



Madison Baptist Association

“Assisting churches in fulfilling their mission, and providing them opportunities for fellowship and to work together in advancing the kingdom of God”

THURSDAY,
JUNE
22,
2017

“I thank my God every time I remember you. In all my prayers for all of you, I always pray with joy because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now, being confident of this, that he who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus.”

I am so thankful for the partnership and prayers of everyone in our churches in the Madison Baptist Association! During these past two weeks, thousands of prayers have been prayed for the youth and adults that were on the Mt. Zion bus that wrecked in Atlanta. Please continue to pray for the Harmening family, the youth and adults, those still in the hospital as I am writing this article, and Mt. Zion Baptist Church. The Gospel has been shared and “lived out” in a way that the mission team of young people never expected when they left two weeks ago headed to the Atlanta airport!

This week there are 40+ students and adults roofing two houses and vinyl siding two houses in northeast Huntsville with **Rocket City Missions**. This is a partnership of two churches bringing their students, the BCM students from UAH, and local men and women from our churches helping lead the construction teams. Hillwood Baptist Church is hosting Rocket City this year and eight different churches are helping feed lunch each day to the students. This is a wonderful example of the partnership of believers working together and sharing the Gospel in Huntsville! Please pray for this mission effort!

Seventy-five adults, children, and youth from eight different churches will be going to **Williamsburg, Kentucky July 16th-20th**! Please pray for this team as they lead VBS's, block parties, Backyard Bible Clubs, repair homes, provide school supplies, and work with local churches, the Baptist Association in Williamsburg, and Cedaridge Ministries.

If you are interested in Discipleship and making disciples, you need to attend the conference, **Bold Moves, Transitioning to Disciple-Making**, on Thursday, August 17th, from 10:00am—2:00pm at Willowbrook Baptist Church. This is a conference sponsored jointly by the Alabama Baptist State Board of Missions and the Madison Baptist Association. Dr. Craigh Etheredge, author of Bold Moves will be the speaker. He is pastor of FBC Colleyville in the Dallas/Ft. Worth area. Cost is only \$15 and that includes lunch. Please call the MBA office to register.

There are many more opportunities to partner and serve together, just check our Madison Baptist Association website and Facebook.

I am thankful for you and I pray for our churches regularly! I, like Paul, and confident that he who began a good work in each of us, will carry it to completion! Let us all continue sharing the story of Jesus and how He has changed our life!

One of your associational missionaries,
Ron


Church	Dates	Time	Program	Other Info
Bethlehem Baptist Church HG	7/10 - 14	9 - Noon	Operation Arctic	Register at bbchg.org
Bethlehem Baptist Church LS	7/10 - 14	6:00 - 8:30 PM	Galactic Starveyors	
Brownsboro Baptist Church	7/17 - 21	6:15 - 8:45 PM	Galactic Starveyors	
Charity Baptist Church	7/24 - 26	6:00 - 8:30 PM	Galactic Starveyors	
Cove Baptist Church	6/26 - 30	5:30 - 8:00 PM	Galactic Starveyors	7/1 - Family Night
Harmony Baptist Church	6/26 - 30	6:00 - 8:30 PM	Maker Fun Factory	Kickoff from 4:00 - 6:00 PM, 6/24
Hayes Chapel Baptist Church	7/10 - 14	6:00 - 8:00 PM		
FBC Meridianville	6/26 - 30	9:00 - 12:30 PM	Galactic Starveyors	
Monte Sano Baptist Church	6/22—24	6:00 - 8:00 PM	Galactic Starveyors	
Murphy Hill Baptist Church	6/25 - 29	6:00 - 8:00 PM	Maker Fun Factory	Dinner served at 5:30 PM
Owens Cross Roads Baptist Ch	7/22	10:00 AM - 2:00 PM	Galactic Starveyors	
Pleasant Springs Baptist Ch	7/14, 5:30-8:30 PM; 7/15, 8:30-11:30 AM; 7/16, 6:00-8:00 PM			Campout (S'more Jesus)
Shipp's Baptist Church	6/26 - 30	6:00 - 8:00 PM	Galactic Starveyors	
Union Grove Baptist Church	7/10 - 14	6:30 - 8:30 PM	Little Me, Big God	
Wears Chapel Baptist Church	7/10 - 14	6:00 - 8:30 PM	Galactic Starveyors	
Westlawn Baptist Church	7/16 - 20	6:00 - 8:00 PM	Galactic Starveyors	7/21 - Family Night
West Mastin Lake Baptist Ch	7/24 - 27		Galactic Starveyors	
Whitesburg Pulaski Campus	7/17 - 21	9:00 - Noon	Galactic Starveyors	
Winchester Road Baptist	7/10 - 14	8:30 - Noon	Maker Fun Factory	

Minister's Conference
Thursday, July 13, 10:30 a.m.
The guest speaker will be
Dr. Charles Freeman, Pastor of
Hillwood Baptist Church.

Fellowship and lunch will take
place after the conference. Lunch
will be provided for \$5 per person.

We hope to see you there!

Craig Etheredge Presents Bold Moves:
Transitioning to Disciple-Making



Craig Etheredge is a gifted communicator, author, and Bible teacher and the Lead Pastor at First Baptist Colleyville in the Dallas/Fort Worth area. Craig is Founder and President of discipleFIRST ministries, and he recently authored the book *Bold Moves: Lead the Church to Live Like Jesus*.

Thursday, August 17th
10:00 A.M. to 2:00 P.M

Location: Willowbrook Baptist Church

Cost: \$15 (covers lunch)

Contact Ron Lynch at MBA to Register

Office Number: 256-536-0015 E-mail: rlynch@madisonassociation.org

- July 4 Independence Day (MBA Closed)
- July 6 No issue of *The Alabama Baptist*
- July 13 Minister's Conference (MBA, 10:30 AM)
- July 16-20 Appalachian Mission Trip
- July 18 Church Financial Issues (Mount Zion)
- Aug 4-5 The Summit: For Church Leaders (Shocco Springs)
- Aug 10 Minister's Conference (MBA, 10:30 AM)
- Aug 12 Equipping WMU Leader Conference (University, 9:00 AM)
- Aug 17 Bold Moves Discipleship Conference (Willowbrook, 10:00 AM)
- Aug 21 MBA Executive Board Mtg. (MBA, 10:00 AM)
- Aug 26 SS & Discipleship Leader Training (Lindsay Lane, Athens)

Mission Opportunities for 2017
Williamsburg, Kentucky Mission Trip
July 16 — 20, 2017



Mark your calendars now —
more information is available at the MBA!

We welcome Mrs. Kelly Arant, M.ED, NCC, ALC Christian Counselor, Pathways Professional Counseling, ABCH to the Madison Baptist Association



Office Hours for Counselor:
Thursday, 8:30 AM - 3:30 PM
To make an appointment call 256.536.0015.

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THE MADISON BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
WILL BE CLOSED ON
TUESDAY, JULY 4TH,
IN OBSERVATION OF
INDEPENDENCE DAY.
HAVE A SAFE AND ENJOYABLE HOLIDAY!