

# BANNER



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Member Churches:

- \*Antioch
- Asheboro FBC
- Balfour
- Beulah
- Cedar Falls
- Cedar Grove
- Center Cross
- Central Falls
- \*Cross Road
- Deep River
- \*El-Shaddai
- Firelight  
at Greystone
- Forest Park
- Franklinville FBC
- Glenola
- Gravel Hill
- Highland (Mission)
- Huldah
- \*Liberty FBC
- Macedonia
- Maple Springs
- Mt. Pleasant
- Oakhurst
- Oakwood Park
- \*Panther Creek
- Ramseur FBC
- Randleman FBC
- Richland
- Riverside
- Russell's Grove
- Sandy Creek
- Seagrove FBC
- Shady Grove
- Sophia
- Staley
- Triad Cowboy Ch.
- Union Grove
- Unity Baptist  
Fellowship
- \*Victory
- West Asheboro
- Westfield
- White's Memorial
- Worthville

## WELCOME SPRING !



RBA Women on Mission will be collecting ***Shampoo*** for the months of March and April to benefit the Family Crisis Center in Asheboro. **Collection dates will be Monday-Wednesday, April 19-21 at RBA office.** Please call 336-625-4175 before bringing supplies.



Please note the following changes to the ***Spring Night of Encouragement.***

**Date:** Monday, April 26, 6:30 pm start time

**Location:** Gravel Hill Baptist Church

6737 Gravel Hill Rd, Denton, NC 27239

*\*Pray for our churches without pastors. Pray for their interims and search committees.*

## PASTOR JEFF JOYCE

"Foreigner" is the term resonating with me this afternoon as I sit here preparing this article. You see I have been reading a chapter a day out of the New Testament with my dlife group, and this week we find ourselves in I Peter. Throughout his first letter Peter reminds us we are "strangers" and "pilgrims", or "foreigners and temporary residents" as one translation puts it, and in so doing gives us instructions on how we are to live in such an environment. An environment that is full of trials, in which we are to remain strong and endure with patience, for the wonderful joy that awaits us.

Peter admonishes us with several things we *must* do. First, we *must* live as God's obedient children. We cannot allow ourselves to slip back into our past sinful lifestyles. We did not know any better then, but now we have tasted the goodness of Lord. Second, we *must* be holy in everything. The one who chose us is holy and his expectations of us is nothing less than holiness, and besides, that is what we should seek to offer one so worthy. Next, we *must* live in reverent fear of Him who gave all for us. Our purchase price was the blood of His only son, and with that our heavenly father redeemed us from the empty lives we had inherited, exchanging them for the wonderful inheritance we enjoy. Also, we *must* show sincere love to one another as family. The challenge we are given is to love one another with a deep, passionate love from a pure heart. Finally, we *must* crave the pure spiritual milk of God's word., desiring it as a baby does the nourishment that comes with feeding.

Listen, Peter declares these things are what we *must* have, not for salvation, but for a life of sincere service, joy, and blessing. Remember we are the chosen, the very possession of the Lord, and as we live out these *must* in our lives, we show other people in our world how truly good our God is.

So, I am a "foreigner" in this world. I live differently than the majority of those around me. But am I living in such a way that my lifestyle shines a bright light on the goodness of the one who loves me more than anything? May the Lord truly bless your wanderings until we reach home.

In Christ your humble servant,  
Jeff

## BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

### MARCH

1	Janet & Michael Smith	Min of Children/Preschool Asb FBC
2	Stacy Brock	Pastor's Wife, Sandy Creek
2	Justin Curry	Youth Pastor, Cross Road
5	Matt Barbour	Church Administrator, Beulah
23	Jim Petty	Pastor, Seagrove FBC
30	Gwen Rotan	Wife of Deceased DOM
31	Cindy Craven	Min of Music, Ramseur FBC

### CHURCH ANNIVERSARIES

Bill Barnes	52 years	Sophia
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Correction: The Pastor of White's Memorial was incorrectly identified as Rick Miller (Center Cross) and should have been Alan Ritter.



DAYLIGHT SAVINGS STARTS

SUNDAY, MARCH 14, 2AM.

### Food Round-up is coming next month for Baptist Children's' Home.

Here is a link to the supply list. Collection will be at the end of April. More info in next month's Banner Newsletter.  
Gift cards would be extremely helpful this year.

[https://www.bchfamily.org/img/pages/Needs\\_List\\_-\\_Food\\_Roundup\\_2021.pdf](https://www.bchfamily.org/img/pages/Needs_List_-_Food_Roundup_2021.pdf)

RA Race in Salisbury has been cancelled due to safety issues. It will be rescheduled for April 2022.

### 2021 Awaken Prayer Gatherings

The **2021 Awaken Prayer Gathering** will be one event, two different dates and locations: **March 13** from 9:30 am-3:30 pm at **Coats Baptist Church** (554 N. McKinley St. Coats, NC 27521) and **October 16** at **The Warehouse, Greater Gaston Baptist Association** (1607 Rankin Lake Road, Gastonia NC 28052), also from 9:30 am-3:30 pm. **These Awaken Prayer Gatherings** include seasons of focused prayer, preaching of God's Word, worship and special prayer testimonies. Participants will be challenged by keynote speakers Don Wilton and Willie McLaurin to return to their churches with a renewed passion to seek God for the next great revival and spiritual awakening. **To register or for more info** please visit [www.ncbaptist.org/awaken](http://www.ncbaptist.org/awaken). **Livestream and in-person options** are being offered to participants.

# News from around RBA and Upcoming Events

## **Baptist on Mission: Construction Skills Training**

*Men, Women, and Students  
can learn to:*

- Hang/Finish Drywall
- Install Flooring
- Wheelchair ramps  
*and more!*

**Charity Rebuild Center      March 13**  
**Red Springs Mission Camp      March 27**  
**Shelby Mission Camp      April 24**

**9:00 am – 3:00 pm**

Cost:

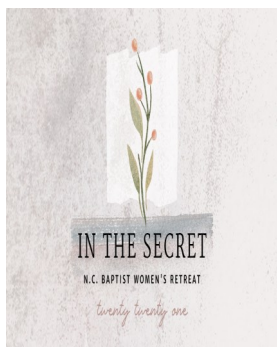
- Training Only: \$10.00
- Training with Overnight Housing (Friday-Saturday): \$21.00

Register Online at:

<http://baptistsonmission.org/skills-training>

**WEEK OF PRAYER FOR  
NORTH AMERICAN MISSIONS  
MARCH 7-14, 2021**

**MARCH 27, 2021  
9 A.M. TO NOON  
ONLINE**



The 2021 N.C. Baptist Women's Retreat, "In the Secret," will encourage and challenge you to cultivate your relationship with the Lord through study of His Word, time in prayer, and fellowship and encouragement with other women who are also seeking to know Him more. Join us for worship, teaching and fellowship! Registration is open and participants who purchase a ticket will have access to the materials for 90-days following the event.

### **Registration**

Registration is open. Tickets are \$15 plus applicable fees. Ticket sales close at 8:55 a.m. on March 27.

<https://ncbaptist.org/event-2021-womens-retreat-in-the-secret/>



## **RANDOLPH BAPTIST ON MISSION**

**August 11-15, 2021**

**Join us as we serve the Lord with Pastor Perry Brown and Big Spring Missionary Baptist Church to help reach their community for Christ**

Activities will include the following:



Building/ Repair

Door to door evangelism

Food handouts

Backyard Bible Club/VBS

Costs is **\$200** and includes lodging, meals and transportation (limited scholarships available)

To be part of the team contact

Pastor Tim Steen at (336) 596-1704

**No MATTER  
how  
long  
the winter,  
SPRING  
is  
sure  
to  
FOLLOW.**



Teen Xtreme has been canceled for 2021 due to the ongoing virus threat. There will be scheduled Youth events later in the year. When these details become available, we will post them in the newsletter.

Next newsletter will be printed on March 19. The deadline for submitting material is **noon on March 15.**

**RANDOLPH BAPTIST ASSOCIATION**

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 Return Service Requested



<b>RBA Church Receipts 2021</b>	<b>January</b>	<b>YTD</b>
Antioch		
Asheboro 1st		
Balfour	3,033.42	3,033.42
Beulah	1,000.00	1,000.00
Cedar Falls	75.00	75.00
Cedar Grove		
Center Cross		
Central Falls	161.20	161.20
Cross Road	750.00	750.00
Deep River	108.33	108.33
El Shaddai		
Firelight at Greystone	170.10	170.10
Forest Park		
Franklinville 1st		
Glenola	548.00	548.00
Gravel Hill		
Highland Christian Church	260.00	260.00
Huldah		
Liberty 1st		
Macedonia	120.00	120.00
Maple Springs		
Mt. Pleasant	400.00	400.00
Oakhurst		
Oakwood Park		
Panther Creek		
Ramseur 1st	204.06	204.06
Randleman 1st		
Richland		
Riverside		
Russell's Grove	335.00	335.00
Sandy Creek		
Seagrove 1st	733.00	733.00
Shady Grove		
Sophia	100.00	100.00
Staley	173.96	173.96
Triad Cowboy Church	200.00	200.00
Union Grove	658.83	658.83
Unity Baptist Fellowship	125.00	125.00
Victory		
West Asheboro		
Westfield		
White's Memorial	300.00	300.00
Worthville	100.00	100.00
Other Undesignated	437.03	437.03
<b>Total Undesignated</b>	<b>9,992.93</b>	<b>9,992.93</b>

<b>Designated Funds:</b>	<b>January</b>	<b>Balance</b>
Building Fund		
Balance Forward:	93.65	93.65
Disaster Relief Trlr		
Balance Forward:	1,194.83	1,194.83
Highland Montagnard Mission	125.00	
Pd to Highland Mission	(125.00)	
MAP Fund		
Balance Forward:	8,992.53	8,992.53
Area-Wide Crusade		
Bal Forward:	2,082.90	2,082.90
Ministry Trailer		
Bal Forward:	1,766.74	1,766.74
Other Designated		
Hunger Fund 2021		
Bal Forward:	0	
Pastor Training 10/20 NCBF Grant 1,500		1,500.00
Bal forward:		
Pd for other designated		
<b>Total Designated Funds:</b>		<b>15,630.65</b>
<b>Total Receipts</b>	<b>10,119.50</b>	<b>10,119.50</b>
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>11,982.25</b>	<b>11,982.25</b>
2021 Budget: Needed:	12,993.81	12,993.81
2021 Budget: Received:	9,992.93	9,992.93
Over or Under Budget:	(3,000.88)	(3,000.88)
Bal in Primary Acct	12,130.83	
Money Rsvd for Other funds	15,630.65	
Bal in Payroll Acct	23,323.99	
Interest Earned Money Mkt.	1.57	1.57
Bal in Money Mkt Act	36,987.89	
Bal Available for Use	33,488.07	

A complete financial statement is available upon request.



# Updated Food/Supply Needs List

**MOST NEEDED: (in bold)**

- **Paper Products (paper towels, toilet paper, Kleenex, napkins)**
- **Hand Sanitizer**
- **Clorox wipes**
- **Household cleaning products (i.e. bleach, Comet, Lysol spray and wipes, Clorox spray, Windex, Pinesol, Pledge, Tilex, etc.)**
- **Canned Fruits**
- **Fruit Juice (Apple, Orange, Grape, Cranberry)**
- **Laundry Detergent**
- **Bottled Water**
- **Dry Cereal**
- **Baked Beans**
- **Spaghetti Sauce**
- **Pasta (Spaghetti, Lasagna, Macaroni)**
- **Canned Tomatoes (diced, sauce, paste)**
- **Pancake Mix and Syrup**
- **Soups (All types & condensed)**
- **Sugar (Granulated & Brown)**
- **Flour**
- **Stevia and Splenda**
- **Popcorn, Kettle Corn**
- **Apple Sauce**
- **Fruit Pie Filling (Cherry, Peach)**
- **Beverage Mixes (Tea, Tang, Kool-Aid, Lemonade, Cider Mix - All Sugar Free)**
- **Vegetable Oil, Shortening, Olive Oil, Pam Cooking Spray, Bakers Choice**
- **Canned Sweet Potatoes, Canned Yams, Canned pumpkin**
- **Canned Meats (pink salmon, tuna, roast beef, chicken - packed in water)**

- **Stuffing Mix**
- **Gravy Mixes**
- **Hamburger, Chicken, Tuna Helper (all types)**
- **Pickles (Sweet & Dill)**
- **Refried Beans**
- **Hot Chocolate Mix**
- **Snack Foods with & without sugar (Fruit Rollups, Fruit Cups, Beef Jerky, Slim Jims, Pepperoni Sticks, Cheese Nips, Pretzels, etc.)**
- **Health Snacks (Dried Fruit, Nuts, Raisins, Cranraisins, Trail Mix)**
- **Individual Cookie Packs**
- **Jello**
- **PopTarts**
- **Rice**
- **Instant Potatoes (scalloped, au gratin, mashed, julienne)**
- **Muffin Mixes**
- **Bisquick Mix**
- **Kidney Beans**
- **Pickle Relish**
- **Cranberry Sauce**
- **Mac & Cheese**
- **Corn Meal**
- **Jiffy Mixes, Corn Muffin Mix**
- **Potatoes**
- **Hush Puppy Mix**
- **Peanut Butter**
- **Jelly, Jams, Preserves (Strawberry is their favorite)**
- **Pizza & Pizza Dough Mix**
- **Saltine Crackers, Ritz Crackers, Graham Crackers, Nabs**
- **Sauces (A-1, Steak, BBQ, Texas Pete, Cheese, Worcestershire, Soy, Teriyaki Sauce, Sweet and Sour)**

- **Spices and Seasonings (including Salt & Pepper)**
- **Dishwashing detergents**
- **Laundry pre-treating products (i.e. Shout, Spray and Wash)**
- **HE Laundry Detergent**
- **Brooms, Mops, Scrub Brushes, Dust Pans**
- **Foil and Plastic Wrap**
- **SOS Pads**
- **Fabric Softener (Dryer Sheets)**
- **Sanitary Pads & Tampons**
- **Hand Lotion**
- **Shampoo**
- **Body Wash**
- **Soap**

**OTHER NEEDED ITEMS:**

- **Brownie, Cookie, Cake Mixes & Icing**
- **Canned Vegetables (no corn (or green beans**
- **Individual Chef Boyardee cups**
- **Clif nutritional bars**
- **Hot Dog Chili**
- **Coffee (Regular & Decaf)**
- **Coffee Creamer**
- **Sweetened Condensed Milk**
- **Evaporated Milk**
- **Dehydrated Food (powdered milk & eggs, dehydrated meals)**
- **Flavorings (Vanilla, etc.)**
- **French Fried Onions**
- **Honey**
- **Ketchup**
- **Mustard**
- **Oatmeal**
- **Parmesan Cheese**
- **Puddings, Pudding Cups**
- **Salsa**
- **Vinegar**
- **Paper Products (Cups, Plates, Bowls, Plastic Ware, Dixie Cups)**

- **Copy/Printer Paper**
- **Trash Bags (large & small)**
- **Zip-Loc bags (Sandwich, Snack, Quart & Gallon Sizes)**
- **Band Aids**
- **Rubbing Alcohol/Peroxide**
- **Anti-bacterial ointment**
- **Razors**
- **Shaving Cream/Shaving Gel**
- **Dental Floss**
- **Hair brushes**
- **Deodorant**
- **Conditioner**
- **Tooth Paste**
- **Tooth Brushes**
- **Diapers (all sizes)**
- **Baby Wipes**
- **Bug Repellent**
- **Wasp/Hornet Spray**
- **Sunblock 30+**
- **Batteries (AA , AAA and D)**
- **Disposable Gloves (Non-Latex ONLY)**
- **Heavy Duty Soap (Fast Orange)**

**Gift Cards are appreciated for buying perishables and items not received. (i.e. Wal-Mart, Sams Clubs, Food Lion, Lowes, Ingles, Piggly Wiggly).**

**We can use all size cans. Some locations prefer #10 cans (family size).**

**IMPORTANT: Please check for expired dates on food – we cannot accept expired items.**

**Please help our volunteer truck drivers by packing your church's donations in small, sturdy boxes.**

**Pack like items together. Please do not pack chemicals with food.**

**Questions?**

Contact Alan Williams at 1-800-476-3669 ext. 1277 or [awilliams@bchfamily.org](mailto:awilliams@bchfamily.org)

[www.bchfoodroundup.org](http://www.bchfoodroundup.org)