

MISSION FOCUS

Long-term Ministry

"Being the Presence of Christ in the World" is the CBF Vision. The Vision is made real through Global Missions, a strong arm of CBF. Global Missions focus on the world's least evangelized and most marginalized people. CBF Global Mission personnel partner with churches, ministry partners and individuals for holistic sustainable and transformational ministry to neglected and marginalized people groups.

Arville and Shelia Earl have ministered to multiple ethnic groups in Macedonia for almost 20 years. Their work has focused on a kindergarten program and a reconciliation ministry. The Earls are retiring in October. Alicia and Jeff Lee will continue to serve in the same ministries.

For 10 years Wanda Ashworth Valencia has ministered to immigrants in Homestead, Fl., an area steeped in poverty. Open House Ministries is transforming lives through education, skill development, worship and Bible study.

Since 1995 Kirk and Susie have ministered to a tribe in Southeast Asia, one of the most neglected people in the world. The tribe has no written language. Susie and Kirk are creating a written language and translating the Bible for the tribe.

Your support of CBF, through your faithful budget contributions and the Offering for Global Missions, are essential to sustaining the ministries of our field personnel, chaplains and pastoral counselors in "being the presence of Christ". Give prayerfully and generously.

HAPPY AGERS

Tuesday, August 20: Lake Anna, 10 AM - meet at Food Lion parking lot. Total Cost \$10 for a picnic lunch and transportation. Contact Doris or Cornelia immediately for them to have an accurate head count.

Rick Clore has graciously agreed to give us another boat ride.

September outing is to attend a Library of Congress movie showing in Culpeper.

Mark your calendar for our big undertaking. TUES., OCT. 15, 2013, travel to Pennsylvania to SIGHT AND SOUND THEATER to see "NOAH."

- Leave from Food Lion parking lot at 5:45 AM
- Enjoy family style meal at HERSHEY FARM
- Return around 9:30 PM
- Total cost \$99 - play and meal \$62, due **Aug. 1**; bus transportation \$37 (driver tip included) due **Oct. 1**
- For us to get this rate we need 52. If not, we will need to cancel. INVITE A FRIEND.

Please contact Doris Shumake, 672-4139, or Cornelia Craun, 672-4705, if any questions or to let them know if attending any outing.

Ladies' Day Away--Saturday, Aug 24

A day-trip to Virginia Beach. We will be spending the day on the beach. Please pack a lunch, drinks, and any snacks; you might need for the day. Feel free to bring things to share as well. We will stop for a casual and reasonably priced dinner on the way home. ALL female high school youth and adult ladies are invited, including your friends! RSVP to the church office or to the Facebook event so that we can provide adequate transportation. We will split the cost of gas.

Training for Children/Youth Workers Sunday, September 8, 6:30 PM

As we increase in numbers and in ministries we provide to families we want to continue improving those ministries. The training will focus on our policies related to providing a safe and secure environment for our children and youth. If you are working with our children's and youth ministries, or aspire to, please mark your calendars now. This is necessary training.



SUMMER EVENSONG

Join us Thursday nights this summer at 7PM for a worship time followed by men's and women's studies, from 7:30-8:30PM. Childcare provided.

Aug. 1 will be a potluck out at the Rt. 15 property. Bring a dish to share.

The women are using Ann Voskamp's book, A Thousand Gifts to "embark on a personal, honest and fresh exploration of what it means to be deeply fulfilled, wholly happy, and finally fully alive."

The men are continuing their study of Romans led by Dave Camp.

Take a nice evening stroll on the walking trail of our North 15 property. Pray about developing the property in order to bless our community.



UPCOMING EVENTS

Thur., Aug. 1: Ruth Kersey circle, Noon, Dogwood Village. Bring a sandwich

Mon., Aug. 5: Valirie Payne circle, 11 AM with Martha Jeen Jacobs. Bring school supplies.

Mon., Aug. 12: Kay Culpeper circle, 1 PM with Madeline Reeves.

Tues., Aug. 13: Finance meeting, 6:45 PM. Church council at 7:30 PM.

Sun., Aug. 18: Business meeting following morning worship service.
4 PM Baptism and Church Picnic

Tues., Aug. 27: Deacons meeting, 7 PM.

LOVE OUTREACH FOOD PANTRY NEEDS:

Month of August -- Dishwashing detergent (small & large bottles). Please check the expiration dates of the food you donate.

COUNTERS -- August

Doris Shumake, Karen Jarrell & Sharon Colvin

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NURSERY HELPERS

Aug. 4 Molly/Graham Crouch, Christina Bowles, and Sarah Whiteside

Aug. 11 Arthur Newman, Garlene Daniel, Tiffany Graves, and Jason Swim

Aug. 18 Samantha Reynolds, Cindy Herndon, Brenda Morris, and Lovedy Papproth

Aug. 25 Carolyn/Mark Herndon and Gina Sedwick

DEACONS IN WORSHIP -- AUGUST

Whit Jacobs	661-7576
Dorothy Cluff	672-2860
Lovedy Papproth	672-2091
Rea Cooper	672-4568
Bill Hager	672-4147
Vicky Schafer	672-0890
Tom Woolfolk	672-4989

Prayer Concerns

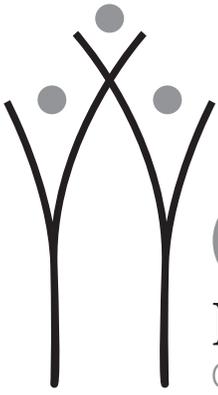
Family of Bill Wiegel	Rev. Garland Day
Earline Arthur	Rev. Mark Hughes
Mary Wright	Brooke Wheeler
Lib Brockman	Virginia Kube
G.L. & Jo Haney	Michael Taylor
Lucy Napier	Samantha Clark
Raymond & Mary Strickland	Olin Herndon
Matthew Clarke	Chris Wood
Lisa Miller	Virginia Long
Fred Pugh	Allen & Pat Shands
Betty Duffer	Betty Landrum
Dorothy Bartley	Ellie Blaine
Doris Samuels	Karen Jarrell -
Shirley Reynolds	Jessica Snyder's mother
Charlene Schweikert	Jo Styers
Alice & Roy Lumsden	Joseph Camp
Phyllis Saintclair	Willie Amos
Paige Rogers Wilkes	Susan Hunter
Spurgle Herndon	Michael Smith
Bart Daniel	Tammy Waters
George Shifflett	Terry Bryan
Rick Wheeler	Billy Hahn
Tom Travers	Susan Tusing
Hank & Melinda Cunningham	Judy Racey
Bobby Seal	Robyn Banas
	Mike Crizer

STEWARDSHIP - JUNE

Unified Budget:	
Receipts	\$26,885.70
Paid Expenses	\$27,166.56
Unpaid Expenses	\$ 2,267.25
(Mission Partners)	
Capital Campaign:	
Receipts	\$ 15,877.00

When Jesus mentioned the poor widow woman who gave two copper coins and called his disciples to take heed to her gift, Jesus was showing us that this widow was giving out of her own need to worship. This poor woman was actively participating and taking the focus off of herself, what she had, or the lack thereof.

In Celebrate the Offering
by Melvin & James Amerson



ORANGE BAPTIST CHURCH

Ordinary People, Extraordinary God!

The CHRONICLE

AUGUST 2013

OBC welcomes new members!



Wendy & Gus Rose come to OBC by transfer of letter.

Wendy is married to Shawn Rose and they have one son, Gus, 16. Wendy is currently teaching at Orange Elementary School and has been working as a Reading Specialist for twenty-one years.

Gus is a rising junior at The Covenant School in Charlottesville and enjoys all sports. He plays football and baseball at TCS.

Shawn, Wendy, and Gus live in Barboursville near Rose Brook Farm where Shawn and his father run a landscaping supplies business.

Wendy and Gus are very excited to become members of such a welcoming fellowship.

BAPTISM AND CHURCH PICNIC SUN., AUG. 18, 4 PM



Rain date is Aug. 25.

Mark your calendar! We will gather at Craig & Becky Jacob's for the baptisms of Matthew & Pam Goforth, Tiffany Graves and Jeff Moubray.

After their baptisms we will celebrate with a church-wide picnic. The church will provide the hamburgers, hotdogs, and beverages. The membership is asked to bring a dish and/or dessert to share as well as folding chairs, tables or blankets.



UPCOMING BUSINESS AT AUGUST 18 MEETING

Please plan to attend this meeting. A quorum of 56 is necessary to conduct a meeting. Important items are up for discussion and final decisions need to be made. Mark your calendar!

Motion from Horizons Team: The Horizons Team moves that Orange Baptist Church retain the services of Resource International, Ltd, as the engineering representative of OBC for continued development of the Rte 15-North property at a cost \$14,160.00 which will be paid from monies in the Horizons Fund.

Motion from Properties Team: The Properties Team presented a motion to lay on table and vote in August to hire a heating/air contractor to replace the boiler for a cost of up to \$40,000.

Proposed Amendments to the Orange Baptist Church By-Laws from the By-Laws Revision Committee:

The following amendments to the By-Laws were presented at the July 21, 2013 business meeting, with the vote to follow at the August 18 business meeting.

1. The Nominating Committee shall include nominees for the Finance Committee on the agenda for the July business meeting.
2. Delete the Capital Improvements Committee as a Standing Committee. (Separate motion: Create an Ad Hoc Committee named Main Street to serve the same purpose as the Cap Imp currently in the By-Laws.)
3. If the provisions of Article III, Clerk, #5 (p.4) are not met, then the Business Meeting is out of order and no votes may be taken. Reports may be given and discussed.
4. On any vote taken, any church member may request a vote count by hand, which shall be granted. The results of any such vote count shall be recorded in the minutes.
5. For each business meeting, the Clerk shall execute the Clerk's Summary in the form attached to the By-Laws. (This form records number present, if quorum is met, etc.)
6. A) The percent of the vote needed to approve the following actions to be changed from 2/3 to 3/4: changes to the By-Laws and Constitution, calling/dismissing a Pastor/Minister, selling/encumbering property, and any action involving discipline.
B)The quorum to sell/encumber church property shall be 80%.
C)The failure to meet Quorum shall not be applied to both selling / encumbering Church property and Discipline.

"Men's and Ladies' Outings from July"

