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A Visit With Dr. John

When you receive this newsletter, the Children's Camp at the Vineyard will be concluding or just finished. About 80 volunteers have stepped forward to make these few days very enjoyable and worshipful for 140 children.

I am praying now for the safety of all people involved. I'm asking God that the children would have such a good time and be drawn to the Lord in such a way that this will be one of their sweetest childhood memories.

I appreciate all of the people who work to make this such a good experience, but, in particular, I want to thank Lester Rachel and the Children's Committee members, who work so long and hard to make the camp a success. Besides Lester as the chair, members include Vickie Rachel, Mary Ann Beasock, Ericka and Garrett Keller, Brad Boykin, and Denice Tipton.

Let me also say thanks to all those who participated in the Southwest Alabama Mission Trip last week. This was one of the smallest groups we have had, but the experience was as good as any of the rest. There was real fellowship among the people who went. People made new friends and deepened friendships they already had. We got to worship together, do some fun stuff, and share the gospel.

Out of the week's work, 14 people registered their commitments to Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord. Brad Boykin did an outstanding job as leader. Others filled their roles and their jobs beyond expectation.

The people we served wanted to add us to their calendar for next year before we left this year. The church people there were thrilled at the leadership of the people on our team.

The people who went already were talking about going next year. Some who could not go for various reasons already have voiced their desire to be a part of the trip next year. If you think some people in your church would want to go, please help them to talk about it now and to alert us to the possibility of them going. I do have to make sure we have places of service for everybody involved.

In that regard, I surely thank Brother Eddie Brunson and the Georgetown Church in Mobile County for housing us this year and for their gracious hospitality for 18 years. Besides being friends to me, the folk there have been a blessing to people on the mission trip and to our Association in many ways.

Calendar of Events

July

23 - Senior Adult Luncheon—11:00 a.m.
 25 - Ministers' Meeting - 10:00 a.m.

August

1 - Vineyard Work Day - 8:00 a.m.
 1 - Vineyard Meeting - 3:00 p.m.
 5 - Widows' Ministry Meeting - 6:30 p.m.
 13 - Men's Ministry Meeting - 7:00 p.m.
 22 - Ministers' Meeting - 10:00 a.m.
 25 - Prayer Walk - 4:00 p.m.

September

2 - Labor Day - Office closed
 5 - Vineyard Work Day - 8:00 a.m.
 10 - Executive Committee Meeting - 7 p.m.

CCBA Ministers' Meeting

July 25, 2019 at 10:00 a.m.

Coffee Baptist Center

Pastor Straight Talk

Men's Ministry Leadership Meeting

August 13, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.

Apologetics class

Prayer Walk

August 25, 2019
 4:00 p.m.

Plan to be part of this at your local school.

Publish this in your church bulletin and encourage others to attend.

Mission Trip to Oneida, Kentucky

Bro. Bruce Williams will be leading a Mission Team to Oneida, Kentucky September 1-6. Please be in prayer for those going and for everyone they encounter.

The Cavaliers will be at Newbia Baptist Church

July 27, 2019 at 5:00 p.m.

Free refreshments following the concert. NO ADMISSION. A love offering will be taken.



Please have your church **vote to attend the Annual Meeting** on **October 16, 2019** at the **Enterprise Civic Center** **6:00 - 8:00 p.m.** The Annual Meeting is an excellent opportunity to help your church members learn the value of the partnership of the churches. Besides voting to have service there, talk it up and try to get your people, especially young people and young adults, to attend.

Mission Trip to The Dominican Republic

John Gunter will be leading a Mission Trip to the Dominican Republic July 7-14. Please be in prayer for this team.

Remember **Samford Extension** Fall semester will be beginning soon.

Remember to report your VBS Stats!

Widows' Ministry Meeting

August 05, 2019 at 6:30 p.m.

Coffee Baptist Association Senior Adult Luncheon

July 23, 2019 at 11:00 a.m.

First Baptist Church Enterprise

Cost: \$10/person Patriotic Theme



Everyone had fun on the Mission Trip to Mobile, AL. 14 children made a profession of faith! Continue to pray for these children as they begin their new lives as Christians. Pictured above is a small group from Cedar Creek Baptist Church.