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Calendar

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2011

November 6-7

Breakfast Times Moved from 7:30 a.m. to 8:00 a.m.

Monday's pastors and advocates breakfasts are now scheduled for 8:00 a.m. on November 7. Reservations are required and can be made by contacting Kelley Dixson at kdixson@cbfga.org or 478-742-1191, ext. 26.

Save the Date for Now Serving: Atlanta 2012

View more information [here](#).

MMM Registration Now Open!

Click [here](#) to visit the March Mission Madness webpage and register your group online.

Register Now for the Fall General Assembly

Online registration is now open for the Fall General Assembly. Please click [here](#) to fill out the registration form. We will be meeting on Sunday-Monday, November 6-7, at Johns Creek Baptist Church, Alpharetta. Brett Younger will be our keynote speaker for the Sunday evening worship, and David Hull will lead the Monday pastors gathering. Malkhaz Songulashvili will speak at the missions luncheon on Monday. Click [here](#) for more information on the Fall General Assembly.

Tell Us about Your Disaster Response Teams

CBF/GA is looking for information on church-based disaster response groups. Does your church have a group, and what skills, such as construction or debris removal, do its members have? Contact Kelley Dixson at 478-742-1191, ext. 26, or kdixson@cbfga.org to be added to the email distribution list or share your church's information. If you wish to do this online, click [here](#). Click [here](#) for more information on CBF/GA disaster response.

CBF/GA on the Road

Our coordinator, Frank Broome, and associate coordinator, Laura Foushee, are always available to preach or update your church on how God is working

[CBF/GA Fall General Assembly](#)

Johns Creek Baptist Church, Alpharetta

2012

February 17-18

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Atlanta

March 9-11

[March Mission](#)[Madness](#)

FBC St. Simons

March 16-18

[March Mission](#)[Madness](#)

Johns Creek Baptist Church, Alpharetta

March 23-25

[March Mission](#)[Immersion](#)

Calvin Center, Hampton

April 19-21

[Conference on](#)[Sexuality and](#)[Covenant](#)

FBC Decatur



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through our fellowship of Baptist churches. For a current list of engagements for Frank and Laura, or to contact one of them about speaking in your church during worship or at other gatherings, click [here](#).

From Our Churches

Church Seeking Chairs

Community Baptist Church, Milledgeville, is looking for used metal folding chairs. The gray Samsonite style with the vinyl padded seat is preferred. Contact Alan Mitchell at 478-957-2295.

Sunday Evening Series at FBC Forsyth

FBC Forsyth began holding a Sunday evening series of talks about the future of Christianity and Baptists on Sunday, September 11. Each talk begins at 6:15 p.m. and should last around an hour. Area churches and individuals are invited to attend. Click [here](#) for a schedule. For more information, contact Darrell Watson at pastorfb@bellsouth.net or 478-256-0277.

From CBF/NC

Disaster Response Help Needed

Hatteras Island is asking for volunteers to help clean up the areas affected by Hurricane Irene. A need will soon arise for a feeding team when the Salvation Army leaves. FBC Elizabeth City, North Carolina, has volunteered to be a facilitating church to any team willing to come and help. Call the pastor, Christopher Ingram, at 252-338-3904 for more information.

Friends

2011 Calling Congregations Conference

The 2011 Calling Congregations Conference, hosted by The Fund for Theological Education, is taking place in Atlanta, October 6-8. This event aims to help clergy and laypeople develop a process for nurturing the next generation of transformative church leaders. Registration fees range from \$150 to \$200 per person.

Featured guest speakers are Parker J. Palmer and Eustacia Moffett Marshall. Instead of traditional panels, keynotes, and breakout sessions, participants will work in

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small groups facilitated by Palmer and Marshall. Click [here](#) for more information.

N.T. Wright Lecture and Book Signing

N.T. Wright will be at FBC Decatur on Tuesday, November 8, at 7:00 p.m., for a lecture on and to sign his new book, *Simply Jesus: Who He Was, What He Did, Why It Matters*. Wright, the Bishop of Durham, former canon theologian of Westminster Abbey, and dean of Litchfield Cathedral, is a renowned New Testament scholar who has written more than a dozen acclaimed books, including *Simply Christian*. This program is sponsored by Georgia Center for the Book in partnership with FBC Decatur Conversations Ministry Team. No tickets or reservations are required; doors will open at 6:00 p.m.

Disaster Response in Kentucky

Matt DuVall, pastor of FBC Middlesboro, Kentucky, is seeking disaster assistance following storms that ravaged the Middlesboro community on Monday, June 20. Many in his church have been affected, some to the point of losing their homes due to lack of insurance. DuVall is looking for individuals who might be in a position to mobilize student- or church-based mission teams. Contact him at 706-254-1323. Click [here](#) to view a story on the floods.

Higher Ground: Camp Meeting Service

Meridian Herald will present its fourteenth annual Higher Ground: Camp Meeting Service on Sunday, October 16, at 6:00 p.m. at the historic First United Methodist Church, Marietta. The camp meeting, featuring old-time preaching, prayer, and singing, will be held in the church's outdoor pavilion. In the case of inclement weather, the service will be held in the sanctuary. After the service, attendees will enjoy warm fellowship and refreshments on the grounds. Chairs will be available, but there will also be space for personal lawn chairs and blankets. There is no admission charge, and everyone is welcome. Click [here](#) for more information.

New Baptist Covenant II

The New Baptist Covenant will gather together Thursday-Saturday, November 17-19. What began four years ago with a small group of committed Baptist leaders is accelerating into a thriving grassroots movement striving to live by Jesus' Luke 4 mandate to "bring good news to the poor, proclaim release to the captives, and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free, and to proclaim the year of the Lord's favor."

This fall the movement will use some of the latest technology to bring NBC II to multiple cities. Second-Ponce de Leon Baptist Church, Atlanta, will serve as NBC II's anchor site, hosting worship services and breakout sessions that will be broadcast via satellite to various host cities across the nation. Host cities will provide additional programming and coordinate a day of local missions opportunities on Saturday, November 19. For more information, visit [here](#).

From the Baptist Center for Ethics

The Baptist Center for Ethics will be screening its documentary, *Gospel Without Borders*, at Smoke Rise Baptist Church, Stone Mountain, at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, October 11. For more information on this documentary, click [here](#).

Reference and Referral

Church Seeking Pastor

North Broad Baptist Church, Rome, is looking to fill its position of pastor. NBBC is a moderate Baptist church, affiliated with the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship. Rome is a small city northwest of Atlanta, known for its thriving healthcare and higher education institutions. Resumes will be accepted until Tuesday, November 15, and should be emailed to northbroadbaptis@bellsouth.net or mailed to 1309 North Broad Street, Rome, GA 30161.

Financial Update

Budget Receipts as of 9/30/2011

Year to Date Contributions:	413,023.63
Year to Date Requirement:	419,645.97
Over/<Under>	(6,622.34)

September Contributions:	44,029.99
September Requirement:	46,627.33
Over/<Under>:	(2,597.34)

Sharing Information through *Re-Visions*

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