's Kingdom through ministering to families with children. We could use these teams beginning in November. Call Calving King, pastor, at 436-2959 for more information.

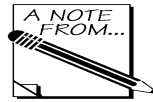
Unity: "Let's Get Real", Marriage Conference 2006; speakers Dale and Jena Forehand of Stained Glass Ministries. January 20-21 (Friday at 7:00-9:30 p.m. and Saturday at 9:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m.) Child care will be provided at an additional fee of \$5.00. To obtain a ticket, contact Ronald and Amanda Register at 777-0274.

Dale and Jena host numerous marriage conferences throughout the U.S. including LifeWay marriage conferences. Singles and engaged couples will benefit from this event..

Church Staff: Please call the Mallary Office any time you have a change in your paid staff; either leaving or coming aboard. 435-6171. Thank you.

We have updated our Library at the Mallary Office to include all books, cd's and other material by Dr. Henry Blackaby.

Mike and Jean Tabor, missionaries serving in Peru, are available for supply or mission study.
Call 439-9993 or email : micketabor@hotmail.com



Tom Hocutt,
Director of Missions

By the time you read this, I will be in China assisting our son, Daniel; his wife, Debbie; and their first adopted daughter, Sydney, in adopting their second daughter, Emily. She will be one year old on December 9. Thank you for praying for us in China—for our safety and for Emily's quick adjustment to a new family. Also please pray for Martha as she remains at Daniel and Debbie's house in northern Virginia. The process of adoption has reminded me so much of how God adopts us into His family. Thank You, Lord, that I am a child of the King of Kings and Lord of Lords! I will be in the office December 12 through the following week before Christmas break.

The fair ministries were successful from most aspects. The Health Ministry for the fair workers went very smoothly. We had great people volunteering: dentists, a doctor, nurses, dental assistants, dental hygienists, registration volunteers, and a barber (He was a great hit!). Many thanks to Bruce Pittman, pastor of New Generations Church, for the way he recruited and organized the volunteers. We are grateful for Georgia Baptists who provided the mobile dental unit and Diana Brown, nurse, and Tim Allen, driver. We are also grateful for Ken Chancellor, pastor at Lakeside, who arranged and helped hook up the office trailer which the doctor used for his examining room. As you can see the health ministry is definitely a team effort involving many people. We had over 30 people volunteering for this ministry.

The ministry on the midway went well also. Many thanks go to the groups who came to entertain and to present the Gospel through entertainment those attending the fair. Our attendance at times was good. Thanks to Southern Majesty, The Harpers, Cordova's Wake, the Antioch Church Puppets, P & G Gang, Leap of Faith, Good-bye Charlie, A Million Faces, Vision, and Riverdale for participating. Please use these groups for your events. They were most cooperative. They came without even a love offering. If you use them, make sure that you give them a great love offering. We had six volunteers from three churches on the midway to pass out tracts. What a great opportunity we have to take the Gospel to a place not readily known as a place the Gospel would be presented!

I want to encourage our churches to keep responding to the needs of the hurricane victims. There is a real need for work teams to go help churches and church members in getting their lives and houses put back together. If you want a project, sign up on line at www.namb.net/adoptachurch. I also have a list of projects available for churches to send work teams. Let me know if you need help. Many of our churches have already sent teams and more will send them in the days to come. The needs will be present for many months to come.

Encourage your church to sign up by calling the office (435-6171) to reserve a missionary speaker for Sunday morning, April 2, 2006, as a part of our Missions Celebration. Also make your plans to attend the Missions Celebration Fair on Saturday, April 1, from 10 am to 2 pm at Lakeside to meet all the missionaries.

I am enlisting churches now to have two pastors from New York speak the weeks of January 31-February 6 or March 4-11. If your church would like to have one of these men speak Sunday morning or night or Wednesday night, let me know.



**SOWEGA DISASTER MINISTRIES
GOLF TOURNAMENT
4 MAN SCRAMBLE
December 3, 2005
Flint River Municipal Golf Course**

All proceeds go to support CHARLES FREEMAN and his work with disaster relief throughout North America.

**Sunday School Growth Plan Seminar
Southwest GA. Region
Saturday, January 14, 2006**

First Baptist Church
321 College Street
Cuthbert, GA

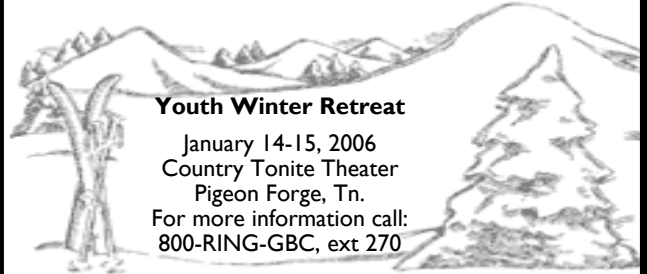
Registration Deadline: 01/05/06
Call 770-936-5286 of 1-800-746-4422 ext. 286

Youth Evangelism Conference

YEC 2005

Session #1: December 28-29
Session # 2: December 29-30
Macon Coliseum

For more information contact:
the GA Baptist Youth Ministries:
770-936-5230 or www.superwow.com



Youth Winter Retreat

January 14-15, 2006
Country Tonite Theater
Pigeon Forge, Tn.
For more information call:
800-RING-GBC, ext 270



**GA (Girls in Action) Extravaganza
Theme: Extreme Team**

February 10-11, 2006

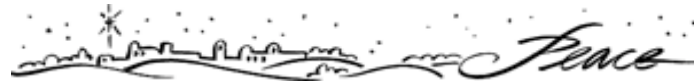
Norman Park Conference Center
Cost: \$50.00/person (1 adult/7 girls)

**Senior Adult
Homecoming at Norman Park**

March 27-29, 2006

Cost: \$110/person

Guest Pastor: Dr. Jimmy Voyles
Guest Musician: Brewton-Parker Jazz Band



The holidays are almost here and we at the Mallery Office hope you and your family have a blessed and joyous holiday season. **JESUS** is the reason for the season as we celebrate Christmas 2005.

God Bless.

Tom and Tonia



What's Happening

December

- 03 **SOWEGA Disaster Ministries Golf Tournament**
- 4-11 **Season of Prayer, International Missions**
- 06 **Minister/Spouse Christmas Banquet**
- 08 **No Women In Ministry Luncheon**
- 19 **MBA Prayer Time, Noon, Mallary Office**
- 28-30 **Youth Evangelism Conf, Macon Centreplex**
- 26- Jan. 1 **Mallary Office Closed**

January 2006

- 05 **Women in Ministry Luncheon , Noon, Mallary Office**
- 06 **MBA Minister's Fellowship, 11:30 AM, 1st Albany**
- 14 **Sunday School Growth Plan Seminar, FBC Cuthbert**
- 16 **MBA Prayer Time, Noon, Mallary Office**
- 19 **Mayor's Prayer Breakfast, Merry Acres, 6:30 a.m.**
- 19 **Senior Adult Rally, Noon, Pine Hill Baptist**
- 24 **MBA Minister's Fellowship, 11:30 AM, 1st Albany**
- 27-28 **Coon Hunt Ministry**

February 2006

- 02 **Women in Ministry Luncheon , Noon, TBA**
- 02 **Executive Committee Meeting, 7:00 PM, Mallary Office**
- 06 **MBA Minister's Fellowship, 11:30 AM, 1st Albany**
- 20 **MBA Prayer Time, Noon, Mallary Office**
- 25 **MBA RA Racer Event**



Mallary Baptist Finances for September

Income: \$ 11,376.23 Expenses: \$ 12,128.81

Budget Needs Per Month: \$14,443.02

Mallary Baptist Association Vision Statement

We see a day when the Mallary Baptist Association radically impacts every area of life in our communities, our state , the nation, and the world through fully developed followers of Jesus Christ obeying the Great Commandment and the Great Commission.

MBA Mission Statement

*The Mallary Baptist Association under the leadership of the Holy Spirit will effectively equip churches to pray, to disciple, to evangelize...
To be on mission with God.*

Church Anniversaries

December:

None

Minister/Staff Anniversary

December:

01	A.R. Wilbourn, Pastor, Isabella	1993
01	Carl Dunn Transitional Pastor, Radium Springs	2004
03	Michael Catt, Pastor, Sherwood	1989
05	Roy Carroll, Pastor, Pine Forest	2004
08	Chip Gresham, Pastor, Calvary	2002
15	MattGreen, Pastor, Unity	2002

Happy Birthday

December:

18	Chuck Farmer, Music, Mercedes
12	Mark Willard, Music, Sherwood
17	Ben Spindle, Jr. , Music, Sunnyside
18	John Fullmer, Music, Isabella
23	Brady Jordan, Music, Bryant Drive
25	Michael Catt, Pastor, Sherwood
28	Danny Moree, Pastor, Evergreen