



The Newsletter of Maury Baptist Association, Inc.

“Poised for the Future”

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URGENT REQUEST

As most of you know, MBA has a wonderful history of helping people locally, regionally, nationally, and internationally. With Acts 1:8 as our model, our churches have responded tremendously with literally hundreds of volunteers going outside of their comfort zones to help others over the past several years.

One of the most effective and popular things we have done in mission work is our annual summer mission trip. We have averaged somewhere around 75 volunteers annually with numbers reaching over 90 on more than one occasion. Unfortunately, for a variety of reasons, our numbers for this year's trip to Cleveland, Tennessee are very, very low. In fact, as I write this, we do not have enough people to adequately accommodate the jobs we have committed to doing.

With this in mind, I'm asking all of you to do two things:

- Pray about your own involvement
- Recruit others to join

Please sign up as soon as possible.

We are in desperate need of:

- A few kitchen workers to provide breakfast (only) for the entire group each day.
- Skilled and semi-skilled volunteers to do construction
- Bible School leaders and volunteers to staff our outreach at the Boys and Girls club.

The dates of the trip are June 27-July 3 and the cost is \$150. If you have questions, please contact the MBA office.

Although the nature of my article this month is urgent, there is no panic. God is in control and we will do providentially whatever He calls and allows us to do. Let's thank Him for giving us to the privilege to serve others.

In closing, please know as you read this and if the Lord wills, my wife and I will be visiting the Holy Land. No not Alabama; the original Holy Land. We're visiting Egypt, Jordan, and Israel the first couple weeks of June. It's a lifelong dream of mine to do this. The Lord has given us a tremendous opportunity and we are so very grateful. It's our first time and I do look forward to seeing where our Lord lived and walked – and will walk again soon!

Blessings, Bro. Dale

Special Points of

Interest:

- Vacation Bible School Schedule
- Survivors Love Link Connection Group—NEW
- One-day conference that explores communicating familiar Bible stories in unfamiliar ways.
- Summer Mission Trip & Haiti Trip information
- Bi-vocational youth director needed for Riverview Baptist Church
- Part-Time Youth Pastor needed for Southside Baptist Church
- 2010 Executive Board Calendar
- Church Prayer Calendar
- Defending your Faith Seminar

2010 Annual Summer

Mission Trip

Cleveland, Tennessee

June 27—July 3rd, 2010

Join us for our annual Maury Baptist Summer Mission Trip. This year we will be traveling to Cleveland, Tennessee to work in the Appalachian Mountains. We will be working with Ocoee Outreach Ministries in construction, VBS Bible camps, evangelistic block parties and sport clinics. **Cost is \$150 and deadline to register is June 4, 2010.** Please contact the MBA office at 931-381-0130 to register or email rosemary@maurybaptist.org

SURVIVOR'S LOVE LINK CONNECTION GROUP

Have you lost a loved one and feel disconnected? Survivor's Love Link Connection Group is for those seeking to surround themselves with like minded Christ believers to encourage and love on another. This group is for both genders to plan fellowship meetings and outings to build Christian friendships inside and outside the church.

The first group meeting will be held at the Maury Baptist Association. We are seeking individuals who want to get involved and help get the word out.

For More information:

Rev. Jack Taylor

931-379-9438 Home

931-626-4714 Cell

**BI-VOCATIONAL
YOUTH DIRECTOR NEEDED**

Riverview Baptist Church is searching for a Bi-Vocational Youth Director. If anyone feels led and is interested PRAY about it and send resume to:

**Riverview Baptist
ATTN: Youth Committee
798 Santa Fe Pike
Columbia, TN 38401**

**THANK YOU CROSS BRIDGES
BAPTIST CHURCH** for serving us
at our May Executive Board
Meeting. Your loving hands and
hearts are so appreciated and we
thank you for all that you do for
HIS Kingdom!!!

**SOUTHSIDE BAPTIST
PART-TIME YOUTH PASTOR NEEDED**

This will be a paid part-time position.
To apply please contact:

**Rev. Danny Laster
931-378-3891
or brodanklaster@hotmail.com**



**Gary & Gwen Bailey—May 21st
James & Bobbie Moore—May 29th**



ANGEL FOOD MINISTRIES
SOUTHSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH
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www.angelfoodministries.com



STICK UP FOR JESUS
POST IT NOTES....
SCRIPTURES THAT YOU CAN POST ANY-
WHERE!!!

FOR MORE INFORMATION....

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Pulpit Supply List:

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Mike Washington (REVIVAL)	
	615-310-9988

ALL EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBERS AND
MBA CHURCH PASTORS....

JUNE EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING

Monday, MAY 17th

Southside Baptist Columbia

6:00 pm Fellowship

7:00 pm Business Meeting

**TENNESSEE DRUG AWARENESS
COUNCIL (TDAC)**

Rick Fisher, Executive Director of TDAC is available to speak to your church congregation or youth.

Rick's latest message, **"What's Wrong with our Kids Today?"** educates pastors, parents and students the dangers of risky behaviors and what we can do to help our youth. To schedule an appointment, call 931-388-3435

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• Have any church news or event you want to share? Please email the information you need posted by the 10th of each month. Send the information to rosemary@maurybaptist.org and we will be happy to help get the information out to our members.

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SUPPORT OUR LOCAL CHARITIES....

Discipleship House—Contact Walter & Betty Clot— 931-379-9609— Funds are needed for utility bills please consider making a donation to help them during these cold winter months. Shepherds are also needed—training available

Maury Chaplain Ministries—Contact Jeff Boggs—931-380-5733 x 284—Need women and men to minister to inmates.

MUMS—Contact Randy Nichols—931-626-6867—MUMS needs people who will drive those who do not have transportation to work and other important errands. Visit www.mauryunited.org for more information.

TDAC & Bless it Forward Mentoring Program —Contact Rick Fisher—931-388-3435—Need Christians to mentor teenagers inside and outside the public schools.



The First Family is committed to helping people recover from a variety of painful experiences. None of us are perfect—we all have issues and struggles. The Celebrate Recovery ministry is based on the Beatitudes. The purpose of Celebrate Recovery[®] is to fellowship and celebrate God's healing power. The group gathers for worship each Sunday at 6 p.m. then meets in support groups for encouragement and accountability.

Celebrate Recovery is held each Sunday evening at 6 p.m. in Faith Hall at the First Family. Childcare is available for birth through fifth grade, but reservations are requested. Individuals can register for childcare or get more information by contacting **Pastor Gary Townsend at 931.388.2655 or gary@thefirstfamily.org**

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!!

Rosa Almazan, May 4th

Bob Vassar—May 5th

Kimberly Jackson—May 6th

Bobbie Moore—May 6th

Bob Rush—May 7th

Bobby Cates—May 17th

Patty Christian—May 19th

Debbie Cates—May 19th

Linda Rose—May 21st

**2010 Church
Prayer Calendar**



May 2nd— New Life Baptist Church

May 9th—New Song Baptist Church

May 16th—Northside Baptist Church

May 23rd—Pleasant Heights Baptist

May 30th—Primera Iglesia Hispana

June 6th—Riverview Baptist Church

June 13th—Rock Springs Baptist Church

June 20th—Santa Fe Baptist Church

June 27th—Southside Baptist Church

2010 MBA EXECUTIVE BOARD CALENDAR

Monday, June 21st	Southside Baptist Church	6pm
July	No Executive Board Meeting	
Monday, August 9th	Rock Springs Baptist Church	6pm
Monday, September 20th	Hampshire Baptist Church	6pm
Tuesday, October 19th	MBA 87th Annual Meeting—Knob Creek	10am
November	No Executive Board Meeting	
December 3rd	Christmas Banquet—Spring Hill Baptist	6:30pm

DEFENDING THE FAITH
APOLOGETICS FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY
JULY 19—22, 2010—SEVIERVILLE, TN

This summer, join Answers in Genesis for four days of quality family time in the beautiful Smokey Mountains during our 2010 family conference, “Defending the Faith—Apologetics for the Entire Family”.

The 2010 family conference features 12 of the best biblical apologetics speakers in the world. New tracks also available for women and teens. Children’s workshops also available.

Save up to 30% when you register for the early Bird Specials... for more information and deadlines contact:

877-244-3370 or defendingthefaith2010.com

**Servant’s Heart Church has CHANGED
IT’S NAME...**

CHRIST FELLOWSHIP BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Brian Talley, Senior Pastor

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**Haiti Mission Trip
September 24-30, 2010**

** Limited to 10 people maximum

Needs: Light construction, children's ministries, evangelism, medical, etc.

Approximate Cost - \$1500

To sign up or discuss specifics, call Dale: 931-381-0130 or
dale@maurybaptist.org
