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MINISTRY STAFF POSITION

Baldwin Baptist Association will be accepting applications as we look towards hiring a Ministry Assistant/Clerk. This position is 24 hours per week. The position will support the Executive Assistant.

This staff position involves working with our communications including, but not limited to, the weekly layout for the back page of the Alabama Baptist, updating our Facebook page and website, as well as composing and sending out emails and other means of communication to pastors and churches.

The position involves serving as recording secretary at key meetings and helping when needed. It involves assisting those who contact the associational office.

Send resumes to rick@baldwinbaptist.com or mail to the office. We hope to hire someone who will begin service after the first of the year. This staff position is to be approved by the Personnel and Executive Committees.

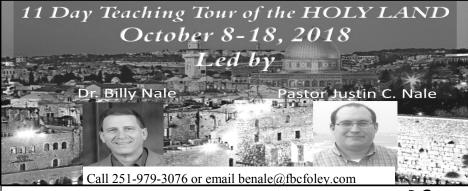
Rick Ellison

Goodies for GARM

As the Christmas season approaches, the Gulf Area Resort Ministry begins to think of the many people, businesses and agencies that partner with them throughout the year. As a

way of saying "Thank You", we deliver a festive bag of goodies to them. You can help by preparing some of your favorite Christmas treats such as candy, cookies, etc.

Bring your items to the Association office by 2 pm on Dec. 12th. You're invited to join the ladies of BBA WMU to help pack the homemade goodies into the gift bags that afternoon in the Silverhill FBC Multi-Purpose building.



PRAYER BOOT CAMP:

Basic Training for a Life of Prayer January 20, 2018 - 8:30 am to 2:30 pm **Foley First Baptist**

"My house will be called a house of prayer for all nations" Isaiah 56:7

Our association is hosting a special prayer event, led by Claude King, co-author of Experiencing God and prayer specialist for LifeWay Christian Resources. You are invited to take advantage of this one-day event. Cost is \$10 and covers all materials, lunch, and snacks. Sign up online at www.baldwinbaptist.org—pay at the door.

For questions, contact Brenda Harris, our Associational prayer leader, at brendaharris50@live.com or 615-336-8793.

YOUR GIFTS at work

Lottie Moon Christmas Offering Week of Prayer December 3-10, 2017

Your giving enables missionaries to be sent to make disciples and multiply churches among unreached peoples and places for the glory of God.

Pray † Give † Go † Send

HERE'S THE IMPACT YOUR CHURCH MAKES:

100% of gifts to the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering fund IMB missionaries who are making disciples and multiplying churches among unreached people and places. In the last year reported (2015):

- 1.9 MILLION heard the gospel
- 15,058 trained pastors
- 175,290 new believers
- 6,138 new churches

The Association office will close for Thanksgiving at noon on November 21st and reopen at 8 am on November 27th.



Christian Married Couple

Full-time

"Maintenance/

Relief" house parents. Home and utilities furnished, salary, benefits and vacation.

Baldwin County Sheriff's Boys Ranch. Call 251-989-6392.

Praying for Sutherland Springs Baptist Church



PIES FOR PRISONERS

You can be a part of our Prison Ministry by preparing HOME-MADE pies for the Loxley Community Work Center! We have had a request that some of the pies be made with Splenda,

for those who need sugar-free options.

- We hope to provide the equivalent of one pie for each man, to be served throughout the week around Thanksgiving.
- Drop off pies (that don't need refrigeration) on Tuesday, November **21st,** at the Work Center on Hwy 64, in Loxley, from 8 THANK YOU am to 2 pm.

We are so thankful for your generous response each year!

Interstate Chapel Ministry For Truckers

Our Truckers' Ministry is reaching out to our generous churches for help in sharing the Good News to lonely, hard-working truckers. How can you help? Here are a couple of ideas:



- Cheer Bags for Truckers—brown or white bags filled with brown jersey gloves, flashlight and batteries, Christian CDs, pens, small notebooks, individual size packs of cookies or snacks (not home-
- Christmas Gifts for Kids—the children of the Oasis truck stop workers look forward to a Christmas party each year, where they receive special gifts and a visit from our very own "Santa", Chaplain Charlie Wilson! There are 6-8 children who would benefit from a necessity or toy.

For other ideas, or additional information, contact Chaplain Charlie at 205-310-0195 or sicm316@yahoo.com.

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