



THE SURRY BAPTIST NEWSLETTER

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**Bring Gift Cards
to SBA
by July 28, 2022**



VBS Dates and Themes (As Reported to us)

- Sparks Studio
- Rock Hill: **June 5-9**
- Highland Park: **June 5-9**
- Sulphur Springs: **June 5-9**
- Central View: **June 12-15**
- Flippin Memorial: **July 10-15**
- Paul's Creek: **June 13-18**
- Salem Fork: **June 9-11**
- Turkey Ford: **June 19-22**
- New Hope: **August 8-12**

Concrete and Cranes

- Fairview: **June 26-30**
- Pinnacle View: **June 12-16**

The Mighty God - Community: **July 25-29**

How Great Our God - Fancy Gap: **June 25**

Monumental - Salem: **June 26-30**

Great Big Beautiful World - Oak Grove: **June 13-18**

Big Fish - Welcome: **June 11**

Wilderness Escape - Cornerstone: **June 6-10**

Simmons Grove: **June 26-28** Calvary: **June 26-30**

Westview: **June 15-17**



DID YOU KNOW?

Every gift to the Mother's Day Offering helps people in times of suffering and need pay their hospital bills at Wake Forest



Baptist Health in the name of Jesus Christ and His love.

www.mothersdayoffering.org

Touching Lives with Hope

"The Mission of Surry Baptist Association is to glorify God through Jesus Christ by assisting and encouraging Congregations in a partnership of cooperative ministries of reaching people and developing believers."

From Your Director of Missions — Dr. Dan Merritt

May is a transition month, at last leaving behind the chilly days of early spring and introducing days that are akin to inevitable summer. One can't think of May without thinking of Mother's Day. If your mother is still living honor her and tell her, "I love you." If your mother has passed-on remember her lovingly and contemplate what valuable lessons and truths you learned from her that has helped shape the person you are. My Mother passed in 1999, her life cut short by that heartless thief of Alzheimer's.

Every May, as we pause to honor and remember our mothers, I contemplate the truths I learned from my mother. I would like to share a few of the many lessons and truths that she sought to instill in me that have helped shape who I am today.

She taught me to be truthful and honest when dealing with others. If one is not truthful it will come back to haunt you because you have to remember what you said; and, worse, you will lose the respect of others.

She taught me to eat my vegetables, especially my green beans, because they are good for you. I can't eat green beans today without her voice echoing in my ears about how lucky I am to have something to eat and that there are those who have no food at all who would be thankful to eat them!

She taught me not to be selfish because the world doesn't revolve around me. When we think of others we are happier than when we only think of ourselves.

She taught me to try and help someone during the day through an encouraging word, a smile, sharing a laugh, or a kind deed. You will not only bless someone else but you will receive a blessing, as well.

She taught me to respectfully stand when the National Anthem was being played. I am to show respect and admiration for the flag and what it stands for. People died that the flag might fly, and I am to honor Her. To this day I still get chills every time I hear sung the National Anthem.

She taught me to be courteous and polite to others if I expect them to be courteous and polite to me. To say "Please" and "Thank You" are words you can't use too much.

She taught me to do right because it is the right thing to do. You don't do right just when someone is watching or because you "feel" like it,

you do right because that is what you are supposed to do.

She taught me not to give up when undertaking a task. If I failed she taught me to regroup and keep trying until I succeeded. If you want something out of life it must be earned not handed to you.

She taught me not to spend more than I make. Always save at least a dime out of every dollar. Don't become a slave to debt by buying things you can't afford. That has been good advice I am glad I have heeded through the years.

She taught me to keep up with current events so as to be an intelligent American citizen. Don't be an uninformed citizen but one who knows what is going on so you can be part of the solution to make society better.

She taught me to read. My mother was an avid reader. The vocation I followed in life requires I constantly read, and I enjoy reading history, philosophy, theology, poetry, and anything that will expand my horizons.

She taught me that if I have problems the Lord's power is available to help give me strength and help me through life. She believed His strength is available to all if they simply ask Him.

Yes, my mother taught me many valuable lessons and truths. While I am still trying to incorporate them all into my life, I am most thankful I had a mother who sought to instill them in me.

It is an honor to be your Director of Missions. If I can ever be of help to you, give a call or stop by the office.

Happy Mother's Day,
Dr. Dan



Hebrews - Part 1

(2 part study on the sufficiency and supremacy of Christ in salvation and in everyday living)

Instructor: Dr. Dan Merritt
Cost : \$10 Workbook

Sept. 13 - Nov. 15 - Tues. 10am -12 noon
Sept. 13 - Nov. 15 - Zoom-Tues. 6:30- 8pm
Sept. 15 - Nov. 17 - Thurs. 10am-12 noon
Sept. 15 - Nov. 17 - Thurs. 6:30- 8pm



Baptist Men Update

For our April meeting, we met at the Surry Baptist Association with Calvary Baptist Church providing our meal. We had 11 in attendance and 8 churches were represented.

Doug Perkins brought our devotion and spoke on God is our light and we should share it to all and God is our power in everything.

Our Pancake Breakfast in March was a great success, thanks to all. We made around \$2,200 to go towards projects.

Gary reported on the ramps we have to do. Also, we have a floor replacement job. We have a group of men going to Lumberton, NC for disaster relief on

Please consider donating to the Surry Handyman Ministry to help fund our local projects. We have many project requests and limited funding, with your help we can continue to make a difference in the lives of those who need it most.

The Baptist Men invite all within the association to come join us on Monday, May 2, 6:30pm at Surry Baptist Associational office for a meal. We hope to see everyone there for fellowship and a time of planning how to share God's love through our service.

If your churches have men's groups or any individuals interested in taking part in any of our activities, you are welcome to call Mike Francis at 336-830-1655 for more information.

Trucker's Ministry



Please send CD's of Sunday morning services to the SBA for our Trucker's Ministry.



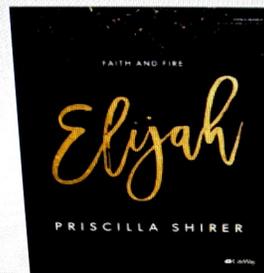
Bring food anytime to be given out for May;

Flippin Mem. in May; Turkey Ford in June; ___ in July; Cross Roads in Aug.; Dover in Sept.; Salem Fork in Oct.; Woodland in Nov.; and Highland Park in Dec.

We accept donations anytime at the SBA and are desperately in need of groceries to help stock our pantry.

MAY Birthdays

- May 10: Rev. Larry Jones (Dover)
- May 12: Mrs. Melissa Vernon (Mountain View)
- May 13: Rev. Jacob Hall (Simmons Grove)
- May 15: Rev. Mickey Cogdill (Bannertown)
- May 18: Rev. Tim Burton (Flippin Memorial)
- May 22: Mrs. Michele Joplin (Salem Fork)
- May 23: Mrs. Emmy Corn (Turkey Ford)



ELIJAH

Bible Study
By: Priscilla Shirer

May 19 - June 30, 2022
(7 weeks)
Thursday, 6 pm - 8:30 pm
@ SBA Office
Study Guide \$18.00

In this faith-building study, you'll discover how Elijah's obedience to God kept him anchored, sharpened his faith, broadened his impact, and invited heaven's fire to fall.

Facilitator: Jo White
Sign up at the SBA office by May 7, 2022

WE WILL BE
CLOSED
FOR
MEMORIAL DAY

Monday May 30, 2022

2021 Printed Minutes Books

Printed Minutes books that the churches ordered are ready. Have someone from your church come by the SBA Office to pick up your church's copies.

Senior Adults Fellowship

June 14, 2022

Cook-Out

11:30 am @

Blues Grove Baptist

(Bring Canned Food for Medical Ministry and a dessert.)



Appalachian Christmas Outreach



Backpack Ministry



Now is the time to start planning ahead and purchasing your items for this worthwhile ministry. We will be sponsoring 4 local elementary schools this year.

One of the greatest ministry needs in this area occurs around Christmastime. NCBM is calling on churches statewide to respond to this need through Appalachian Christmas Outreach 2022.

- 1) Small items of NEW clothing such as winter hats, gloves, socks, underwear, rolled t-shirts
- 2) Small pop-top canned food such as ravioli, tuna, beef stew, vegetables, fruit (3-4 cans)
- 3) At least one NEW, age appropriate non-breakable toy (no toy weapons, please!)
- 4) Hygiene items including toothpaste, toothbrush, soap, washcloth, brush or comb, shampoo, deodorant (try to fit these items into a one gallon Ziploc bag).
- 5) A children's Bible or youth Bible (no one version is required)
- 6) Fresh, wrapped candy (no chocolate please, as it may melt)
- 7) A copy of "[The Christmas Story](#)" **

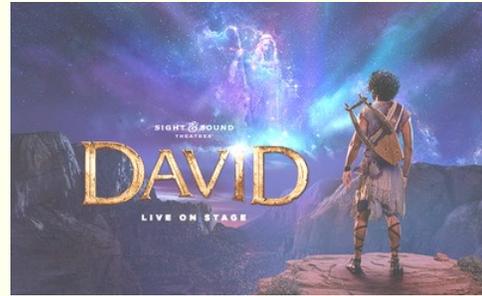
Deliver to SBA by November 5th (9am-12pm).

Use Ribbon instead of name tags.

Any questions, contact Terry or Jo Hardy @ 336-366-4729 or email Terryphardy@gmail.com

SBA Bus Trip

We are planning a new trip in September to visit the Sight and Sound Theatres in Lancaster, PA. The show is DAVID. We will stop by D.C. and visit the Bible Museum also. We are in the beginning stages of planning and need a preliminary guess on how many people are interested in going. That will determine the cost of the trip and how many buses we will need to take.
(336-789-5701)



WMU Prayer Breakfast

**Saturday, June 4, 2022
@ SBA Office**

All Members are encouraged to attend.

This special breakfast will focus on Relentless Witnessing and will feature Dena Cave as our guest speaker. Dena will be sharing experiences and materials she has found useful in her foreign mission trips and local community endeavors. The deadline to register for this breakfast is May 25. Please be in prayer for this special time of fellowship and emphasis on being a faithful witness for our Lord Jesus Christ.

Please register at the SBA by May 31st.

The Surry Baptist Newsletter

Church News

Antioch continues w/Worship Services on Sundays @ 8:30-11am. We also have Bible Study, Youth and Awana @ 6:30pm on Wed. nights. You may also visit us on Facebook live for these services. Hosted an outdoor Easter program titled, "What's In Your Basket?" There was also a Lords Supper at the program. There was a live donkey that behaved wonderfully as well. We would like to thank everyone for all the hard work and dedication it took to make this program happen and also to the owners of the donkey for letting him be a part of the ministry. Had a Sunrise Service, Breakfast, Sunday School and Worship Services for Easter. Collecting for the Annie Armstrong Ministry. The Golden Autumn traveled to the Village of Clemmons and stopped at the General Store and went out for lunch. The Sisterhood continues w/a book study, "Having a Mary Spirit." Susanne Puckett, was a guest speaker who told about her ministry "In My Neighbor's Shoes." They also continue w/the Lunch Davis Project and discussed ideas about projects for the upcoming year. The Well Food Ministry delivered 159 meals in March to people in need. The Youth went out for supper together this past month. The Upward Football and Cheerleading ministry is starting soon. We need volunteers for coaches, referees and concessions. If anyone is interested in helping please contact us @336-789-2057 or email at antiochbc@surry.net. VBS will be June 5-9 @ 6:30pm until 8pm. We will also have Adult Bible Study as well. Supper will be provided each night.

Bannertown had food drive for Yokefellow Ministries. Sponsored Bloodmobile. Had Eggstravaganza Egg Hunt for children. Had Sunrise Service and Breakfast. Choir presented music during worship on Easter. Baptized four new believers on Easter Sunday. Men's Ministry participated in trip to Haywood County for disaster relief work.

Blues Grove Had 2 professions of faith. Lunch was served following service in Honor of Pastor Travis' birthday. Women's Conference planned for May 21 w/breakfast @ 9a.m. followed by fellowship and door prizes w/guest Speaker, Jan Davis, @11a.m. Pastor Travis was speaker @ Surry Baptist Quarterly Meeting in April. "By God's Grace" sang @ Lowgap Tent Revival in. Pastor Travis spoke @ Westview Baptist in March. WMU sent financial support for Ukraine. Adult Choir scheduled to sing at New Life Baptist Revival on May 17. Blood Drive was a success reaching goal of 33 pints.

Calvary celebrated the Easter season w/a Maundy Thurs. service, Easter Sunrise, breakfast and regular services. Easter baskets were delivered to our shut-in members. Surpassed our goal for the Easter offering. During Lent, youth members read the scripture passage during Sunday services. During April the church is collecting diapers for the Legacy Center. Will celebrate Anniversary Sunday on May 1. Preparation is underway for VBS - June 26-30. Our pastor will be on sabbatical from June through August.

Central View holds in-person services and online through the media outlets. Pastor Michael is continuing his sermon series "A Journey Through the Bible - 66 Books - 66 Messages" on Sundays. On Wed. evenings he is continuing the Bible Study in 1 Corinthians for all adults. All ministries, Sunday School Small Groups, Wed. - Awana, Students and Adult Bible Studies are all on going. Thank you to all who gave cheerfully and sacrificially, to our Annie Armstrong Easter Offering -exceeded above the goal amount! To God be the Glory! Held an Easter Extravaganza Helicopter Egg Drop. Thanks to all who joined this fun-filled, Christ-centered event! Held an Easter Sunrise Service and served biscuits from Bojangles in the multipurpose building. Started a new community outreach ministry called "Grow" (Go Reach Our World) continuing each month.

Community was honored to host the quarterly SBA meeting. VBS workers attended the SBA meeting @ Calvary Baptist. VBS is scheduled for week of July 25 w/theme "The Mighty God". Youth group had a glow in the dark Easter Egg hunt. Had baptismal service in April. Plans are being made to restart Sunday school in May. We had worship service @ Stone Mountain Park w/picnic lunch following service.

Cornerstone is currently receiving Annie Armstrong Easter Offering. Provided 26 hygiene bags for 4th graders @ Westfield Elem. Voted to send money to Ukraine ministry friends Pastor Ken knew from his past mission trips are there. Had community Spring Festival including games, hot dogs and hay ride to hunt eggs. Fixed and delivered Easter Treat Gifts for residents of Central Continuing Care. Pastor Ken Clark had a program entitled Christ in the Passover: A Seder, which included a traditional Seder meal on Thur. before Easter. Operation Inasmuch 2022 will be April 30. Projects will include May weekend food bags for Westfield Elem., renovation help @ Helping Hands building, flower planting at Pilot Middle School and a project to include preschoolers that will consist of delivering snacks bags to local fire departments as well as filling bird feeder @ hospice home. VBS will be held June 6-10 using the theme Wildness Escape.

Dobson First's Visionaries (WMU) Children's Consignment sale was a huge success. 85 consigners participated bringing in \$7,200 for mission projects. Easter Sunrise service was held in Dobson Square Town Park w/three churches joining in worship. All Shut-Ins were delivered colorful tulips for Easter. Operation In As Much will be held Sat., April 30. Women's Ministry Council met to gear up Zoom Bible studies, targeted workshops, and upcoming Fall projects. JOY (Just Older Youth) met @Roosters for a meal and fellowship.

Dover's Brotherhood had a meeting @Golden Corral w/good fellowship. WMU had their monthly missionary study. WMU March project provided financial assistance to a family in the church and April's project was a gift card for snacks to the Dobson Hospice Home. The children's bible study is the first and third Wed. of every month @ 6:30pm. The Easter egg hunt w/lunch was held and sunrise service w/breakfast was held Easter Sunday. The church ordained 2 new deacons in April. The church made a donation to assist Ukraine.

Fancy Gap held Easter sunrise service and communion. WMU made Easter Joy bags for our shut-in seniors. In May our graduates will be recognized during Sunday morning service and w/a covered dish luncheon afterwards. We are gearing up for one day VBS event June 25 from 10am -3pm.

Fellowship celebrated Easter w/a community Easter egg hunt and hot dog supper. Easter Sunrise Service w/breakfast provided by Men's Group. Senior Singles met. Meal boxes were delivered to families in the church community. Please continue to pray for our church and Pastor Search Committee as we seek God's will for our church.

Flippin Memorial had Easter Egg Hunt at the fellowship hall w/a wonderful turn out. Had Sunrise Service. We also took up for the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering until Easter morning. We will have our second Church Planning Supper at the fellowship hall on April 23. On April 24 we will have Youth Bowling @ Mount Airy Bowling Lanes from 2-4pm. As always we are praying for different churches of the SBA every week. God Bless!

Haymore Memorial's Baptist Men provided breakfast on Easter Sunday morning. Mothers will be recognized on May 8. May 15 will be graduate recognition for those graduating from high school, college and grad school, Planning continues for the foreign mission trip to Honduras this summer. Monthly contributions continue for Operation Christmas Child, Shepherd's House and other WMU projects. Buttons are being collected for sewing kits for the shoeboxes. Pastor search continues.

Highland Park welcomed one new member this past month. Our adult choir presented beautiful Easter music, along w/our children's choir on at both worship services. Celebrated the resurrection of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ w/a sunrise service, breakfast, worship services, and Sunday School. WMU Annual Bake Sale was held April 24 to raise money for WMU mission outreach events. Will have a Baby Dedication Ceremony on Mother's Day, May 8, @11am worship service. We will recognize our college and high school graduates on Sunday, May 22, @ 11am worship service. Every Tues. morning from 9-11am, there is a Ladies' Bible Study in room

EB-104. Each week, our Associate Pastor, Jim Richland, leads a Sunday Night Bible Study in room EB-105 @ 6pm. Kelsey Mathis, our Children's Director has planned the following events for our children: May 14 @ 10am in the Fellowship Hall is a Mother/Daughter High Tea w/Queen Esther; May 21 @ 10am in the Family Life Center is a Father/Son Nerfs & Nachos; and June 5-9 from 6 - 8:20pm in Family Life Center is our VBS, w/classes for all ages. Pre-register for these events online @www.highlandparkfamily.com.

Hills Grove had an Easter Egg Hunt w/crafts, games and lots of fun! Welcome to our newest member, Cayleigh Gail, born to Rev. Caleb and Casey Thomas on Sun., 4/10/22. Thank you God for blessing us with this sweet family! Resurrection Sunday was celebrated w/a Sunrise Service with preaching outside followed by the Lily service and communion. Breakfast was served; and the morning finished w/Sunday School. Thank you Jesus!

Holly Springs had our Walk to the Cross and surpassed our goal for the Annie Armstrong Mission Offering. WMU delivered snacks to the Hospice Home. Easter Egg Hunt was enjoyed by many. Had Sunrise Service and breakfast prepared by the men of our church. WMU is collecting stuffed animals for the Bannertown Fire Department.

Indian Grove's Wed. Bible study @ 6pm, is on the Ten Commandments. First Wed. in each month, covered dish meal @at 6pm. Received Annie Armstrong Easter Offering. Received gift cards for Baptist Children's Home. Everyone is invited to Revival: Sunday, May 15, 6pm, Rev. Tim Webb, pastor of Crestwood Baptist Church: Sunday, May 22, 6pm, Dr. Joey Jessup, pastor of Victory Baptist Church: Sunday, May 29, 6pm, Rev. Ben Webb, pastor of Northwood Baptist Church. Special singing each night.

Ivy Green's last Sunday in March was celebrated by surprising our pianist, organist, and choir director for their faithful years of service, each having served in their position for over 40 years were given individual plaques, gift cards and a fellowship lunch in their honor following the morning worship service. A plaque has been placed in the church in their honor. Wed. evening Bible Study is on the book of Genesis. The WMU continues to be on mission w/this month's project to collect Grocery Gift Cards for the NC Baptist Children's Homes. Food continues to be collected for the "Blessing Box", which is filled to help feed the folks in the area that are in need. Easter was celebrated w/a Sunrise Service followed by breakfast.

Jessup Grove welcomed two new members. Men assisted the SBA Brotherhood in building ramps for people in the area. One man went to Lumberton to assist in rebuild there. Held an "Easter Eggstravaganza" for the kids w/a devotion, egg hunt, food, etc. Baptist women delivered food to Medical Ministries, made a donation to Annie Armstrong offering and gave a gift card to a family w/medical issues to help with gas or other needs and sent a meal to local shut-ins.

Ladonia celebrated Easter w/a sunrise service and breakfast. Tested a new worship service on a Sunday night last month which was a wonderful mini-revival. We will continue the 4th Sunday evening service @7pm w/singers and preaching. We are still prayerfully searching for a full time pastor, w/Rev. Tony Holder serving as our Interim Pastor. Please join us in praying for churches seeking pastors. WMU meets the last Tues. of the month @ 7pm in the Fellowship Hall.

Mount Carmel's WMU met in April w/5 in attendance. Continues to take food to SBA office, collecting Annie Armstrong offering. Making plans for missions on Mother's Day. Easter celebration was a great success w/egg hunt and lunch. Had Easter Sunrise service w/ breakfast and 11 o'clock service w/"Living Hope" created by Dennie and Nan Allen performed by the church Choir. WMU headed up donation to Samaritan Purse for crisis in Ukraine and raised \$2,825. Praise God for all we can do to help those in need. Our Lord is Risen.

Mountain View made donations to Cedar Ridge Weekend Backpack Program & Yokefellow Ministries. Our youth did an excellent job during Youth Sunday! They taught Sunday School, sang Contemporary Christian songs & presented the message for church. As a Spring project, our youth cleaned & painted the nursery. Thankfully, we have several babies in our congregation to enjoy the freshly painted walls & new toys. We are so proud of our youth! They are also enjoying Sunday evening Bible study @ 6:30 pm. Our senior outreach committee blessed several from the church & the community w/a soup bar which included three types of soup & homemade Reece's Peanut Butter Candy. Great food & wonderful fellowship was enjoyed by all! Fellowship meetings are held the 3rd Friday of each month @10:30am at the church; all are invited to attend.

Oak Grove had appreciation for Pastor's wife. Did C.A.R.E. Outreach. Had communion at Wed. night service in April. Had Sunrise Service on Easter Sunday at 6:45 a.m.

Pinnacle View had 7 attendees at the SBA VBS training workshop. Had community wide Easter Egg hunt w/lunch furnished by the WMU. Easter Sunrise Service with breakfast supplied by the Baptist men's group.

**Surry Baptist Association
Financial Contributions
March 2022**

	2022 Budget Receipts To Date	Designated & Other Receipts
Albion	\$0.00	\$0.00
Antioch	\$1,588.29	\$0.00
Bannertown	\$2,000.01	\$0.00
Blues Grove	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
Calvary	\$375.00	\$125.00
Cedar Lane	\$0.00	\$0.00
Central View	\$466.46	\$0.00
Christian Community	\$0.00	\$0.00
Community	\$750.00	\$1,300.00
Copeland	\$371.20	\$0.00
Cornerstone	\$248.92	\$0.00
Cross Roads	\$0.00	\$0.00
Dobson, First	\$0.00	\$0.00
Dover	\$0.00	\$0.00
Fairview	\$2,000.00	\$1,000.00
Faith	\$0.00	\$0.00
Fancy Gap	\$2,000.00	\$0.00
Fellowship	\$1,110.00	\$200.00
Flippin Memorial	\$0.00	\$0.00
Fuente de Vida	\$0.00	\$0.00
Gum Orchard	\$0.00	\$0.00
Haymore Memorial	\$250.02	\$0.00
Highland Park	\$2,625.00	\$0.00
Hills Grove	\$0.00	\$0.00
Holly Springs	\$350.00	\$0.00
Indian Grove	\$0.00	\$0.00
Ivy Green	\$594.57	\$0.00
Jessup Grove	\$3,000.00	\$300.00
Ladonia	\$240.00	\$100.00
Little Richmond	\$213.00	\$0.00
Mount Carmel	\$900.00	\$500.00
Mount Zion	\$850.00	\$0.00
Mountain Park	\$2,000.00	\$0.00
Mountain View	\$378.62	\$0.00
New Bethel	\$100.00	\$0.00
New Hope	\$800.00	\$0.00
New Life	\$130.26	\$0.00
New Venture	\$0.00	\$0.00
Oak Grove	\$0.00	\$0.00
Oak Ridge	\$2,162.00	\$0.00
Pauls Creek	\$300.00	\$0.00
Pinnacle View	\$1,500.00	\$0.00
Pleasant View	\$0.00	\$0.00
Rock Hill	\$0.00	\$0.00
Rockford	\$0.00	\$0.00
Salem	\$1,062.50	\$250.00
Salem Fork	\$1,350.00	\$0.00
Shoals	\$0.00	\$250.00
Siloam	\$500.00	\$125.00
Simmons Grove	\$4,000.00	\$1,220.00
Slate Mountain	\$499.00	\$0.00
Sparta, First	\$1,000.00	\$0.00
Sulphur Springs	\$450.00	\$0.00
Turkey Ford	\$500.00	\$0.00
Union Cross	\$300.00	\$0.00
Victory	\$300.00	\$0.00
Welcome	\$150.00	\$0.00
Westfield	\$1,383.84	\$0.00
Westview	\$150.00	\$0.00
Woodland	\$400.00	\$50.00
Woodville	\$0.00	\$0.00
Other		\$2,777.00
TOTALS	\$40,348.69	\$9,197.00

*Designated & Other Receipts are additional monies given for specific SBA ministries (such as Surry Christian Counseling Center, Handyman Ministry, etc.) as well as General Funds.

Church News continued from inside

Rock Hill's news from Jan. thru April, had special music by Wes Bruner accompanied by Andrew Johnson & Billy Smith. Started weekly readings for last days of Jesus from Renee Hauser and special music by Billy Smith. Rev. Dale Johnson spoke @ Siloam Baptist Church's Revival in April. Had Easter Egg Hunt. Had Sunrise service @ 7am w/ breakfast and regular services following. April 24, had Communion Service.

Salem Fork had an informational meeting/time of witnessing from Amber and Christian Martinez who are working w/those involved in drug addiction. Children's ministry team sponsored an Easter egg hunt. WMU, as part of the Pure Water, Pure Love ministry, distributed hand soap containers w/reminder to pray for all those around the world who have no clean water, including IMB missionaries. Homebound team gave spring flags to members who are unable to attend. Team committee chairs met to plan events/programs for the next several months. Helped unload a tractor trailer of donated food and other items that was then given to various community groups including Baptist Children's Home. Had a time of ingathering on Easter Sunday for the Annie Armstrong Offering to support NAMB missionaries.

Siloam held 2 baby dedication services this month. Lily Mae Duncan, daughter of Susan and Adam Duncan along w/James Walker Cain and Cash Bolatto, sons of Drew and Hailey Cain was dedicated to God by their parents. The Fenstermakers held a youth group gathering w/pizza, popcorn and a movie, "A Storm is Coming." Baptist men's group held a Sat. workday. Breakfast was served by the Carter's. The men worked hard trimming bushes, spreading pine needles, mulching, working in the graveyard and fixing things that needed repairs. Thanks to all. Had first revival service in 2 years w/Bro. Joey Jessup on Sunday and Mon. nights w/Bro. Dale Johnson holding the services on Tues. and Wed. nights. Special singing was enjoyed each night. Another successful community meal was held Wed. night of revival. Met Annie Armstrong Easter offering goal. Easter services was held w/Sonrise Service and breakfast, SS @ 8am and the choir's Easter Cantata, "Amazing Love, How Can It Be" @ 9am. Sunny Senior's will have an outing on April 25 @ 11am. The quarterly business meeting will be held on April 24. Will hold a roadside pickup day on Sat., April 30 @ 9am. Our annual Variety show will be held Sunday, May 1. We are so blessed to have such a wonderful dedicated church family! God is good!

Simmons Grove's Children in Action took snack items and personal care items to Hospice Home in Dobson for their April Mission Project. On Palm Sunday, the choir rendered Easter worship music, also Holy Communion was celebrated. Baptist Women had their regular monthly meeting w/guest speaker Jadee Gilley and the Cross Training Ministry of Pilot Mtn. Had churchwide conference and also the children of the church had an annual Easter Egg Hunt w/the Resurrection Egg Story. The new playground is really being well used by all the children. Had Easter Sunrise, Brotherhood Pancake Breakfast and fellowship followed by Sunday School and Worship Service. Sunday, April 24, the church Brotherhood had their monthly breakfast meeting. Thank you to those who pressure washed the church.

Slate Mountain installed new sound system and new church sign. Had successful blood drive and are thankful for those who helped in any way. Had quarterly business meeting. Baptist Women purchased Bibles to be placed in pews. Youth leaders had egg hunt for children. Had Easter Sunrise service followed by breakfast prepared by men of the church. Baptist Women met for lunch @ Olympia Restaurant.

Sparta First is blessed w/eight new members. Volunteered @ the Solid Rock Food Closet, assisting in serving 254 households encompassing 622 individuals. Pastor Matt Harris' strong leadership guides us w/daily activities for all. Continues w/weekly soup kitchen, the monthly senior meal ministry, small group youth ministry, AWANA, Men's Bible Study, Tues. morning Bible study, just to mention a few opportunities as there is something for everyone to participate in.

Union Cross received a new member by letter. Had Sunrise Service w/breakfast afterwards at the Fellowship Building. Worship Service at 9 o'clock.

Welcome collected cards and gifts for Easter Bags to take to nursing home and shut in members. Scheduled Maundy Service Thurs. night w/communion. Pastor Jackson continues his passion week messages on Facebook live stream.

Westfield celebrated Palm Sunday by laying palm leaves in the aisle of the church sanctuary. For Holy Week there held Online Video on Mon. and Tues. Wed was Bible Study. Thurs. had a meal, Lord's Supper and Scripture Reading. Fri. had Service of Shadows. Sat. sponsored an Easter Egg Hunt. Easter Sunday held Sunrise Service followed w/ breakfast. Then had Sunday school and Worship Service. Kids Life Wed. at the Park in Pilot Mtn. where they played and had Bible Study. Baptist Men had breakfast and finished a wood splitting project. Dedicated two Prayers and Squares quilts. Had a Spring Cleaning Day to get ready for Holy Week.

Westview received 4 new members and had 1 rededication. Sunday night April 24th @ 6pm preaching/singing w/Rev. Sammy Lawson and singers Amanda Lawson and daughters. May 29th @ 6pm Joe Lambert/preaching and Mt. Vernon youth choir singing. All welcome to attend. VBS June 15-17 everyone welcome to attend.

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