



Good News

From Elmore Baptist Association
"Churches in Fellowship & on Mission"

June 14, 2007

From your associational missionary,

God indeed answers prayer!

Before our mission project in Guatemala, several of my prayer partners shared 3x5 cards with me with scripture verses and specific prayer requests for each day.

As Jim Graham was witnessing (in Spanish) to a young man in a bar in San Cristobal, a "street person" under the influence of alcohol tired to get into the conversation and interrupt him. As I was praying (in English), I was trying to find a way to divert the attention of the interrupter.

I offered the man my half-filled bottle of water. He took it gladly and walked away leaving Jim with the freedom to speak to the young man - who was intently listening.

That evening when I opened the prayer card envelope for that day, one of my prayer partners had included this verse:

"I was thirsty - and you gave me a drink."

Matt 25:35

I prayed: "Lord, may someone help that man find Living Water!"

I came home with a renewed conviction to pray to

News from EBA churches . . .

Beulah - VBS June 10-14.

Coosada - "Men praying before work"
@Monday at 6:30 AM in the sanctuary.
VBS June 11-15 (9 - NOON).

Eclectic 1st - Pray for the church as they begin their search for a pastor.

Holtville Riverside - Wayne Davis (Interim Pastor) has been called to a church in Tuscaloosa. Pray for the church as they continue their search for pastor.

Millbrook - Continue to pray for Interim Pastor John MacLaren and the church as they search for a pastor. A fantastic new playground was recently donated to the church. Dedication service was held 6/10.

Mountain View - VBS June 11-15

Mt Hebron West - Summer Schedule:
Sunday - 8 AM Traditional worship, 9:15 SS, 10:30 Contemporary Worship and no evening service. Jim/Carol Browder, Donald/Linda Scott and Randy/Kevin Boyer have been working (June 6-13) in Guatemala with the McGriffs. Students and leaders will be involved in "Tour of Duty - Mission Serve '07" in Bayou La Batre, June 17-23. A Belize Mission Trip is planned for July 7-14.

New Hope - Pray for the church as they search for a minister of youth.

Refuge - The church recently voted to build new facilities at their present site. Pray for their building committee as they begin to study and prepare for the project. Pray for the Scarboroughs as their son David prepares for Journeyman service (2 yrs w/ IMB) in Africa (beginning late October).

Santuck - Pray for Interim Pastor Andrew Smith and the church as they search for a

Senior Adult Revival/Celebation

July 16-18, 2007 (10 AM)

FBC Wetumpka

A time for worship, fellowship
And inspiration



Dr Charles Wynn,
Guest preacher

Special music,
choirs and great
congregational
singing



SOUND Reinforcement Workshop
For folks working w/sound in your church

Leader: Tommy Strickland (Shoona)

Living water!

I came home with a renewed conviction to pray to our Lord "who is able to do far more than we ask or imagine" (Eph 3:20).

I recommit my prayers for you, the churches of our association and our pastors and leaders.

Grace,



Disaster Relief Training

Thursday, July 19 (6 - 9 PM)
Coosada Baptist Church

"Involving Southern Baptists in Disaster Relief"
And
"Cleanup, Recover & Mudout)

Contact Wayne Poke at Coosada (285-4225)
Or Jim at EBA (567-7321)
For more info

SOUND Reinforcement Workshop For folks working w/sound in your church

Leader: Tommy Strickland (Shocco)
June 21 - 6:30 PM
FBC Tallassee

Looking for some Good Ideas To Boost your Sunday School?

EBA now has a set of DVDs
"Tools for Developing Your Sunday School"
Subjects include:
"Work of the SS Director," "Finding Leaders,"
"Conducting Outreach through SS,"
"Evaluating SS Space" and others.

You may borrow any of these & use
To inform/inspire/train your folks
Call Jim at 567-7321 for more info.

State SS Training at Shocco
July 27-28 or August 3-4
Call EBA (567-7321)
Or the state SS office (800-264-1225)
For more info.

IMB) in Africa (beginning late October).
Santuck - Pray for Interim Pastor Andrew Smith and the church as they search for a pastor.
Seman - group from the church will be participating in **IMPACT 07** in Alex City June 15-16. VBS - July 7th.
Wetumpka 1st - VBS: June 10-15. "Summer Monday Nights" @6:30 PM: (6/18) - Chette Williams , (6/25) - Chagy The Clown, (7/9) - David Hope and (7/16) - John Croyle.

Opportunities for Training/Inspiration Led by our State Convention

LeaderLab - July 24 - 27
State Convention Building

(for info & reservations for both events,
contact SBOM at 800-264-1225)

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