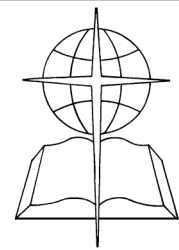




June 2018 Events

- Church News & Events
- 12th Annual VBS Kickoff
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- Elder Abuse Awareness

- New Newsletter Email Address: janicestrickland1013@gmail.com
- Minister & Wives' Retreat
- Mission Dignity Sunday
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BURNT SWAMP BAPTIST ASSOCIATION (910) 521-9850; FAX (910) 521-7166

The Burnt Swamp Bulletin

12th Annual VBS Kickoff

Friday Night, **June 1st** at **NC Farmers Market**, located at Hwy 74 East Lumberton. A great weekend of Camping, Singing, Games, Worship and Fun. This will include a **Fishing Tournament** on Saturday, **June 2nd**. **Gates open at 5pm**. All are invited to come and have a good time. Churches participating should call **BSBA** at **(910) 521-9850** or **Tony Chavis** at **(910)734-4393**.

Camp Grace Summer Camps

Register by visiting the website at www.cbmcampgrace.com or call them at **(910) 628-63216**

- ◆ **Teen Week** (Grades 8-12) July 8-13 & July 15-20
- ◆ **Middle School Week** (Grades 5-8) June 24-29
- ◆ **Middlementary Week** (Grades 4-7) July 22-27
- ◆ **Elementary** (Grades 2-5) June 17-22
- ◆ **Day Camp** (Grades K-3) July 2-6

Camp Grace needs to raise \$50,000 in order to construct their **6th duplex cabin** and acquire a **double-wide trailer** that will be the home to one of their missionary families. To donate, visit: www.campgrace.com/donate.

Elder Abuse Awareness

Robeson County DSS Adult Services Unit are hosting a kick off Celebration for Elder Abuse Awareness. They are requesting the presence of elderly within your church on **6/8/18 from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm** in the Robeson County Department of Social Services Training Room.

Lunch will be provided. We want to show our gratitude to our Elderly Population on that day. **RSVP** deadline was **5/8/18**. However, if someone would like to attend, please contact **Katrina Williams** at **910-608-2277** or **Teresa Hargett** at **910-671-3168** as soon as possible.

Ministers & Wives' Retreat

Date: Monday, 7/16/18 - Wednesday, 7/18/18

Location: Quality Inn & Suites - 1601 Hwy 17 North, N. Myrtle Beach, SC 29582

Phone #: 1-843-272-6153 (Ms. Claudia)

Reservation is under **Burnt Swamp Assoc.**

Mission Dignity Sunday

June 24, 2018

Ministry through GuideStone that provides financial assistance to retired Southern Baptist Ministers and their Widows. Your giving will assist faithful servants who are struggling with financial needs. For more details call Davis Blount or Mary Landis at (800) 395-5210 ext. 5637 or visit www.missiondignity.org/Promotions/MissionDignity-Sunday

Morning Star Ministries Update

Morning Star Ministries has completed **9** church buildings in Africa. These buildings have been built by the contributions of local individuals, families and churches. These congregations were meeting on the ground under trees. Now they have a **House of Worship**. MSM will now provide chairs and Bibles for these congregations. We welcome You to help with your contributions for this much needed building project effort.

Oklahoma Missions Project

Bro. Earnest Best recently started a small group on the Reservation and would like to build a **70 x 40** building for Worship. It would consist of a restroom for the ladies and men, maybe a small baptistry and a storage room. He hopes to have the building constructed and dried in within **four** days. Rev. Horace and others will be leaving on **July 13th** from **Harpers Ferry** parking lot at **5am**. Any volunteers that would like to go, can contact Rev. Horace Oxendine @ **(910) 258-8715**. Any **Donations** can be sent to the **Burnt Swamp Baptist Assoc.** and noted as the Earnest Best Project - Oklahoma.

Union Meeting

The next Union Meeting will be held **July 28th @ 10am** at **Leitch Creech Church** in Maxton. Please come ready for a great time of **WORSHIP, FELLOWSHIP, & APPRECIATION DAY** for our New Director of Missions & Wife. Lunch will be provided.

UNCP Summer Camps

Rising 9th - 12th American Indian Students, who attend PSRC schools. Students will reside on Campus for 4 days & 3 nights. 5 Dates to choose from: **June 24 - June 27; July 8 - July 11; July 15 - July 18; July 22 - July 25; July 29 - Aug. 1**



Antioch - 5/6- Guest Preacher, Rev. Timmy Woods; **5/6-9 REVIVAL** - Rev. Neil Locklear & Rev. John McPherson; **5/19-** Marriage Retreat @ Church; **5/27-** Monthly Singing.

Bear Swamp - 3/18- Church Bible Drill; **3/25-** Children, Youth & HS

Participants in Assoc. Bible Drill, Harper's Ferry; **3/25-** Back Pack Love Offering; **3/25-** Easter Cantata; **4/1-** Annie Armstrong Love Offering; **4/15-18** Spring Revival with Rev. Mike Cummings & Rev. Terry Cummings; **4/16** - 1 Confession of Faith; **4/28-** Children, Youth, & HS Regional Bible Drill at Berea; **4/29-** Youth Sunday with Guest Speaker, Rev. Ray Bryant; **5/12-** Honored Mothers with Speaker, Sis. Kim Chavis.

Benson Chapel - 3/31- Easter Egg Hunt; **4/1-** Celebrated Easter; **4/1-6-** Revival, Benson Chapel; **4/8-11** Rev Johnny in Revival, New Point; **4/14-** Ladies Auxiliary Breakfast Sale; **4/15-20** Rev Johnny in Revival, Gospel Tabernacle; **4/22-** Easter Play Repeated; **4/28-** Ladies Auxiliary Beach Trip; **5/6-** 2 Souls saved; **5/9-** Awana Parents Night; **5/12-** Mother's Spa Day; **5/13-** Mothers honored.

Bethany - 4/20-21 Pastor Charles & Pastor Matt attended the Barnabas Team Retreat at Myrtle Beach; **4/22-24** Preacher Charles was in Revival at Raynham Baptist, Bethany's Church Choir sang and Ethan & Gavin Deese sang; **5/3-** Night of Healing Service at the Lumbee Tribe Cultural Center; **5/9-** Fellowship with soup and sandwiches before Wednesday Night Bible Study; **5/13-** Mother's Day Program by Bethany's Children's Choir & the Drama Team; Continued Bible distribution and World Mission offerings.

Beulah - 5/6- Deacons/Wives & Seniors Appreciation; **5/13-** Mother's Day Celebration; **5/16-** Fellowship, Movie & Dinner; **5/20-** Pastor & Family Appreciation Day & Luncheon; **5/20-** 1 Soul saved; **5/27-** Baby Dedication

Burnt Swamp - 5/2- Wednesday night Social; **5/6-** Senior Citizens Day with meal & recognition; **5/13-** Mother's Day with recognition of Mothers.

Cape Fear - 4/27- Two went to Ridge Crest & WMU Leadership Team went to Rest Homes; **4/29-** Revival w/ Speakers Dr. Mike Cummings & Rev. Steve Strickland; **5/6-** Senior Adult Sunday; **5/10-** Missions Night; **5/13-** Mother's Day Recognition; **5/17-** WMU visited the sick.

Deep Branch - 6/4- Association Ministers' Breakfast, 8am; **6/3, 10, 17, 24-** Sunday School-9:45 am, Worship Service-11am; **6/6, 13, 20-** Choir Practice-6pm, Bible Study-7pm; **6/9-** Budget Meeting 2018/2019, 8am; **6/10-** Youth/Graduation Sunday; **6/15-** Final VBS Meeting, 6pm; **6/17-** Fathers' Day during Worship Service; **6/18-** Conference, 7pm; **6/24-** The Lord's Supper; **6/23-24** - VBS 2018 Setup days, 10am on 23rd & 5pm on 24th; **6/25-29** - VBS 2018 (5:30 pm - 8:30 pm).

Dogwood - 4/29- Communion; **5/1-** Executive Board Meeting @ 7pm; **5/3-** A Night of Healing 6pm-8:30pm at the Lumbee Tribe Cultural Center; **5/12-** 10th Annual Missions Golf Tournament at Pine Crest Golf Course; Wed. Night Bible Study @ 7pm, Choir Practice @ 6:15pm; Good News Reporter, Ruth Hunt, (910) 738-2698.

Dundarrach - 4/22- 2 people joined the church; **4/30-5/2** Seniors' trip to Gospel Jubilee; **5/13-** Gifts given to ladies for Mother's Day; **5/19-** Conference @ 9am; **5/20-** Bible Study with Dr. Glenn Harris; **5/20-** Opened church doors for New Members; **6/10-** Graduation; **6/2-** Above and Beyond Banquet at church.

Elizabeth Heights - 5/6- Children/Youth Focus at 11:30 am; **5/9-** EHBC Choir supported Pastor Chris Chavis at Leitch Creek Church; **5/11-** WMU/Brotherhood Rest-home Ministries; **5/13-** Youngest and oldest Mothers recognized, both members and non-members; **5/20-** Special Speaker, Rev. Jeff Hunt; **6/3-** Next Monthly Singing Sunday at 6pm; **6/18-22** VBS - Make plans to attend.

Elrod - New Youth Minister - **Jonathan Chavis**. Please send all information dealing with the Youth to him.

Freedom - 6/10- 2nd Sunday Night Service @ 6:30 pm; **6/16-** Saturday Visitation @ 11am; **6/17-** Father's Day Celebration; **6/18-20** - VBS (6:30pm-8:00pm); **6/28-** Thursday Night Visitation @ 6:45 pm.

Galilee - WMU Backpack Mission; **4/27-28** WMU went to Missions Extravaganza in Winston Salem, NC to support the Ronald McDonald House with needed items; **4/29** - Attended Associational VBS Clinic at Deep Branch Church; **5/12-** Youth had a Yard Sale & sold Breakfast and Hot Dogs for lunch to help with their Mission trip; **5/13-** Recognized Mothers with a Picture Presentation, Rose & Gift; **5/27-** Memorial Day Recognition; **Thanks everyone for your prayers for Sis. Mary, our Pastor's wife, she's doing much better! Praise the Lord!**

Gospel Tabernacle - Prayer Meeting every Tuesday morning; **4/22-** Preacher Bruce Swett, Sunday Night Worship Service; **5/6-** Senior Adult Day; **5/13-** Mother's Day Celebration; **5/22-** Sunday Night Worship Service; **5/27-** Pastor and Family Appreciation Day!

Morning Star - May - 1 soul saved and 4 Baptisms; **5/3-** Workers attended VBS Workshop; **5/5-** Mother's Day Dinner served by the Brotherhood; **5/27-** Marriage Enrichment; Sunday morning Worship begins at 11:00 am. Come out and join us!

Mt. Airy - 4/28- Regional Bible Drill Competition; **4/29-** Hat/Bow-Tie Sunday; Attended VBS Clinic; Recognition of Bible Drill Participants; **5/5-** Mr. Brice Chavis competed in State Finals Bible Drill Competition; **5/6-** Lumber River Quartet; **5/6-9** Revival with Revs. Terry Cummings and Rickey Burnett; **5/12-** Annual Church Clean-up Day; **5/13-** Gifts for all Mothers and recognition of oldest Mother; **5/20-** Tea Party Mission Project; Outreach and Nursing Home Ministries.

New Point - 4/15- Senior Citizens Drama Team at Cape Fear Church; **4/16-** Pastor Brent Chavis was in Revival at Life Line Church of God; **4/28-** Union Meeting at Union Chapel Baptist - Bro. Don Locklear and Bro. Winston Locklear attended; **4/29-** Communion Service; **5/6-** Youth Sunday, Guest Speaker Evan Andrew Hunt; **6/1-** VBS Kickoff at Farmers Market; **6/3-** Pastor Appreciation & Youth Sunday; **6/24-27** VBS.

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Pleasant View - 4/21- 9 WMU attended Annual Meeting at Island Grove; 4/21- Social after Revival; Honored oldest, youngest and the mother with the most children for Mother's Day; Choir sang at Revival with Pastor; WMU & Brotherhood service with shut-ins; 5/20- Senior Citizens Day, Guest Speaker Rev. Dufrene Cummings; 5/25- Bridal shower for Hope Jones; 6/18-22 VBS - Everyone welcomed (6:30pm-8:30pm); WMU did Shoe Size Project, fund raiser a great success.

Reedy Branch - 4/22- Baby Dedication; 4/28- Attended Union Meeting @ Union Chapel Community Baptist Church; 5/6- One attendee came under Watchcare for Membership; 5/8- Women's Prayer Night; 5/12- Mission Team volunteered @ My Refuge; 5/12- Participated in BSBA Annual Golf Tournament; 5/18-19 Relay for Life; 6/9- Tyler's Annual Golf Tournament.

Smyrna - 5/15- Food Bank distributed food boxes; 5/16- Bible Study Dinner 6-7pm; 5/20- Monthly Singing, 6pm; 5/22- Nursing Home Ministry, 10am; 6/3- Pastor Appreciation; 6/10- Graduation Sunday - Sis. Jennifer Brown, Guest Speaker; 6/11- Prepare food boxes; 6/12- Distribution of food boxes; 6/18-22 VBS Week.

South Broadway - 4/24- SBBC Choir Nursing Home Visit and Service; 4/28- Easter Picnic, the Lord Blessed us with wonderful weather and fellowship; 5/19- SBBC Women Fellowship Brunch; 5/20-23 Spring Revival, Guest Speaker Pastor Tony Hunt, 3 Committed their lives to Christ; **Future Events** - 6/1-2 Church Directory; 6/3- Pastor and Family Appreciation Day.

St. James - 4/29- Baby Dedication; 5/6- Church Breakfast/Children's Church; 5/6- Women's Six Week Class Begins/ Sis Veda Young; 5/13- Mother's Day Program; 5/19- Senior Adult Class Outing at "Fullers" in Pembroke.

Tabernacle - 4/29- Youth Sunday with Special Speaker, Pastor Randy Freeman; 5/1- Adult Ministry monthly meeting; 5/7- Adult Ministry visited Greenbrier Nursing Home in Fairmont to pass out gift bags to the residents; 5/13- Mother's Day Program - All mothers presented music, Senior Drama Team performed & Children sang. Oldest mother, Sis Ella Rose Chavis was recognized & Sis Bobbie Jo McLean gave her testimony. Observed Communion; 5/16- WMU meeting; 5/18- Participated in Relay for Life; 5/27- Memorial Day Program; Month of May - Bible Study in the book of 1st Corinthians.

Union Chapel - 4/29- Children's Choir Practice; 5/3- WOM Meeting; 5/10- Community lunch served for shut-ins; 5/12- Brotherhood Mother's Day Breakfast; 5/13- All Mothers received a rose, recognized youngest mother

(Brandi) & oldest mother (Molly) and mother with most children (Becky); 5/19- Family Day at Luther Britt Park; 5/20- WOM visited Woodhaven Nursing Center; Mission Team Meeting; 5/25- Movie Night; 5/26- Mission Trip Breakfast-proceeds used for mission trip; 5/27- Old Fashion Sunday-lunch served after service; 6/1- Brotherhood is selling tickets for a **Steak** dinner.

Willard's Chapel - 3/4- First Sunday Dinner/ Baptism (Rebecca Locklear); 4/1- Sunrise Service; 4/8- Easter Play; 4/29- Communion; 5/6- First Sunday Dinner; 5/13- Mother's Day Skit/Brunch; 5/20-25 Revival - Preacher Tim Chavis from Bear Swamp and Preacher Stilton Locklear from Fair Point; 5/27- Special Guest, Joe McMillian; 6/3- First Sunday Dinner/VBS Kickoff; 6/4-8 Game on VBS - 5-8 pm; 6/17- Father's Day Brunch/Skit; 6/13, 20, 27 - Bible Study at 7pm.

Zion Hill - 5/13- Mother's Day, Mrs. Alice Locklear recognized as Oldest Mother; 5/18- Relay for Life, Approx. \$3,000 was donated to the American Cancer Society; 1 Rededication of Faith; 6/3- 2018 Graduation Sunday, 22 graduates; 6/4- WMU & Brotherhood Meetings @ 7pm; 6/10- New Member Class training; 6/10-14 VBS begins @ 4:30pm on the 10th & 5:30 pm the 11th-14th; 6/16- Cromartie Rest Home Service, St. Pauls; 6/17- Father's Day; 6/24- Benefit Plate Sale for Brother Odell Locklear, 11 am until - Chicken or BBQ Plates \$8.00, Old Rennert Fire Department, 62 Park Street, Shannon. Each Wednesday night @ 7pm - Bible Study, RA's, GA's & Youth Meetings.

Carolinas Evangelism Conference

July 25 - 27, 2018

Mountain View Baptist Church**5045 E. Maiden Rd, Maiden, NC 28650**

Featuring: Dr. Bob Pitman, Dr. Roc Collins, Stoney Benfield, Dr. Jerry Chaddick, C.T. Townsend, Cameron McGill, Dr. Chris Schofield, Dr. Ron Lynch & Dr. Jeff Laborg. Special Music by 11th Hour.

If interested or more details, call (704) 483-5806.

Free Over the Counter Meds

Friday, June 29th from 9am-2pm

Chestnut Street United Methodist Church

200 E. 8th Street, Lumberton, NC

More info at www.medassist.org

Free Health Screenings & Expired Meds

Disposal/ Drop-off

Summer Jam 2018

There will be a Summer Jam at the **Southeastern Agriculture Center** on Saturday, **June 23rd @ 6pm**. Sponsored by area Churches. For more details visit:

www.southeasternsummerjam.com.

We're on the web
www.burntswamp.org





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Burnt Swamp Baptist Association

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