

Missions—Local

POLICE IN THE PARK... are opportunities for our churches to join the Camden Police Department in outreach to the community. A cookout, Kona Ice and other fun things are provided. KBA is asked to provide and operate an inflatable, 10 am to 1 pm. The schedule is as follows: Saturday, May 11, Boykin Park; Saturday, June 22, Kirkwood Park; and Saturday, July 13, Edgewood Park. This is a great opportunity for youth to come out and learn to give and serve. Please contact Ron for more details.

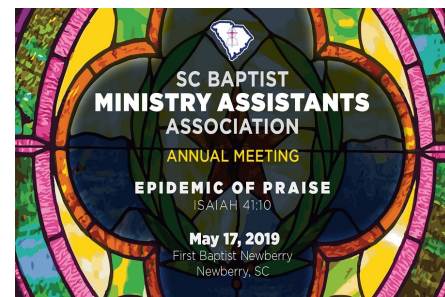


MONDAY PRAYER TIME...noon each Monday! Pastors and church leaders, please join Ron at the KBA Missions Center if you're in town, or stop and pray wherever you are at noon. We are praying for a mighty moving of God in the lives of our pastors, leaders and churches that will only come about by much prayer.

COUNSELORS NEEDED FOR LEHS FCA EVENT... we need men and women counselors for the end-of-year FCA event at Lugoff-Elgin High School. Justin Martin, aka "Martin" on Duck Dynasty, will be speaking and challenging the young people to embrace Christ. Contact Ron for more details.

KBA RADIO MINISTRY... every weekday morning around 7:30 am on 102.7 FM. Each pastor is asked to participate by sharing five 2-minute messages, about a half page when you read it. Recording takes place each Thursday, 1 pm at the radio station in Lugoff, with the devotionals being heard the following week. Contact Ron to set your recording date.

CHURCHES, PLEASE SUPPORT YOUR MINISTRY ASSISTANT by registering her to attend this meeting. There are opportunities for training, refreshing, and networking to better equip them for our work. Go to www.scbmaa.org for information on classes being offered, and to register.



PRAYER BOOT CAMP

BASIC TRAINING FOR A LIFE OF PRAYER

PRAYER MINISTRY...for our churches is being led by our KBA Prayer Team. We are planning four separate "Prayer Boot Camps" across the KBA region in 2019. Does your church want to host one? If so, contact Ron or call Paulette Underwood at 803-840-0020.



DR. CLAUDE KING... co-author of *Experiencing God*, prolific Christian writer/ author and inspiring national speaker on prayer, will be with us over the weekend of October 18-20. He will speak to pastors and wives on Friday night, October 18, lead a workshop on Saturday, October 19 and will be speaking in KBA churches on Sunday, October 20. More details will soon follow.



MONTHLY OPPORTUNITY TO FEED THE HOMELESS... Sundays, 4 pm. This is a great opportunity for youth groups and Sunday School classes. Call Dennis Outlaw, 803-427-6353.



FIVE CHURCHES RECEIVE TRIPLE A RECOGNITION at the WMU Spring Meeting on April 9. (L-R) LaWanda Welsh (Springvale), Joan Young (Providence), Celeste Toole (Camden First), Doris Horton (Shamrock). KBA WMU Director Vada Arant is holding the certificate for Mt. Pisgah.

Missions—International

DONATIONS FOR MISSION TRIP TO CUBA... churches are asked to receive an offering for the Cuban church, or otherwise donate, to this great need! All funds will go directly to Cuban churches. Ron and Paulette Underwood will be traveling there with pastors Steve Lee, Terry Corder and John Corder on May 13-21. They will return with pictures and information of the specific church that you assist so you can pray for them and possibly connect to them in the future. Please get these funds in to the KBA mission center ASAP.

Missions—National

MISSIONS IN MYRTLE BEACH... will be led by a number of our KBA churches this summer. Churches include Oak Ridge, Faith, New Hope, Wateree, Emmanuel, and Camden First. It's still not too late to join in, but contact Ron ASAP. Your primary duty will be to lead a day camp (VBS) with your group of 8-10, or more. You can then choose from other outreaches, including hosting a block party, using Frisbees for beach evangelism, prayer walking, along with other choices. For the budget minded, we have a church where your group can stay. KBA will assist with finances. Yes, your Sunday School class or church group can do this, easily!



SEXUAL MISCONDUCT SUMMIT... is planned for September for our pastors and church leaders, as well as for churches in the community. Subjects, including background checks on volunteers, sexual assault, sexual harassment, dealing with sexual predators, reporting requirements, victim support and church safety procedures, will be discussed. It is the responsibility of pastors and the church to protect their women, youth and children, as well as be wise in our "sue-happy" culture.



Pastors/Staff/Family Care

PASTORS CONFERENCE... will meet Tuesday, May 28, 11 am, at the KBA, with lunch and an inspiring speaker.

LOCAL RETREAT LOCATION FOR PASTORS?... as we seek to care for our pastors, we are seeking a local location that a pastor can go to for a day and have some prayer time. Perhaps a home on Lake Wateree? If you have a suggestion, please call Ron at the KBA office.

COUNSELING/REFRESHING RESOURCES...

Palmetto Counseling Associates—Dr Nic Natale, Columbia, SC, 803-254-9767

Celebrate Recovery—Jimmy Braddock, Christ-centered recovery program, Camden, SC, 803-369-4365

Teen Challenge—Rev Wayne Powell, Georgetown, SC, 843-520-4888

The Good Samaritan Colony, rehab from addiction to drugs and alcohol, Ruby, SC, 843-634-6848

Shade Tree Ministry—refreshing for ministry leaders and their spouses www.shadetreeministry.org

Wateree Pregnancy Network—803-804-1567



BETTER HALVES... Will meet Thursday, May 30, 6:00 pm at the KBA Mission Center. Join us for a time of fun and inspiration with a light supper.

GOOD NEWS CLUBS (GNC)

UPDATE... GNC are weekly Bible studies that are allowed in elementary schools across the nation. Half of the elementary schools in South Carolina have them, but none are taking place locally. Beginning next fall, the KBA has budgeted funds for the 2019-20 school year so we can have a GNC in every elementary school at no cost to your church. Your church will need to provide 8-10 volunteers (or combine with another church). KBA will provide all training, literature and funding for the school year. As of May 1, many of our KCSD elementary schools are being "claimed" by our churches, but not all. Please take note of this date: Saturday, August 17. The state GNC team will be here to train our churches on implementing a GNC in their school, so you will need to have your church team present. Details will soon follow. Please be praying about this as we seek to win the next generation to Christ! You can go to the website of Child Evangelism Fellowship and learn more. Contact Ron for more information.



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Around the Association

May Birthdays:

- 06 Amy Hopkins, Hermitage
- 08 Steve Sanderson, Calvary
- 14 Jenny Corder, Hillcrest
- 18 Everett Reconnu, Southside
- 18 Don Coppedge, retired
- 19 Ken Jackson, Hillcrest
- 21 Elizabeth Holcombe, Hermitage
- 24 Lanny Brisendine, retired
- 24 Todd Gandy, Providence
- 24 Sandy Ridley, Freedom Outreach
- 25 Robbie Shivar, Sand Hill Heights
- 26 Melvie Wallace, Cedar Creek
- 27 Jan Whitfield, retired
- 30 Ann Brisendine, retired
- 31 Fran Stokes, retired


May Wedding Anniversaries:

- 01 Jamie and Elizabeth Holcombe, Hermitage
- 04 Vince and Kelly Earls, DeKalb
- 15 Steve and Diane Lee, Mt. Olivet
- 15 Keith and Melanie Allison, Lucknow

May Church Anniversaries:

- 03 Mike Pelham, Lake Wateree
- 13 Craig Thompson, Malvern Hill
- 15 Bryan Plyler, River
- 20 Thomas Greig, Fox Hill





02—National Day of Prayer
04—State Bible Drill
06—Monday Manna
12—Mother’s Day
13-21 -Mission Trip to Cuba
17—Ministry Assistant State Meeting
23—Better Halves
27— Memorial Day -KBA Closed
28—Pastors Conference





The Cornerstone

I Peter 2:6

Growing God's Kingdom Associationally

THE NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER | MAY 2, 2019

★ PRAY FOR AMERICA ★

LOVE ONE ANOTHER

LOVE ONE ANOTHER. JUST AS I HAVE LOVED YOU JOHN 13:34

The National Day of Prayer is the special time across our nation when Christians gather in churches, homes and public meeting places to join their hearts in prayer for God to bless America, again! KBA is hosting just one of many prayer meetings across Kershaw County. Pastors and church members, alike, are invited to gather together at noon on Thursday, May 2 in the front yard of the Kershaw County Courthouse, Camden. Rev. Marion Bennett, Pastor of Bethlehem Missionary Baptist, Lugoff, will be sharing. Others will be offering prayer for our nation.



Monday Manna
May 6

Monday, May 6, noon, at the KBA missions center for all Pastors and staff members. Dr. Dale Roach, Pastor of Poplar Springs Baptist Church will be leading us in a discussion of his book *The Servant Leadership Style of Jesus*, of which you will receive a copy. Lunch will be provided, so please call the KBA to reserve your steak!