



Good News

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

January 14, 2009

From your Associational Missionary . . .

"Who's Number 1"

By asking this question, I am not referring to football. I am referring to something for more significant . . .



Who or What is Number 1 in your life?

As people of faith, people saved by God's grace - we want to say "It's Jesus!" "It's the Lord!" However, what we DO often speaks louder than what we SAY.

I believe we can proclaim that God is #1 in our hearts and lives if we will intentionally think about what we are saying and doing. We can test who/what is most important in our lives in these ways:

Listen to what God is saying to us. John writing in Revelation said: "Let him that has ears - hear what the Spirit is saying to the churches." We listen to God as we open His Word and ask Him to speak to us. We listen to God as He speaks through His messengers, His church and in His world.

Speak to God about what you are hearing. As you pray, tell God what's going on in your life. He knows already - but He wants to hear it from you & you need to say it to Him. Tell Him what you want to do in response to what He has revealed to you.

Do what you have committed to God to do! His Spirit will give you wisdom and power to do His will.

May we proclaim with word and worship and life:
"He's Number 1" "He is Lord of all!"

It is a joy to serve the Lord among Elmore Baptists!

Pray & Prepare for OMC

Our "On Mission Celebration" is just over a month away.

MARK your calendar to be at the Fair & Rally at FBC Wetumpka 2/20.

PRAY with your church for the missionary guests that will be in your services on Sunday 2/21.

SHARE items for the gift baskets that we will prepare for our guests. (You'll be contacted by our OMC team about specific needs).

OPEN your home, your hearts and your church to our guests who will bless and inspire us with their testimonies and witness.

Coming to the churches
Of Elmore Baptist Association



February 20-21, 2010

Meet missionaries from around the world
And next door!

Witness testimonies of what God is doing
internationally, nationally and locally

See how churches are living the Great Commission
Through mission trips/projects/partnerships

Hear from God about how you, too
Are a missionary right where you are!

Attention all mission-minded folks!!

EBA has been asked to provide 6 adults to work the missionary culture room for Children's Mission Explosion on Saturday, 2/13 at Eastmont B/C Mtgy. 2 individuals are needed to work a 2 hr rotations with the IMB missionary that will be speaking that day. Help is needed with set-up, hand-outs, and general supervision of the kids moving into and out of the room.

If you are taking or going with a group, and would like to use part of you time helping out with this event, please call Barbara Huett @ 567-3112.

Spanish Classes Resume Friday 1/15

Offered by EBA for those who want to work in the Mission field in Alabama, helping us to extend the Gospel among the Hispanics. Fridays . . .

Time: 10 a.m. thru 12:00 Noon

Place: EBA office

73716 Tallassee Hwy., Wetumpka

Update from EBA Partners

Jutiapa, Guatemala - We received an email from Pastor Lucas thanking us for our continued financial support and wishing EBA a "Merry Christmas" and "Happy New Year." He has prepared a PowerPoint of the work & hopes to get it in a form that he can email soon.

Connections Church, Ypsilanti MI - Pastor Dexter Hardy (who will be one of our guests during OMC) recently wrote: *The Lord has accomplished much through our new church in 2009. We are very excited about the future of this church and we have great expectation of much spiritual fruit being manifested in 2010.*

Harvest Fields Community Church - Pastor Bill Gallahair reports that tables and chairs have been purchased with funds provided by EBA. The church is involved in ministry through "The Welcome Center" in Millbrook. Members did outreach during Millbrook's Christmas Parade by sharing candy canes. On Sundays (2-4 PM) the church is offering small groups studies of Dave Ramsey's "Financial Peace University"

News from EBA churches . . .

Millbrook - Revival services Jan 24-27, with Bill Bozeman preaching and Steve & Becky Carver leading music.

New Home - church will hold its regular 5th Sunday Special Music service on 1/31/10 at 6:00 PM. They will be hosting The Larch Family of Wetumpka. Everyone is invited. A love offering will be accepted.

Tallassee 1st - Prayer emphasis in January includes this question: "What if God Promised to Save Everyone We Prayed For?"

Wetumpka 1st - Emphasis in worship and small group study in January is "One Month to Live" (best-selling book by Kerry/Chris Shook).

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TACMO - 1/16 (EBA office)

"Here's Hope" workshop for Pastors
w/Claude King - 1/16, Heritage B/C

Saturday Ministers' Cnf - 1/23, 7 AM (EBA office)

EBA Minister's Cnf - 2/2, 11 AM (EBA office)

MIPs - 2/9, 9 AM (EBA office)
Prepare gifts bags for OMC guests

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