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Our Churches: Arlington FBC Bear Creek Bethel Bethel Hispanic Boonville Bread of Life Charity Courtney Deep Creek East Bend Enon Flat Rock Forbush Friendship Huntsville Jonesville FBC Maplewood Mountain View Richmond Hill Rock Spring Sandy Springs Shady Grove South Oak Ridge Swaims Triple Cross Union Grove West Yadkin Yadkinville FBC Zion

Summer Greetings!!!!

Well, for all of you who have been waiting for warmer weather, it has arrived!!! My ideal temperature range is between 70\* to 80\*, Above 85\*, it is starting to be too hot for me!!!

As we celebrate our Country's Independence, may we be reminded that we have freedom in Christ also. Christ represents our sins being forgiven and the freedom we have through Him!

Vacation Bible Schools are going on throughout our Association! I enjoy seeing all of the pictures of the children, youth and Adult learning more about our Lord! Don't forget to send in the Report once your VBS is over, regardless of which curriculum you use.

Several of our Churches are going on local, in State and International Mission trips this summer. I pray for safety as they travel and that many will come to know Christ as their Lord and Savior because of their efforts.

Continue to pray for the three Churches that are searching for a Pastor: Bread of Life, Deep Creek and Forbush.

A Big Thank You to the folks and Churches that are helping to keep the Senior Food Box ministry going.

A Big Thank You to Richard and Diana Odom for taking over this ministry back in October after my fall.

Recently, some of our College friends mentioned about having a Class/Friends reunion. When I added up how long it had been since we graduated.....it was 40 years ago!!!!! HOW can it be 40 years ago when I just celebrated my 39th Birthday!!!!

As an update on our health, I am still taking Physical Therapy for my knee. The x-ray showed that there was still some cartilage damage. I am having "dry needling and estem" done on my knee twice a week. (It's like acupuncture and jumper cables added together!!!) Marcia is going to PT for her shoulder and foot, and Emily just got released from the Surgeon after her back surgery. Thank you for your prayers and concern as we recover.

I pray that you will have safe travels this summer as you visit with family and friends. Stay cool and hydrated!!!

Thank you for your partnership! Dennis

# YBA ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- 1) Pray for Churches Without Pastors: BREAD OF LIFE, DEEPCREEK, and FORBUSH.
- 2) **Mountain View Baptist Church** be hosting a Children's Camp from June 30th—July 2nd at Carraway. Please contact Michelle Gilbert at 336-468-8199 for more information.
- 3) NC Baptist Minister's Wives Retreat is on July 7th-9th at the Carraway Conference Center in Asheboro, NC. Come be a part of the fellowship, bible study, worship, and rest. Details are on the YBA website.
- 4) **Courtney Baptist Church** will be working with the Seeds of Hope Camp at Forbush Middle School July 7<sup>th</sup> 11<sup>th</sup>. Please contact Linda Marlow for more information at 336-463-2681.
- 5) **Bethel Baptist Church** group will serve at Truett Conference Center and Camp in Hayesville, NC on July 7-9 by preparing meals for the campers. A group of children from Bethel will attend this camp at the same time.
- 6) Courtney Baptist Church Youth will be camping at Lake Hampton July  $10^{th} 12^{th}$ .
- 7) **Forbush Baptist Church** is having "Christmas in July Yard/Craft Sale" on July 18th-19th beginning at 8am. A silent Auction will also be held at the same time.
- 8) Courtney Baptist Church will be hosting Vacation Bible School from July 20<sup>th</sup> 24<sup>th</sup>. All children are welcome. Contact the church for more details.
- 9) Courtney Baptist Church will continue their Summer Food Box program through August. Please contact a member of Courtney Baptist to arrange for a food box.
- **10) Courtney Baptist Church's** younger children will be going to Look Up Lodge Kids Camp from August 1st-3rd in Traveler's Rest, SC. For more information, please contact Linda Marlow.
- 11) **Mountain View Baptist Church** will be hosting a Youth Camp from August 3rd—7th at South Mountain. Please contact Michelle Gilbert for more information.
- 12) **Bethel Baptist Church** is selling tickets for pork BBQ plates. The plates are \$10 each, and proceeds will go to children's missions in Guatemala. The plates can be picked up from 4:00-6:00 pm on Saturday, August 9 at a drive-thru at Bethel Baptist Church. Please contact Mike Ely at 336-469-0829 for information.
- 13) **Mountain View Baptist Church** will be hosting a Prayer Walk at the schools on August 10th starting at 6pm. Everyone is invited to attend. Please contact Michelle Gilbert for more information.
- 14) **Christian Round Up** presents Ryan Stevenson in concert on August 16th, at Mount Pleasant Baptist Church located at 1432 US Hwy 21, State Road, NC 28676. Admission is free and doors open at 5pm. A love offering will be taken.
- **15) Courtney Baptist Church** will be going to Western NC for a working Mission Trip on August 18th 23rd. We pray their mission trip is fruitful and helps aid those in need.

# YBA ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- **16) NAMB Evangelism Kit Training** at First Baptist Church Summerfield will be held on August 26th from 10:30am to 1:30pm. Get ready to ignite your passion and transform your community with the power of the Gospel! The training is free and lunch is provided. For more details and to register, go to our website or to NAMB's website.
- **17) Mountain View Baptist Church** is sponsoring a Blood Drive from 1-5pm on August 24th at their church. Please support this very important cause. Please contact Michelle Gilbert for more information.
- 18) **Charity Baptist Church's Care (clothing) Closet** will be open on the third Saturday of each month from 9am to 12pm.
- 19) **WMU SAVE THE DATE:** The WMU Annual Fall Prayer Retreat will be held at Courtney Baptist Church on November 1st, 2025 at 10am. Our guest speaker is Amy Boone, Executive Director of WMU NC.
- 20) **Baptists on Mission:** The NC Missions Offering is the primary funding mechanism for all that we do at Baptists on Mission. Please encourage your church to support the offering so we can continue Glorifying God by involving churches and Christians in meeting human needs in Jesus' name. The goal for this year's NCMO is \$2.6 million. The offering is typically taken up in September each year but you can contribute anytime. Encourage your church to make it part of their yearly budget.



Church Anniversary
James Williams 2018
Chris Alford 2021





Samaritan's Purse is responding to the ongoing needs as a result of Hurricane Helene by entering into three rebuild projects serving hurting homeowners in western North Carolina. We are hiring! Would you be willing to share this news with your churches? While these positions may not be a fit for persons in your community, they may know someone who would benefit from hearing about them. Please contact Cindy Kruger, M.Ed., M.Div., Human Resources Recruiter at M: 470-585-6711/ckruger@samaritan.org and Samaritan's Purse website https://www.samaritanspurse.org/ for more details. Also see the complete details posted on our YBA website under Job Openings tab.

**Enon Baptist Church** is prayerfully seeking a Full Time Youth Pastor. The Candidate must provide a clear testimony of conversion, calling to youth ministry, and must endorse Baptist Faith and Message 2000. For more information regarding qualifications and how to apply, please visit our website at enonbaptist.org.

**Union Grove Baptist Church** is looking for a part-time Worship Music Leader capable of leading the congregation in worship; directing the Praise Team; giving leadership to the musicians; directing the choir; conducting rehearsals for the praise team and choir. As well as, planning music for special services (Christmas, Easter and Revivals) and ability to develop and oversee the music budget. If interested, please contact Union Grove Baptist Church for more information by phone: (336) 361-5792 or email your resume to Union Grove Baptist Church at ugbcministry@gmail.com.

**ROCK SPRING BAPTIST CHURCH, HARMONY, NC** is looking for a pianist for our Sunday Service. Pay is negotiable. If interested, please contact Brenda Chandler (252) 497-1328 or Earnest Galliher (704) 546-7223 to further pursue this opportunity.

#### NOTE:

**Job posting information** can be emailed to the YBA office at yadkinbaptist@yadtel.net to be included in our Monthly newsletter. Additional job postings can be found on our website at yadkinbaptistassociation.org.

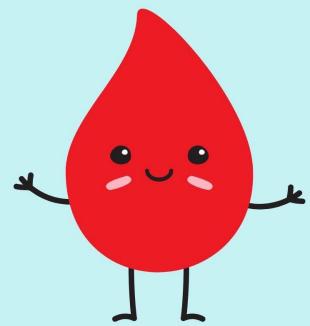
# FINANCIAL REPORT FOR YADKIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION CONTRIBUTIONS FROM THE CHURCHES

## May and Year to Date Ending December 31, 2025

	<u>May</u>	<u>YTD</u>		<u>May</u>	YTD
ARLINGTON	\$190.69	\$1,200.32	JONESVILLE		\$100.00
BEAR CREEK	\$2,400.00	\$3,600.00	MAPLEWOOD	\$350.00	\$1,750.00
BETHEL	\$200.00	\$1,000.00	MOUNTAIN VIEW	\$200.00	\$1,000.00
BOONVILLE		\$1,875.00	RICHMOND HILL	\$1,157.81	\$6,114.36
BREAD OF LIFE		\$0.00	ROCK SPRING	\$347.00	\$1,512.00
CHARITY	\$463.00	\$3,032.00	SANDY SPRINGS		\$1,200.00
COURTNEY		\$1,500.00	SHADY GROVE	\$1,350.00	\$2,700.00
DEEP CREEK		\$1,000.00	SOUTH OAK RIDGE		\$3,600.00
EAST BEND	\$134.00	\$335.00	SWAIMS		\$600.00
ENON		\$3,000.00	TRIPLE CROSS		\$0.00
FLAT ROCK	\$175.00	\$875.00	UNION GROVE		\$2,500.00
FORBUSH	\$121.49	\$1,108.90	WEST YADKIN		\$0.00
FRIENDSHIP	\$125.00	\$625.00	FBC YADKINVILLE	\$100.00	\$800.00
HSPNC CHURCH		\$1,130.21	ZION	\$125.00	\$500.00
HUNTSVILLE		\$1,050.00	TOTAL	\$7,438.99	\$43,707.79
			Other Revenue	\$308.65	\$3,549.80
2024 Budget (Church Contributions) - \$109,584			Total Revenue	\$7,747.64	\$47,257.59
Projected Contributions needed per month - \$9 132					

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# July 7th, 2-6 pm

**Boonville Baptist Church Family Life Center** 

Make an appointment at RedCrossBlood.org, Sponsor Code: Boonville Baptist

or

E-Mail Reid at circulatelove27011@gmail.com



Forbush Baptist Church

# Yard /Craft Sale Christmas in July

for Mission Projects

Crafts, Decorations, Antiques, Wreaths, Floral, Jewelry, Furniture, Plants, Baked Goods, Hot Dogs



July 18 & 19, 2025 8am to 2 pm



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Silent Auction Items:



- Antique Duncan Phyfe style, Cherry 3-tier table Mfg. Bassick-Sack Furniture, Winston-Salem. Est Value \$350
- Kaplan Carolina Kitchen play set. Solid Maple Est. Value \$1200
- Vintage Wash Stand with Ceramic Pitcher and Bowl. Est. Value \$295
- Two Longaberger Baskets with liner & protector. Est. Value \$75

Forbush Baptist Church 3911 Old U.S. 421 Hwy E, Yadkinville, N.C. 27055 Silent Auction ends 7/19/25 at 2pm.

# **CHRISTIAN ROUND-UP**

**Presents** 

Recording Artist – RYAN STEVENSON in CONCERT AUGUST 16<sup>th</sup>, 2025



**Speaker - NEAL HATFIELD** 



# **MOUNT PLEASANT BAPTIST CHURCH**

1432 US Hwy 21, State Road, NC 28676

Admission is FREE - General Seating - Doors Open at 5:00

Love Offering will be Taken

## Maplewood Baptist Church Angels Among Us Women's Conference

October 18, 2025 9:00am - 3:00pm

Call MBC Church office-679-3555 to reserve your tickets today. Tickets \$35

## Special Guest Speakers Include:



#### **Kristie Graham**

Kristie was born in Sumter, S.C. before moving to Yadkinville. Kristie and her husband David have been married for 27 years and are blessed with two wonderful sons, Parker and Dawson.

Kristie retired from the Yadkin County Clerk of Court Office after 31 years.

Kristie and her family are members of Maplewood Baptist Church in Yadkinville, NC.



### Karen Fishel

Author of "Say, I Won't." Never did I consider publishing a book until God gave me and my family the story line. I'm a mom of 3 from North Carolina. I am a Human Resources professional by day and a farm wife by night. Our family operates a beef cattle operation when we aren't performing our public work. My husband and I met in undergraduate school at NC State University in 1987 and have been together ever since. We have 3 amazing "kids" who are wonderful adults that I am so proud of. Two precious granddaughters Abigail and Ellie and a Facebook favorite dog, Loretta.



### **Kelly Master**

Kelly Master is an exceptional speaker who captivates the audience with her unmatched passion, unrivaled joy and bold, fearless stories. She is a powerhouse who inspires listeners to lift their vision higher and discover their passion, purpose and potential. She is an ordained minister, author, and catalyst that ignites the flame of faith in others.

Kelly has authored two books, "Shine-Uplifting words for Girls in Stilettos and Fierce & Free.

Kelly is founder and executive Director of For Dignity, a nonprofit organization that provides resources and workshops in prisons, jails, recovery homes and strip clubs.