

The Baptist Recorder
The Official Newsletter of the Truett Baptist Association of Churches
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Good Morning,

Well the holidays are almost over. I do not know about you but I am about give out. We have had family over as well as family from out of town, plus Duronda is getting over her surgery. Thanks for all the prayers, calls, and messages during her time of surgery and recovery. We praise God for the report we received and we know it was because of all the people praying. We had people across the state and nation as well as around the world. God is good! She is doing well with her recovery and is back in the office part time so continue to pray for her.

I hope you are getting ready for the **Lead Well Ministry Lab** to be held on January 10. I am excited that the state convention has set up this training in our area. This is for all of our churches. There is no cost to you as the association is paying the fee. Get your folks ready and registered (by calling the office) for this time of training. Notices have been sent out to our pastors and Bro. Steve Scoggins will be leading a conference for them. This is the first of three conferences to be held in our area so we need to support this effort. If you have any questions just give us a call.

Next on our agenda is our **Children's Mission Day** on February 21. This will be held at Ranger Baptist Church. It is always a fun time for the children to learn about missions and get excited about what God is doing around the world. The event is free, but we must have people to register in order to provide food and materials. Any Questions? Call Duronda at 828-837-5401 for more info.

Well that is about all I have so I had better close for now. May God continue to bless you!

Bro. Al



Lead Well Ministry Lab

January 10 at Andrews FBC

8:30 AM to 12:25 PM

Rooted in Scripture and shaped by practical ministry experience, Lead Well Ministry Lab is a high-value, streamlined training created to help pastors and ministry leaders of every sized church thrive in their biblical callings. Through one track devoted to preaching and shepherding and another to strengthening a specific disciple-making ministry, participants gain biblical insight, practical tools and ministry strategies they can implement immediately. Sharpen your God-given gifts and lead the ministries of your church toward greater gospel impact.

Lead Well is for all pastors, church leaders

Pastors will always have a session.

This is a great time for church leaders to receive training for ministry in the local churches.

Information about registration will be attached later.



Truett Baptist Leadership Team Meeting

Monday, January 12
6:30 PM
Association Office

All team members, pastors and visitors are urged to attend.

Business of Association will be conducted during this meeting.



TBA Children's Mission Day

Saturday, February 21

10 AM to 2 PM

Ranger Baptist Church Gym
(Across road from church)

Ages 5 thru 6th grade

Lunch Provided - No cost

There will be different classes during the day including:

Hear presentation from Missionaries

Crafts for mission project

Writing Thank You to Missionaries

Registration Deadline:

February 12

For more info: call 837-5401

Sanctity of Human Life Sunday:

January 18

The sanctity of every human life is one of the most important truths we can teach the children in our care. What does it look like practically to create a culture of life within a family?

- Practice gentleness with babies and respect for the elderly. Cast a vision for your family as protectors of the weak.
- Connect with your local pregnancy resource center (PRC). Ask for a tour, and bring the whole family.
- Memorize Scripture that points to the sanctity of life. Psalm 139 is a great place to start.

I praise you, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made. Wonderful are your works; my soul knows it very well. Psalm 139:14

Truett Baptist

Institute



Pastoral Epistles

(I & II Timothy and Titus)

January 13 at 6:30 PM

Association Office

These classes are open to pastors, church leaders/teachers or anyone interested in Bible study. For more information, call Bro. Al at 837-5401.

TBA Contributions

January to December 15, 2025

	TBA	Children's Home
1 Islesia	563.81	
Andrews FBC	17051.54	950.00
Bealtown	600.00	
Boiling Springs	2520.00	1500.00
Center	500.00	
Downings Creek	3000.00	
Ebenezer	4663.65	
Friendship	4800.00	
Grace	500.00	
Hanging Dog	2000.00	
Hopewell	1100.00	
Liberty	1200.00	1200.00
Little Brasstown	17000.00	
Macedonia	309.95	552.81
Marble Springs	11243.74	
Moss Memorial	375.00	150.00
Mount Carmel	2600.00	3500.00
Mount Liberty	1850.00	550.00
Mount Moriah	1859.52	2450.00
Mount Pisgah	1000.00	
Mount Pleasant	7931.64	
Mount Pleasant His.	415.74	
Mount Zion	2958.91	1000.00
Murphy FBC	4299.96	
New Martins Creek	5266.00	
Notla	300.00	300.00
Oak Grove Ma	3280.04	1172.06
Oak Grove Mu	4175.04	800.00
Oak View	423.00	
Ogreeta	600.00	
Old Shooting Creek	4635.26	1100.00
Peachtree Mem.	22869.19	
Pine Log	2041.36	
Ranger	4800.00	
Shady Grove H	2252.47	250.00
Shady Grove M	2200.00	
Shoal Creek	1414.24	
Simonds Chapel	555.19	
Tomotla	1200.00	236.00
Truett Memorial	1800.00	1200.00
Unaka	650.00	
Upper Peachtree	1100.00	621.79
Valley River	1200.00	
Valleytown	1200.00	
Vengeance Creek	1250.00	550.00
Violet	0	1650.00

Thank you to everyone who supports the Association and Children's Home.