



As I write this article my heart is filled with joy and thankfulness as I reflect on how the Lord was glorified through the Bethlehem Toy Store. The CBA was able to minister to 49

families in need, providing gifts for 113 children in the process. Many of our churches donated toys and a great number of people volunteered to serve in distribution and witnessing. Every person who stepped through the doors was able to hear about the greatest gift ever given—God’s gift of salvation through the Lord Jesus Christ. Four precious souls responded in faith to this glorious Good News, and we rejoice in God’s faithfulness to deliver those from darkness into His marvelous light!

All honor and praise belong to God for His faithfulness. Like Paul, I am also thankful for our partners in the gospel who faithfully serve King Jesus:

*<sup>3</sup> I thank my God in all my remembrance of you, <sup>4</sup> always in every prayer of mine for you all making my prayer with joy, <sup>5</sup> because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now. Philippians 1:3-5*

Paul regularly identified ministry partners in his writings. Paul is writing to Philemon, “a dear friend and coworker” on behalf of Onesimus, a former slave and recent convert to the faith. In the introduction and in the final greetings of this short letter, Paul mentions several names of “fellow workers” who are doing kingdom work alongside him:

*Paul, a prisoner for Christ Jesus, and Timothy our brother, To Philemon our beloved fellow worker <sup>2</sup> and Apphia our sister and Archippus our fellow soldier, and the church in your house: <sup>23</sup> Epaphras, my fellow prisoner in Christ Jesus, sends greetings to you, <sup>24</sup> and so do Mark, Aristarchus, Demas, and Luke, my fellow workers.*

This reveals the importance of partnerships in gospel work. We are not alone in our service to the Lord. We need the body of Christ. God has placed many people around us that are coworkers, and we can find strength and comfort in that truth. We have the privilege of being on mission together. Many churches, one body, united around the glorious gospel!

I want to thank each pastor and church member who has served with us this past year. Even if your name is never specifically mentioned, God knows who you are and what you have done for His glory.

2022 offers many new opportunities for Gospel-centered ministry to our community and around the world. Let’s lock arms and serve King Jesus! ONE- Stronger Together!

Grace and Peace,  
 Currie Tilley  
 Associational Mission Strategist



As I look back on 2021, I give all praise and glory to God for the many individuals that were impacted through outreach ministries of the Carolina Baptist Association; ministries supported and encouraged by our association pastors, churches and community.

The 2021 Spring Semi-Annual Conference theme was **RESET**, with Proverbs 29:18 as our key verse, “Where there is no vision the people perish; but he that keepeth the law, happy is he.” What did **RESET** look like for CBA in 2021? CBA was able to serve not only the residents of Henderson county, but special projects throughout the state; chap stick to the Women’s Prison Ministry (Red Box Collections); food for the NC Baptist Children’s Home (Food Roundup collections); Christian books/literature, Bibles and VBS material to countries outside the USA (Harvest Seeds Ministry); toys for children who’s families are struggling financially (Bethlehem Toy Store); visits to nursing homes, yard work and small constructions projects to the elderly residents of Henderson County (Baptist on Missions Deep Impact Student Ministry).

In 2021 the staff was blessed to minister to our pastors, church leadership and spouses by hosting an appreciation breakfast for pastors and a Christmas party for pastors, church leadership and spouses. We are also grateful to Suzanne Tilley for hosting several fellowships for pastors’ wives this past year.

As we came to the end of 2021 I was convinced more than ever, that **Outreach ministry is truly an example of ONE: STRONGER TOGETHER**; CBA’s 2021 Fall Semi-Annual Conference Theme: **ONE GOD (Father, Son and Holy Spirit); ONE FAMILY (The family of God); ONE MISSION (which is actually the Great Commission – to share the gospel/love of Jesus Christ to the world).**

Ephesians 4:4-6 *There is one body and one Spirit—just as you were called to the one hope that belongs to your call—one Lord, one faith, one baptism one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all.*

Rebecca Moon, Missions and Ministry Coordinator



Agua Viva	Broad River	Etowah	Fruitland	Main Street	Mud Creek	Upward	Crab Creek
Asheville Korean	Cedar Springs	FBC E.F.R.	Gethsemane	Middle Fork	Naples	Valley Hill	Double Springs
Balfour	Contemp. First	FBC H'ville	Horse Shoe 1st	Mount Gilead	Oak Forest	West H'ville	Etowah
Barker Heights	Covenant	FBC Saluda	Jones Gap	Mount Moriah	Pleasant Grove	Zion Hill	Middle Fork
Bat Cave	Crab Creek	FBC Tryon	Kings Grove	Mount Olivet	Pleasant Hill		Mount Olivet
Bearwallow	Dana	FBC Tuxedo	Liberty	Mountain Home	Refuge	<b>Churches</b>	Shaws Creek
Beulah	Double Springs	Fletcher First	Living Water	Mtn. Valley	Shaws Creek	<b>without a</b>	
Biltmore H'ville	Ebenezer	French Broad	Locust Grove	Mtn. View Miss.	Speak Life	<b>pastor:</b>	
						Cedar Springs	



Please pray for these churches and their pastor on each designated week.

Jan 2	Bob Hagan	Broad River
	David Dickerson	Mountain Valley
Jan 9	Robert Garren	Liberty
	Phillip Capell	Kings Grove
Jan 16	Ted Min	Asheville Korean
	Scott Thompson, Interim	Crab Creek
Jan 23	Clint McKnight	Horse Shoe First
	Tyler Frank	Biltmore H'ville
Jan 30	No Pastor	Etowah
	Joe Hayes	Barker Heights
Feb 6	K. Dewayne Jeter	Contemporary 1st
	Dan Blackwell	Dana
Feb 13	Roy Waldroup	Fletcher First
	Brent Thomas	EFR First
Feb 20	Walter Johnson, Interim	Main Street
	Craig Stepp	Fruitland
Feb 27	Justin Perdue	Covenant
	Danny Pridmore	Gethsemane



### Welcome New Pastor, Kevin Long

Kevin begins his ministry as Senior Pastor at Main Street Baptist Church on January 2. Kevin and his wife, Natalie, have a son, Liam, age 7.

### CBA Executive Team Meeting will be held on Tuesday, January 25, 2022 at the lower level of CBA at 7pm. (Meeting is contingent upon business at hand)

Voting members are as follows: Association officers, leadership team, team leaders, trustees, and the person (s) holding/representing the following positions in each church: Pastor, Sunday school director, discipleship training director, WMU/women's director, Baptist men's director, music director, youth director, senior adult director, single adult director, and the chair of deacons. And, of course, visitors are welcome! Please let us know by January 11 of any business you may have.

**FBC Women BIBLE STUDIES**

Check out FBC Hendersonville Women's Winter Bible studies beginning in January. Go to [fbchnc.org/ministries/women](http://fbchnc.org/ministries/women).

### REGION 9 MISSIONS RALLY

These rallies will highlight the variety of opportunities NC Baptists have been involved in missions across our state, in our nation, and around the world. Featured will be worship, testimony, mission video, and a prayer time for missions. These rallies are for men, women and youth - everyone interested in missions is encouraged to attend. A meal is provided for the NC Mission Rallies at no charge, but reservations are necessary to ensure an accurate meal count. The cut off date for reserving a meal for each Celebration is one week prior to the event. To register, go to [baptistsonmissions.org](http://baptistsonmissions.org). **February 22, 2022 at Pole Creek Baptist Church, Candler, 5:45 PM (Meal).**

### VBS Preview

**January 28-29, 2022**  
**LifeWay Ridgcrest Conference Center**

Preview events are the best way to develop your volunteer team, gain valuable training, and build momentum and excitement for your Spark Studios VBS. At VBS Preview, you will: Gain valuable training from curriculum experts, learn decorating techniques, develop your volunteer team, get preview-only discounts on VBS shirts and access exclusive VBS gear at the VBS Event Store. Come and be inspired to plan and execute the best VBS ever!

Visit [www.vbs.lifeway.com/vbs-2022-preview-events](http://www.vbs.lifeway.com/vbs-2022-preview-events)

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[NCBAPTISTFOUNDATION.ORG](http://NCBAPTISTFOUNDATION.ORG)

The NC Baptist Foundation has 3 educational scholarships available for Baptist Students. Applications are open on January 1, 2022 and will remain open until the close of the business day on February 15, 2022. Go to [www.ncbaptistfoundation.org/scholarships](http://www.ncbaptistfoundation.org/scholarships) to apply.



## Christmas Eve Services

*Biltmore Hendersonville*  
3-4pm and 5-6pm

*Covenant*—6:00pm

*Etowah*—Dec. 23 at 6:30pm

*FBC Hendersonville*  
4:30pm & 6:00pm  
Traditional Service in the Sanctuary.  
Modern service in the 316 Center

*Fruitland*—6:00pm

*Horse Shoe First*—6:00pm

*Naples*—6:00pm

*Saluda First*—6:00pm



**Social isolation and loneliness** is epidemic among older North Carolinians and has been long before the pandemic. Now, many more frail adults **go weeks without speaking** to another person.

Social isolation and loneliness are linked with **adverse health conditions** such as high blood pressure, depression, cognitive decline, and a 30% increased risk of premature death.

NCBAM's One Hope outreach offers a **spiritual response** to social isolation and loneliness. The Hope Line receives calls **daily, 9am - 9pm**. Trained volunteers are ready to listen, respond compassionately, and pray with and for callers. **Please share the Hope Line!**

**866.578.4673**



Camp Caraway is hiring summer staff positions for male and female college age students who have completed at least one year in college to serve as camp counselors. Other positions are also available. Apply at <https://campcaraway.org/apply-now>.

Truett Camp is also looking for college and high school aged students to join their summer staff team. [www.truettcamp.org](http://www.truettcamp.org).




## 2022-2023 School Year Enrollment FBC Hendersonville Preschool Academy

In-house registration begins January 19, 2022. Registration is open to the public on January 25.

This is a half-day, faith based preschool. We have classes for 3 & 4 year olds and transitional kindergarten for 5 year olds. Students must be appropriate age by 8/31/22.

Call 693-8312 for details or to schedule a tour. Visit [www.fbchnc.org](http://www.fbchnc.org) and Facebook page.




*Please help us keep our neighbors warm this winter. Items are listed in order of priority, but ALL are helpful.*

- Bath Towels
- Children's Clothes
- Children's Coats
- Men's Shoes/Boots
- Women's Shoes/Boots
- Children's Shoes (Size 1-5)
- Pillows
- Blankets (Especially Queen)
- Winter adult jackets (critical)
- Tents
- Sleeping Bags
- Suitcases (wheels please)
- Backpacks

*Call 697-7029 ext. 1143 for more information.*

## OUR STAFF

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ASSOCIATIONAL MISSION  
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### January

- 2 Greg and Deborah Mathis—Mud Creek
- 7 Paula Janes—CBA  
Craig Stepp—Fruitland
- 8 Wilburn and Ruby Lefler—Upward
- 12 Blair and Tina Stewart—Zion Hill
- 15 Roy Waldroup—Fletcher First
- 18 Donald and Syble Freeman—Bearwallow
- 21 K.Dewayne and Kimberly Jeter—  
Contemporary First Missionary
- 23 Ted Min—Asheville Korean
- 28 Steve Scoggins—FBC Hendersonville
- 30 Deborah Mathis—Mud Creek

### February

- 23 Marie Blackwell—Dana
- 24 Marco Hernandez—Agua Viva
- 25 Joe Lund—Balfour



### CALL TO PRAYER MONTH MAKE YOUR WILL MONTH

- 15-17 Unshaken: Winter Youth Retreat, Truett Camp
- 17 Leadership Team Meeting, 9am, CBA  
Women of Carolina, 6pm, CBA

- 23 Sanctity of Human Life Sunday
- 25 CBA Executive Team Meeting, 7pm, CBA
- 28-29 VBS Preview, Ridgecrest

### TRUE LOVE WAITS EMPHASIS MONTH

- 11-12 Marriage Matters Retreat, Truett Camp
- 13 Souper Bowl of Caring Sunday
- 15 Deadline for NC Baptist Foundation Education Scholarships
- 21 Leadership Team Meeting, 9am, CBA  
Women of Carolina, 6pm, CBA
- 22 Region 9 Missions Rally, Pole Creek Baptist Church, 5:45pm



Deadline for March/April  
Newsletter is February 10, 2022



**NEWS/EVENTS**

~**Etowah** Brian Henderson resigned as senior pastor. His last Sunday was November 7. Senior Adult "Together Tuesdays" every Tuesday from 10am-1pm with special speakers, bingo, movie day and more. Call 891-7153.

~**Interfaith Assistance Ministry** Please help keep our neighbors warm this winter. Here are a few needs in priority order: Winter adult coats, tents, sleeping bags, suitcases, backpacks, bath towels, children's clothes, children's coats, men's and women's shoes and winter boots, children's shoes sizes 1-5, pillows and blankets. Also, holiday food items are needed: Hams, turkeys, stuffing mix, potatoes, corn, green beans, and more. Go to website for more information. <https://www.iam-hc.org>.

~**Fletcher First** will host a singing with the Mylon Hayes Family on January 9 at 10:45am.

~**French Broad** will have a blood drive on January 19 from 2:30—6:30pm.

~**Horse Shoe First** Centershot Archery Ministry, January 5-March 2. Every Wednesday from 6-7:30pm Registering 8-12 yr. olds. Friends and Neighbors Valentines Day Banquet. Table sponsorships available. February 14 at 6pm. 828-513-1839.

~**January is Make Your Will Month** How do you wish to be remembered? Most people want to be remembered fondly as having made a difference in the lives of others. Everyone has the capacity to extend their generosity beyond their lifetime by simply having a thoughtful estate plan in place. Consider how you might choose to make a difference, how you might want to "pay your blessings forward" as you seek to be more Christ-like. Then, take action by having a personal estate plan prepared for you and your family. Call the NC Baptist Foundation at 800-521-7334 and they can help you with this planning.

~**Operation Inasmuch** Save the date. NCOIAM is a one day missions blitz in your community. Imagine your whole church active in missions to your community! Choose a date for this event...either April 30 or May 7, 2022.

~**Women of Carolina Conference** \*Save the Date\* Fruitland Baptist Bible College, Saturday, September 24, 2022.

**CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION FINANCIAL STATEMENT - NOVEMBER 2021**

Name	MTD	YTD	Prior Year
Asheville Korean Baptist Church	\$0.00	\$180.00	\$330.00
Balfour Baptist Church	\$225.00	\$900.00	\$900.00
Barker Heights Baptist Church	\$300.00	\$1,200.00	\$910.00
Bat Cave Baptist Church	\$351.00	\$3,832.75	\$3,544.75
Bearwallow Baptist Church	\$0.00	\$4,398.99	\$2,850.49
Beulah Baptist Church	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Biltmore Church Hendersonville	\$0.00	\$3,750.00	\$3,750.00
Broad River Baptist Church	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Cedar Springs Baptist Church	\$0.00	\$500.00	\$500.00
Contemporary First Baptist Church	\$0.00	\$500.00	\$500.00
Covenant Baptist Church	\$0.00	\$100.00	\$1,100.00
Crab Creek Baptist Church	\$100.00	\$2,100.00	\$1,200.00
Dana Baptist Church	\$100.00	\$650.00	\$450.00
Double Springs Baptist Church	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
East Flat Rock First Baptist Church	\$0.00	\$2,307.30	\$3,075.33
Ebenezer Baptist Church	\$1,110.13	\$12,796.50	\$11,118.30
Etowah Baptist Church	\$467.92	\$8,931.51	\$3,589.00
Fletcher First Baptist Church	\$600.00	\$2,400.00	\$2,400.00
French Broad Baptist Church	\$170.00	\$1,866.66	\$1,951.64
Fruitland Baptist Church	\$1,196.00	\$11,969.46	\$13,858.81
Gethsemane Baptist Church	\$228.84	\$2,298.73	\$1,851.98
Hendersonville First Baptist Church	\$4,120.69	\$43,330.95	\$42,074.88
Horse Shoe First Baptist Church	\$0.00	\$2,500.00	\$2,500.00
Iglesia Bautista Agua Viva	\$258.48	\$1,347.44	\$1,216.94
Jones Gap Baptist Church	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Kings Grove Baptist Church	\$0.00	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00
Liberty Baptist Church	\$200.00	\$1,400.00	\$1,000.00
Living Water Baptist Church	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Locust Grove Baptist Church	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Main Street Baptist Church	\$333.32	\$1,833.34	\$1,833.34
Middle Fork Baptist Church	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Mount Gilead Baptist Church	\$45.00	\$495.00	\$495.00
Mount Moriah Baptist Church	\$0.00	\$3,525.25	\$3,342.29
Mount Olivet Baptist Church	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$99.00
Mountain Home Baptist Church	\$0.00	\$600.00	\$600.00
Mountain Valley Baptist Church	\$100.00	\$1,100.00	\$1,100.00
Mt. View Missionary Baptist Church	\$100.00	\$1,100.00	\$1,100.00
Mud Creek Baptist Church	\$1,000.00	\$11,000.00	\$11,000.00
Naples Baptist Church	\$956.62	\$14,207.74	\$17,264.07
Oak Forest Baptist Church	\$0.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
Pleasant Grove Baptist Church	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Pleasant Hill Baptist Church	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Refuge Baptist Church	\$100.00	\$1,100.00	\$1,000.00
Saluda First Baptist Church	\$0.00	\$3,337.30	\$3,135.48
Shaws Creek Baptist Church	\$0.00	\$1,250.00	\$1,000.00
Speak Life Community Church	\$500.00	\$1,300.00	\$1,100.00
Tryon First Baptist Church	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Tuxedo First Baptist Church	\$0.00	\$3,068.00	\$3,068.00
Upward Baptist Church	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Valley Hill Baptist Church	\$0.00	\$543.40	\$618.34
West Hendersonville Baptist Church	\$0.00	\$600.00	\$450.00
Zion Hill Baptist Church	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

**TOTAL RECEIPTS: \$12,563.00 \$157,320.32 \$150,877.64**

**TOTAL EXPENSES: \$18,211.16**

**BUDGET NEEDS: \$15,908.33**

**GF CHECKING ACCOUNT BALANCE: \$84,360.92**



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**MISSION**

NC Baptist Disaster Relief has been asked by Kentucky Baptists to assist in disaster recovery efforts in Kentucky following the deadly tornadoes. Our NC Baptist disaster relief teams are being deployed to Bowling Green, KY to set up a disaster recovery site. NC Disaster Relief will deploy a small feeding team, a laundry unit, recovery unit, generator and chainsaw teams to do this work. NC Disaster Relief will coordinated these efforts out of Hillvue Heights Baptist Church. Thank you for praying, giving and going. Please pray for the people who were affected by the tornadoes as well as the volunteers who will be helping. Donations and volunteers will be needed. More information, make a donation, as well as volunteer registration can be found at <https://baptistsonmission.org/kentucky-tornadoes>.



**The Souper Bowl of Caring** collections on Super Bowl Sunday are a big help to the Food Pantry at Interfaith Assistance Ministry.

Souper Bowl Sunday is February 13, 2022, but many congregations around the country will start their collection in January. Find out more and receive promotional materials at [superbowl.org](http://superbowl.org).