

1John 5:14-15 "And this is the confidence that we have in him, that, if we ask any thing according to his will, he heareth us: and if we know that he hear us, whatsoever we ask, we know that we have the petitions that we desired of him."

PRAY FOR OUR ASSOCIATION

Chuck Campbell, Associational Missionary
 Rev. Jeff Parker, Discipleship Team
 Dave Nimer, Evangelism Team
 Alan Perry, "Go Team" Missions Team
 Ann Stamey, WMU Team
 Jim Felty, Baptist Men Team
 Barbara Donithan, Prayer Team
 Lisa Campbell, VBS Team
 Billy Ragland, Youth Team
 Donna White, Audit Team
 Constitution and By-Laws Team
 Bill Ragland, Finance Team
 Memorial Team
 Nominating Team
 Rev. Ron Nelson, Ordination Team
 Pastor/Church Relations Team
 Personnel Team
 Program Team
 Resolutions Team
 Trustees

Father, we thank you for these leaders you have placed in our Association. Let Your purposes be fulfilled in all these offices as we submit to Your leadership.

COME PRAY WITH US!

Join us at our monthly TBA Prayer Meetings! We meet on the second Tuesday of every month, usually at First Baptist Church. Call or email for more information: 553-3695 / brevardnc@citcom.net

Matthew 18:19 "I also tell you this: If two of you agree here on earth concerning anything you ask, my Father in heaven will do it for you."

PRAY FOR OUR CHURCHES WITHOUT PASTORS

Grace, Little River, Blue Ridge, Carr's Hill, Lake Tox-away, The Church at Sapphire

Father, we lift these congregations to you. As they go through the process of selection, let them look to You for leadership and wisdom. Keep them unified, bringing harmony among the leaders and congregations. We praise you, Jesus, because You alone are the Head of the church, Your Body.

PRAY FOR OUR MISSIONARIES

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Father, we thank you for our brothers and sisters who have given You their all by serving as missionaries. Bless and protect them, and prosper the work they are doing for your Kingdom. May many souls be saved.

Welcome to the Transylvania Baptist Association Prayer Guide.
 Use this guide as a point of reference for the prayer needs of the Association, our churches, and other needs.
 Send your prayer requests to Barbara Donithan at brevardnc@citcom.net. or PO Box 483, Brevard, NC 28712

Colossians 4:2 Devote yourselves to prayer with an alert mind and a thankful heart. 3 Pray for us, too, that God will give us many opportunities to speak about his mysterious plan concerning Christ.

PRAY FOR OUR SOLDIERS

Brevard First Baptist Church

Patrick Smith
Bryan Taylor
Grant Andrews
Jeremiah Galloway
Layne Hubbard
Jason Hall
Burney Mack
Jesse Wade McGriff
Robert Nicholson III
Patrick Wilde
Christopher Wilde

Pisgah Forest Baptist Church

Matthew Ansari - Afghanistan
Craig Baker - Italy
Kimberly Brown
Joshua Cline
Scott R. Farrar was in Iraq - will be in Germany
Ferrell Garren-Army National Guard
Richard S. Harris - Warner Robbins, Georgia
Matthew J. Kirby - Iraq
Chris Lafratta - Kentucky
Burney Mack - Chaplain in Afghanistan
Matthew McCall
Jim Mears - Afghanistan
Gilbert Wagi

Brevard Community

Christopher Scharff: in helicopter flight school

Morningside Baptist Church

Matt Sansosti

Zion Baptist Church

(All will be in Iraq)

Caleb McCall
Jonathan Morgan
Casey Baltezone
Caleb Pressley
Travis Crowell
Taylor Kuss
Joel Dalton

Psalm 91: 14 The Lord says, "I will rescue those who love me. I will protect those who trust in my name.

PRAY FOR TRANSYLVANIA COUNTY SHIELD OF PRAYER FOR POLICE AND FIRE DEPTS.

Pray for their safety and the safety of their families
Mental alertness
Emotional Strength
Spiritual Wisdom, understanding and discernment
Compassion - help in not losing their compassion
Pray that all firemen-women and EMS workers will glorify God
Physical Strength
Family Relationships
Work Relationships
Spiritual lives / salvation for unsaved

2 Samuel 22:3

my God is my rock, in whom I find protection. He is my shield, the power that saves me, and my place of safety. He is my refuge, my savior, the one who saves me from violence.

PRAY FOR OUR YOUTH

Lord we pray for the youth of our churches. Let them shine with your light in their schools and neighborhoods. Give them strength to live for you and give them boldness to share their faith with their peers. May they be a blessing to their families, teachers and churches. Give them peace in your love, and guide them into righteousness in You.

Isaiah 54:13

I will teach all your children, and they will enjoy great peace.

PRAY FOR OUR LEADERS

Father, we pray for our President, all members of Congress, the Supreme Court and all state and local leaders. Guide them into all righteousness. Remove the idols from our country, that we may be blessed.

1 Timothy 2:2

Pray this way for kings and all who are in authority so that we can live peaceful and quiet lives marked by godliness and dignity.

Ephesians 1:15-17 Therefore, I also, hearing of your faith in the Lord Jesus and love to all the saints, do not cease giving thanks for you, making mention of you in my prayers, that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give to you the spirit of wisdom and revelation in the knowledge of Him...

PRAY FOR OUR CHURCHES AND THEIR PASTORS

Blantyre Baptist Church - Ron Nelson
Blue Ridge - Samuel Ramsey
Boylston - James Burrell
Brevard First Baptist Church Daniel Hedgepeth
Brevard Community - Todd Alewine
Calvary - Stephen Moore
Carr's Hill -*
Carson's Creek - Don Waters
Cathey's Creek - Malcolm Lance
Cedar Mountain - Harlon Ramsey
Cherryfield - Keith Thielke (Answer to Prayer!)
Dunn's Creek - Jackie Hensley
Dunn's Rock - Thomas Stixrud
East Fork - Doug Tankersley
Enon - Tommy Madden
Faith Missionary - Kyle Reese
Gladly Branch - Lee Ray Greene
Grace -*
La Caridad - Rick Plotts
La Primera - Alex Marquez
Lake Toxaway -*
Little Cove - Raymond Brickhouse
Little River - *
Middle Fork - Chester Chappell
Morningside - Bill Voorhes
Mt. Moriah Calvert - Steve Jones
New Hope - Randy Shuler
North Toxaway - Tommy Mullis
Oak Grove - Steve Boley
Pisgah Forest - *
Rocky Hill - Alton Taylor
Shoal Creek - "Buster" McCall
Temple - Charles Bratu
Church at Sapphire - Dr. Oliver Skerrett
Turkey Creek - Raymond Whitfield
Zion - Dan Delinger

***Churches without Pastors at this time**

PRAY FOR UPCOMING EVENTS

- 50 by 1015, Effort to reach 50 Unreached People Groups by 2015. Pray that our churches will participate
- Preschool Ministers Retreat, Jan. 21-22, 2010
- Convergence Prayer, Evangelism and Leadership Forum, Feb. 28 - March 2, 2010
- Embrace (Mother-Daughter Retreat) March 26-27, 2010
- Operation Inasmuch, April 24, 2010 and/or May 1, 2010

Please send your events to brevardnc@citcom.net to be included in next month's prayer bulletin.

PRAY FOR SPECIAL NEEDS

***Brevard Community:** Building Program

*Please pray for **Cherryfield Baptist Church** as they begin the transition of Interim to Full-Time Pastor. Be in prayer for the Willingham's and the Thielke (thil-key) family. Please pray for the Music Search Committee as well. Thank you!

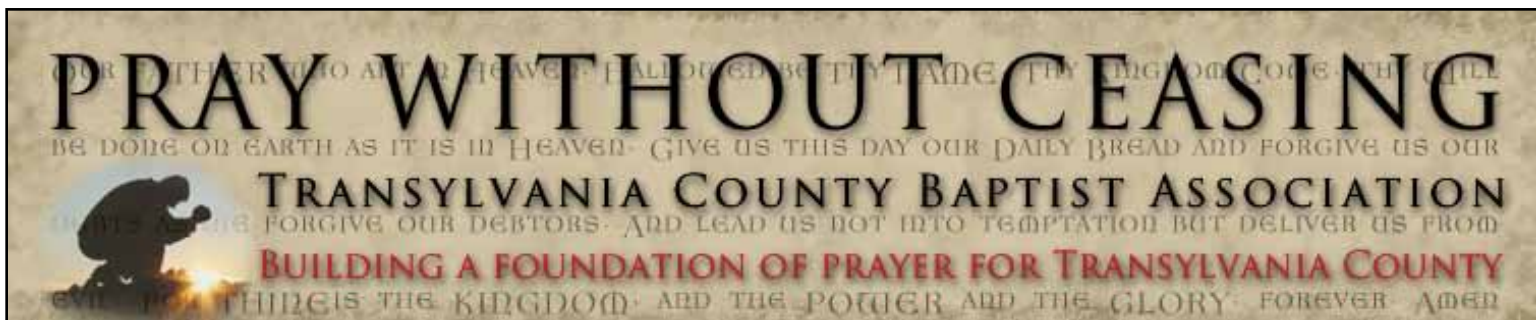
***Pisgah Forest Baptist** - Pastor Search Team and deacons as they find Interim pastor.

***Gladly Branch** - Pray for our Mission work in Nagaland. We just started a Pastors school and plan on completing 3 schools before our crusade in Kohomia in 2011. We also are taking 15 to work at the Mercy Care Centre in Naribo, Kenya this June. Pray for additional staff for youth ministry and praise and worship leader.

***Rev. Jimmy Fanning's family**

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Ephesians 6:18 "Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, and watching thereunto with all perseverance and supplication for all saints;"

SPECIAL URGENT PRAYER REQUEST

Call to Urgent Prayer for SBC - Pass the word to your church, friends and family.

Who: Southern Baptists - corporately and individually

When: January 31, 2010 (all day)

What: Day of Fasting, Prayer and Repentance

Why: We have forgotten our first love (Revelation 2:4) and need revival in Southern Baptist life and in the church in North America. There are many decisions being made including: the Great Commission Resurgence Task Force (GCRT), God's Plan for Sharing Evangelism Initiative (GPS), Across North America, president search committees for a number of our SBC agencies, etc. We need God's direction.

How:

- * Use personal preparation guides for cleansing and restoration for individuals.
- * Plan a Solemn Assembly or a Concert of Prayer for whole congregation.
- * Hold prayer gatherings by Sunday School classes or Bible study groups.
- * Encourage families to have a focused prayer time acknowledging God alone is God.

Resources: Information to support the above ideas and more are being added daily to the www.GPS2020.net Website in the "Praying" milepost section or follow the link below.

Objective: The goal is for all of us to "Be still and know that God is God," and to return to Him wholeheartedly. By our being still before Him (see Psalm 46:10), we exalt our God and position ourselves to obey the Great Commission our Lord commanded in Matthew 28:18-20.

http://www.namb.net/site/c.9qKILUOzEpH/b.5693215/k.2196/Call_to_Urgent_Prayer_for_SBC.htm

On behalf of J. Chris Schofield, Ph.D.

Director of the Office of Prayer for Evangelization and Spiritual Awakening
Baptist State Convention of North Carolina

The header graphic depicts a foundation stone with the Lord's Prayer carved into it. Prayer is the basis for everything we do in and for the Lord. Without Him, we can do nothing. Jesus said, *"I tell you the truth, the Son can do nothing by himself. He does only what he sees the Father doing. Whatever the Father does, the Son also does. For the Father loves the Son and shows him everything he is doing."* -John 5:19-20a. As followers of Christ, we can do no less. Prayer and communion with the Father will enable us to accomplish His will on the earth. We can do all things through Christ, who strengthens us!