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February 2016

Senior Adult Rally

Thursday, March 17, 2016

9:00—11:30 am FBC Newton

Guests:

Cindy Townsend, MS WMU Executive Director
Roger Orman, MS Baptist Sunday School Director
Chester Carlisle, Pastor, Grace BC in Philadelphia

MS Baptist Foundation Sponsored Coffee Bar Break & Door prizes!

Teaching English as a Foreign Language (EFL)

Saturday, March 19th, 2016

8 am—4:30 pm Associational Building

Taught by Ellen Rogers

Please call the LBA Office to register!

A NAMB certificate can be earned through this course. Great for those wishing to teach English while on a mission trip or as a career!

CRISIS CENTER

Operating Hours:
Monday thru Thursday
8:30—12 Noon

Be God's Hand—Touch the Needy

Thank you to men from FBC Marion and Fifteenth Avenue BC who picked up food ordered from MS Food Network this month.

A special thank you to two SS classes who did special projects for the Crisis Center this month:

- * Ann Joyner's SS Class from Highland BC assisted a homeless woman to get into an apartment;
- * Barber/Ruffin SS Class gave a monetary donation.

We are currently working with a family who needs an electric stove. If you have replaced your stove and would like to donate your old stove to the Crisis Center, you can contact us and we will contact the family.

If you have a group who would like to do a special projects, we are always in need of cleaning supplies, laundry supplies and personal care products.

Thank you for all that you do for the Crisis Center!

MERIDIAN BSU

As a campus ministry we have several areas that we try to focus on with our students. The first is Discipleship. We believe that Discipleship is the most important thing in the life of a believer, and if discipleship is the focus the rest should fall into place. This is why we place so much emphasis on Discipleship.

One of the by products of Discipleship is going to be missions and evangelism, which is another focus of our ministry. As we wrote about last month, we carried 12 students to the Dominican Republic over Christmas break, and we have about 7 of our students going to Utah with Fellowship Baptist over Spring Break. We also have one student who will be serving this summer as a BSU Summer Missionary in Alaska. Please be in prayer for our students as they serve the Lord around our country and around the world.

Below is a list of the upcoming NOONDAY Lunches.

March 2	FBC Collinsville
March 16	Midway BC
March 23	Arkadelphia
March 30	New Hope BC
April 6	Russell BC
April 13	Oak Grove BC
April 20	Fifteenth Ave. BC
April 27	Northcrest BC
May 4	Highland BC

Justin Busby

Dominican Republic Mission Trip

Greg Massey and Danny Davis will be making a trip to the DR on Friday, February 26th and return on March 4th. They will be working with the Nelsons. Please pray for safe travel and open hearts.

BIBLE DRILLS ASSOCIATIONAL DRILL

Sunday, April 3rd
2:30—5:30 pm
Poplar Springs Drive BC

STATE DRILL
Saturday, April 16th
10:00 am—1:00 pm
Poplar Springs Drive BC

Bible Drill Leaders need to call the LBA Office with their number of drillers and names of workers.

VBS materials

If your church is planning to use the 2016 LifeWay VBS ***Submerged***, you can order your materials directly from the LifeWay store and save on freight. Contact Amy Brossette at 601-482-0242 for details.



LBA'S CHRIST'S LOVE TRAILER

6' x 12' COVERED TRAILER EQUIPPED WITH

- *Hand tools such as hammers, screwdrivers and wrenches
- *Battery operated drill with bits
- *Chain saw, hand saw, rakes and shovels
- *Plumbing supplies
- *Ladders and extension cords



NO Cost except for replacement parts such as nails, light switches, electrical outlets, etc. Call the LBA Office to reserve this trailer for your next mission project!