





The Mighty God + The Everlasting Father

The Prince of Peace

December



2020

## the BETHEL NEWSLETTER 2020



The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us. We have seen his glory, the glory of the one and only Son, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth. - John 1:14 -

### DISCIPLESHIP WORKSHOP

Monday, Dec. 7th @ 6:30 pm

**BBA Conference Room** 

with Rev. Michael Williams

For more info please call 229-308-4680



### **Moderator's Musings**



December 2020

This calendar year certainly brought changes to the way we all interact. Many events and other activities have been cancelled and many things have been evaluated. During this time, though, many have heard the call of Scripture to remember the simple things Christ has called us to do as His followers. God has never ceased to move through His people; He has never broken a promise; His kingdom is advancing according to His will and plan. This season of uncertainty for everyone has shed some light on items where we can be more faithful in our service of Christ. I know it has for me. The slowed pace has increased time with family, which is something that is so easily neglected in the fullness of our culture. I believe it is also true though that everyone has had some unique perspectives throughout this year, and while there are similarities in our lives and churches there are also some unique experiences and situations that are specific to us. So the real certainty in this life comes from Christ via the Word of God and His Holy Spirit.

I have benefited greatly from the encouragement and investment of others during this season. I am humbled by what I am seeing God do in my life, my family, and His kingdom. I would enjoy passing on to anyone the items that have been passed on to me over the last few months specifically as it relates to serving Christ in multiplying disciples for the glory of God. My invitation is to anyone in any church that would be willing to meet at the associational office on December 7th at 6:30 p.m. to walk together in serving Christ each in our own fields of service. The items shared can be used by brand new Christians or seasoned believers, those with a formal place of service in the local church and those who have never served in an official capacity.

There is no financial cost, but prior registration is appreciated. Please contact me at 229-641-2005 (home) or 229-308-4680(mobile) or email me at michaelwilliams@clearwaterministries.net if you would like to participate in this session.

Michael Williams Pastor Bluffton Baptist Church



(Next meeting will be in January 2021!)

# EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING

Monday, Jan. 25th at 7:00 pm Bluffton Baptist Church

We will be able to distance better than we are able to do so in the Conference Room at the BBA





Cathy Arnold - (Morgan Baptist Church)
Ryan Lancaster - Chairman, (Arlington Baptist Church)
Chris Sumner - (Southside Baptist Church) Blakely
Karin Tabb - (Milford Baptist Church)

### "BBA Christmas Backpacks" 2020

<b>County</b>	Coordinator(s)	<b>Phone</b>
Baker	Karin Tabb	229-254-2041
	Beth Bush	229-336-3275
Calhoun	James Holloway	229-723-1375
Clay	Linda Hines	334-740-3083
Early	Darrell Alexander	229-308-2183
	Sondra Alexander	229-308-2939
Quitman	James Holloway	229-723-1375
Randolph	Lee Wright	229-310-0984
	Katie Wright	229-310-1029

We have had to cancel the "Pastors/Spouse" Christmas Fellowship.



The Bethel
Baptist
Associational
Office hours are
Tues. - Thurs.
8:30 am - 4:30 pm
for now



Please pray for Rev. David Jones (Pastor of Mt. Hebron) and his family in the loss of his father.

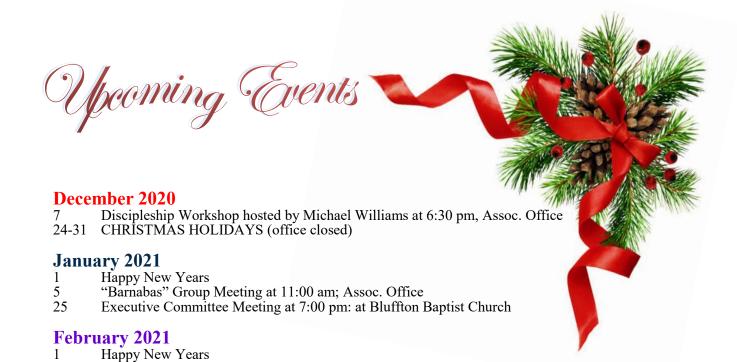
#### CHURCH CONTRIBUTIONS

October 21 - November 18, 2020		
Arlington	659.00	
Bethel		
Beulah	209.51	
Blakely FBC	1,437.73	
Bluffton	203.07	
Carnegie		
Coleman		
Colomokee	273.67	
Cuthbert FBC	512.50	
Damascus (E)		
Damascus (R)	290.61	
Edison	104.80	
Enterprise		
Faith		
Fort Gaines	714.35	
Georgetown	416.70	
Leary	275.15	
Milford	893.00	
Morgan		
Morris		
Mt. Gilead	68.76	
Mt. Hebron	200.00	
Mt. Vernon		
New Bethel		
New Hope	110.82	
New Zion		
Rehoboth		
Salem		
Shellman FBC	250.00	
Shiloh		
Southside	225.00	
Sowhatchee	225.20	
Springvale	100.00	
Vilulah	50.00	
Individuals	50.00	
TOTAL	7,269.86	
Balances Oct. 21		
General Fund	21,707.84	
Designated Fund	10,379.18	
New Work Fund	7,269.87	



The "Barnabas" Group Prayer will be at the Associational Office on Tuesday, Jan. 5th at 11:00 AM

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"Barnabas" Group Meeting at 11:00 am; Assoc. Office