

6 – Senior Adult Get-Together, 5:00 pm, Selmer First Baptist Church
14 – Valentine’s Day
19 – President’s Day



25 – Union University Ministerial Student Night. Call 632-0145 if your church would like a student to preach. Approximately 12 students are available to preach this year.

9 –Youth Evangelism Conference, Nashville Municipal Auditorium
13 – Senior Adult Get-Together, Counce FBC, 10:30



16 – WMU Missions Get-Together and Connection

19 –VBS Training, 6:00-9:00 pm, FBC Counce

2 – Executive Board Meeting, 7:00 pm at the Associational Office



8 – Assoc. Bible Drill at FBC Adamsville, 2:00 pm

10 – Sr. Adult Get-Together at Mt. Gilead at 10:30 am

28 – State and Regional Bible Drill

Minister’s Conference

Thursdays at 10:30 am at the Association Office, for all Pastors, Music and Youth Ministers!

February 1 – Bro. Benny Taylor

February 8 – Bro. Randy Pool

February 15 – Dr. Earnest Easley

February 22 – Bro. Wayne McKee

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February 2018



Workers Needed!!
If you have experience in VBS then we need your help. In order to show the merchandise, decorations and teaching suggestions we need volunteers to train others without experience. Positions needed to be filled are Missions leader and VBX Leader. Please call Tracy Bond at 731-607-6329 or the office at 632-0145 if you can help with VBS training for our association.

Poolside Reflections –

He who does not love does not know God, for God is love. 1 John 4:8

If God is love, then it stands to reason that real love must reflect God. And yet, we generally use the term *love* to describe how we feel about our strongest *worldly* desires:

- “*I just love ... chocolate, a good piece of steak, shopping, hunting or the rush I get when ...*”(Lust of the flesh)
- “*I just love ... my car, my guns, my house, my music, my (things), my money, etc.*” (Lust of the eyes)
- “*I just love ... the applause, the recognition, my social media, “going viral”* (Pride of life)

The world’s approach to *love* is self-gratification or self-fulfillment based on feelings of affection or control - “I love because of what I get out of it” or “I love who/ what loves me back”.

God’s love is centered in relationships that are unconditional, impartial and meet other’s needs.

God’s love is a matter of the soul and its qualities are laid out in **1 Corinthians 13**.

In short, “if loving you is wrong, ... *it isn’t love!*”

In addition, Paul describes the evidence of God’s love in **Galatians 5:22** –

“But the *fruit* (singular) of the Spirit is love: . . .”

- *Joy* - Disposition of fulfillment in spite of circumstances
- *Peace* - Calmness of mind in spite of surrounding turmoil
- *Longsuffering* - (Patience) the control of anger – “long temper”
- *Gentleness* - (Kindness) goodness of heart, the “soft touch”
- *Goodness* - Honesty and integrity when no one else is watching
- *Faith* - Unwavering confidence in character
- *Meekness* - “Bridled strength”
- *Temperance* - (Self-Control) “to hold oneself” –

Let’s not use the word so loosely till it means nothing. And let’s make sure that the God we reflect can be seen in the manner of our love. “*By this, shall all men know you are my disciples, ...*”

Bro. Randy

Union University Ministerial Student Night February 25

Call 632-0145 if your church would like a student to preach. Approximately 12 students are available to preach this year.

Adamsville First Baptist Church is in search of a used 15 passenger van/bus. Please call the church office at 731-632-3787

Associational Mission Trip to Guatemala June 22-29, 2018

Location: Santa Cruz del Quiche, Guatemala

This is a Friday to Friday trip.

As international trips go, this is one of the most economical and easiest way to be involved in international missions. We will fly out of Nashville, into Atlanta, and from Atlanta, it is only about a 3 ½ hour flight to Guatemala City. Last years’ cost was \$1,850.00 per person, which included everything but stateside meals, souvenirs and sundry items in-country.

February 6 – Selmer

FBC at 5:00

March 13 – Counce

FBC at 10:30

April 10 – Mt. Gilead

at 10:30

May 8 – Adamsville FBC at 10:30

August – Call if your church would like to host!

September 11 – Ramer Baptist Church at 5:30

October - Call if your church would like to host!

November 6 – Good Hope Baptist Church 10:30

Please call in the total number attending from your church to 731-632-0145 at least 7 days before each luncheon.



Church	Dec-17	Designated	Year To Date
Adamsville First	\$ 721.57		\$ 10,093.74
Bethel Springs First	\$ 199.87		\$ 2,366.49
Bruton Branch	\$ -		\$ 550.00
Butler's Chapel	\$ -		\$ 219.00
Carmel Heights	\$ -		\$ -
Center Hill	\$ 144.51		\$ 1,974.38
Central	\$ -		\$ 1,984.38
Chapel Hill	\$ 25.00		\$ 325.00
Chewalla	\$ -		\$ 2,639.00
Clear Creek	\$ 100.00		\$ 1,200.00
Counce First	\$ -		\$ 1,200.00
Covenant	\$ 100.00		\$ 500.00
Crump First	\$ 127.08		\$ 2,725.08
Eastview	\$ -		\$ 360.00
Falcon	\$ -		\$ 540.00
Forty Forks	\$ -		\$ 1,800.00
Good Hope	\$ 100.00		\$ 1,200.00
Grace	\$ -		\$ -
Gravel Hill	\$ 200.00		\$ 2,400.00
Hopewell	\$ 701.31		\$ 11,287.23
Lakeview	\$ 50.00		\$ 600.00
Lorraine	\$ -		\$ 344.00
Michie First	\$ 100.00		\$ 1,200.00
Morris Chapel	\$ 115.65		\$ 882.64
Mt. Gilead	\$ -		\$ 2,089.00
Mt. Hermon	\$ -		\$ 4,989.41
Mt. Zion	\$ 191.10		\$ 2,214.81
New Harmony	\$ 658.00		\$ 6,607.41
New Hope	\$ -		\$ 1,488.08
New Prospect	\$ 26.00		\$ 406.00
Northside	\$ 174.00		\$ 2,180.00
Olive Hill (O.H.)	\$ -		\$ 9,219.00
Olive Hill (Guys)	\$ -		\$ 200.00
Pleasant Site	\$ -		\$ 912.90
Ramer	\$ 208.13		\$ 3,357.75
Riverview	\$ -		\$ 1,399.20
Savannah First	\$ 393.00		\$ 6,356.00
Savannah Second	\$ -		\$ -
Selmer First	\$ -		\$ 6,000.00
Selmer Second	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 2,500.00
Sharon	\$ 250.00		\$ 1,000.00
Southside	\$ -		\$ 3,463.75
Temple	\$ -		\$ -
Trinity	\$ 50.00		\$ 650.00
Turkey Creek	\$ -		\$ 2,541.28
Unity	\$ 268.00		\$ 2,951.14
West Shiloh	\$ 175.00		\$ 2,100.00
TOTAL	\$ 5,078.22	\$ -	\$ 109,016.67