

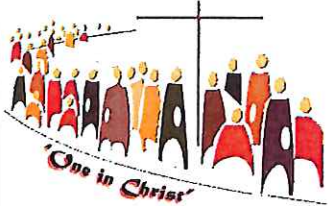
The Tucker Newsletter

Issues 9

September 2017

Tucker Baptist:

**A community of
believers
becoming one
body, one Spirit,
one Faith, one
mind striving to-
gether for the
cause of Christ!**



September

- 2 Melanie Pickering
- 3 Renee Wynn
- 3 Andy Hall
- 5 Danny Thomas
- 9 Bobbie Thomas
- 12 Annette Sanders
- 21 Robin Stokes
- 29 Kathy Lewis
- 30 Gordon Cloud

September

- 8 Brent & Amanda Barber
- 30 Robert & Kathy Lewis
- 30 Ricky & Lovedy Griner

See You At The Pole

SYATP

Wednesday, September 27th, 2017
Theme—Fixing Our Eyes on Jesus!

*“fixing our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and
perfector of faith. For the joy set before Him
He endured the cross, scorning its shame,
and sat down at the right hand of the
throne of God.” Hebrews 12:2*



For over 25 years, See You at the Pole has been about one simple act—prayer. SYATP is still about students uniting themselves in prayer before God interceding for their generation. There are two opportunities to unite in prayer with your friends:

- **DAY:** SEE YOU AT THE POLE day is on Wednesday, September 27, at 7:00 a.m. local time. All around the globe, in every time zone, students will be gathering at their flagpoles, praying for their school, friends, families, churches, and communities. SEE YOU AT THE POLE is a day committed to global unity in Christ and prayer for your generation.
- **WEEK:** The GLOBAL WEEK OF STUDENT PRAYER (Sunday, September 24 through Saturday, September 30) encourages students to find new and unique ways, places, and times to pray throughout the week. Whether you attend **PUBLIC SCHOOL, PRIVATE SCHOOL, or HOME SCHOOL**, gather your friends wherever and whenever and pray! The GLOBAL WEEK OF STUDENT PRAYER is dedicated to prayer and launching your on-campus Bible clubs, prayer strategies, and student ministries.

Minister's & Wives Wellness Retreat



**Minister's & Wives
Wellness Retreat
September 13-15**

**Georgia Baptist Conference
Center, Toccoa**

**Sponsored by the Georgia Baptist
Health Care
Ministry Foundation**

(No cost, but registration is required.)

North Georgia Mission Trip 2017

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Let me begin this letter by thanking you for supporting the TBA North Georgia Mission Trip. Whether you prayed, gave financially, or attended the trip, your contribution produced fruit for the glory of God and the furtherance of His kingdom. People heard the Gospel and saw the love of Christ at work in the various outreaches we participated in.

The members of the mission team divided into two groups to accomplish various service projects. The first group conducted daily Bible clubs at four different locations in Hiwassee, Young Harris, and Blairsville. Additionally they ministered to the Women's Enrichment Pregnancy Center by

completing some inside and outside work needs. They even went to a local beach and sowed some Gospel seeds while painting faces.

The second group undertook three work projects. They constructed a 30' deck walkway complete with landscaping at a local half-way house. They also built a roof over a Vietnam veteran's recreational vehicle that serves as his home, and even found time to help a local church reverse a door jam. An estimated \$3,000 to \$3,500 in labor cost were averted from those helped in these projects.

Over all, it was a great trip! We came back tired, but we also came back spiritually fulfilled from serving the Lord. Next year's trip is scheduled for July 7th through 14th.

I would like to encourage you to set aside those dates and serve. Don't let age, work, time, finances or anything else discourage you from coming. I look forward to serving with you on next year's mission trip.

God Bless,
Bro. John McComas, Pastor
Baconton Baptist Church

(Here are some of the photos that were taken while we were in North Georgia!)



BACPACKS of HOPE for APPALACHIA & SOUTHWEST GEORGIA



Tucker's Goal for 2017: 200

**BACKPACKS
OF HOPE**

Share a gift of **LOVE**
and the **GOSPEL**
with a child in need.

BACK PACKS
Due to the
Tucker Office
By
October 30, 2017



2017 GOAL

35,000
Backpacks of Hope
for Appalachia
and
Southwest Georgia.

The Backpacks for Appalachia project is changing to **Backpacks of Hope** and is expanding! Going forward, it will include the children and youth in Appalachia AND the children and youth in the most poverty stricken counties in Southwest Georgia.

Upcoming Events

September

- 3 Single Adult Sunday (SBC)
- 4 **Labor Day, TBC Closed**
- 10 Grandparent's Day
- 11 Associational Prayer Coordinator's Meeting, TBC, 11 a.m. & Patriot Day (SBC)
- 11 WMU Director's Meeting, TBC, 6:30 p.m., (light supper will be served)
- 10 State Executive Committee Meeting, Duluth
- 16 Disaster Relief Orientation, New Providence Baptist Church, 2560 US-41, Forsyth, GA
- 17 Anti-Gambling Sunday (SBC)
- 27 "See You At The Pole"
- 28-29 Discover Georgia Baptist (New Ministers' Orientation), Toccoa

October

- 1-31 Cooperative Program Emphasis Month (SBC)
- 1 Annual Church Profiles (Church Letters due to Ronnie Morrell, Associational Clerk)
- 1 Personal Evangelism Commitment Day (SBC)
- 2 Associational Budget Meeting
- 8 Minister Appreciation Day & Global Hunger Sunday (SBC)
- 9 Associational Men's Ministries Meeting, Please Grove, 6:30 p.m., (supper)
- 11-13 Children's Homes Food Drive, TBC, Wed.-Thurs. 9 a.m.-2 p.m., Fri., 9 a.m.-12 noon



September 4th

Single Adult Sunday



September 3, 2017

CRY OUT FOR AMERICA
PATRIOT DAY 9/11
SAVE THE DATE ▶ September 11th, 2017
Joel 1:14

Mark your calendar!!!
124th Annual Meeting
Tucker Baptist Association
October 17th
Hinsonton Baptist Church
Registration: 3:30 p.m.
1st Session: 4 p.m.
Supper: 6 p.m.
Worship Service: 7 p.m.
Speaker:
Rev. Kerry Walsh

Treasurer's Update

Mr. Duane Bentley
Associational Treasurer
668 Hand Ave.
Pelham, GA 31779
September 2017

Balance July 31, 2017	\$60,362.51
Monthly Income 8/31/17	\$6,279.52
Monthly Expenses 8/31/17	-\$3,301.27
Current Liabilities (+/-)	\$506.37
August 31, 2017	\$63,847.13
Designated Funds	-\$12,222.00
Total Current Liabilities	-\$1,084.12
Total Operating Funds	\$50,541.01

Church News

Hinsonton: Our church will be collecting gallon bags and trash bags. Rev. Stacy West,

Mt. Olive: We are making plans for our upcoming 175th Homecoming Celebration set for October 15th. Everyone is invited! Rev. Carl Stokes, Interim Pastor

Pelham First: Awana has started, every Wednesday evening at 6 in the fellowship Hall, Pre-K thru grade 6. September 8-9 youth will be going tubing & skiing. September 11 Golden Age begins a new year. On September 17 we will have First Responders Recognition Day during the morning service, followed by lunch. Youth Extra following the p.m. service on September 17. The Golden Age has a trip to the Albany Aquarium on September 19. Women's Ministry Kick-Off, "Finding Joy in the Journey," Speaker Linda Peacock from Woodstock, GA on September 23. The Youth will be leading the evening services on September 24. Rev. Matt Peek, Pastor

Pine Cliff: We are seeking a Bi-Vocational Worship Leader and Choir Director. Please send your resume to Pine Cliff Baptist Church, 8193 Pine Cliff Rd., Camilla, GA 31730. Rev. Joe Poitevint, Pastor

Please note the deadline for church news for the Newsletter is the 20th of each month and should be 75 words or less. Thank you!

PLEASE NOTE!!

First Baptist Church, Donalsonville is seeking a full-time Youth and Children's Minister. Resumes may be emailed to: secretary@fbcdonalsonville.com or mailed to: First Baptist Church, P. O. Box 81, Donalsonville, GA 39845. Thank you! Ann Pace, Secretary, First Baptist Church, Donalsonville

SBC and GBC Events

Disaster Relief Training
Orientation
September 16th,
New Providence Baptist
Church, Forsyth, GA
Registration Deadline:
Sept. 8th—Cost: \$40



Anti-Gambling
Sunday
September 17th

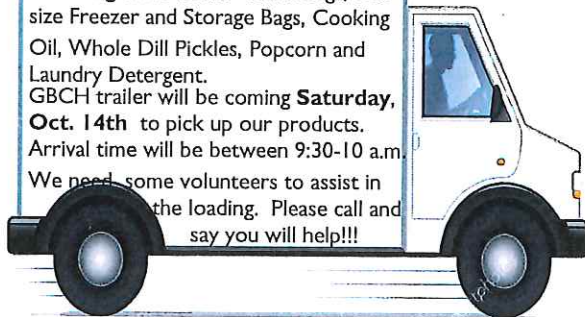


Grandparent's Day
September 10th

Year to Date Church Contributions Receipts January–August 2017

	Office	Camp Tucker
Baconton	0.00	0.00
Camilla First	10,037.04	527.00
Cool Springs	1,160.00	365.00
Delwood	3,000.54	600.00
East Pelham	1,200.00	0.00
Harmony	2,448.11	0.00
Hinsonton	3,000.01	750.01
Hopeful	4,332.00	608.70
Lake Pleasant	2,315.00	600.00
Lakeside	800.00	1,599.00
Liberty Hill	0.00	0.00
Mt. Carmel	1,288.25	0.00
Mt. Olive	1,400.00	280.00
Mt. Zion	698.92	0.00
Newton	1,600.00	100.00
Pebble City	1,200.00	195.60
Pelham First	7,572.99	0.00
Pine Cliff	4,553.74	2,877.87
Pleasant Grove	2,037.50	142.25
Pleasant Hill	4,153.50	1,661.40
Sale City	2,351.00	0.00
Southside	7,024.38	0.00
Trinity	700.00	0.00
Union Grove	1,647.96	852.00
Total	\$64,520.91	\$11,158.83

The Tucker Baptist Association is collecting these items: Trash Bags, Gal. size Freezer and Storage Bags, Cooking Oil, Whole Dill Pickles, Popcorn and Laundry Detergent. GBCH trailer will be coming **Saturday, Oct. 14th** to pick up our products. Arrival time will be between 9:30-10 a.m. We need some volunteers to assist in the loading. Please call and say you will help!!!



Keys to Best Practices in Church Compliance & Giving in the Church

FINANCIAL COMPLIANCE Ⓢ CHURCH COMPLIANCE Ⓢ GIVING



Call for more information @ 770-936-5274
3 Locations left in 2017 Around the State