

Be Transformed

SBA LIVE

April 2021

Joining God on Mission Together.



He is *Risen*
Hallelujah!

It had been an amazing time. Jesus raised Lazarus from the dead, closed out his public ministry, and Mary had anointed Jesus' head and feet with an expensive perfume. This was Passover week, and Jesus had been ushered into Jerusalem with the entire city celebrating his arrival as "King of Israel."

I wonder what the disciples were thinking. Were they dreaming about the possibilities of new, influential roles and responsibilities? Did James and John revert to who was going to be at Jesus' right hand? Was Judas Iscariot seeing bigger dollar signs?

Things were moving so fast it would certainly make any disciple's head swim.

And then there was this, some Greeks had come to Jerusalem for the Passover, found Philip, and asked to "meet with Jesus (John 12. 20 – 22)." It was not until Philip and Andrew went to ask Jesus about it that Jesus announced that "the time had come for the Son of Man to enter into his glory."

Raising Lazarus and pushing back death, Mary's anointing at Simon's house, the triumphal entry all became side notes when the Gentiles asked to meet Jesus. At the end of the day, none of our ministry projects and mission strategies really matter if we are not bringing others to meet Jesus.

Our goal is not to revitalize churches, create new mission partnerships, serve schools, and engage in gospel racial reconciliation. Our goal is to introduce others to Jesus... to bring them to him. As we go forward with these gospel initiatives, I pray that we will not forget what is most important, and that we will keep our eyes on the goal set before us.

Grace and peace,
Andy

Pictures from our March 9, 2021 Global Partnership Strategies



Thank you to the sweet folks at Westside Baptist for hosting.

GriefShare, a special support group for people experiencing grief and loss, will be held on Monday evenings from 6:00 - 8:00 pm at First Baptist Church Live Oak ~401 W. Howard Street.

Meetings begin on Monday, March 8, 2021. This ministry will require an 11-week commitment. Please call Myra @ 386-362-9377 if you would like to attend. We understand that grief recovery can be a painful process. It may be difficult to attend the first meeting but be assured that others will share those same feelings. We look forward to having you join this support group. Please feel free to share this opportunity with a friend or family member who may be encouraged through this ministry.

FLORIDA BAPTIST MOBILE DENTAL MISSION

SEPTEMBER 6-17, 2021
@ WELLBORN BAPTIST CHURCH



MISSION NEEDS:

TEAM LEADERS: LOGISTICS/SECURITY, NURSE, ADMINISTRATIVE,
MEALS, GIFT BASKET, SANITIZER

MISSION ALSO NEEDS:

VOLUNTEERS TO HELP THE ABOVE TEAM LEADERS AS WELL AS HELP TO GATHER
VOLUNTEER NAMES. YOU MAY LEAVE MESSAGE OR TEXT ON MY PRIVATE PHONE
321-505-2562.

OR EMAIL MGOSORIOG@AOL.COM.

FUTURE MEETING, _____

4146 LOW LAKE RD
WELLBORN, FL

**May 11, 2021 - 6:30
(Gospel Initiatives)**

O'Brien Baptist
9544 CR 349
O'Brien, FL



Guest Speaker: Mike Palmer
(Utah/Idaho SBC-Salmon
Valley Baptist Church Pastor)

Mission:
Idaho Partnerships/
Revitalization

**Sept. 14, 2021 - 6:30
(Budget Discussion)**

SBA offices
1747 Walker Ave. SW
Live Oak, FL

**2021 Annual Celebration
October 10, 2021
Hosted by:
Mt. Olive Baptist Church
5317 98th Terr
Live Oak, FL 32060
Guest Speaker: Tommy Green**

2021 Mission Opportunities

Idaho: Salmon Valley Baptist Church- participate in biblically based mission projects that your church could in your community - youth mission team or families on a mission vacation.

Challise: Service Teams needed to work with church planter meeting spiritual & physical community needs, through relational evangelism.

Rexburg: Heavily Mormon town with no Evangelical Church, challenging community in desperate need of the gospel, need mature believers who will engage others in random settings plantings seeds of the Gospel.

Rigby: Opportunities for the outdoorsman to partner with church planter at Southfork Outdoorsman Church.

Explore Church-Missoula Montana Aug. / Oct. 2021

August - Sportsman's Outreach - Community Mission

October - Fall Outreach Carnival

Mexico - TBA

Marianna, FL (Hurricane Recovery) - July 11 - 16, 2021

The Suwannee County Ministerial Alliance is inviting all to help us celebrate Passion week.

Since most churches are not open fully we are having a **Park and Praise celebration for the community**

March 31, April 1 and April 2, 2021, starting at 6:30 PM

Location: **Paul Langford Stadium, 302 Parshley St. SW, Live Oak, Fl. 32064**

Phillip Harrington of First Baptist of Live Oak will be Preaching Thursday Night.

You can sit in your cars, pull out your lawn chairs and sit next to or sit on your cars. Because of Covid-19 we thought this may be the safest way for us to celebrate as a community. You can also watch from your homes on face book. Lets us celebrate together.

DATES TO REMEMBER



Community Ministries

- * Feeding Ministry partnered with First Baptist Live Oak.
- * Volunteers needed weekly
- * FBC, Live oak Men's Prayer Breakfast WED. 6:30
- * in the sanctuary
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* **Mt. Gilead Food Ministry**
 2nd & 4th Sat 7:30 ~ 11:30
 (corner of Hwy 90 W and Falmouth rd.)
 Gene Watson: 386-209-4252

O'Brien Baptist Food Ministry
 3rd Tuesday 10:00 ~ 1:00
 9544 E. CR 349, O'Brien, FL
 Keith Jones: 352-210-2219

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Serving Schools Gavin Cashmore
 John Hendrick

Intentional Mission Partnerships
 Matthew McDonald
 Hardy Tillman

Gospel Racial Reconciliations
 Amanda Jordan
 Daniel Bryant

Revitalization/Discipleship
 Tim Setzer
 David Garrett



A Building Fund has been established for our future Community

Ministry Hub. To date we have received a gift of \$10,000 that was designated toward the purchase of the property. Gifts totaling \$14,500 have been received to go toward the building of the facility

March 29, 2021 - Missions Partnerships

Jim Collins -NAMB Church Planting Church Strategist NW New York

Jason McNair - Utah / Idaho Baptist Convention

10:00 - 12:00
 @ Suwannee Baptist Association

Lunch & workshop