



November 2019

The Cornerstone

I Peter 2:6

Growing God's Kingdom Associationally

NATIONAL HUNGER AND HOMELESSNESS AWARENESS WEEK... is always the week before Thanksgiving. KBA is praying and working toward getting the local churches and helping agencies of the county working together so that hunger and homelessness in Kershaw County are eliminated! To that end, here is what we are doing:



MONDAY, NOVEMBER 18:

Breakfast for all pastors and helping agencies, 8:30 am, Bethlehem Missionary Baptist Church, 19 Ward Road, Lugoff

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20:

Churches are asked to use their prayer meeting time to teach on the local needs and pray. KBA will provide some information to pastors.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21:

Poverty 101 "lunch and learn" workshop conducted by the SCBC, begins at 11 am, Hermitage Baptist Church, Camden. Lunch will be provided. Open to all church members.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 22: Open house, food drive and lunch at United Way/ Christian Community Ministries, Camden. Times to be announced.

MONDAY MANNA

November 4, noon

KBA Missions Center

Pastors, we will have a great steak lunch for you! Stephen Splawn and Daryll Gaddy, African-American pastors from the South Carolina Baptist Convention will be leading us in a discussion of how we can better care for everyone in our church community.



Missions—Local

REFLECTIONS ON THE CLAUDE KING CONFERENCE... there was a group of 67 pastors and church leaders in attendance at FBC Camden, as Claude King shared his thoughts on returning to God and He will return to us and our churches (Malachi 3:7). Isn't this a great need for all of us! Pastors and church leaders will be hearing more about this effort in coming months as we pray, then put together an Association-wide effort to experience the glory of God's return to our lives, families and churches!

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 Paulette Underwood at 803-840-0020.

KBA RADIO MINISTRY... every week-day morning around 7:30 on 102.7 FM. Pastors are 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.



Don't forget to set your clocks back one hour before going to bed on November 2, so you will arrive for church at the correct time.

MISSIONARIES AVAILABLE TO SPEAK...

Mike and Courtney Bracken (pseudonym) have served on the field in Central Asia with the IMB for the past eight years. They are open to come speak in your church or lead in education about missions. If you are interested in having them speak to your church or group, contact them at movingmountains@rememberus.net.

"Give thanks to the Lord, for He is good; His love endures forever."



1 Chronicles 16:34

Happy Thanksgiving

PRAY ABOUT A WILL GRAHAM CELEBRATION...

Will Graham is the grandson of Dr. Billy Graham and is leading crusades/celebrations all over the world. We are told he is very much like his granddaddy.



KBA WOMAN'S WORLD DAY OF PRAYER
Monday, November 4, 2019

Theme: Arise and Shine through Service

Please let us know if your church will be observing this Day of Prayer. We have had several churches asking if they could attend one of the Day of Prayer services? Please let us know, so it can be posted.

Program and Prayer Guide can be found on Facebook.com/BWAWomen'sDepartment for complete planning. Should you require assistance, please let us know. Thanks!



Disaster Relief
Meeting
Thursday
November 7
7:00 p.m.
KBA Mission Center

We hope you can attend this business/fellowship meeting.

Missions—National

MISSIONS ACROSS AMERICA 2020!... now is the time for your church to be praying about going on mission next year to a destination across America! KBA already has a partnership with Myrtle Beach. Other destinations such as Atlanta, Kentucky and Boston are other options. Speak with Ron to get the ball rolling!

Missions—International

THE INTERNATIONAL MISSIONS COMMITTEE... is praying about and meeting in regards to upcoming mission trips to Cuba sometime this winter. If you are interested, please contact Ron.

INTERESTED IN LOCAL CHAPLAINCY?... with the local first responders? Contact Ron to learn more.

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

Camp McCall Retreat House—
Phillip "Snoball" Jewell, 864-884-6926

Job Opportunity

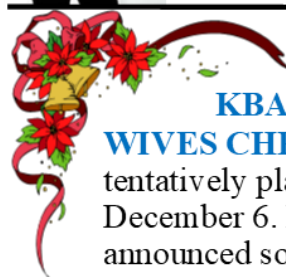
Kershaw Baptist Association is seeking a **part-time ministry assistant/bookkeeper**. Please mail a current résumé to KBA at 14 E. DeKalb St. Camden, SC 29020 or e-mail to kba@truvista.net. For further information, call the KBA Mission Center, 803-432-3028.

Pastors/Staff/Family Care

PASTORS CONFERENCE... will meet Tuesday, November 19, 11am with lunch and a great speaker.



BETTER HALVES... will meet November 21, 6 pm, KBA Mission Center. Join us for a time of fun and inspiration. Please RSVP to Paulette Underwood, 803-840-0020.



KBA PASTORS/STAFF/ WIVES CHRISTMAS PARTY!... is tentatively planned for Friday evening, December 6. Location and time will be announced soon.

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

November Birthdays:

01 Kristie Hinson, Harmony
07 Lyn Hill, New Hope
07 Tracy Hinson, Harmony
09 Melissa Gandy, Providence
10 Keith Allison, Lucknow
10 Homer Hinson, retired
13 Bobby Wallace, retired
15 Jessica Bernshausen, Bethune
15 Danny Hedgepath, Antioch
19 Vince Earls, DeKalb
20 Stacy McElrath, Springvale
23 Mildred Cline, Mizpah
24 Scott Bernshausen, Bethune
25 Charlotte Morris, Malvern Hill
27 Joan Reconnu, Southside



November Wedding Anniversaries:

02 Eric and Deanna Boone, Pine Grove
10 Scott and Jessica Bernshausen, Bethune
22 Rus and Linda McDonald, Pisgah
24 Buster and Charlotte Morris, Malvern Hill
27 Jerry and Edwina Gardner, Faith

November Church Anniversaries:

03 Eric Boone, Pine Grove
03 Bobby James, Oak Ridge
12 Ken Jackson, Hillcrest
14 Danny Hedgepath, Antioch
16 Taylor Wells, Wateree
17 Phillip Gerrald, Camden First

Christmas Prisoner Packets

Due November 26

1 – **BLACK** non-retractable pen (no wire clip and no other color)

1 – **Writing Tablet** no larger than 5 x 8
(**absolutely no wire bound or composition books**)

1 – **Adult Toothbrush** (individually factory-sealed, no multi-packs)

1 – **4oz to 6 oz. Toothpaste** (no travel size)

1 – **3.2 oz. to 6 oz. Bar of Soap** (no travel size, no unwrapped/unboxed bars)

2 – **Rolls of Hard Candy** like LifeSavers, Mentos, Breath Savers (**NO** Smarties, Sweetarts, Necco wafers, Rolos, Starburst, TicTacs)

5 – **First-Class #10 STAMP-EMBOSSSED Envelopes** from the US Post Office (no regular stamps)

1 – **gallon size zipper bag with SLIDER SEAL.** (only 1 gal size, no other size bags accepted.)

Please **DO NOT** include washcloths, toothbrush holders, floss, soap dishes, combs.

Shop early for those hard-to-find items!

Distribution to the inmates will be December 10.

All items must fit in the zipper bag with the zipper closed securely.



If you can help check prisoner packets on November 26, please call Paulette Underwood, 803-840-0020, or the KBA Mission Center.

MISSION CENTER STAFF

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To:

Connie Maxwell Children's Home

Please **BOX** your groceries before delivering to KBA. Boxed goods will be accepted from **Nov. 1-13.**

Typical items on a week's grocery list for a cottage of 8 children:

Food List:

6 16 oz cans fruits & vegetables

1 lg squeeze bottle of mustard

1 lg squeeze bottle of ketchup

1 lg jar mayonnaise

1 64 oz Canola Oil

6 cans canned meats*
(chicken, tuna, SPAM, beef)

6 cans Vienna Sausage

1 28 oz jar peanut butter

1 28 oz jelly

1 32 oz jar pickles

Canned soups

1 lg bottle of syrup

5 lb bag sugar

8 white bath size bars of soap

3 bottles of cleaning supplies

1 bottle dish detergent

1 lg dishwasher detergent*

1 lg laundry detergent*

1 gallon laundry bleach*

1 gallon fabric softener*

150 ct pack of foam plates*

3 rolls paper towels*

1 lg package paper napkins*

8 rolls bathroom tissue*

1 lg box facial tissue*

Shampoo/conditioner*

Deodorant*

Toothpaste*



1—13 Connie Maxwell collections due at KBA

2—Set clocks back before bedtime

4—Monday Manna

4—Woman's World Day of Prayer

5—Election Day

7—Disaster Relief Meeting

18—Hunger/Homelessness Awareness Breakfast

19—Pastors Conference

21—Poverty 101 Workshop

21—Better Halves

22—Hunger Awareness Open House/Food Drive/
Lunch at United Way/Christian Community
Ministries

26—Prisoner Packets due

28—KBA Mission Center closed for Thanksgiving

