



**Operation Christmas Child.....National Collection Week November 14-21**

**Drop Off Locations:**

Southside Baptist, 1001 Greenhaven 27406/Mon-Fri 9-4...Sat 9-12...Sun 1-4  
Westover, 505 Muirs Chapel Rd 27410/Mon-Sat 9-12.....Sun 12-4....Mon(21) 9-12  
Adams Farm, 5113 Mackay 27282/Mon-Tues 9-1...Wed 9-1 & 6-8...Thur-Sat 9-1...Sun 1-3  
Bethlehem Methodist, 6103 Appomattox Rd 27233/Mon-Fri 4-7..Sat 12-3...Sun 4-7  
Christ United Methodist, 1300 N College 27262/Mon 10-2...Tues 3-7...Wed 10-2...Thurs 3-7...Fri 10-2...Sat 10-2...Sun 1-5...Mon 10-5

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**Operation Inasmuch**

Operation Inasmuch is a one-day mission's blitz in your community. Possible projects include Backyard Bible Clubs, sewing projects, home repairs, wheelchair ramps, construction, homebound visitation, yard work for elderly, blood pressure checks, affirmation of public servants, prayer walks, block parties, garden projects, child care and nursing home ministry. If you would like to be involved in this one-day mission blitz, please contact Dawn Ford at dford93@hotmail.com or the association office at 275-7651.

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**Baptist Women's World Day of Prayer**

"In Step With the Spirit - Kindness" is our theme this year. We will meet Monday, November 7, 7:00 p.m. at Lawndale Baptist Church, 3505 Lawndale Drive, 27408. We are collecting women's deodorant for the Red Boxes to be given to the women at Central Prison in Raleigh. Please bring them to Hilliard Memorial (High Point) 9:30 a.m.-12 noon Monday through Wednesday by October 25th or bring them to the Day of Prayer or to Parkway Baptist Church, 8:30-12:30 p.m. by November 4th. Our goal is 800!

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**Dental Clinic returned to Guilford Baptist Church**

The NC Baptist Men's dental clinic returned to Guilford Baptist Church for the fifth time on Friday and Saturday, October 21 & 22, 2011. Several families came together for treatments which included dental cleaning, fillings, or extractions. Patients had to choose their most urgent need for this day's dental visit and were given follow-up care information for later care in local sites.

The goal of this ministry is to treat their spiritual and physical dental needs. All 82 patients who were treated received a hygiene kit with dental samples, scripture about salvation, and a New Testament Bible. This free clinic serves people who do not have dental insurance regardless of their job status. A prayer room at the clinic attended to the spiritual needs of patients who had prayer requests. About 50 Guilford BC members and 20 dental providers were local missionaries for the day and are responsible for making the clinic a huge success.

These 40 foot dental busses have two fully equipped dental suites, x-ray equipment, autoclave, ultrasonic cleaner, dental instruments, and supplies. This ministry began in 1989 to roll to all 100 counties in North Carolina and will go to ANY organization that will sponsor them. To learn more about this ministry, go the NC Baptist Men's website: www.ncmissions.org Look under "missions" for the medical/dental site.

**Calendar of Activities**

October 20-22 Pastors Juggling Act, Fort Caswell  
October 21-22 Dental Bus Ministry at Guilford Baptist  
October 21-22 PBA Leadership Team Retreat, Caraway  
November 3 PBA Annual Meeting, CrossPoint 6:30 p.m.  
November 7 Baptist Women's World Day of Prayer, Lawndale, 7 p.m.  
November 12 Community Praise Night, 2009 Sharpe Rd, 6-8 p.m.  
November 13-20 Week of Prayer, Baptist Children's Homes  
November 17 Region 5 Men's Ministry Worship Rally, 6:30 p.m., Salisbury  
December 10-11 Pastor/Staff Prayer Retreat, Ridgecrest  
January 10-11 Pastor/Staff Prayer Retreat, Ridgecrest  
February 17-18 All-Star Sunday School Training, FBC Indian Trail

www.allstarsundayschool.com



Send your news to rnewlin@piedmontbaptist.org by Dec. 16, 2011!!

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# The Challenger

**The 117th Annual Meeting  
Piedmont Baptist Association  
November 3, 2011  
6:30 p.m.  
CrossPoint Church  
1806 Merritt Drive, Greensboro 27407**

Theme

**Radical Transformation. . .  
Where does it begin?**

## Our Special Guests

*Theme interpretation:*



**Dr. Darryl Craft, Pastor  
Green Street Baptist Church**

*Missions focus:*



**Rev. Dan Collison  
Lead Church Planting Catalyst  
Toronto, Canada**



**Rev. Scott Rourk  
Church Planter  
Toronto, Canada**

## UPDATES

- **Welcome to Piedmont Baptist Association!** PBA is excited to announce that the position of "Associate Director of Missions" has been filled by Rev. J.S. "Bud" Parrish. This position is part-time and will focus primarily on Church Revitalization and Congregational Health.



**Rev. J.S. "Bud" Parrish**

He met the Lord in 1968 at Florida Street Baptist Church in Greensboro, N.C. He and his wife Debbie were married there also in 1972. Bud has served Northside Baptist Church (1975-1977) and Lankford Memorial Baptist Church (1982-1995) in Greensboro. He has served in six churches in North Carolina, Oklahoma and Michigan during his years of ministry. He served as Director of Missions at Robeson Baptist Association in Lumberton, 2006-2011. Bud has a Bachelor's degree from Elon College and a Master's degree from Southeastern Baptist Seminary. He has two married sons and five wonderful grandchildren. Please pray for Bud and his wife, Debbie, as they make the transition into our association.

- **Lexington Avenue Baptist Church** in High Point, voted on June 8th to deed their existing facility and property over to Life Community Church. In doing so they chose to partner with Life Community and will be an extension (a satellite) and will be called *Life on Lexington*. These are exciting days for Life Community and Life on Lexington. Remember both locations in prayer as they honor God and build His Kingdom.

- **Friendly Avenue Karen Church** began in 2009 with a few Karen families (Burmese refugees) and now are averaging over 200 every Sunday with Pastor Bryan Presson. Hsar O Phla is steadily being discipled as an assistant and in hopes of being a pastor one day. They are working on preparing structure, officers, and bylaws. Officially, NAMB funding ceased in December 2010. PBA extended funding for \$250 a month and Friendly Avenue has put them in their regular budget, which they are extremely grateful. A new church plant was launched in Rockingham this July for Karen immigrants, Friendly Avenue is also supporting this church plant too. They have an attendance of 50 so far and do not have a local church planter/pastor. Pastor Presson is traveling there two Sundays a month.

In January they are planning to launch a contextualized leadership development program in Karen language called Karen Bible Institute, Greensboro. This is registered under Golden Gate Baptist Theological Seminary's CLD program and will offer a Diploma of Christian Ministry through them upon completion. The purpose is to train and equip Karen church planters, pastors, and Christian workers in basic Bible, theology and ministry to help meet the need for pastors and workers in the churches both in NC and other areas. Pastor Bryan Presson is currently enrolled at Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary as a full-time student spending all day Monday there. He welcomes prayers in all these endeavors for the advancement of the gospel and the planting of churches among the Karen.

- **Sedgefield Baptist Church** has a new facility on Dillon Road in High Point! The NC Department of Transportation gave them an order to vacate by October 1st to widen High Point Road. God provided this new facility in September. Congratulations!! Pray for them as they reach their community with the gospel.

- **Shubal Stearns Offering** (year to date) has received \$4,349. This associational offering will be divided proportionately to Piedmont International Fellowship, Guilford County Jail Ministry, and High Point Jail Ministry. The following churches that contributed: Greensboro First Baptist, Lawndale, Friends of God, Immanuel, Parkway, Stevens Memorial, Gethsemane First Baptist, Buchanan, and Rolling Roads.



## NC Baptist State Convention Koury Convention Center Sheraton Hotel

Monday Evening Session Begins at 6:00 p.m.  
Tuesday Sessions Begin at: 7:30 a.m.; 1:15 p.m.; 6:00 p.m.

2011 Pastors Conference is November 6th & 7th at Koury Convention Center  
Sunday...6:00-8:00 p.m. Monday...8:45 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

[www.ncannualmeeting.org](http://www.ncannualmeeting.org)



### Your giving matters!

Think your gift to the **Lottie Moon Christmas Offering** won't make a difference? Every penny given to Lottie Moon is used to help support about 5,000 Southern Baptist missionaries serving overseas. Last year, those missionaries reported 360,876 baptisms and 29,237 new churches!

The 2011 Lottie Moon Christmas Offering goal is \$175 million. That was also the goal for 2010 and 2009, but receipts for those years totaled \$145.6 million and \$148.9 million, respectively. These offering shortfalls have resulted in restriction of new missionaries being appointed.

**Baptist Children's Homes** exists because North Carolina is a mission field populated with children who are hurting emotionally, suffering physically, and are in desperate need of a safe haven. They are often unchurched and unaware of the transforming love of Jesus Christ.

Even if your church has supported Baptist Children's Homes for many years, there may be people in your congregation who are not familiar with the ministry. Order free materials from 1-800-476-3669 ext. 1209.

A Baptist Children's Homes representative will come and share the ministry at your church service. Schedule a speaker by calling 1-800-476-3669 ext. 1209.

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### 2011 Lottie Moon Christmas Offering

Our church goal: \_\_\_\_\_



24-7 Christian	1297.25
Archdale FBC	1579.00
Asian American	380.25
Awaken	200.00
Awestruck	1500.00
Beautiful Gate	270.00
Bethany	761.70
Brentwood	1200.67
Bridge Pointe	1059.60
Buchanan	500.00
Calvary	6311.51
Cambodian	76.97
Camp Herman	500.00
Care Discipleship	73.00
Central	21561.00
Central Community	45.00
Christian Life Comm	50.00
Conquers Intl	180.00
Conrad Memorial	766.54
Cornerstone GSO	31954.66
Cornerstone HP	5142.04
Crossover Community	1666.00
CrossPoint	10854.00
DayStar	437.00
Eller Memorial	488.71
Emerywood	3000.00
English Road	250.02
Epoch	853.76
Faith	1000.00
Florida Street	231.50
Freedom Family	500.00
Friendly Avenue	22060.20
Friendly Karen	456.00
Friendly	675.00
Friendship	585.00
Friends of God	125.00
Gate City	1139.08
Gethsemane, First	160.00
Gibsonville, First	5089.27
Good News	900.00
Green Street	7499.98
Groometown	200.00
Guilford	3010.89
High Point, First	200.00
Hillcrest	833.30
Hilliard Memorial	909.00
Hoi Thanh	100.00
Immanuel	887.15
Jamestown, First	2180.17
Jewel	800.00
Journey	500.00
Lankford Memorial	2726.30
Lawndale	18333.34
Lexington Avenue	2335.75
Life Community	6250.00
Magnolia Street	582.98
Mission Bautista Hispana	345.78
Montagnard Bunong	120.00
New Bessemer	3000.00
New Hope	400.00
Northside	1346.80
Oak View	3600.00
Parkway	7660.66
Pinecroft	2360.56
Pilot View	1000.00
Pleasant Garden	16200.00
Pleasant Grove	868.39
Rankin	5146.50
Reedy Fork	2545.94

## ITEMS OF INTEREST

- Ushers are needed for the State Convention. Contact Pastor Barrett at [pastor@pgbc.org](mailto:pastor@pgbc.org) or Pastor Fuller at [pfuller@sbcgreensboro.org](mailto:pfuller@sbcgreensboro.org).
- Would you be interested in going on a mission trip to Jamaica in 2012? Join us for an informative meeting on December 3rd at 1 pm. For more information contact Rev. Daniel Rice, 336-580-0539 or [drice67@gmail.com](mailto:drice67@gmail.com).
- Pinecroft Baptist is seeking a part-time Children's Director. Outreach will be a priority. Contact Pastor Jack Morris at 336-299-6889 or [smorris002@traid.rr.com](mailto:smorris002@traid.rr.com).
- The Northwest Basketball Association (NWBA) is an interdenominational Christian basketball league. We have 4 divisions. Those Divisions are: Middle School Boy's League, Middle School Girl's League, High School Boy's League and High School Boy's League. We play at four gyms and they are Cornerstone Baptist, 1st Baptist Summerfield, Friendly Avenue Baptist and Westover Church. Games are on Saturday with the first game scheduled for January 7, 2012. It will be an 8 game schedule with a tournament to be played March 1st - 3rd. For more information, contact Jim Scott at 665-1944 or at [jim.scott@cornerstonesbc.org](mailto:jim.scott@cornerstonesbc.org). The deadline to sign up is November 30th.
- High Point Detention Center is in need of volunteers to teach basic computer and program application skills and Basic GED information in preparation for taking the GED examination. The Detention Center is a safe and controlled environment in which to teach and interact with inmates. Contact Chaplain Joyce to further explore these opportunities at 336-641-6970.

Reedy Fork Community	1,800.00
Rocky Knoll	2000.00
Rolling Roads	4014.01
Sedgefield	2172.33
Sharpe Road	1000.00
South Elm Street	1550.00
Southeast	1906.47
Southside HP	2000.00
Stevens Memorial	2309.08
Summerfield, First	20000.00
The Crossing	600.00
The Grove	1000.00
Trindale	2428.96
Unity Bap. Fellowship	3481.78
Unity in Jesus Christ	270.00
Vietnamese	900.00
Wellspring Community	1313.22
Westchester	249.99
West Fairfield	250.00
Whosoever Will	400.00
Willomere	500.00
<b>Church Receipts Total Year To Date</b>	<b>\$267,969.06</b>