

# THE DIGEST



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## Screven Baptist Association Annual Meeting

60 Years

“Celebrating The Impact of Kingdom Growth”

Acts 3:11-16

Harleyville First Baptist Church

Tuesday, October 27, 2009

4:00 PM



### ASSOCIATIONAL REVIVAL

**SUNDAY, NOV 1 AM and PM** Simultaneous Church Revivals-Attend your church

**MONDAY, NOV 2 @ 7:00PM** CORPORATE REVIVAL SERVICES – Attend a Host Church in your area

Host Corporate Churches:

Moncks Corner First, Bonneau First, Cordesville First, Salem, Miles Road, Cornerstone, Ridgeville, Memorial, Holly Hill First



### Baptist Women's Day of Prayer Tea

Monday, November 2

10:30 AM

Limestone Baptist Church

Salad Lunch (everyone bring a salad to share)



Please bring Tape (scotch tape, clear tape for mailing) and/or a roll Christmas wrapping paper to be used at the Christmas Gift Shop at MacDougall

***Associational Revival Prayer Vigil***

Oct. 23, 2009 9:00 PM

Calvary Moncks Corner



Everyone is invited to attend and participate in prayer for revival.

**Ministers' Conference**

Tuesday, Oct. 6 @ 11:00 AM

North Trident Baptist Church

Dr. Hal West will speak.

Prayer for the Associational Revival will start at 10:00AM. All pastors are encourage to attend.

**Disaster Relief Training****October 9 and 10, 2009****20th Anniversary Celebration**

The Fall Disaster Relief Training will be held at **Ashley River Baptist Church**, 1101 Savannah Highway, Charleston, South Carolina 29407. **If you wish to stay overnight, you will need to make your own accommodations.** For more information or questions and to register, please call Brenda Lugmayer at the Disaster Relief office at (800) 723-7242 ext. 3400 or at (803) 765-0030 ext. 3400. You may also reach Brenda at [brenda.lugmayer@scbaptist.org](mailto:brenda.lugmayer@scbaptist.org)



FROM THE DIRECTOR OF CHURCH &amp; COMMUNITY

Brenda Jackson

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**Prisoner Packets** are due in the Association Office, by Monday, November 30<sup>th</sup>.

The following items are to be placed in a 1 gallon size zipper bag:

- one blue or black non-retractable pen (no wire clip)
- one 6 oz. or larger toothpaste
- one adult toothbrush (individually factory-sealed)
- one 4 to 6 oz. Bar of Soap
- one junior legal or no longer than 5 ½ x8" writing tablet
- five first-class stamp-embossed #10 envelopes (purchased at US Post Office)
- two rolls of candy (lifesavers, Mentos, BreathSavers type)

***Save the dates!***

**MacDougall Christmas Gift Shop** will be held on Tuesday, December 1<sup>st</sup>. Toys are needed for children birth thru 12 years old. These toys need to be brought to the Association Office by Tuesday, November 24<sup>th</sup>. For additional information, please call me.

**MacDougall Christmas Party**

will be held on Tuesday, Dec. 15. More info to follow....



**From the Director of Leadership Development,  
Woodrow Busch**

Whenever I have seen the word leadership defined, it has almost always included the idea of influence in the definition. I suppose that is fair enough because leaders do seek to influence the thinking, behavior and development of people toward accomplishing a personal or professional goal. Almost everyone exerts influence over someone else and therefore could be called a leader. But I am writing especially to those who exercise organizational, leadership team or group leadership such as a church, a Sunday school class, a family or a team.

As I was reading 1 Timothy 3:1—7 recently, I noted a couple of points that I think are instructive for all those in leadership roles. This passage, of course, deals with qualifications for the overseer or bishop. The first was that he must be above reproach and that deals with the leader’s character. Leadership begins on the inside, in the heart. Before we can lead anyone else we have to know ourselves. We do this by answering two important questions: where am I? and who am I? (Lead Like Jesus by Blanchard and Hodges). Integrity is an absolute qualification for godly leadership. Our culture suggests we can separate our public and private lives but reality will not support that stance. The idea that we can be two different people is the very opposite to having integrity which means wholeness or completeness. A leader must have every area of his or her life integrated into a whole.

The second qualification for a bishop was that he has been successful in leading his family: “the husband of but one wife.” A later verse offers an expansion of this idea when it says, “He must manage his own family well and see that his children obey him with proper respect”. This is leadership in one of the person’s life role. That was a prerequisite for assuming organizational leadership. Therefore, the second qualification of an overseer was proven experience.

There are other qualifications listed, but I believe these two, character and proven experience (in one of life’s roles), are essential for today’s church leaders.

**Next Meeting - Screven Ministry Assistant’s Association**

Thursday, October 8, 2009  
12 Noon  
Mi Rancho, St. George. SC



Please call the office if you would like to carpool, 843-871-2410. Old Fort has offered their van to travel together.

**CHURCH HAPPENINGS**

**St. John’s Bethel**– 100th year anniversary Homecoming Oct. 11, guest speaker Dr. Jim Austin, SCBC 10:30 AM

**Cordesville** -Homecoming Oct. 18

**Memorial**– Homecoming Oct. 25 with Dr. Jairy Hunter as guest speaker

**Holly Hill First**– Homecoming Oct. 25

**Providence**-celebrating 150 years with Homecoming 2009:”Year of Jubilee” October 25.

**CHURCH ANNIVERSARIES OCT**

1994 James Palmer – Miles Road  
2001 Wilton Gleaton—St. Stephen

**Community Impact for Christ** is a multifaceted outreach designed to show Christ’s love for our community. Our prayer is to meet physical needs with the compassion of Christ and to follow the great commission of making disciples. Various opportunities are available including Medical/Dental, Food, Clothing, and Counseling, each at no cost.

The CIFIC will be at Old Fort Baptist Church on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday nights of each month from 6:30-8:30 pm beginning 9/21/09.If your church would like to start a similar ministry or if your church would like to recommend someone to be helped call the church office at 873-2283.

**Memorial Baptist Church** in Saint George is looking for a part time minister of youth/children, emphasis on youth. Send resume PO Box 566, St. George, SC 29477 Attn:Youth Search Committee

**Cordesville First**-seeking dedicated part-time youth pastor. Send resume 1913 Highway 402 Moncks Corner, 29461 or alanbagwell@cordesvillfbc.org

**Pastor and Leadership Conference**

Monday, November 2, 2009  
Calvary Baptist Moncks Corner  
8:30 am– 12:00 pm  
Guest speakers and special music  
Lunch afterwards

**Men’s Ministry Supper**

**Monday, October 19, 2009**  
**7:00 PM**  
**Berkeley Baptist Church**  
**2045 Highway 52**  
**Moncks Corner, SC 29461**

**Thank You Colleen!**

Screven Association thanks you for your dedicated service as ministry assistant and wishes you well in your new job and blessings for the future!



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Bonneau First	0	4117.45
Brookhaven	591.45	706.2
Calvary, Moncks Corner	679.58	5700.08
Calvary Pregnall	715.29	1729.26
Chaparral	0	0
College Park	0	2308
Cordesville, First	790.79	6908.97
Corinth	200	1600
Crossroads	333	2665
Eutawville, First	50	400
Faith	0	591.08
Flowertown	0	0
Gethsemane	0	1385.55
Gilead	0	488.04
Givhans	0	0
Harleyville, First	283	2559.84
Harristown Road	0	250
Holly Hill, First	0	2275
Hopewell	0	0
Iglesia Nueva Vision	25	175
Jamestown	0	525
Jedburg, First	736.68	5816.67
Knightsville	0	0
Lighthouse Community	0	625.7
Limestone	211	2153
Lydia	179.43	1225.4
Memorial	0	4083.38
Midway	0	481.83
Miles Road	0	3000
Moncks Corner, First	1364.47	11963.13
Mt. Zion	164	1450
North Trident	991.5	10306.95
Oakbrook, The Fellowship of	200	1600
Old Fort	3183.17	30788.11
Old St. George	0	1500
Pine Grove	980.98	3603.32
Pleasant Grove	0	185.26
Providence	0	1245.39
Reevesville	175	1400
Ridge	506.23	4486.33
Ridgeville	247	1912

CHURCH	August	YTD
St. John's Bethel	394.89	3241.31
St. Matthews	340.04	2873.28
St. Stephen, First	435.47	1020.06
Salem	1067.38	3478.9
Sandridge	1012.24	2694.54
Sangaree Christian Fellowship	0	0
Santee Circle	1129.17	5164.48
Summerville	1819.31	22823.99
Tall Pines	0	1103
Wassamassaw	610	5530
SCBC Contributions	0	4650
Connie Maxwell Childrens Home/Rent	0	1500
The Journey Church	0	3450
Calvary Bible Church	0	2393.01
Solid Rock Ministries	2000	2000
<b>Total Revenues</b>	23402.22	195990.31
<b>Total Expense</b>	<b>24,780.29</b>	<b>\$196,076.14</b>
<b>Aaron Tyner Offering</b>	1,703.82	5,340.75
<b>Aaron Tyner Expense (08&amp; 09)</b>	0.00	647.88
<b>Aaron Tyner Goal</b>		16,000.00

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