

November Newsletter 2022

HAPPY
Thanksgiving
DAY

Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good;
his love endures forever.

1 CHRONICLES 16:34

Bethel Newsletter

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INTERNATIONAL
MISSION BOARD
LOTTIE MOON CHRISTMAS
OFFERING



Lottie Moon Christmas Offering 2022

The Week of Prayer for International Missions is a special, focused time of prayer for Southern Baptist missionaries serving through the International Mission Board and the people whom they serve.

We invite you to join us in this season of prayer, December 4–11, 2022.

In addition to prayer, your generosity in giving to the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering can make an eternal impact. When you give directly to this offering, 100% of your gifts support missionaries around the world.

Bethel Baptist Association Pastors & Wives Christmas Banquet

FAITH BAPTIST CHURCH

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 10TH

5 PM

Dear Brothers and Sisters of Bethel Baptist Association,

Thank you for your generous donations to the Georgia Baptist Children's Home. The gifts filled the trailer and the gift cards and checks exceeded \$6000.00. Thank you for your giving! I can't tell you the last time I have actually enjoyed an annual meeting, but I enjoyed our fall meeting greatly! We had a great crowd, the music of the jazz band from Florida Baptist College was exceptional, the message was inspiring, and the fellowship was delightful. A special thanks to Rev. Nathan Ziglar for all his hard work as moderator and in planning the Fall Meeting including scheduling the Brass Band! Thank you First Baptist Shellman for being such a wonderful host and the food was delicious! It is my desire to make all our spring and fall meetings uplifting and inspirational and even more well attended.

I want to thank you for all the opportunities you have extended to me for me to preach and get to know your church. My intention is to visit each church as soon as possible! Please feel free to call me if I can be of any assistance. I look forward to seeing what the Lord is going to do in the churches of Bethel Baptist Association in the coming days.

Remember the Pastor/Wives Christmas banquet on Saturday December 10th @ 5 PM at Faith Baptist Church!

God Bless,

Bro. Jim

BBA AMS



C-HOPE Ministries of Blakely, Inc

Helping families with basic needs. In 2019 the Early County Family Connection was handed over to C-Hope. In 2021 they served over 400 children. We will be collecting Christmas donations in terms of clothes, toys, food, and cash through Dec. 10, 2022 and hope to reach 500 children this year.



Also you can pick a child's tag off the Wish tree at One South Bank or the C-HOPE Office, beginning November 22. Bring back the unwrapped gifts back to the location you pulled the name from. You can make checks out to C-HOPE Ministries of Blakely, Inc or to chope.jimuhlenkamp@gmail.com to donate by credit card or e-check.

We are excited and grateful to complete this important assignment!
What better way to celebrate Christmas and sharing the love & mercy of Jesus Christ!

Create in me a clean
heart, O God;
and *renew* a *right spirit*
within me.

Psalm 51:10





**Georgia Baptist
Mission Board**

200th GBC Annual Meeting

YOU ARE INVITED! Join with other Georgia Baptists as we celebrate the 200th anniversary of the Georgia Baptist Convention.

Nov. 14-15, 2022

Warren Baptist Church, Augusta

Cooperative Program giving churches can now register messengers.

[November 13-15, 2022 - 200th Annual Georgia Baptist Convention \(gbc200.com\)](http://gbc200.com)

CHRISTMAS AT THE FORT

BBA BABY COMFORT STATION

Saturday, Nov. 19

10 am-4 pm

Friday, Nov. 18 at 4:00 pm

We need help loading the items in the truck and setting up at the Fort in Fort Gaines. Also taking it down at 4:00 pm



Saturday, we need **volunteers** to work 2 hour shifts: 10-12, 12-2, and 2-4. Please call the association office to sign-up 229-835-2887 thank you!

Annual Fall Meeting & Children's Home Truck Loading:

We want to thank everyone for there donations and there time to the Children's Home. We collected over \$6,000 in Gift Cards and filled the truck up with donations.

We had 25 churches represented and over 110 present.

CHURCH CONTRIBUTIONS

Sept. 27, - Oct. 26, 2022

Arlington	
Bethel	136.60
Beulah	
Blakely FBC	2,524.22
Bluffton	358.40
Carnegie	
Coleman	
Colomokee	285.32
Cuthbert FBC	512.50
Damascus (E)	
Damascus (R)	350.40
Edison	104.50
Enterprise	
Faith	1,259.00
Fort Gaines	631.19
Georgetown	416.74
Leary	94.68
Milford	2,915.00
Morgan	
Morris	
Mt. Gilead	58.08
Mt. Hebron	250.00
Mt. Vernon	258.36
New Bethel	
New Hope	117.96
New Zion	
Rehoboth	
Salem	
Shellman FBC	250.00
Shiloh	708.00
Southside	225.00
Sowhatree	217.23
Springvale	100.00
Vilulah	
Individuals	150.00
TOTAL	11,923.18
Balances Oct. 26, 2022	
General Fund	139,771.15
Designated Fund	31,979.46
New Work Fund	7,765.09

We again have a means to use your **Sunday School quarterlies** and other literature to bless others.

You can bring your quarterlies and other literature to Bethel Baptist and we will have it picked up by Love Packages to be reused in Kingdom ministry.

Thank you for serving,

Bro. Jim Weaver

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Set your clocks back one hour

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*Serving the churches of Bethel Baptist Association
as we strive to reach the World for Jesus!*

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Announcements and Upcoming Events

November

- 6 Daylight Saving Time Ends at 2:00 am
- 13-15 Georgia Baptist Convention Annual Meeting, Warren Baptist Church, Augusta, GA
- 19 Christmas at the Fort, 10 am-4 pm
- 24 Happy Thanksgiving (office closed)

December

- 5 Pastor & Wives Christmas Banquet 5:00 pm; Faith Baptist Church
- 25 Merry Christmas
- 26-30 Office Closed



January

- 1 Happy New Years
- 10 Missions Coordination Team Meeting @ 6:30 pm
- 16 Executive Committee Meeting @ 7 pm