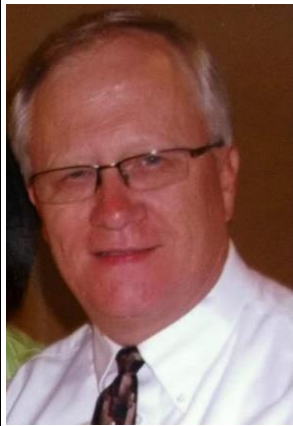


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A Word of Appreciation Before We Retire



Dear Dyer Baptist Association Friends,

When I came to work among you as your DOM, I tried to write you a message each month in our monthly newsletter that would inform you of the work in our Association and inspire you as to what I believe the Lord was doing among us. At the end of these messages, I often closed out by saying, “Enjoying the Journey” followed by my name. I would like to say to you a final time as your DOM, that Cindy and I have truly enjoyed the journey of walking with you all as we worked together to spread the gospel and glorify our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

I would also like to share with you a word of deepest appreciation for the opportunity of laboring among you. You have been a blessing to both of us as we have labored in love among you. Our lives have truly been enriched with many precious memories of working together and worshipping our Savior with you. These days have been some of the finest days in our 48 years of ministry.

In recent days, as I have visited among you, people have asked us what we plan to do after retirement. I appreciate your concern and interest. I would like to let all of you know that Cindy and I will continue to live in our house in Newbern unless the Lord makes it possible for us to live closer to our children and grandchildren. All of them live in the greater Nashville area so when we visit there, we can see all of them most of the time. So, pray for our travels as we visit them as often as possible.

Also, I plan to be involved in ministry, preaching and teaching wherever the Lord leads. I still feel the hand of the Lord upon my life and have a great desire to continue preaching the unsearchable riches of Christ. I will also be completing some books and bible teaching material that I believe will help the local church and better equip our pastors as they serve the Lord. Hopefully this material will help our pastors and laymen to teach the word of God.

Again, let me thank each of you for your investment in our lives as we labored among you. Our lives are much better because of our time together. In the days ahead, may the Lord give us opportunity to share the word of God with one another again (Romans 1:8-12).

Enjoying the Journey,
Dennis and Cindy Jones



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Treasurer's Report October 2024-September 2025

Undesignated Receipts		
	January	YTD
Beech Grove	300.00	600.00
Beech Grove Viar	0.00	500.00
Bogota	0.00	372.84
Calvary Chapel	0.00	0.00
Church Grove	0.00	600.00
Curve	212.00	712.00
Dyersburg First	2,500.00	10,000.00
Dyersburg Second	0.00	390.00
Emmaus	0.00	0.00
Enon	0.00	356.29
Evansville	41.43	171.83
Fairview	0.00	0.00
Finley	801.60	2,986.80
Fort Hudson	150.00	750.00
Fowlkes	50.00	200.00
Gates	46.25	224.86
Halls	240.00	1,241.85
Halls Westside	0.00	630.00
Harmony	90.55	429.31
Harvest	0.00	352.26
Hillcrest	2,090.06	7,239.01
Lenox	0.00	0.00
Macedonia	1,270.28	2,430.01
Mary's Chapel	573.00	1,456.00
McCullough Chapel	172.81	867.22
Miston	0.00	0.00
Mt Tirzah	97.17	576.02
Mt Vernon	923.11	3,318.71
New Hope	0.00	2,196.22
New Mitchell Grove	0.00	100.00
Newbern FBC	2,631.06	8,294.24
Parrish Chapel	25.00	100.00
RoEllen	0.00	709.40
Southside	226.93	469.87
Springhill	0.00	0.00
Trimble FBC	350.00	1,400.00
Williams Chapel	150.00	600.00
Woodville	0.00	0.00
Zion Hill	175.26	591.95
Church Donations	13,116.51	50,866.69
TBMB Income	3,542.67	17,087.55
Total	16,659.18	67,954.24

Treasurer's Report October 2024-September 2025

Undesignated Receipts		
	February	YTD
Beech Grove	150.00	750.00
Beech Grove Viar	0.00	500.00
Bogota	721.82	1,094.66
Calvary Chapel	0.00	0.00
Church Grove	400.00	1,000.00
Curve	267.00	979.00
Dyersburg First	2,500.00	12,500.00
Dyersburg Second	260.00	650.00
Emmaus	0.00	0.00
Enon	91.69	447.98
Evansville	42.70	214.53
Fairview	0.00	0.00
Finley	801.60	3,788.40
Fort Hudson	150.00	900.00
Fowlkes	50.00	250.00
Gates	40.93	265.79
Halls	857.88	2,099.73
Halls Westside	210.00	840.00
Harmony	0.00	429.31
Harvest	0.00	352.26
Hillcrest	1,586.96	8,825.97
Lenox	0.00	0.00
Macedonia	500.00	2,930.01
Mary's Chapel	400.00	1,856.00
McCullough Chapel	224.82	1,092.04
Miston	0.00	0.00
Mt Tirzah	64.23	640.25
Mt Vernon	1090.91	4,409.62
New Hope	0.00	2,196.22
New Mitchell Grove	0.00	100.00
Newbern FBC	2,254.72	10,548.96
Parrish Chapel	25.00	125.00
RoEllen	528.21	1,237.61
Southside	0.00	469.87
Springhill	0.00	0.00
Trimble FBC	100.00	1,500.00
Williams Chapel	150.00	750.00
Woodville	0.00	0.00
Zion Hill	224.37	816.32
Church Donations	13,692.84	64,559.53
TBMB Income	3,542.67	20,630.22
Total	17,235.51	85,189.75



DBA Churches that need a Pastor

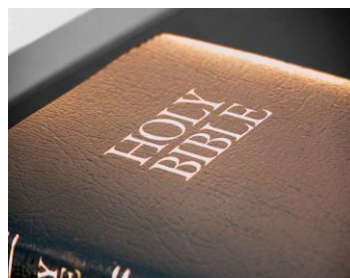
Beech Grove Baptist Church in Viar, Tn.
Enon Baptist Church in Halls, Tn.
New Mitchell Grove in Halls, Tn.
Harmony Baptist Church in Newbern, Tn.

DBA Churches that need a Music Minister

Hillcrest Baptist Church in Dyersburg, Tn.
Macedonia Baptist Church in Ripley, Tn.
Mount Vernon Baptist Church in Halls, Tn.



DBA Executive Board
unanimously elects
Charlie Halliburton and
Phil Hall as Co-Interim DOM's
beginning March 31.



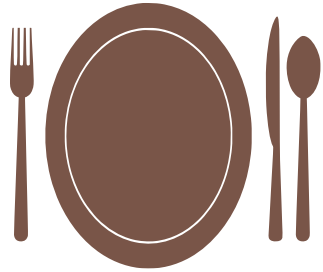
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Mark Your Calendar

April

- 4-5 TBMB Missions Get-Together- Joy
- 6 Retirement Reception- 2-4pm BCM
- 8 DBA Executive Board Meeting- Zion Hill
- 11 Good Friday
- 20 Happy Easter

DBA Pastors and Wives Breakfast



Monday, April 14th and 28th
8:30am
at the BCM

DBA YOUTH MINISTRY

DYER BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
YOUTH COMMITTEE
PRESENTS

YOUTH MINISTRY CONNECT

Join us for a Networking event
where you can connect with
others in the thick of Youth
Ministry to share ideas and
encouragement.

This event is for DBA Youth
Ministry pastors, volunteer
leaders, and spouses.

Meal provided.

Children are welcome.

MAY 5, 2025
6PM

**JOIN US AT
THE BCM!**

REGISTER TODAY!



TEXT
BRITTANY HARWELL
731-612-8276
FOR ANY QUESTIONS

Fish Fry BCM

ANNUAL FISH FRY Benefitting our Stan Cavness Memorial Mission Fund

\$15
per person

Children, Police Officers,
Fire Fighters, Ambulance
and First Responders
\$10.00 per person

**Dine-in or
Carry out**

Plate Includes: 2 pieces of Fish or
BBQ, French Fries, Cole Slaw,
White Beans, Green Beans, Hush
Puppies & Tea, Desert, Tartar
Sauce

BAPTIST COLLEGIATE
MINISTRY

**FISH
FRY**
FUNDRAISER



SATURDAY,
APRIL 26, 2025
11:00AM- 2:00PM



**Enjoy
Every
Crunchy
Bite**

Thanks for all your support for the BCM Missions
This fundraiser will help send college students on a Mission Trip
Hosted by the DBA Women's Ministry

BCM News

The **BCM** is starting back up for
our Spring Semester.

Bible Study (every Tuesday) 6PM

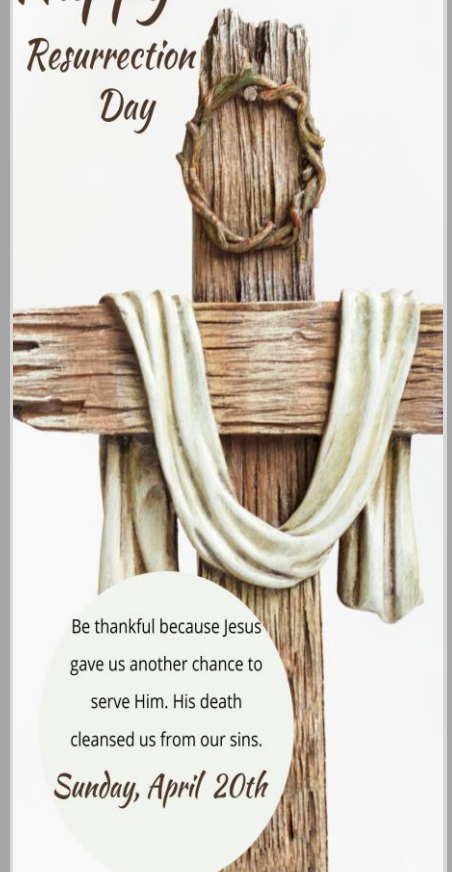
Lunch Encounter
(every Wednesday)
11am-1pm

Amplify (every Thursday) starting
at 6:30pm. Join us for Worship,
devotional, and fellowship.

Pray for our Ministries and all the
Students and Staff throughout our
year.

Celebration of our Resurrected Jesus Christ

*Happy
Resurrection
Day*



Be thankful because Jesus
gave us another chance to
serve Him. His death
cleansed us from our sins.

Sunday, April 20th

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Mark Your Calendar

RETIREMENT RECEPTION

FOR

Dennis and Cindy Jones

SUNDAY, APRIL 6

2PM-4PM

BCM

COME AND GO RECEPTION

LIGHT REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SERVED



April 4th-5th

“Because we loved you so much, we were delighted to share with you not only the gospel of God but our lives as well”

I Thessalonians 2:8



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Attention: Pastors / Wives

Bivocational Pastors Meeting

April 21

6PM

BCM

A meal will be furnished

