

From My Laptop to Yours.

It excites me to see churches connect to "causes" that are at the heart of God. Check out the **Together for Adoption** conference:

Our world's orphan crisis is massive. There are over 163 million orphaned and vulnerable children worldwide, and God has called the Church to care for them. As massive as that crisis seems, it is not worth comparing to the power of the Gospel to mobilize and enable God's people to fulfill this calling. Yes, the orphan crisis is big, but God's Gospel is bigger still.

Join us at our October 1st & 2nd national conference in Austin as we consider "The Gospel, the Church, and the Global Orphan Crisis." The 2010 conference will be our largest conference (we are projecting over 1200), with general sessions, longer breakout sessions, and more time to network with other churches, organizations, and adoptive families. The Austin Stone Community Church is hosting this event with Hill Country Bible Church serving as the venue host.

Keynote speakers include Dave Gibbons, Matt Carter, Brian Lorritys, JD Greear, Dr. Karyn Purvis, and Dan Cruver. Worship will be led by Aaron Ivey and our conference host this year is Carlos Whittaker.

For those who are wanting to better care for adopted children and families we are excited to be hosting an Empowered to Connect Pre-Conference workshop with Dr. Karyn Purvis.

Visit www.TogetherforAdoption.org for conference information.

I encourage you to get involved in the redemption of God's children! You will be amazed at what God will do in your life and heart!

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



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, 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.

MARY HILL DAVIS OFFERING



Week of Prayer
September 12 - 19, 2010
www.maryhilldavis.org

REACH TEXAS OFFERING



Week of Prayer
September 19 - 26, 2010
www.sbtexas.com/reachtexas



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

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

GCM Collective Conference

The GCM Collective will host **The GCM Collective Conference** in Austin, TX **October 28-30** to bring together church planters, pastors, and leaders to collaborate on the practice of missional communities. This three-day conference is designed to equip leaders through main and breakout sessions under the themes of *GOSPEL*, *COMMUNITY* and *MISSION*.

You will get to hear from, meet and interact with leaders who are daily practitioners, living in gospel communities on mission in their cities. This is a unique experience that will present the why, what and how-to of starting, leading and multiplying missional communities. Interactive plenary sessions, breakouts and unique training experiences will fill our days both on-site and off.

Big church, small church, multi-site or neighborhood this event is for every church that seeks to effectively expand the gospel in their context and grow in their practice of missional church.

October 28-30, 2010

High Point Baptist Church



"Angel House" Soap 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

Anniversary Celebration

October 3rd, **Park Hills Baptist Church** will celebrate their 40th anniversary at the present location. The 80th anniversary of West Austin Baptist Church will be included. The **morning worship** service will begin at **10:45 AM** with Samuel Clintoc preaching on "**Rededicating our Hearts**". Dinner on the ground will follow at noon.

We are fortunate to have ten founding members who will be able to attend the service. Former members and friends are invited.



Austin Pregnancy
RESOURCE CENTER

2010 FALL EXTRAVAGANZA

Leaving a Legacy

September 28, 2010
UT Alumni Center
6:15 - 8:30 PM

Space is limited so please reserve your table today!
Call or email Lori DeVillez
(512) 476-7774
lori@austinprc.org



Help us be good Stewards!

Please inform us of address changes or sign up to receive the newsletter via email at charlotte@austinbaptist.org





Oak Meadow Baptist Church (OMBC) is close to the finishing their church's remodel of building one. The work is to be completed on October 15th and they will have our first worship service on October 31st.

OMBC is also planning the **Church Building Dedication for Sunday, December 5th**. All are invited to join OMBC on that day.

Please continue to pray as the day approaches and as OMBC ministers to this new area of South Austin. They have seen countless number of people won to the Lord and are looking to see many more won to Jesus.



Woodlawn Baptist Church broke ground on their building project on August 29, 2010. Join Woodlawn in prayer for this project and pray for Dr. David Ritsema, pastor of Woodlawn, as he leads his congregation through this time.

Keep up with its progress by visiting www.imaginewoodlawNBC.com. The website includes updates, plans and other information.