Wilson County Baptist Association

Missional Messenger

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As I write this, the Cumberland campus is abuzz with activity. It is the first day of classes and I am standing at my window praying for all the staff, students, and families. I am praying, as I do every day, for each of our churches as well. Words can't describe how excited I am over all the things I am seeing God do across our community. It is such an exciting time to be alive and to serve Jesus. I love it! I am praying that our God will bless you in awesome ways this season and you will find yourself singing His praises and sharing His goodness wherever you go. God bless you my friends!

-Scott Brown, Director of Missions







WMU Fall Celebration

Where: Victory Baptist Church

When: Saturday,

September 6, 2025

Time: 11:30 a.m.

RSVP BY August 29. Text or call 615-337-0323 or email jbug@bellsouth.net Payment of \$10 may be made upon arrival.

DISASTER RELIEF TRAINING

Introduction to Disaster Relief, Chainsaw Operation & Safety, and Flood Recovery – Lebanon

> November 15, 2025 7:30 am - 3:00 pm

Where:

Wilson County Baptist Association Building 317 W. Spring St.

SPECIALIZED



Please pre-register by Friday,
November 7 so we can supply
you with the proper training
materials and/or lunch count on
Saturday. To pre-register,
contact the association at
wcba@wcbamissions.com
or
615-444-8820 (office) or (931)
412-3831 (cell) with your names
and classes desired.



Thursday, October 16, 2025

5:00 p.m.

Missions Mobilization Center,

Mt. Juliet

*Hosted by Shiloh Baptist Church



Where:

Mt. Olivet Baptist Church

When:

October 2, 2025

Time:

11:30 a.m.

While the Pastor's Away...Available for Pulpit Supply

Gordon Donahoe – 615-974-9559. Gordon is available for supply and interims.

Raymond Vogtner - 615-417-8309. Raymond is available for supply, interims, or to share his new ministry, "Let's Talk." A ministry designed to encourage conversations with others leading them to discover God's plan for their lives.

Jim Yates - Cell: 615-450-8866

Glyn Passman – Cell: 615- 268-2716; email: glyn_pass@icloud.com

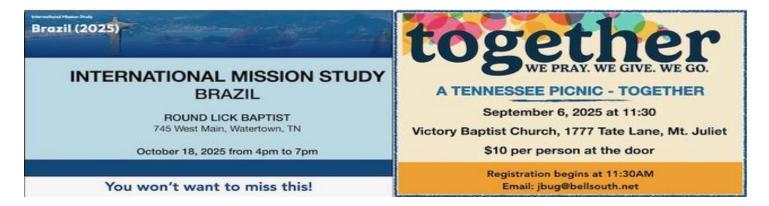
Dan Coe - 1 (629) 251-2997

Wayne Jamison - 615-944-1651

Rob Amoson $\,$ - retired pastor after 50 years available for supply, interims, and revivals 615-218-4422

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Greetings WCBA Family!

The fall semester has begun here at Cumberland and here at BCM, we are busy with outreach on campus. We are excited to continue ministering throughout the semester, eagerly awaiting the new students we will get to connect with! This month I come with a prayer request, but also a way that you, your small group, Sunday school class, or church could be involved in our ministry this semester!

Each Tuesday we provide free lunch for Cumberland students, served at our BCM house. We rely on churches, Sunday school classes, small groups, and people like you to provide the meals. Normally we offer catered or home cooked meals! By having free lunches, we are able to invite and connect with students in the BCM house, who otherwise would never come to a bible study or worship night. Each week our students have the opportunity to sit across the table from another student whom they may or may not have met before. These lunches allow us to create ongoing relationships with the students, allowing for gospel conversations as the relationship progresses! Additionally, this is a great opportunity for your church or small group to get to meet and interact with our students. Many of them are away from home and they love having the opportunity to feel at home by being welcomed into BCM by you and our students! It's a blessing to be a blessing!

These lunches are the best way for us to outreach to our campus. We regularly have between 100-175 students and last semester there were two lunches at which we hosted over 200 college students for lunch! The amount of students who come to lunch depends on a variety of factors, including: the weather (since they have to walk across the street), the meal provided, and the current testing schedules. Examples of some great and cost effective examples of home cooked meals include (but are certainly not limited to): chilis/soups, pasta, tacos, casseroles, potlucks, & burgers. If you wanted to cater a meal, some that have been great previously include Chick-Fil-A, Zaxbys, Sake, Tazikis, Demos, Painturos, & Whataburger.

I ask that you would prayerfully consider getting your small group, Sunday school class, group of friends or church to consider providing lunch for our amazing students at BCM this semester!

There is one more opportunity on campus which you can be a part of as well this month. Our second annual Faith Fest will be held on September 30th from 4pm-7pm on the Quad at Cumberland! Faith Fest is a celebration of faith on our campus. And we invite you to bring your church, set up a tent, share about your church, and serve our campus! There will be live music, inflatables, & food! This is a community & family event and this year, we would love to see more of our Wilson County Baptist Churches be a part of this awesome opportunity!

If you would like to provide lunch or join us at Faith Fest, please email me at cumberland.bcm01@gmail.com. Please keep our ministry in your prayers as we aim to make His great name known on campus!

Sincerely, Nathan Clark Director, Cumberland BCM

