



Harmony Baptist Association

NEWS

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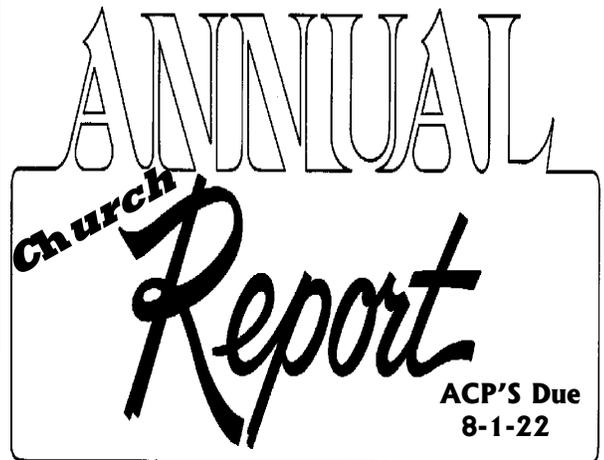


Robert's Ramblin's

The Missouri State Fair is upon us again, and once again Baptists will have a presence at the Fair in the Baptist tent. The Missouri Directors of Missions Fellowship sponsors the exhibit at the fair, where attendees may register for a gift card giveaway in exchange for three minutes of their time. Volunteers from across Missouri share their testimonies and lead people to Christ during that three minutes. This is a worth while mission to invest in. If you need to sign up as a volunteer please call Robert Sisney 660-631-3331.



August 2022



A big thanks goes out to our churches for putting good works into their summer. At least 9 HBA churches have blessed the children with VBS. Harmony's Kids Kamp had 38 kids and 25 leaders attending, which is an increase of 13 kids over last year. Thanks to Sharon and Keith and the Kids Kamp Crew for making it a good event. Mission trips to Minnesota and Montana are in process. Good things are taking place for God's glory. Keep going forward in your church for Kingdom work. Upcoming events I want to punctuate for all our churches to participate are this: Please get your ACP finished by Aug 1 with complete reports of your church activities; Mo. State Fair is August 11-21 and we can always use people to work the Baptist Tent; HBA Annual Meeting is Sept. 25 at Camp Branch church. Be sure to have your messengers ready for the meeting (see Article IV, section 6 of HBA Constitution); Everyone should support the Abundance Quartet Concert on Saturday, Oct. 1 at FBC in Sedalia. There will be a love offering for this great gospel quartet; Then on Oct. 21-23 our Mission Celebration 22 will take place at East Sedalia Baptist. We are asking each church to participate. There will be food, fellowship, and fun getting to know missionaries and inviting them to speak in your church on Sunday morning. You will be hearing more details in the following days. It sounds like a lot, but it's for the effort to bring people to Christ and understanding how Baptists operate. Commit to be a part of all the above!

August 2022



**Anniversary dates are Pastor anniversaries with each respective church

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
ACP'S Are Due	1 Jason McClain, Olive Branch Anniversary Travis Battershell Bethany Anniversary Adult Bible Study Calvary 10am	2	3 Vanessa Chappell Lamonte Birthday	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11 State Fair Ministry	12 State Fair Ministry	13 State Fair Ministry
14 State Fair Ministry	15 State Fair Ministry	16 State Fair Ministry	17 State Fair Ministry	18 State Fair Ministry	19 Jonathan Wallenbeck, Calvary Anniversary (Correction) State Fair Ministry	20 State Fair Ministry
21 Senior Citizen Day State Fair Ministry	22 Rob Ayers Camp Branch birthday	23 News Item Deadline	24	25 Pastor & Wives Dinner, 6:30pm @Calvary Project Parachute 5:00pm	26 Andrew Bryant FBC Sedalia Birthday	27
28	29	30	31 Newsletter Mailed			

The Financial section can be found on the web site.
If you need a paper copy please call the office
826-2070.

2022 Monthly Requirement \$7,317.92
Church receipts for July \$12,802.98
Net Budget difference \$5,485.06



UPCOMING Events

Aug. 1 ACP Profiles due
Sept 1 Labor Day
Sept 25 HBA Annual Meeting
Oct. 22 Mission Celebration 22



Adult Bible Study Meeting will be on August 1, 2022
10:00am @ Calvary Baptist Church
Pot Luck Dinner

C.A.C.T.U.S. How Can You Help?

C.A.C.T.U.S. is gathering school supplies for children
You can support C.A.C.T.U.S. in the following ways:

- *Volunteer to help at one of our events
- *Mail a check to C.A.C.T.U.S. at P.O. Box 1766, Sedalia, MO 65302. Monetary donations will be used to buy school supplies and backpacks.
- *Call 660-827-0263 to arrange for your donation of school supplies such as the following:

- Wish List - (most needed items marked with *)
- *backpacks (especially for older students)
 - *packages of wide-lined or college-ruled notebook paper spiral notebooks (70 pg. wide-lined)
 - *composition books
 - *yellow #2 pencils
 - pink block erasers
 - *red, black, or blue ink pens
 - *plain two pocket folders (with and without brads)
 - *markers (10-12 washable)
 - glue (4 oz.)
 - glue sticks
 - *black dry erase markers (low odor)
 - *highlighters
 - *3 ring notebooks - all sizes from 1 to 3 inches
 - colored pencils
 - index cards
 - *packages of dividers with tabs
 - *pencil pouches (for binders)

Creating new landing fields. Come join us.

Next meeting is
Aug 25, 2022
5:00pm



Anniversary 8/23/1959



Anniversary 8/29/1871



Anniversary 8/1/1867



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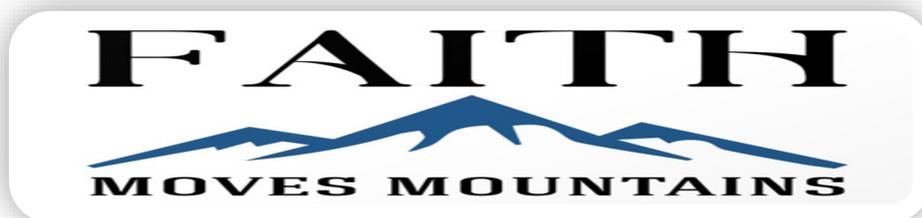
Faith Without Works Is Dead

¹⁴ What *does it* profit, my brethren, if someone says he has faith but does not have works? Can faith save him? ¹⁵ If a brother or sister is naked and destitute of daily food, ¹⁶ and one of you says to them, "Depart in peace, be warmed and filled," but you do not give them the things which are needed for the body, what *does it* profit? ¹⁷ Thus also faith by itself, if it does not have works, is dead.

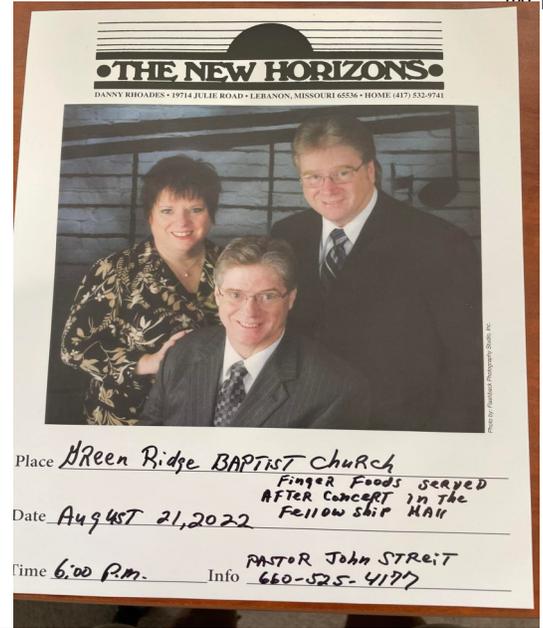
¹⁸ But someone will say, "You have faith, and I have works." Show me your faith without your works, and I will show you my faith by my works. ¹⁹ You believe that there is one God. You do well. Even the demons believe—and tremble! ²⁰ But do you want to know, O foolish man, that faith without works is dead? ²¹ Was not Abraham our father justified by works when he offered Isaac his son on the altar? ²² Do you see that faith was working together with his works, and by works faith was made perfect? ²³ And the Scripture was fulfilled which says, "Abraham believed God, and it was accounted to him for righteousness." And he was called the friend of God. ²⁴ You see then that a man is justified by works, and not by faith only.

²⁵ Likewise, was not Rahab the harlot also justified by works when she received the messengers and sent *them* out another way?

²⁶ For as the body without the spirit is dead, so faith without works is dead also.



People have spend their time and energy on mission trips to Minnesota and Montana this past month. Good things are taking place for God's glory. While God's presence was displayed let us still pray for this, that God will continue to work and people will abound in God and influence those around them. That the gospel will continue to be spread broad in the hearts of people. Pray that Satan's stronghold will be broken. In the meantime; the MO State Fair is our missions ground.



Abundance Quartet



DATE: 10-1-22

TIME: 6:00 PM

LOCATION: FBC, Sedalia



www.abundancequartet.com

5 Finger Prayer

- 4) The ring finger is the weakest. Pray for the sick, poor, and those most in need.
- 5) The pinkie finger is the smallest. Pray for yourself and your own needs.
- 3) The middle finger is the tallest. Pray for leaders in government, business, and the church.
- 2) The pointer finger is used to give directions. Pray for teachers, coaches, therapists, doctors, and first responders.
- 1) Your thumb is closest to your heart, so pray for those closest to you - your family and friends.

www.KathrynShirey.com

Antioch: Men's Breakfast – All Men Are Invited Saturday, August 6 at 8:00 am; (Breakfast Provided—Nothing to Bring)

Movie Night – Everyone Is Invited Saturday, August 27 at 7:00 pm; (Popcorn and Drinks Provided) Showing: I Am Gabriel.

Broadway: It seems another month has slipped away. Ron cooked tacos for our Fellowship Meal this month, and, as usual, people brought great desserts and salads. Our LifeWay adult Sunday School study in Thessalonians is moving along as well. Chapter 4 of 1 Thessalonians tells of the GLORIOUS occasion of the Rapture. Paul assures both us and the Thessalonians of the position of those who have fallen asleep in Christ and those who are still alive when Christ returns for believers! Pastor Gray finished sermons on Moses' faith which will lead into a presentation on Covenants plus a deeper look at the Rapture as a continuation from Sunday School.

Calvary: WOW! Praise God from whom all blessings flow. What a wonderful summer we have had thus far. Kookaburra Coast VBS this year was great. 70+ enrolled and 10 decisions of faith. Mission teams have been busy: 15 youth and leaders went to Rochester, Minnesota to assist with "Hands of Hope". Nine members of our Calvary family went to Belgrade, Montana to assist a sister church and last, but not least, we also did mission trip to Pilgren, Minnesota. We also sent 18 youth and children to camp in Philadelphia, Missouri. Brenda Denney Rhoades will be in concert Sunday, July 31st at 6pm. Looking forward to the fall when starts AWANA back up. What an amazing God we serve.

East Sedalia: We had 6 youth attending camp from July 18-22. A very successful Vacation Bible School was held with an average of 30 children attending. On Sunday following, The Family Fun Day was held with a meal served after the morning service and then a bounce house and games and activities were available for the children. It was well attended and enjoyed. On July 6 the kid and youth group met. On July 22 the youth had open gym night. Rev. Bob King was our interim pastor for July.

Katy Park: We hosted Vacation Bible School July 10-14. We started up a Ladies' Fellowship that meets every 3rd Tuesday of the month at 3 p.m. at our church. We ordered a new church directory and new church t-shirts.

Mt. Herman: Attendance has picked up again, with visitors attending worship services. At our Business Meeting, Deanna Nelson was installed as church pianist, and we voted to continue to give a monthly offering to different ministries in the area. On Sunday, July 24, the Sight and Sound Theatre video "Jesus" was shown, with a fellowship meal shared during the evening.

Olive Branch: Our Saturday Night Cross Connect Speakers for August are as follows:

August 6th-Greg McDowell

August 13th-Steve Caldwell -Pastor of Emmett Avenue Baptist Church

August 20th-Brad Dick-Evangelist from Springfield

August 27th-Jethro Christopherson



Harmony Baptist Association will host a Mission Fair on October 22, 2022, at East Sedalia Baptist Church. Stay Tuned for more information.