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April 1, 2009

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2009

April 14-15
Walter B. and Kay W. Shurden Lectures on Religious Liberty and Separation of Church and State
Mercer University, Macon

April 25
BWIM of GA Spring Meeting
FBC Gainesville

April 30-May 2

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Congregational Life

Companions in Christ Training Event

Please join us for a wonderful Companions in Christ training event on Sunday, May 17, 2009, from 3:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. The training will be led by Devita Parnell and hosted by FBC Macon. Registration is $25 and includes a Leader's Guide and a meal. Please register by contacting Julie Long at 478-742-6485 or *juliewlong@gmail.com*. The deadline to register is May 1, 2009. To download a flyer, click *here*.

Becoming Better Stewards of Creation

Take the *Earth Hour to Earth Day Challenge*.

Missions

March Mission Madness

Polyphony
Wieuca Road Baptist Church, Atlanta

May 15-16
Infusion 2009
Mercer University Conference Center, Atlanta

June 8-12
Taliaferro Summer Camps
Crawfordville

June 15-19
Taliaferro Summer Camps
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September 14-16
Youth Ministers Retreat
Location: TBD

September 27-29
Mercer Preaching Consultation
St. Simons Island

October 2-4
ReCharge
Location: TBD

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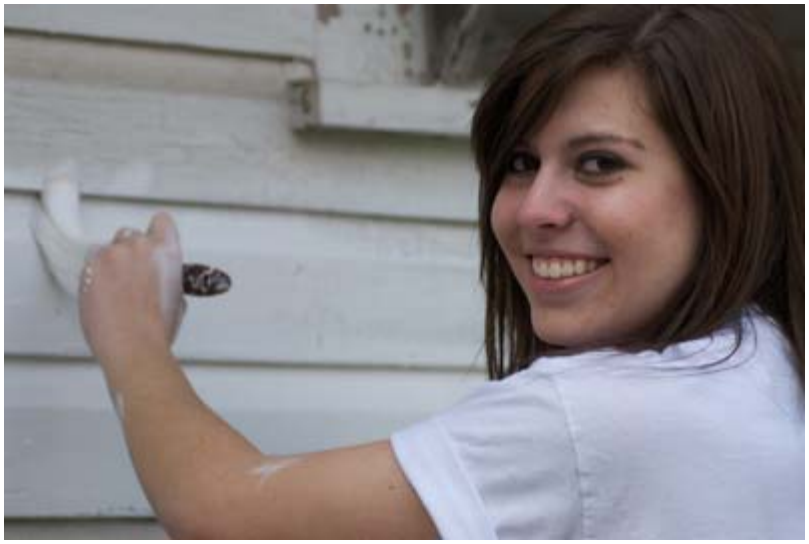

Many thanks are expressed to *Central Baptist Church* of Newnan and *Milledge Avenue Baptist Church* of Athens for hosting March Mission Madness 2009. Special thanks to Daniel Nance and Amy Shorner-Johnson who led their churches to facilitate the madness. Thanks also to the youth and leaders from the forty-three participating churches. This year 871 youth and adults participated, and *Kyle Matthews* led worship. *View Photos*

New Church Starts

Many thanks are expressed to the attendees and to Nathan and Carrie Dean for leading a Founders' Luncheon last week for Edgewood Church. Nathan and Carrie, upcoming graduates from the McAfee School of Theology, are working diligently to start a new church in Edgewood, a community in Atlanta. Individuals and churches are invited to help support this endeavor. *Email Scott*

Taliaferro Summer Camp

If you or a group from your church would like to help lead camp on June 8-12, 2009, email Scott Ford at *sford@cbfga.org*. *Read More*

National CBF

Watering Malawi VBS Available Online

Passport has produced beautiful new Vacation Bible School literature that addresses the reality that many around the world need us to share clean water for them to live. More to the point for children though is the need to teach them about Jesus' love in a fun and creative VBS setting. Everything about the curriculum, right down to the snacks, is designed to be a teaching moment and draw children into a conversation at the well about how Jesus loves them. For more information or to look at sample pages, visit *www.wateringmalawi.org*.

Infusion 2009

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A CBF church in South Boston, VA, with a resident membership of two hundred is seeking a Senior Pastor. *Read More*

Infusion 2009 is a two-day event based on the themes "mission and justice." It will be held in Atlanta at the Mercer University Conference Center on May 15-16. The keynote speaker is David Livermore. *Read More*

Partners

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Walter B. and Kay W. Shurden Lectures

The Walter B. and Kay W. Shurden Lectures on Religious Liberty and Separation of Church and State will be given April 14-15 on the Macon campus of Mercer University. Randall Balmer, professor of American Religious History at Barnard College, Columbia University, will deliver the lectures.

Attention Music Ministers

The second annual Polyphony Conference will be held April 30-May 2 at Wieuca Road Baptist Church, Atlanta. Molly Marshall and Eric Nelson will be the speakers. *Read More*

Financial Update

Budget Receipts as of 3/31/09

Year to Date:	$489,061.36
Requirement:	$514,666.70
Over/Under:	($25,605.34)
Month to Date:	$46,158.65
Monthly Requirement:	$51,466.67
Over/Under	($5,308.02)

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