

Wilson County Baptist Association

WCBA NEWS

FEBRUARY 2022
ISSUE TWO

Dave's Lines...Thanks and Tidbits

THANK YOU to Hillcrest for hosting our Executive Board and our Associational Evangelism Rally. We were blessed at both. An incredible challenge to "not get back to normal" and "to be a follower and not just a fan." Once again the Hillcrest choir got us engaged in worship and ready to hear God's man communicate His Word for us to hear and do.

PRAY for a great harvest as the students return to CBU. God is moving in student lives; the worship team is so passionate about loving Jesus; the leadership team continues to go the "extra mile" to make an eternal impact; Darrin and Kezney provide outstanding direction to reach and disciple students. God continues to open doors for ministry on campus. And they are available to come to your church and share!

We have just finalized our children's camp for this summer. Jacob Lannom and Jesse McKay will provide strong leadership and we do camp our way which fits in building strong relationships with our children. This year we are headed to the LONGVIEW Ranch in Mosheim, Tennessee where there is plenty to do and where God speaks to young lives.

Also, Willie McLauren has marked his extremely busy calendar to preach our Old Fashioned Revival the last Sunday-Tuesday of September. The dates are September 25-27. A group of senior adult leaders will get together in the next month or so to plan the rest of the evenings.




Finally, I am looking forward to getting back to many of our churches that I have missed this year. Since March 5, 2021 I have had the opportunity to preach every Sunday but three. I have to remind myself that I am not a pastor but a retiring DOM. What a joy and privilege it is to serve together with you.

HILLCREST BAPTIST PRESENTS

ESSENTIALS

2022 BIBLE CONFERENCE

S P E A K E R S



Roc COLLINS

Kewon FOSTER

Kevin HAMM

Phil HOSKINS

Mike STONE

CT TOWNSEND

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ALL ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND THIS FREE EVENT

Hillcrest
BAPTIST CHURCH

MARCH 2-4 2022

WEDNESDAY
6:00 P.M. SERVICE

THURSDAY & FRIDAY
9 A.M. SERVICE,
LUNCH PROVIDED,
6:00 P.M. SERVICE



SPECIAL MUSIC
PROVIDED BY
Bradley Knight



RICK BURNS as the Pastor of Round Lick. Rick started officially in December.

JOURNEY CHURCH and **SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH** as the newest churches to our Association. Both churches were recommended by our Credentials Committee and approved by our Executive Board to come in under "watch care" for one year. Journey meets at the former West Hills church building. The pastor is Erik Reed. Shiloh meets at the Missions Mobilization Center. The Pastor is Chuck Workman.

DOM SEARCH TEAM

The following were recommended to serve and approved at our January Executive Board Meeting:

Jon Ferguson, **Hillcrest**;
Sue Denney, **Silver Springs**;
Terry Wrye, **Fall Creek**;
Todd Capps, **Victory**; and
Rebecca Riddle, **Round Lick**.
Rebecca Case, **Hope** is the alternate committee member.

PRAY for them as they begin seeking God's man to lead this Association to "greater things for the glory of God."

Middle TN Disaster Relief Training
February 18-19
Judson Baptist Church in Nashville

Specialized training and general certification



DAY CAMP

Hosted by
Immanuel

Directed by Jesse McKay

March 7-10

9:00 – 2:00

Cost: \$20

Games – Stories -
Worship – plenty of fun!



MARK YOUR CALENDARS Associational Children's Camp

July 25-29

Cost: \$260/participant

At Longview Ranch in Mosheim, Tennessee

Camp Director: Dave Shelley
Camp Pastor: Ben Graham
Camp Worship: Jacob Lannom

A place to worship, to play, to fish, to eat and a 400 foot water slide through the mountains of East Tennessee!

Special Needs Fellowship

Sunday, February 20

Play & Praise at
Jimmy Floyd Center

5:30 – 7:00 pm

Saturday, April 23

Bowling and Pizza
(more details later)

Day Camps...One Last Summer

Mark your calendar – we are coming to a church near you!

Monday: FRIENDS; Tuesday: RIVALS; Wednesday: Teammates; Thursday: Yucks; Friday: Leftovers

Over 175 different and unique GAMES plus a missionary and Bible story each day.
DIRECTOR: Bradly Vickers TIME: 9:00 – 2:00

COST: \$25 for entire week or \$10/day

May 31 – June 3: New Middleton Baptist Church
June 20-23: Lebanon Day Camp
July 11-14: Alexandria/Watertown at West Main in Alex.
July 18-21: Mt. Juliet at Victory
We are in the process of working out details of one more July 5-7 (3 day)

WMU NEWS

Two young ladies have been chosen to go to Europe this summer to work with IMB personnel on a mission project.
Haley Grime - Home church **Immanuel Baptist** - Attends Lee University
 Haley has requested to serve at the Black Forest Academy in Kandern, Germany.
Gracie Shaddox - Home church **Victory Baptist** - Attends Union University
 Gracie has requested to serve at the Ghent Festival in Germany.

Please be in prayer for these two young women as they seek to minister to others in the name of Jesus.

The cost of the mission trip is \$3,000.00 each. Please be in prayer as WMU and Wilson County Baptist Association work to raise funds for this great opportunity to reach out to others for Christ.

Missions Get-Together in Gatlinburg

April 1-2, 2022

For more information:

<https://www.tnbaptist.org/event/missions-get-together>

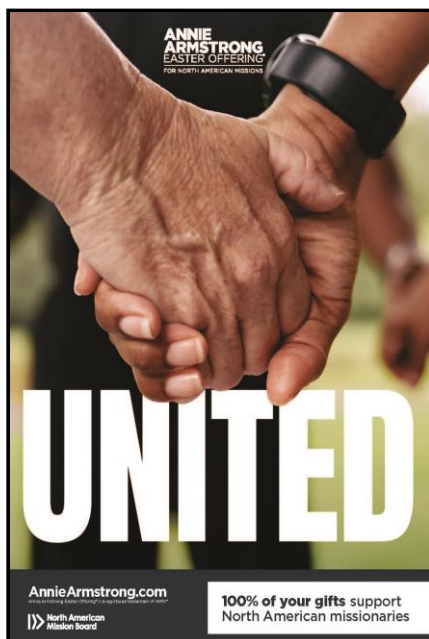


Associational Bible Drill
Fall Creek
Baptist Church
April 24, 2022

ANNIE ARMSTRONG OFFERING

The offering goal for this year is
\$70 Million

WEEK OF PRAYER
MARCH 6-13, 2022



For our Youth...Middle TN YEC

March 11-12

Doors open at 6 pm on Friday.

Conference ends Saturday around noon.

At New Vision Baptist Church in Murfreesboro.

Coming this summer YEC Summer Camps.

At Carson Springs June 20-24

At Linden Valley June 27-July 1

Coming Events at Churches

Sunday, March 6 at Hillcrest 6 pm
 Travis Humes Ordination into Gospel Ministry

Friday, April 29 - Saturday, April 30:
 Engaging Truth Conference at Journey Church

Sunday, May 1 – Fall Creek's 200th Birthday Celebration

OUR NEXT EXECUTIVE BOARD

April 21 at 11:00

At Immanuel
Jeff Pratt, Devotional



VBS TRAINING

Hillcrest Baptist Church

April 19, 2022
6:30-8:30 pm



ASSOCIATIONAL Old Fashioned Revival

September 25-27

Willie McLauren, preaching

Services start at 6 pm each evening
with plenty of special music!



**“Grant Pody, Takiah Ledo, and
Chana Crouch lead worship at
Neon New Year”**

Cumberland BCM kicked off the spring semester with a worship night called Neon New Year. Students gathered for a time of worship and to celebrate the new semester with some neon themed fun!

Spring evangelism training has also begun. This training is offered every Tuesday afternoon and is designed to teach students how to share the Gospel. The students and teachers then go out together on campus and put what they learned into action. Please be in prayer for our campus, the students that will be presenting the Gospel, and the hearts of the students that will be hearing the Gospel presented.

Tuesday night Bible study will begin February 1st. The study is titled “How Can I Know?” and challenges students with many of life's toughest and most important questions. Some of the questions are “How can I know there is a God?”, “How can I know God is good with all the suffering in the world?”, and “How can I know I’m going to Heaven when I die?” This study is designed to not only answer questions for students, but to equip them in defending their faith and sharing it with conviction.

Free lunch Tuesdays will start back up February 15th. If your church has any interest in sponsoring a lunch, please let Darrin or Kezney know. There are many exciting things ahead and we are so expectant that we will see lives be changed because of Jesus this semester.

Kezney Batey