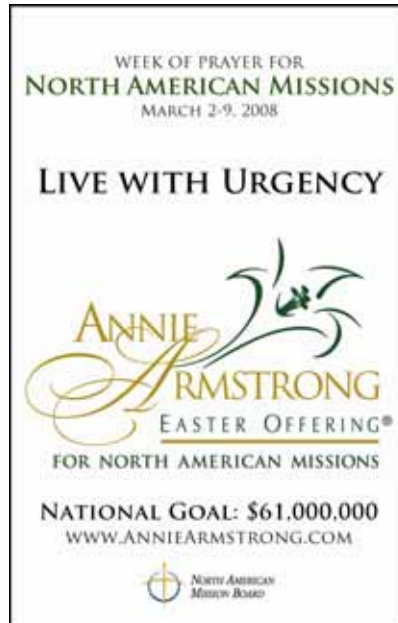


From My Laptop to Yours.

One of the great ways we, as Southern Baptists, are able to participate in the spreading of the Gospel is through the *Annie Armstrong Easter Offering for North American Missions*. I hope that you and your congregation will participate with joy in this project this year. I encourage you to participate in the *Week of Prayer for North American Missions* as well as give generously to this offering.



At the October Regular Meeting, the Association voted to move the March Regular Meeting to a mid-day format. The ABA looks forward to hosting the March meeting at our office on Tuesday, March 18th at 11:30 AM. Be sure and join us for this time of fellowship as we look to what we will be doing in the coming months.

For Christ and His Kingdom,

- Mission Churches & Church Plants*
- Austin City Life**
Jonathan Dodson, Pastor
 - Bridgeway Christian Koinonia**
Curtis Carr, Sr., Pastor
 - Capital City Fellowship**
Jeremy Webb, Pastor
 - Christian Love Center**
Jesus Sepada, Pastor
 - Christian Worship & Family Learning Center**
Rudy Hardin, Pastor
 - Cowboy Church of Travis County**
Barry Chinn, Pastor
 - Cowboy Church of the Hill Country**
Jeff VanRyswyk, Pastor
 - Gateway Hill Country Church**
Jeff Jackson, Pastor
 - Grace Fellowship Community Church**
Harold Hendricks, Pastor
 - Great Commission Christian Center**
Michael White, Pastor
 - Greater Parkway Baptist Church**
John Ford, Pastor
 - Iglesia Bautista de la Gracia**
Mario Alaniz, Pastor
 - Iglesia Bautista River Road**
Jose Chavez, Pastor
 - Iglesia Piedra Viva**
Saul Ramirez, Pastor
 - Iglesia Rios de Agua Viva**
Javier Medina, Pastor
 - Neighborhood Baptist Church**
Lee Yarbrough, Pastor
 - New Life Baptist Church**
Marc Hegedus, Pastor
 - North Austin Korean Baptist Church**
Lak Kyan Back, Pastor
 - Northwest Chinese Church**
Cheng-Chi "Fish" Yu, Pastor
 - Phoenix Church**
Charles Whitmire, Pastor
 - Primera Iglesia Bautista Pflugerville**
Jose Vasquez, Pastor
 - Restoration Bible Church**
Chris Wallace, Pastor
 - Romanian Baptist Church of Austin**
Samuel Clintoc, Pastor
 - South Austin Community Church**
Arthur Sneed, Pastor
 - Vietnamese United Baptist Church**
David Lee, Pastor
 - The Well**
Jason Jones, Pastor

Purpose Statement

The Austin Baptist Association is an alliance of participating churches fulfilling the Great Commission.

Vision Statement

The Austin Baptist Association will be a catalyst alongside Great Commission churches to reach all people groups with the Gospel transforming our community and world through the power of God.

Church Needs

Pastorless Churches

First Baptist, Manor
Highland Park Baptist
Westoak Woods Baptist

NOTE: Onion Creek Baptist Church has reopened their search for a pastor. Interested parties should contact the church office at 512-358-3847

Congress Avenue Baptist Church

Is seeking a secretary and a financial secretary. For more information, call the church at (512) 477-7781. Complete job descriptions are available on the ABA website under "Ministry Opportunities".

Cornerstone Baptist Church, Hutto

Is seeking a part-time or bi-vocational youth minister to lead and disciple youth in all aspects of the Christian life. Send resume or letter of interest to: Pastor E.D. Threatt, 3000 Hanstrom Ct, Hutto TX 78634 or via e-mail to ed3t@yahoo.com.

New Life Baptist Church

Is looking for a youth minister/worship pastor; part time position with potential of full time. Contact Pastor Marc Hegedus at (512) 803-7158.

Parmer Lane Baptist Church

Is seeking a church worship/song leader. Worship style is mixed. Part-time position totaling 5 to 6 hours a week. For more information, call church office at (512) 244-3907 or (512) 706-5431.

Parmer Lane Baptist Church

Is also seeking a pianist. Worship style is mixed. Part-time position totaling 5 to 6 hours a week. For more information, call church office at (512) 244-3907 or (512) 706-5431.

Pleasant Hill Baptist Church

Needs a pianist for Sunday mornings & Evenings, Sunday evening choir practice and Wednesday evenings. If interested, please call Sandi Mercer at 444-2139, 370-2991, or email at Sandi624@sbcglobal.net

Travis Oaks Baptist Church

Is seeking a part-time music director to direct the adult choir and lead the Sunday morning worship service. Call the church office at (512) 267-2196 or fax resume to (512) 267-6840.

Woodlawn Baptist Church

Is accepting resumes for a full-time executive pastor. Seminary-level degree required with a background in education/administration. Mail resumes to Search Committee, Woodlawn Baptist Church, 4600 Manchaca Road, Austin TX 78745 or e-mail david@woodlawnbc.org.

Phase 1 Training

April 18, 2008

Great Hills Baptist

10500 Jollyville Road



Registration Online:

www.sbtexas.org/dr

Youth Ministers' Regional Leadership Conference

February 26, 2008

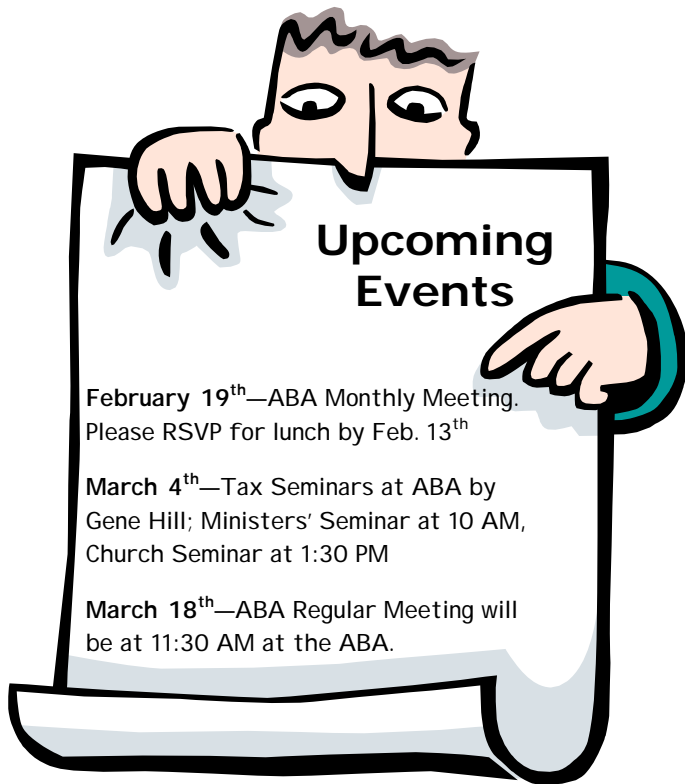
First Baptist Church Pflugerville

801 W. Pecan St



Registration Online:

www.sbtexas.org/ymrlc



Help the ABA serve you better!!!

If your church has small construction projects that can be complete in a week this summer, please let the ABA know.

If your church and/or pastor has an e-mail address, please e-mail it to:

charlotte@austinbaptist.org

This will enable us to verify the address we have or add the address to our mailing list.

If your church would be interested in starting a church plant in the next two years, please let the ABA know so that we may keep you "in the loop" when there are church planting happenings.

Please let us know when you will be holding Vacation Bible School and what curriculum and schedule (day or evening) when you have VBS scheduled.

Any/All of the above information can be emailed to charlotte@austinbaptist.org

Congratulations!

Ellouise Gotcher, Secretary at Congress Avenue Baptist Church, is retiring January 31st after 18 years of service. She will be honored during the morning service on February 3rd and there will be a lunch following the service.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

CURRICULUM OVERVIEW AND TRAINING

FEBRUARY 2

9:00 - 12:00

Woodlawn Baptist Church
4600 Manchaca Road

Overview of:

Lifeway
Gospel Light
Group
Standard

Baptist Way Training for:

General Officers (How To Do VBS)
Preschool
Children

Any questions, contact

Jerry Beth Johnson
Woodlawn Baptist Church
442-7858 Ext. 26

Hyde Park Baptist Church and the HPBC Foundation
Invite you to attend

"Guidance for Life's Transitions"

A Saturday Seminar to discuss important topics for planning for one's self or in anticipation of the role of caregiver for parents or grandparents.

Featuring:

Gene R. Hill - CPA/Tax Consultant
George McBride - Social Security Administration
Laurens Fish - Weed-Corley-Fish
Debbie Gardner, LMSW - Hyde Park Counseling Center

Saturday, February 16, 2008

9:00 AM to 11:30 AM

Hyde Park Baptist Church - Friendship Hall

(Coffee & refreshments at 8:30 AM)

This event is sponsored by the Pastoral Care Ministry at Hyde Park Baptist Church and the HPBC Foundation.

Please contact Marlene R. Rich at 459-6584 (ext 1048) or mrich@hpbc.org for more information or the RSVP.



St. James Missionary Baptist Church
invites you to join them for
fellowship and fitness

- * March 1, 2008
- * 1K (fee: \$10)
- * 5K Run/Walk (fee: \$20)
- * Register on
 - => St. James website:
www.stjamescmbc.org
 - => RunTex website:
www.runtex.com
follow "Events" link

Need some encouragement for improving
your health?

We've got a few friends who'll run with you...