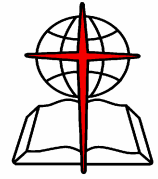


# JUDSON BAPTIST ASSOCIATION MONTHLY NEWSLETTER



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## DOM Report



Don't forget to pray for me and all our associational leaders. Also, pray for our associational staff. We are here to serve you.

Please pray for the Kenya Mission Meeting on Feb.26, 7pm at Parkers Creek BC. Anyone who is interested in going on this mission trip needs to attend.

Please let us know if your church is going to participate in the Area Wide Crusade, Sept. 9-12. You will need to appoint a representative from your church to serve on the crusade committee. We need to start praying and planning for this event.

We will be taking VBS orders soon. Contact Bro. Joe.

## Church News

**Eastside, Richard Skidmore, Interim Pastor:** "What a Wonderful God we serve!! The Lord added two new families at Eastside Baptist Church in January. Please be in prayer as our church seeks God's Will for a new pastor."

**Faith, Jerry Jenkins, Pastor:** Our Gym & Jam Nights are still going. We hold them the 1st Saturday Night of each month from 6 to 9 pm. We had 3 teenagers make professions of faith in Christ at our last meeting. Would love to see some of our sister churches bring their youth groups. We have sections for 12 an under along with the 13 and over group. We also have bingo, chess, along with some other games for those who don't want to play in the gym. And Sister Debbie has a craft section for those who want to do a craft. We enjoyed a wonderful service with Mike and Kelly Bowling on Feb 4th. They have a wonderful music ministry. Our youth will be doing a fund raiser on Feb 14 to help fund their up coming youth outing to Acquire the Fire. If anyone would like to sponsor a child or help sponsor a child, you can send a donation to Faith Baptist Sponsor a child program. It cost each child \$ 125.00 to go on the trip. Our address is PO Box 95 Vanleer, TN 37181. Brother Jerry would like to thank everyone for their prayers, cards, visits and phone calls during his fathers death.

**Liberty, Randall Hasley, Pastor:** We had a youth bowling event on February 3rd at Skyway Lanes; 23 attended and fun was had by all. Our church is holding a Valentine's Banquet on February 11th after services. We recently began a study of the book of Leviticus in our Wednesday Night Bible Study. Plans are in the works to conduct a food drive for the less fortunate families in our community for the month of February. Nathan Davis was speaker for "Sanctity of Life" day at Liberty.

**Maple Grove, Doug Smith, Pastor:** Continue to pray for us as we seek God's will for a pastor.

**Missionary Ridge, Howard Coles, Pastor:** There is a lot of sickness going around, and our church has felt it! Many have been out sick. Some have had to have surgery. We will be having a Valentine Banquet at the Church Feb 10 at 5:30. We have a children's outreach planned Feb 17 from 10:00am- 12:00pm. If surgeries and sickness doesn't hinder us that is our plan for Feb.

**Mt. Zion, Ronald Pendergrass, Pastor:** Old Fashion Values in a Very Fast Moving world. Where do you start? In the home should be the answer, but in today's time that is not always the case. **CHURCH** is sometime the only place the youth of today learn of such things. The youth class will be studying "True Love Waits" this month. Our Prayers and thoughts are with each of our sister churches. May God Bless you all.

**New Hope, James Parham, Pastor:** We, at New Hope, are excited about what God is doing. We have a building fund project on tap and it is increasing with God's help. We are planning improvements to our grounds in the Spring. We continue to have visitors in our Church and pray that we can minister to them. We are preparing for our 5th Sweetheart Banquet on Feb. 10. We also have a week-end planned for our Youth in Feb. and also the Youth Conf. in Nashville in Feb. Please remember our Church and our wonderful pastor when you pray.

**Old New Hope, William Wallace Darnell, Pastor:** Bro. Bill Darnell is in the Baptist Hospital he had open heart surgery on Friday February the 2<sup>nd</sup>. He had 5 bypasses. He is doing well at this time. We are making plans for hands on Tennessee for February 17<sup>th</sup>. We will have Valentines' Sweetheart Banquet on February 11<sup>th</sup> at 5 pm for all ages. Pray for our pastor and out church.

**Parkers Creek, Nathan Wilkerson, Pastor:** Greetings from Parkers Creek! God truly is blessing in 2007! In January we had 18 additions and 5 were by baptism! We praise God for His blessings. Our Family Life Center is coming along and we are beginning to finish the inside. Hopefully, we will be in it by the summer. We would like to invite everyone to come and worship with us on Thursday, February 15th @ 7:00p.m. to see The McKamey's. It's free to come, a love offering will be taken. We're also starting Saturday Soul Winning/Prayer Walking this month. Our monthly Men's Breakfast will be February 10th, and all men are invited to join us. On February 26th at 7:00p.m. we will host an informative meeting about the mission trip to Kenya in January 2008. If you're at all interested make plans to attend. Visit us on the web at parkerscreek.org or if your sick, our services are broadcasted live on Sunday mornings at 11:00a.m. on 1030AM. May God bless all of our churches as we work till Jesus comes!!!

**Rolling Hills, Scott Peterson, Pastor:** Bev and Pastor Scott which to thank all of you for your prayers for his daddy who DID accept Christ three days before he passed away. He was prayed for by many over the twelve years following our own salvation's. PRAYERS are answered in God's time and it's not over until God says. In January we had one Baptism, and in February we had three salvation's; a young girl, a young man and Scott's daddy who was 88 years old. We now have a children's choir and they practice every Sunday. One of our men plays guitar and is enjoying working with the kids. We are pleased to have a small group Bible study meeting in a home as well as one meeting at Church. We have a young man who is getting ready to do a small group Bible study for the college age. We are having our third Men's Breakfast, Saturday Feb. 3, 2007 and we are pleased to have a wonderful Adult Sunday School Teacher on Sunday mornings. This past Thursday evening, along with Brother Gray, we attended the Cowboy Church which is now meeting in Fairview. We plan on having them come and meet with our leadership team as we pray about sponsoring them. Please keep their Pastor (Pastor Chavers and his wife Diana) in your prayers. Our prayers go out to Pastor Darnell and his family as he is in the hospital again. God Bless he and Old New Hope.

**White Bluff First Baptist, Jerry Duke, Pastor:** The Lord continues to bless the fellowship at First Baptist with souls saved and ministries starting up. We had 3 Baptisms this month. A women's Bible Study is planned and we already have 31 ladies signed up! The brotherhood held a meeting that included a devotion, prayers, meal and fellowship, and a working around the church. We held a Men's Chili Cook Off last week. Bro Jodi Tittle won 1st Place (2 years in a row!) and Bro Gayle Wescott won the Most Hot Award! We are continuing our ministry to Autumn Ridge home for aged with singing and devotions. Several of our members are starting to use their God given singing abilities to bless the church and to praise Jesus. God is truly good to us!

## Judson Baptist Association January Treasurer's Report

<b>Balance Brought Forward</b>		<b>\$19,554.45</b>	<b>\$21,534.77</b>	<b>\$41,089.22</b>
<b>Receipts</b>		<b>General</b>	<b>Designated</b>	
Burns		\$50.00		
Eastside		\$919.25		
Faith		\$77.00		
First Baptist, White Bluff		\$50.00		
Liberty(Bldg Fund)			\$25.00	
Maple Grove		\$25.00		
Missionary Ridge		\$100.00		
Mt. Zion(Disaster Relief)		\$5.00	\$2.00	
New Hope		\$250.00	\$484.00	
Old New Hope				
Parkers Creek				
Rolling Hills		\$70.65		
TBC			\$1,000.00	
Interest(Bldg. Fund)			\$71.28	
<b>TOTAL RECEIPTS</b>	<b>\$3,129.18</b>	<b>\$1,546.90</b>	<b>\$1,582.28</b>	
<b>EXPENSES</b>				
Link Up Budget			\$1,000.00	
Telephone		\$30.00		
Office Supplies & Expenses		\$130.00		
VBS Literature			\$108.00	
DOM		\$857.00		
Clerical Support		\$25.00		
Insurance		\$8.00		
Copier (WMU)			\$199.00	
Gideon Bibles (Jenkins&Peterson)			\$120.00	
<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$2,477.00</b>	<b>\$1,050.00</b>	<b>\$1,427.00</b>	
<b>BALANCE ON HAND</b>				
Link Up Salaries			\$1,000.00	
Building Fund Balance			\$19,276.32	
Mission Fund Balance			\$1,121.84	
WMU Fund Balance			\$280.27	
VBS Fund Balance			\$86.62	
C.D.Fund Balance(Do not include in Balance on hand)			\$13,109.16	
Disaster Rel. Fund Balance			\$45.00	
<b>ACTUAL BAL / GEN. FUND</b>		<b>\$19,931.35</b>	<b>\$21,810.05</b>	<b>\$41,741.40</b>

## Judson Association

### February

**8:** Focus on WMU @ Rolling Hills BC, 7 PM  
**12:** Evangelism Conference @ Burns BC, 7:00 PM  
**26:** Kenya Mission Trip Meeting @ Parkers Creek

### March

**3:** Gospel Singing @ New Hope BC  
**31:** Gospel Singing @ Old New Hope BC,  
Meal @ 6:00, Singing @ 7:00

## Link Up & Cluster

### February

**11:** Evangelism Conference @ First BC, Waverly, 6:00 PM  
**12:** Evangelism Conference @ Burns BC, 7:00 PM  
**26:** Pastor Fellowship @TBA, Dickson

### March

**10:** Sunday School Leadership Conference@Clarksville  
**16-17:** Bi-Vo. Pastors and Wives Retreat @ Paris Landing

## Upcoming Events

## SBC and TBC

### February

"True Love Waits" Emphasis Month  
**9-10:** Missions Selection @ Mont. Bell State Park  
**11-12:** Regional Evangelism Conference @ TBA  
**15:** VBS Clinic @ Englewood Bapt. in Jackson @ 5 pm  
**17:** VBS Clinic @ Hermitage Hills Baptist  
**17:** HANDS-ON TENNESSEE  
**18-19:** Regional Evangelism Conference @ TBA  
**22-24:** Bivocational Ministers and Wives Retreat @ Pigeon Forge  
**23-24:** YEC @ Municipal Auditorium in Nashville  
**27:** Minister Support Training Conference @ Baptist Center in Brentwood

### March

**4-11:** Week of Prayer for North American Missions and Annie Armstrong Easter offering  
**10:** Soup, Chili, and Singing @ Parkers Creek, Supper @ 6 pm & Singing @ 7 pm.  
**16:** TN WMU Executive Board Meeting, Connection, Missions Get-Together @ Gatlinburg  
**17:** WMU Annual Meeting @ Gatlinburg  
**17:** Bible Fun Field Day @ Linden Valley  
**22-23:** Developing and Managing People Supervision Training  
**25-4/01:** Sunday School Emphasis Week

## Soup, Chili Supper and Singing

**March 10th @ Parkers Creek**

**Meal begins at 6 pm**

For \$6.00 you get Soup or Chili, drink and dessert.

**Music begins at 7 pm**

With several groups in the Association

Witness

The Cochran's

Gospel Echo's

Wilson and Terry Spencer

All proceeds go to the Judson Disaster Fund  
For more information contact Wilson Spencer.

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