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A Visit With Dr. Granger

The Annual Deacon Training is January 27 at Macedonia Church. Let me encourage the deacons and pastors from all our churches to take part in this time of fellowship and training. People were talking for months in glowing terms, after the event, about the Deacon Training held at Basin church last January. I trust this one will have value for you as well.

The Vineyard Work Day is February 2. I know many of you look for ways to be plugged into God's work and avenues to serve. Here is an excellent opportunity to do that. You can just show up at 8 o'clock that morning, but it would be much better for you to call Steve and ask for a job suited to you and your skills. We have people who drive several hundred miles to do the same kinds of things that you can do there. You would be hard-pressed to find a ministry more worthy of whatever you can do to help and enhance the work.

The InterBaptist Luncheon is February 8. Some of you see the need to break down some of the walls that separate people as human beings. This annual gathering is one way to do that. We seek to build bridges of friendship with folk of other races and cultures. Let me urge our pastors to take part.

The State Convention's Evangelism Conference will be at First Baptist Pelham February 27 and 28. There you surely will be able to get some inspiration and motivation to fulfill the great commission.

Calendar of Events

- January**
 26 - Ministers' Meeting - 10 :00 a.m.
 27 - Deacon's Training
 31- Children's Leaders Meeting—12 noon
February
 02 - Vineyard Work Day - 8:00 a.m.
 02 - Vineyard Committee Mtg. - 3:00 p.m.
 08 - InterBaptist Luncheon - 12 Noon
 12 - Racial Reconciliation Sunday
 18 - RA Racer at Hillcrest - 8:30 a.m.
 23 - Ministers' Meeting—10:00 a.m.

Samford Extension
Spring Term A

January 23 - March 13, 2017
Study will be on Revelation

Spring Term B

March 27 - May 15, 2017

Study will be:

The Person of the Holy Spirit

Classes begin at 6 p.m.

To pre-register call:

Dr. James Preachers

475-5089

Classes are held at CCBA Office
Classes meet at 6:00 p.m.

Scholarships Available

It is time to apply for the **Bernard/Lee Scholarship**. Go online to Alabama Baptist Foundation to find the application form. **The A.L. Strozier Scholarship** application can be picked up at the CCBA office. If you need more information, call our office. Your MUST be going into Christian Ministry or Nursing to apply.

Attention Children's Leaders

The Coffee Baptist Children's Committee invites you to a meeting January 31, 2017 at 12 noon.

Lunch will be served.

Place: Church on Boll Weevil Circle - 2017 Boll Weevil

Circle, Enterprise, AL

Good information for

Children's leaders.

Make plans to attend.

RSVP to 894-6411 by

January 26, 2017

Deacon Training

January 27, 2017

At Macedonia Baptist Church

Time: 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Wives are welcome

as well as Pastors.

Make plans to be a part of this special meeting.

Supper WILL NOT be served

A snack will be served.



RA Racer
February 18
Hillcrest
9:30 a.m.

The **2016 Annual Directory** is ready to be picked up at the Association office. We make one available for the Pastor, Clerk, and a copy for your church office.

Baptist Foundation Scholarships

Every year The Baptist Foundation of Alabama distributes over \$500,000 in scholarship awards for more than 120 scholarship funds. The application process for scholarships for the 2017-2018 academic year opened January 01 and will close March 31. Applications are accepted online only. at <http://tbfa.org/scholarships/>

InterBaptist Luncheon

February 08, 2017

12 Noon

Coffee Baptist Center

This is a great time of inspiration, fellowship and breaking of bread together as brothers and sisters in Christ.

Make plans to join us,

Please call in your reservations to 894-6411 no **later than January 26, 2017.**



Vacation Bible School Clinic

April 23, 2017 (Sunday)

2:00 until 4:00 p.m.

First Baptist Church Enterprise, AL

This meeting is for anyone working in any capacity in Vacation Bible School.

Make plans to attend. You will benefit from this meeting even if you are not using

Lifeway curriculum.