



June Birthdays

9th Mike Breeden, Garrison
24th Bob Schafer, Cranmore Cove

June Wedding Anniversaries

1st Milton and Judy Knox, Dayton First
9th Dan and Mary Mouw, Union Fork
10th Herman and Jeanine Fox, Grandview
15th Jerry and Karen Levengood, Walden's Ridge



Upcoming Dates to Remember

- 6/4 Summer Kickoff Picnic, Sale Creek First Bap., 5pm
- 6/7-10 TBC Christian Men's & Women's Job Corps certification training, Carson Springs
- 6/10 SBC Crossover, Phoenix, AZ
- 6/12-16 TBC Youth Journey Week Camp, Linden Valley
- 6/13-14 SBC Annual Meeting, Phoenix AZ.
- 6/18 Father's Day



SBC Baptist Men's Emphasis Day,
TBAH Father's Day Offering

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- 6/19-23 TBC Youth Journey Week, Linden Valley
- 6/25 Horizon Community Church Launch, PA
- 6/25 SBC Mission Dignity Sunday
- 6/26-30 TBC Impact Camp, Carson Springs
- 7/11 TVBA Executive Board Meeting, 7pm

TVBA Church VBS Dates

5/29-6/2	Yellow Creek	6-8:30
5/31-6/2	Central	6-8:30
6/4-8	Garrison	6-8:30
6/4-8	Grandview	6-8:30
6/4-8	Lake Drive	6:30
6/4-9	Spring City First	5:30
6/4-9	Walden's Ridge	6-8:45
6/5-7	Dayton First	8:30-2
6/11-14, 16	Sale Creek First	6-8:30
6/12-16	Cranmore Cove	6-8:30
6/12-16	Saint Clair	
7/10-14	Salem	6-8:30



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WMU Minute by Sandra Young, TVBA WMU Dir.

June and summer are here! Where did the first half of the year go? If your year has been like mine, work has really had to occupy most of my time! Now that your church programs are winding down for the summer, with the exception of Vacation Bible School, but then as a rule, it is only for one week. The question now, is what mission opportunity will you do during the summer months? Mission education is vital for our membership, so they understand how far Southern Baptist reaches out to the world and in the many facets that they are involved in. It helps them understand the importance of Lottie Moon and Annie Armstrong. If you need someone to talk to your WMU groups, I understand one of the house mothers or house parents from the Chattanooga campus are willing to come and speak to your group on Sunday or Wednesday night. You can reach them through the houseparent's Mr. and Mrs. Cummings at 423-510-0962.



TN Baptist Children's home needs:

- Peanut Butter & Jelly
- Canned Ravioli
- Cereal (no Oatmeal, they have plenty of it currently)
- Pop tarts & Granola Bars
- Things that are easy to make to give to the kids since they have 3 meals to make during the summer.

Joseph Leech is a Missionary Kid, a sophomore at Union University. You may send gifts & encouragement to:

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Jerry Bare	423-	605-6858
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Jerry Harwood	423-	762-1314
David Horton	423-	365-4042
Bob Huff	423-	902-6220
Ken Hysell	423-	447-3231
Scott Jones	423-	775-5070
Mike Kean	423-	290-7937
Harold Newby	423-	827-6439
Sam Olsen	423-	618-1844
Jonathan Propes	423-	763-8344
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Ken Robinson	423-	802-4663
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Please let TVBA publish your upcoming events so we may encourage and support each other as part of His Kingdom especially your plans for this summer including VBS and Backyard Kids Club. TVBA Minute Books are available at the association.

Minute with Mike Young, D Min.,
 Associational Director of Missions

We still need someone to agree to be our associational VBS Director for next year. Maybe that someone is you.

Remember prayerfully Mount Vernon, and Pilgrim's Rest churches as they continue to seek a pastor. Graysville, 1st has called Emory Layne as pastor. Emory recently left Mt Vernon after 22 years of service there. We are glad to have him continuing to serve as a pastor in our association.

Our association contributed and distributed over 1,200 bottles of water at the **Strawberry Festival**. Sandra and I and three volunteers from our churches manned our booth on Saturday. Many of our volunteers who served when we began this ministry in 1999 are now unable to do so. Perhaps you will consider assisting in this ministry next year.

I recently have been doing a study of passages in the Bible which contain **"But God"** in them. In our daily discourse you and I frequently say "But I". I have often thought and said that when listening to someone wax eloquent that I hear a "But" coming. "But" and "if" are two very small words which have big connotations. My favorite "But God" verse is **Romans 5:8**. In that verse Paul writes "But God commended his love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us". To Paul, this is the real proof of Christ's love. In the verses preceding this verse Paul asserts that it would be difficult enough to get a man to die for a just man. A man might have the greater love that would make him offer to die for a friend. The wonder of **Christ's love** is that he died for us when we were sinners and in a state of enmity and hostility to God. Love can go no further than that. Then, Paul goes a step further in his argument. Through Christ's death we were put in a right relationship with God. That is the doctrine of justification. Not only is our status is changed but our state is changed as the saving process continues to go on in our lives, and never ends until we see him face to face and are like him having experienced glorification, the end of our saving process. Most of the "buts" I hear in life I dread. This one that Paul employs in this verse I am thankful for every day. I enjoy what the song says "I am so glad that Jesus loves me. Jesus loves even me."



TVBA FINANCIAL REPORT thru May 31, 2017

<u>CHURCES</u>	<u>Month</u>	<u>YTD 2017</u>
Bethel	\$ 136.16	\$ 724.72
Central	\$ 939.75	\$ 2,336.52
Clear Creek	\$ 150.00	\$ 550.00
Concord Union	\$ 100.00	\$ 500.00
Cranmore Cove	\$ -	\$ 543.30
Dayton First	\$ 756.04	\$ 4,535.54
Garrison	\$ 50.00	\$ 250.00
Grandview	\$ 50.00	\$ 250.00
Graysville First	\$ 50.00	\$ 250.00
High Point	\$ 61.00	\$ 327.00
Lake Drive	\$ 339.64	\$ 1,761.21
Mercy Missionary	\$ 100.00	\$ 500.00
Mt. Vernon	\$ 100.00	\$ 500.00
Mt. Zion	\$ 84.27	\$ 316.03
New Union	\$ -	\$ 1,200.00
Ogden	\$ 200.00	\$ 1,000.00
Old Washington	\$ 200.00	\$ 1,000.00
Pilgrim's Rest	\$ -	\$ 300.00
Saint Clair	\$ 184.23	\$ 772.40
Sale Creek First	\$ 185.00	\$ 925.00
Salem	\$ 188.39	\$ 927.10
Smyrna	\$ 457.00	\$ 1,082.00
Spring City First	\$ 999.30	\$ 4,803.10
TBC Supplement	\$ 1,344.75	\$ 6,723.75
Union Fork	\$ 50.00	\$ 250.00
Walden's Ridge	\$ 602.00	\$ 2,252.00
Wolf Creek	\$ 1,405.00	\$ 5,237.00
Yellow Creek	\$ 254.60	\$ 1,023.92
Miscellaneous Income	\$ 850.00	\$ 4,113.00

Total Received: \$ 9,837.65
 Total Expenses: \$ 7,694.39
 Ending Balance: \$ 11,024.39

