

Rowan Southern Baptist Association Newsletter

Office Hours

Monday-Thursday 8:30am-4:00 pm

Friday - Closed

The Associational Office will
be closed on Thursday,
November 24th.

NOVEMBER
2011

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Rowan Southern Baptist Association Christmas Store 2011

will be held on
December 5-9

North Main Baptist Church
Salisbury, NC

**We are very busy preparing for our annual Christmas Store.
We need your prayers, financial donations, NEW toys and
NEW winter coats of all sizes and NEW infant & toddler clothing.
(Please - NO other clothing)**

**We will begin accepting donations on Tuesday, November 7th.
Our office hours are Monday-Thursday 8:30-4:00.**

**Please contribute to this mission so that
underprivileged children can have a blessed Christmas and learn the
true meaning of Christmas**



**We need volunteers to assist in the Christmas Store.
Please see your Pastor or call the Associational Office to volunteer.**

Christmas Store Volunteer Training

**Training for volunteers will be held on November 19th
at 9:30-11:30 am at North Main Baptist Church.**

Greetings in the Strong Name of Jesus!

I wanted to take a moment and thank all of you who attended and supported the Associational Revival at Faith Baptist Church. What a powerful series of meetings we had and the Lord truly blessed through the messages of Dr. Harris and the worship as led by Mark Christian. Much thanks goes to Pastor Joe and his staff and members of Faith as they worked diligently to prepare and take care of us each night.

It is hard to believe that it is only five weeks until the annual Christmas Store! The Association has already received applications from nearly five hundred children! I have been praying that God would do something amazing through the Store and as these applications come in I can see His handiwork. When I came to Rowan Association, my greatest desire was to be used by God to make a difference in peoples' lives. The ability to make a difference comes with our willingness to surrender to His leading. Often that leading takes us to places that make us uncomfortable and challenges us in ways we would rather not be challenged. I know that there have been many changes presented this year in the Christmas Store and it is easy to allow ourselves to be overwhelmed with it all. But, I think it all comes down to how big is our God. As I have been praying, my constant yearning has been for Him to do something that only He could do. Jesus says in **Mark 10:27**, **"With men it is impossible, but not with God, because all things are possible with God."**

What is it you yearn for? What is it you long to see God do? When was the last time you were willing to totally take yourself out of the situation and say, God whatever you want I will do? At this time of year it is so easy to lose yourself and lose sight of what truly matters. As I have been going around I have heard of the plans for plays and special services that are going to keep people busy for weeks to come. I want to encourage you to pray through a verse of Scripture that means so much to me, and as you do I believe that God will do what only God can!

"Call to Me, and I will answer you, and show you great and mighty things, which you do not know."
Jeremiah 33:3

God Bless you and Keep you,

Pastor Ken



Make a joyful noise unto the Lord, all ye lands. Serve the Lord with gladness: come before His presence with singing. Know ye that the lord He is God: It is He that hath made us, and not we ourselves; we are His people, and the sheep of His pasture. Enter into his gates with thanksgiving, and into His courts with praise: be thankful unto Him and bless His name for the Lord is good: His mercy is everlasting: and His truth endureth to all generations.
Psalm 100



Sunday, November 6

Don't Be A Turkey!

Get your Thanksgiving Turkey (or Boston Butt) from us!



\$30 each
They are cooked on hot coals all night and will melt in your mouth.

To order, call:

Church office: 704-633-2567

Pastor Dewayne Lambeth 704-640-9792

Thank you so much for your support of Calvary Baptist Church's youth group!

Pick up on Tuesday, November 22
between 3-5pm

Calvary Baptist Church
2255 East Ridge Rd., Salisbury



Because of you, Kourri accepted Jesus.

changed!

Give & change children's lives!
BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOMES
ANNUAL OFFERING
WEEK OF PRAYER: NOVEMBER 13 - 20
www.bchfamily.org/offering * 1.800.476.3669

Fall Revival
North Main Baptist Church
1501 North Main Street
Salisbury, NC



November 13th ~ 16th @ 6:30 pm
Nursery Provided & Public Welcome
Rev. Matthew R Laughter
Guest Speaker
Senior Pastor of First Baptist Church, Rockwell, NC



2011 Lottie Moon Christmas Offering
National Goal: \$175 Million
Week of Prayer for International Missions
December 4-11, 2011

November Birthdays

5 Rev. Sy Ponds, Pastor, Providence
16 Mrs. Kellie Clark, Wife of Interim DOM
17 Mrs. Claudia Robertson, Pastor's Wife, North Main
22 Bishop Chris Brown, Pastor, Whosoever Will
23 Mrs. Sandy Motley, Pastor's Wife, Trading Ford
26 Mrs. Lori Smith, Pastor's wife, Southside

November Anniversaries

5 Rev. & Mrs. George (Peggy) Bradshaw, Pastor, Pine Ridge
10 Rev. & Mrs. Shane (Traci) Utley, Pastor, South China Grove

**Rowan Southern Baptist Association
General Fund Financial Report
September 2011**

| | <u>Month Actual</u> | <u>Month Budget</u> | <u>YTD Actual</u> | <u>YTD Budget</u> | <u>Total Budget</u> |
|---|-------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|
| <u>Salaries, Allowances, Honoraria</u> | | | | | |
| 1010 DOM Salary | \$0 | \$1,360 | \$0 | \$12,241 | \$16,321 |
| 1020 DOM Housing Allowance | 1,950 | 1,679 | 7,313 | 15,111 | 20,148 |
| 1040 Adm. Assistant Salary | 1,589 | 1,589 | 14,297 | 14,297 | 19,063 |
| 1050 Office Help | 0 | 50 | 450 | 450 | 600 |
| 1060 Clerk Honorarium | 0 | 50 | 0 | 450 | 600 |
| 1070 Treasurer Honorarium | 0 | 50 | 0 | 450 | 600 |
| 1080 Staff Christmas Bonuses | 0 | 87 | 0 | 780 | 1,040 |
| Total Salaries & Allowances | \$3,539 | \$4,864 | \$22,059 | \$43,779 | \$58,372 |
| <u>Employee Benefits</u> | | | | | |
| 2010 DOM Retirement | \$0 | \$373 | \$0 | \$3,353 | \$4,471 |
| 2020 DOM Health Insurance | 0 | 757 | 0 | 6,812 | 9,082 |
| 2021 DOM Life Insurance | 0 | 28 | 0 | 248 | 330 |
| 2030 Workers' Compensation Insurance | 0 | 113 | 862 | 1,013 | 1,350 |
| 2040 Payroll Taxes | 122 | 124 | 1,094 | 1,117 | 1,489 |
| Total | \$122 | \$1,394 | \$1,956 | \$12,542 | \$16,722 |
| <u>Ministry Support</u> | | | | | |
| 3010 DOM Travel Expense | \$208 | \$417 | \$440 | \$3,750 | \$5,000 |
| 3020 DOM Covention/Education Exp. | 450 | 167 | 573 | 1,500 | 2,000 |
| 3030 Adm. Assistant Conf./Ed. Exp. | 0 | 17 | 0 | 150 | 200 |
| Total Ministry Support | \$658 | \$600 | \$1,013 | \$5,400 | \$7,200 |
| <u>Organizational Support</u> | | | | | |
| 4030 Evangelism/Fair Mission | 0 | 25 | 0 | 225 | 300 |
| 4070 VBS | 0 | 17 | 600 | 150 | 200 |
| 4080 WMU | 0 | 0 | 150 | 0 | 0 |
| 4090 Youth Ministry | 0 | 125 | 0 | 1,125 | 1,500 |
| 4100 Pastors' Conferences | 260 | 0 | 701 | 0 | 0 |
| 4120 Church Sec. Training | 0 | 10 | 0 | 94 | 125 |
| 4170 Bible School Teachers Assistance | 192 | 160 | 1,344 | 1,440 | 1,920 |
| 4190 Disaster Recovery Tr. Maintenance | 0 | 8 | 63 | 75 | 100 |
| 4220 Christmas Store Supplement | 0 | 125 | 0 | 1,125 | 1,500 |
| Total Organization Support | \$452 | \$470 | \$2,858 | \$4,234 | \$5,645 |
| <u>Operating Expenses</u> | | | | | |
| 5010 Office Supplies & Expense | \$36 | \$208 | \$1,918 | \$1,875 | \$2,500 |
| 5020 Postage | 88 | 167 | 449 | 1,500 | 2,000 |
| 5030 Office Equipment Maintenance | 0 | 250 | 1,683 | 2,250 | 3,000 |
| 5050 Telephone | 264 | 308 | 2,611 | 2,775 | 3,700 |
| 5080 Natural Gas | 25 | 83 | 646 | 750 | 1,000 |
| 5070 Electricity | 349 | 208 | 2,127 | 1,875 | 2,500 |
| 5080 Water | 26 | 50 | 199 | 450 | 600 |
| 5100 Building Maintenance & Repairs | 34 | 100 | 705 | 900 | 1,200 |
| 5110 Lawn Care & Custodial Service Contract | 200 | 217 | 1,900 | 1,950 | 2,600 |
| 5120 Insurance | 0 | 100 | 1,216 | 900 | 1,200 |
| 5121 Web Site Development | 200 | 100 | 900 | 900 | 1,200 |
| 5130 Miscellaneous Expense | 358 | 83 | 1,293 | 750 | 1,000 |
| Total Operating Expenses | \$1,580 | \$1,875 | \$15,647 | \$16,875 | \$22,500 |
| Total General Fund Spending | \$6,350 | \$9,203 | \$43,534 | \$82,829 | \$110,439 |
| Total General Fund Receipts | \$9,406 | \$9,203 | \$83,854 | \$82,829 | \$110,439 |

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General Fund Financial Report
September 2011**

| <u>Funds Report:</u> | <u>Beginning Balance</u> | <u>Receipts</u> | <u>Spending</u> | <u>Ending Balance</u> |
|--|-------------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 9010 General Fund | \$70,045 | \$9,406 | \$6,350 | \$73,101 |
| 9020 Disaster Base Fund | 647 | 0 | 0 | 647 |
| 9043 Christian Women's Job Corps | 1,242 | 0 | 0 | 1,242 |
| 9050 Strategy Coordinator Association Fund | 1,912 | 0 | 197 | 1,715 |
| 9060 Huneycutt Scholarship Fund (Interest) | 625 | 0 | 0 | 625 |
| 9061 Huneycutt Scholarship Fund (Principal) | 27,175 | 0 | 0 | 27,175 |
| 9070 Seminary Extension | 334 | 0 | 0 | 334 |
| 9080 Christmas Store | 3,008 | 0 | 0 | 3,008 |
| 9101 Haiti Mission Fund | 1,120 | 1,657 | 250 | 2,527 |
| 9107 Miscellaneous | 0 | 236 | 0 | 236 |
| 9120 Payroll Taxes Payable - Federal | 423 | 0 | (211) | 634 |
| 9130 Payroll Taxes Payable - State | 88 | 0 | (44) | 132 |
| 9141 Bibles For Prison | 447 | 0 | 0 | 447 |
| Total Funds | \$107,066 | \$11,299 | \$6,542 | \$111,823 |
| <u>Deposit Locations:</u> | | | | |
| 1001 Premier FCU Checking Account | | | | \$84,498 |
| 1002 Petty Cash | | | | 150 |
| 1006 The North Carolina Baptist Foundation Inc. (Huneycutt Scholarship Fund Principal) | | | | 27,175 |
| Total Deposits | | | | \$111,823 |