

From My Laptop to Yours.

I hope you are looking forward to the **October Regular Meeting** on Monday, October 18 at Park Hills Baptist Church. This meeting will serve as our **annual business meeting** where we will cast vision for 2011 and vote on the new budget. There will be a **time of fellowship** beginning at **6:30 PM** with the **business meeting** to follow at **7:00 PM**.

I have done some research on the state of our city and I look forward to sharing with you what church culture in Austin currently looks like. I think you will find the information helpful as you and your church plan for the next year!

All of you should have received your **Annual Church Profiles** by now. It would be a tremendous help for you to get those filled out and turned in on time. Some of the information that I will share at the October Regular Meeting comes from past ACP reports. Just as your church likes to have a good picture of the health of your church for planning purposes, the Association and state conventions also use this information for planning as well. Help us get a really good picture of church life in Austin and in Texas by filling out and returning your ACP

Looking forward to seeing you on October 18th!

For Christ and His Kingdom,



Supported Church Plants

Abundant LIFE Community Baptist Church

Austin Burmese Christian Fellowship

Austin City Life

Austin Karen Baptist Church

Austin Hope Church

Gateway Hill Country Church

Iglesia Bautista de la Gracia

Iglesia Bautista High Pointe

Iglesia Bautista Oak Hill

Iglesia Piedra Viva

Iglesia Rios de Agua Viva

Life Church, Austin

Lost Pines Cowboy Church

Restoration Bible Church

The Church at Bee Cave

Vietnamese United Baptist Church

Zion Indian Christian Center

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 News



Upcoming Events

*October Regular Meeting -
Monday, October 18th at Park Hills
Baptist Church; Fellowship at 6:30
PM, business meeting at 7:00 PM*



Pray for these churches

Austin Burmese Christian
Fellowship
First Baptist Oak Hill
Milwood Baptist Church
Northwest Baptist Church

Crestview Baptist Church

Is seeking a new part-time minister of music. For more information, call the church office at (512) 454-6641.

First Baptist Church, Buda

Is welcoming resumes from prospective pastors. For more information, please email psc-fbcb@austin.rr.com or send resumes to Pastor Search Committee, 207 S Cedar St, Buda TX 78610

First Baptist Church, Bastrop

Would like to borrow Vol 11 & 12 of the *Bible Navigator 66 Book CD Series* for their youth. The volumes are no longer available through LifeWay. Please contact Nancy Neely at (512) 303-3221 if you can help.

Friendship Baptist Church

Has changed their name to Friendship CreekSide Fellowship. Please update your records.

Friendship CreekSide Fellowship

Is seeking a paid part time worship leader with preferably guitar/keyboard experience to lead a progressive blended service. Send resume to pastor@friendshipchurchsw.org or contact Pastor Marvin Petzolt at (512) 288-2009.

Manchaca Baptist Church

Is seeking a part time Music Director. Please call (512) 282-0875 for more information.

Northwest Baptist Church

2010 Fall revival with Dr. Darrell Robinson of *Total Church Life Ministries* will be October 22-24. You are invited to join each night at 7:00 PM. Northwest is located at 6301 Woodrow Ave.

Parmer Lane Baptist Church

Is seeking a child care worker for Sunday mornings and evenings (5 hours). For more information, please contact Linda Wilcox at pville685-info@yahoo.com or (512) 251-5885.

Rosedale Baptist Church

Is looking for a part-time minister of music. For more information, please contact the church office at (512) 453-1325.

Wyldwood Baptist Church

Is seeking a piano player. For more information, please contact the church office at (512)303-3443.

Help us be good Stewards!

If your address has changed or you would like to receive your newsletter via email, please notify the ABA office via email at charlotte@austinbaptist.org

THANKS!!!



"Angel House" Soup Kitchen

Austin Baptist Chapel will host at

OPEN HOUSE

on

Sunday, November 7, 2010

3:00 - 5:00 PM

to celebrate God's wonderful provision
and 25 years of ministry!

Austin Baptist Chapel - 908 E Cesar Chavez - Austin, TX
www.angelhouse-abc.com

Old Fashioned Fifth Sunday Singing



October 31, 2010

6 PM

Rosedale Baptist Church
4400 Maybelle Avenue

For more information please call Rosedale Baptist
at 512-453-1325 or email
info@rosedalebaptistaustin.com

The ABA recently had 29
SafeGuard STAR seats donated.
Please contact Charlotte at the
ABA office if you are interested
in these systems.



Life Line Screening, a community-based
preventative health screening group, will be at
the ABA in October!

Tuesday, October 26, 2010

Pre-registration is required;
call **1-800-324-1851**

and use **source code HSC6773**
www.lifelinescreening.com



Perspectives on the World Christian Movement is a dynamic course where you'll get an opportunity to discover what God is doing around the world and consider your part in His purposes. Give Him a chance to grip your heart with the things so close to His. Perspectives is your opportunity to understand God's intentions and actions in the world, in a dynamic and internationally respected 15 week study program. You will be able and encouraged to make informed decisions about your participation in God's work among the nations of the world.

Two identical classes will be offered in Austin - both beginning in January. The Monday night class will begin on Monday, January 17 and will be held at University Avenue Church of Christ. The Tuesday night class will begin on Tuesday, January 18 and will be held at Hill Country Bible Church's main campus.

You can learn more about Perspectives by logging onto www.perspectives.org and you can get more information about the classes in Austin by contacting the local team at info@perspectivesaustin.org.



**Tackle Hunger in Texas
with the Souper Bowl of
Caring!**

What would happen if every American that celebrates the Super Bowl football game donated one can of food or \$1 to fight hunger and poverty in their local community? The result would be an astounding \$90 million in cash and cans to help feed the hungry, provide shelter to the homeless and help our neighbors in need. Join the Souper Bowl of Caring and help make this vision a reality! For more than 20 years, groups just like yours have joined forces across America to demonstrate the power of caring. To date, more than \$70 million in cash and cans has been collected and 100% was donated in communities throughout the U.S. Every penny stays local and every collection matters!

Last year, 1,900 groups in Texas collected more than \$4.5 million for local charities that fight hunger and poverty. **Join the Team. Get Started Today, Texas!**

For more information or to register your group, visit
www.souperbowl.org.

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EMPOWERING WOMEN TO CHANGE THE WORLD

World Help presents
THE TOUR OF HOPE

November 6, 2010

9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Bannockburn Baptist Church

- ◆ Speakers include Rani Hong, Danita Estrella, Lindsay Tarquinio and Noel Brewer Yeatts
- ◆ Worship by Christyna Fincher from Northpoint Community Church
- ◆ Special Music Performance by World Help's *Children of the World* International Children's Choir

*For more information and to register,
please visit www.thetourofhope.net*



We're Giving Thanks by Giving Back!

Service Austin Day, held every year on the Saturday before Thanksgiving, provides the people of Austin with an opportunity to serve the city that has given so much to all of us.

This year's event is **November 20** and includes projects that address a variety of community needs such as maintaining our beautiful parks, supporting the work of our schools, and caring for the less fortunate.

Volunteers receive free t-shirts and breakfast tacos delivered to their project site. Participating organizations receive recognition for contributions to projects.

To check out the projects and volunteer for the day, visit www.serviceaustin.org.

Be a part of Service Austin Day 2010 and join in on what is becoming an annual Austin tradition!