



# Judson Baptist Association Monthly Newsletter



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## DOM Report

Psa 85:6 Wilt thou not revive us again: that thy people may rejoice in thee? Pray for the Revivals going on in our associations.

Vacation Bible School can be a great Evangelistic tools. More people was saved last year in Vacation Bible Schools than all the Revival meeting. We need to use all the means we have available to win the lost to Christ. (Act 1:8) But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth. If you need our help during VBS please contact us as soon as possible. The sooner we know the better we can serve you. Thanks to everyone that attended the State VBS training. **Please make plans to attend the VBS clinic @ East Side BC on April 2, 9:00 am till 12:30 pm.**

Don't forget to pray for and participate in the missions and ministries opportunities this summer in your church and association. If you need help with a mission project let us know. Churches that are involved in missions and ministries are growing churches. Churches that are not involved in missions and ministries are declining. Pray for the Mission trip to Kenya in January 2008. Pray for me and the mission team going to El Salvador, April 18-26.

# Executive Board Meeting

## April 21st

## Missionary Ridge Baptist Church

**Meal at 6 pm  
Meeting at 7 pm**



## Church News

**Eastside, Bro. Chris Douglas, Pastor:** We are so excited about what God is doing at Eastside Baptist Church. We had 287 Easter Morning with several decisions made for Christ. Praise the Lord! On Saturday we had over 60 children and adults for our Easter Egg Hunt where they heard the true meaning of Easter. Please join us Saturday, **April 14th, for an Arts & Crafts Fair from 8am until 4pm.** All of the items are hand made by our Eastside Family. We will also have a Special Silent Auction along with Hamburgers, Hot Dogs and Barbeque. If you have any questions please call the church office at (615)446-5816. **Eastside will be hosting the Judson Association VBS training on Saturday, April 21st from 9am until 12:30pm.** On **April 28th our Men's Ministry will have a Men's Breakfast from 8am-10am.**

**Faith, Bro. Jerry Jenkins, Pastor:** **April 21st - Gospel Singing with The Dills** from Jackson, TN starts at 7:00 pm. **April 29th - 6:00 pm will be showing the film Facing the Giants.**

**Liberty, Bro. Randall Hasley, Pastor:** We had an Easter Breakfast at 7am. Rev. John Tidwell preached at 8:30am. Three people joined the church. Everyone enjoyed an Easter egg hunt followed by an entire family being baptized in Enoch's Dam. Rev. John Tidwell baptized Danny Caudill and Rev. Randall Hasley baptized Diane and Justin Caudill. Everyone was very pleased to have them join Liberty BC.

**New Hope, Bro. James Parham, Pastor:** We will be having an Easter Sunday Rise Service at 6 am on the 8th and breakfast following. We will also have our annual Homecoming Fellowship meal and afternoon singing featuring the Caltons from Shawnette. We would like to invite everyone to this service. Please continue to keep our Pastor in your prayers and also the sick from our church.

**Old New Hope, Bro. William Darnell, Pastor:** March 16-18, 4 ladies enjoyed conferences, Bible Study, praise and worship along with 5 other ladies from 3 other churches, who traveled with us to Gatlinburg for the WMU Women's Get-Together. We had the privilege to make sandwiches for the workers from New Hope as they extended a wheelchair ramp. We made 40 tote bags for the children of women prisoners they could decorate, use as Easter bags and carry items home with them. Our 5<sup>th</sup> Saturday Night Singing was awesome. April 28<sup>th</sup> we will have a kick off for our Spring Revival with a fish fry at 5:30 pm and the Music City Boys in concert at 7 pm. **April 29-May 6<sup>th</sup> Spring Revival with Delton Dees.** Come join us. Bro. Bill Darnell is still in rehab. Keep him and his family in prayer.

**Parkers Creek, Bro. Nathan Wilkerson, Pastor:** This past Saturday, we had our annual Easter Egg Hunt. We had 235 people total in attendance on a cold Saturday Morning! We gave away 3 bicycles and had a great time. Yesterday, being Easter, we had 381 people in attendance for our Resurrection Celebration. The Lord really moved and was speaking to a lot of people. Saturday, **April 14th, we will be having our monthly men's Breakfast.** Bro. Jerry Duke will be speaking. Following that, we will be going out prayer walking some subdivisions in our "Jerusalem." Next Sunday, April 15th will be Youth Sunday. They will be leading our worship/music. We are also having a prospective Associate Pastor to be with us Sunday (Bro. Ken Petzold). He will be preaching on Sunday night, followed by a Q & A time. Saturday, April 21st, we will be going on "Saturday Soul-Winning." God is blessing us with opportunities to share His glorious gospel!!! Coming up May 6th - 9th is our Spring Revival. We will be having Bro. Ronnie Owens of Tazewell, Tennessee to preach for us again. Each service will have a special emphasis and special music. We are praying for a great Harvest of Souls that week! We'd love to have all of our brothers and sisters of the Judson Association to come visit with us that week!!! God is truly at work in the lives of His people at Parker's Creek. We are so excited to be a part of His work on earth.

**Rolling Hills, Bro. Scott Peterson, Pastor:** We participated in the Community Easter egg Hunt in Lyles; Scott was able to use the Resurrection Eggs to present a short Gospel message to the kids...of course the parents got to hear it also. We had a nice Easter Sunrise Service followed by a breakfast and then a late service at 9. We are working in the harvest Edge Apartments in Lyles and doing homework help for the kids followed by refreshments and then a bible lesson. We use crafts, games, music and Bible stories to promote discussion about the Lord and His Love. We had 10 children the first Monday night and tonight had seven kids ages 7 to 12 years old. They are excited for the attention and we are excited to love them and share with them about Jesus.

**White Bluff, Bro. Jerry Dukes, Pastor:** The Lord continues to bless us at First Baptist. We had 1 profession of faith and 2 baptisms. Fourteen of the ladies attended the WMU retreat in Gatlinburg. We continue to minister to the residents of Autumn Ridge in special services. We had a working at the church to paint, install an ice maker, and work on our sign to be placed on the church property on Hwy 70. We had 2 ladies from CareNet to make a presentation on their ministry. A love offering was taken for the ministry and items are being collected for the babies that will be spared as a result of counseling to mothers who choose life. We are preparing and praying for our **Spring Revival that will be held April 15-18, 2007 with Bro. Sherrel Nave**, evangelist from Elizabethton, TN. We invite all to attend our services and ask that you pray our Lord will be lifted up, souls will be saved, and our hearts stirred to love and serve Him. Glory to Jesus!

## Judson Baptist Association March Treasurer's Report

<b>Balance Brought Forward</b>		<b>\$22,183.72</b>	<b>\$2,847.06</b>	<b>\$25,030.78</b>
<b>Receipts</b>		<b>General</b>	<b>Designated</b>	
Burns				
Eastside		\$702.82		
Faith				
First Baptist, White Bluff		\$50.00		
Liberty(Bldg Fund)			\$25.00	
Maple Grove		\$25.00		
Missionary Ridge		\$100.00		
Mt. Zion				
New Hope		\$250.00		
Old New Hope				
Parkers Creek		\$400.00		
Rolling Hills		\$77.76		
TBC			\$1,000.00	
Interest			\$44.03	
Disaster Relief Fund Raiser			\$1,727.00	
<b>TOTAL RECEIPTS</b>	<b>\$4,401.61</b>	<b>\$1,605.58</b>	<b>\$2,796.03</b>	
<b>EXPENSES</b>				
Link Up Budget			\$1,000.00	
Telephone		\$30.00		
Office Supplies & Expenses		\$130.00		
VBS Literature				
DOM		\$857.00		
Clerical Support		\$25.00		
Trailer Tags & Titles			\$117.75	
Insurance		\$8.00		
<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$2,167.75</b>	<b>\$1,050.00</b>	<b>\$1,117.75</b>	
<b>BALANCE ON HAND</b>				
Link Up Salaries			\$1,000.00	
Building Fund Balance			\$427.36	
Mission Fund Balance			\$1,121.84	
WMU Fund Balance			\$280.27	
VBS Fund Balance			\$86.62	
C.D.Fund Balance(Do not include			\$32,396.77	
Disaster Rel. Fund Balance			\$1,525.25	
<b>ACTUAL BAL / GEN. FUND</b>		<b>\$22,823.30</b>	<b>\$4,441.34</b>	<b>\$27,264.64</b>

## Judson Association

### April

**21:** Executive Bd. Mtg. @ Missionary Ridge BC, 7 pm & Meal 6 pm

### May

**6:** Old Timers Day @ Mt. Zion BC

**20:** Missionary Ridge Homecoming

## Link Up & Cluster

### April

**16:** Deadline for VBS Orders

**21:** Advisory Council Mtg. @ Sylvania, 10:00 \***CANCELED**\*

**21:** Joint VBS Clinic @ Eastside 9 am—12:30 pm

**13-14:** Young Family Retreat @ Linden Valley

### May

**21:** Pastor and Wives Fellowship @ Cindy's Catfish Kitchen, 6 pm (Stewart)

## Upcoming Events

## SBC and TBC

### April

**28:** State Youth Bible Drill @ Stevens St. Baptist in Cookeville

### May

**14-15:** New Church Staff Orientation @ Linden Valley



### **ATTENTION: (DATE CHANGED FOR)**

**Joint VBS Clinic  
April 21st  
Eastside Baptist Church  
9 am to 12:30 pm**

If you need directions, transportation or more information, contact Niki Spencer, associational VBS director at:

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“For we are laborers together with God..”  
-1 Cor. 3:9