



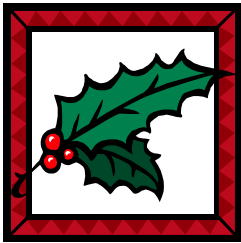
Judson Baptist Association Monthly Newsletter

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We had a great 157th Annual Associational Meeting. Thank you for making this possible and thanks to Parkers Creek BC for being a great host. Continue to pray for our association as our new department heads (officers) and committee members begin planning for this new associational year. We are looking forward to the challenge of a new associational year.

The 8th Annual Judson Christmas Banquet



December 8th
Camp Lake Benson
7:00 pm



Lottie Moon Christmas Offering **December 3-10 Week of Prayer for International Missions**

Five reasons Lottie Moon matters:

1. 6,438 people groups are unreached for Jesus Christ; total population 3.7 billion
2. Many are responding to the Gospel; more than 400,000 baptisms overseas
3. More than 5,000 IMB missionaries' ministries depend on Lottie Moon
4. 100 percent of the offering supports missionaries overseas
5. Sacrificial giving enables the church to actively participate in missions

Burns, Ron Melton, Pastor: We have Had A good Month here at Burns. We had a Great Revival With Good attendance with Bro. William Gray. We want to welcome our newest members Gary, Ronni, Alissa, And Katie Allen to our Fellowship. WE are busy getting ready for our Christmas Cantata. Please pray for us as we continue to serve the Lord.

Eastside, Richard Skidmore, Interim Pastor: Continue to pray for us as we seek God's will for a pastor.

Faith, Jerry Jenkins, Pastor:Grateful for the 3 people that joined this past month and for the 4 that was baptized. God has been so good to us, much more than what we deserve. Our church was blessed to host the M Night program this year. Very disappointed in the attendance or representation from our churches. If our churches aren't going to come together and support the association events, then why have one. Most of it falls back to leadership, if the leadership of the church doesn't promote it and support it, then the church won't go. I'm just as guilty as most in that area. Pray for our churches and for those that don't have a Pastor.

Nov 12Th - A2J youth group meeting in "the fridge" 4:00 p.m.

Nov 18th - Free Clothing Give Away from 8 a.m. to noon in the gym.

Nov 19th - Thanksgiving fellowship meal in the fellowship hall 6:00 p.m. Bring your dish and come join us.

Nov 22nd - Special Thanksgiving Service 7:00 p.m.

Liberty: On October 20th we had our cookout and hayride which was enjoyed by all. It stopped raining just in time for us to cook hotdogs outside and enjoy the hayride through the community. We have started practice for our Christmas program. It's a Smokey Mountain Christmas musical Drama. We had a lock in on November 10th at the church. On October 21st, our messengers Rebecca Davis, Bera Bullington, Joyce Bullington attended the annual Associational meeting at Parkers Creek. We are glad to have Rev. Randal Hasley and His wife Armarilla with us at our church.

Maple Grove, Doug Smith, Pastor: Greetings from Maple Grove. We are very pleased to announce there were two professions of faith and one baptism this month. We also had a fall festival and fellowship Oct. 28th. There was games for all ages, food, and good fellowship. Our 5th Sunday singing was Oct. 29 with the members of the Living Water group getting together around the piano and singing songs from the hymnal, followed by a fingerfood fellowship. Our Thanksgiving Dinner will be Nov. 12th after the evening service, and all are welcome to join us. We have started an addition to the front of the Church, enlarging our sanctuary, adding two rooms and two bathrooms. This should be complete by the Spring. We recently had an open house for our sanctuary and fellowship hall remodeling. If you enjoy and receive a blessing from old fashioned hymns and straight forward preaching from God's word, then we invite everyone to join us when opportunity comes. You will be blessed and welcomed. Praise God for Bro. Doug and his ability to present God's word in a way that does not compromise.

Missionary Ridge, Howard Coles, Pastor: Continue to pray for us.

Mt. Zion, Ronald Pendergrass, Pastor: Our next J.A.M. will be Dec. 2 starting at 7pm. Parkers Creek Praise Team will be joining us that night. The best news that we have is our youth group and younger classes are growing. What a blessing it is to be able to teach and lead the young, and guide them in their walk with Jesus. The things we have to be thankful for. May God bless each of our sisters churches and Judson Association.

New Hope, James Parham, Pastor: We are very glad that Bro. Parham and Sis Diane are back from their anniversary trip up and down the East Coast. We are currently working on the Shoebox Ministry and are making plans for our annual Christmas program. We are also looking forward to our annual Thanksgiving Service and Fellowship Meal on the 19th of this month. As special guests, we will have Bro. Jim McFall from IPM and 2 men from Jamica to speak at the morning service. We welcome everyone to hear them. Our December 2 Singing will feature the Landmark Quartet and Witness.

Old New Hope, William Wallace Darnell, Pastor: On October 31st ONHBC held a Treat & Trunk bash, due to inclement weather we moved it inside the fellowship hall we served hot chocolate and treats. we had about 45 kids and adults come by and about 14 workers. Two of our men Bro Allen Fondaw, & Bro Charles Baxter went reverse trunk or treating visiting homes in the neighborhood passing out treats and inviting those individuals to church. We contributed \$200 to the disaster relief fund, and two ladies from our church attended M night. In November we had a thanksgiving fellowship meal and testimony service. Our W.M.U. & SUNDAY SCHOOL teamed up to provide thanksgiving meals and food boxes to two needy families. we are looking forward to the assoc. Christmas Banquet, and our prison ministry on Dec 15th We have set our Lottie Moon Offering goal @ \$850. this year. God continues to send visitors our way each Sunday so please join with us in prayer for Him to send us workers for the harvest. Bro Charlie Baxter has challenged our men to begin meeting on a regular basis for fellowship and prayer. We had our 1st mtg today @ 7 AM at the country cafe. we had a great time of fellowship and prayer, along with some great biscuits and gravy. those in attendance were Bro Charles Baxter, Allen Fondaw, Pete Sullivan & pastor Bill Darnell.

New Life, Jeff Redding, Pastor: Continue to pray for us.

Parkers Creek, Nathan Wilkerson, Pastor: This month we are planning a Thanksgiving Offering on November 19. All money will go towards our Family Life Center. We are awaiting the steel for the building. Also, on the 19th we will have a communion service. Our Harvest Night was a huge success with 333 in attendance. We gave away lots of candy and tracks and everyone had a good time! Please be in prayer for us as we continue to search for an Associate Pastor to do Youth and Outreach. We've added 4 addition rooms to our Sunday School Dept. and we're seeing new faces each week. We are so thankful to our Lord for what He is doing in our midst. To God Be the Glory!

Rolling Hills, Scott Peterson, Pastor: Continue to pray for us.

White Bluff First Baptist, Jerry Duke, Pastor: We had Sunday School Teachers Appreciation day with a cook out at Montgomery Bell Park. First Baptist Church had Fall revival Oct 8-11 with Bro Jeremiah Dixon, Evangelist from Knoxville and Bro Chuck Conner pianist from Parkers Creek. There were 5 decisions for Christ. Praise the Lord! We had 9 Baptisms for the month. God is truly blessing us at First Baptist.