



The Cornerstone

I Peter 2:6

Growing God's Kingdom Associationally

GOOD NEWS CLUBS 2021-22...due to the increasing reality and threat of Covid for both our schools and our church volunteers, we are postponing the training workshop we had planned for September 18th. We expect to reschedule it shortly after the new year. Let us not grow weary in well doing and continue to put great emphasis on our Sacks of Love ministry that feeds hungry children!



Transforming Lives
TOGETHER
 2 CORINTHIANS 3:18

SEASON OF PRAYER FOR STATE MISSIONS is September 12-19. The theme is 'Transforming Lives Together!' Speakers, videos, leaders guides and other resource materials are available at: [www. JanieChapmanoffering.org](http://www.JanieChapmanoffering.org). DVD's are available by request only. Prayer guides & posters may be ordered online at www.scwmu.org.

Christmas Prisoner Packets....It's that time of year again to start collecting items for the prisoner packets. All packets are due to the KBA missions office by December 1st. Please contact Penny at 803-432-3028 or email at kba@truvista.net for a full list of approved items to be collected. This year we have been asked to supply 700 packets!! Let's start collecting and start blessing!



Fall Meeting

KBA FALL MEETING...is planned for mid-late October. We are expecting to have an outside meeting (social distancing!) with barbeque and Cowboy Church worship service. We will have more details in the October newsletter. Our alternate plan would be to have a zoom meeting. More information to come.

Missions—Local



HISPANIC CHURCH PLANT... is now happening. To learn more, contact Pastor Silvio at 954-245-1704. He will be glad to come to your church to preach and share about the work.

PLANT A COWBOY CHURCH? ... or even two in our area is a question some across KBA are asking. As the Apostle Paul challenged, we become all things to all men whereby we can win some of them. Please be in prayer for this real possibility!



UPDATE: WOMEN'S CARE MINISTRY ...to support women and their families during a surprise pregnancy is ongoing. They have appointed a Board of Directors, established vision and mission statements, and adopted By-laws. They have also set some 3 to 6 month goals to hire a Director and prayerfully, identify a building. Churches and Pastors, here is what you can do to support the effort.

1.) Invite one of the members of the Board to speak to your church in whatever forum you choose. You can contact Allyson Brannen at

803-422-5378 or email them at admin@watereepregnancynetwork.org

2.) Be sure to include this ministry as a separate item in your future church budget.

3.) Donations of any kind are greatly needed. Donations can be dropped off at the KBA missions center.

While KBA is organizing this ministry, we expect it to be a stand-alone ministry in the future that will operate on it's own budget. We are praying about a director, a building and the shape of future ministry! Please pray with us! **Please make all donations separate from KBA donations.**

Missions—National/State

SUPPORT FOR FRUITLAND BIBLE COLLEGE ... which is one of our SBC colleges dedicated to training ministers, is planned for Thursday, Sept 30 at Fruitland Bible College in Hendersonville, NC. KBA will provide some inflatables for their family day. This is a great way to support this important institution in Hendersonville, NC that has provided many pastors, even to our KBA churches over the years! Thanks to our Fruitland graduates for their help!



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THE FLOCK

¹ PETER 5:2

PASTORS CONFERENCE...

Tuesday, September, 28th at 11 AM.

Location to be announced.



BETTER HALVES MEETING... of the wives of pastors and staff members is Tuesday, September 28th 6 pm at KBA missions center. Call or text Paulette Underwood, 803-840-0020 to sign up!

AROUND THE ASSOCIATION



September Birthdays:

- 01 Keri Blankenship, Bethany
- 12 Angie Robinson, Abney
- 21 Dean Elliott, Cassatt
- 24 Susie Gerrald, Camden First
- 25 Tiffany Ellis, Camden First
- 26 Tonya Jackson, Hillcrest
- 27 Angela Thompson, Malvern Hill
- 29 Lynn Wells, Wateree

September Wedding Anniversaries:

- 14 Robert and Sandy Ridley, Freedom Outreach

September Church Anniversaries:

- 12 Thomas Sullivan, Open Arms.
- 20 David Brannen, Springvale

COUNSELING/REFRESHING RESOURCES...

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

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— 803-713-4458

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

Blue Horizons Counseling Service—Mary Mathis, 500G Dicey Ford Rd, Camden, SC 803-669-0658



IT'S BABY SHOWER TIME!!! Pastor Silvio and Suly are expecting their gift from God in December. We want to bless Suly with a baby shower on October 3, at 2 pm at The River Church. Church address is 2024 Haile Street, Camden.

Suly has a baby registry on Amazon. If you go to Amazon under baby registry, type in Suly Sanchez and click on her name it will show you the items that they are in need of.

This is going to be a time for ladies only to shower Suly with lots of love and prayers! If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call Penny at the KBA mission center. If you are not able to attend and

want to bless her with a gift, you can drop it off at the KBA mission center. Pastors, please pass this information along to your church ladies!

September

- 12-19—Seasons of Prayer
- 28—Pastor Conference
- 28—Better Halves
- 30—Fruitland Bible College

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Missions—National



North Carolina has asked for our help with mud-out in response to the flooding caused by Tropical Storm Fred. Areas involved is west of Asheville . (Lake Junaluska/Maggie Valley plus counties north and

south of there.) Search and Rescue is still going for the 35 people unaccounted for.

Note from our KBA team: The DR team is working well. The devastation at the heart of the flood zone is unbelievable. The locals seem to be resilient but still in shock. They have lost 22 neighbors. A lot of property damage, several roads are washed out. There has been several professions of faith. NCDR has given out several tents for people who have lost their homes. Our team has been blessed to “adopt” a volunteer from NC. His background has been “bouncing around” with his mother - one man to the next. We have blessed and been blessed.



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JOB OPPORTUNITIES...

PART-TIME YOUTH MINISTER ...duties related to the growth and development of the youth of the church and community. Contact Personnel Committee, 803-427-9306, send a current resumé to **Cassatt Baptist Church**, P O Box 110, Cassatt, SC 29032, or email it to cassattbc@gmail.com.

PART-TIME YOUTH MINISTER Antioch Baptist Church ...students grades 6-12. If interested, mail your resumé to Rev Danny Hedgepath, 1875 Antioch Road, Camden, SC 29020 or email to revdanny10@yahoo.com

PART-TIME MUSIC MINISTER...Springvale Baptist Church Duties include leading choir, a blended Praise & Worship Service and coordinating special music on a weekly basis. The Music Minister will also be available to lead when needed for any extra services that take place. Please send resume to springvale.baptist@springvalebaptist.com.

CHILD CARE WORKERS - Camden First Child Care Center is in need of caring, nurturing adults to care for children in their weekday ministry. Interest and resumé should be emailed to FBC-ChildMin@FirstBaptistCamden.org.