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Associational Giving

July/YTD 2011

Thank you to the following churches for giving to Associational Missions.

Churches	July	YTD
Anderson, Church of God (Spanish Mission)	\$36.00	\$71.00
Anderson, Happy Valley	\$0.00	\$0.00
Burney, FBC	\$223.37	\$1,195.44
Dunsmuir, FBC	\$63.00	\$490.00
Hat Creek Community Church	\$27.00	\$259.20
Lookout Community Church	\$0.00	\$175.00
McArthur, Valley BC	\$100.00	\$700.00
McCloud, FBC	\$77.52	\$396.64
Mt. Shasta, FBC	\$845.46	\$6,701.95
Red Bluff, FSBC	\$359.95	\$2,729.70
Red Bluff, Antelope Home Fellowship	\$80.00	\$151.12
Red Bluff Community Church	\$27.52	\$27.52
Redding, Faith Comm. Church	\$446.79	\$1,423.79
Redding, Hope Baptist Church	\$0.00	\$200.00
Redding, Korean Baptist Church	\$180.00	\$360.00
Shasta Lake, FBC	\$0.00	\$175.45
Shasta Lake, First lu-Mien (Mission)	\$19.23	\$179.34
Yreka, FSBC	\$0.00	\$0.00
Totals	\$2,485.84	\$15,236.15

In Our Association

August

19 Executive Board Dinner

October

15 SBA Annual Meeting (location tba)

Searching for a New Pastor



FBC McCloud
FSBC Red Bluff

BLOCK PARTY TRAILER – Reservation Information

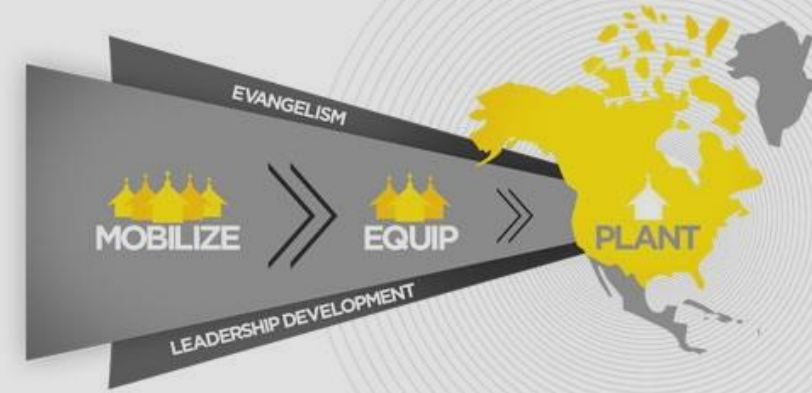
Please see our website for details on reserving the trailer. Contact Ralph Hannan (530) 347-5214 at Faith Com. Church to tentatively calendar your event. For the party trailer there is a \$35 usage reimbursement to cover the replacement costs.

Current Reservations

10/14-16 FBC Shasta Lake

Shasta Baptist Associational Newsletter

August/September 2011



THE SEND STRATEGY

Send North America focuses on mobilizing missionaries and churches.

When churches or individuals sign up they are first assessed to identify the types of partnerships or missionary tracks that best fit them. Then NAMB provides any needed equipping and training—including evangelism and leadership development—before the missionary or church enters the mission field.

Churches that partner with NAMB have a broad range of participation options, including starting a church themselves or with a group of other churches. All are encouraged to send volunteers and other resources to partner with church planters on the field.

Fewer than 4 percent of SBC churches are engaged in church planting as a primary sponsor—accepting responsibility for direct financial support in partnership with other churches. NAMB's goal is to see an increase to 10 %.

Go to www.namb.net to see the send North America strategy.



Paul said, "For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ, for it is *the* power of God unto salvation to everyone who believes, to the Jew first and also to the Greek." (Rom 1:16) and it is with this unashamed commitment that Southern Baptists give to the cause of Christ around the world. This was made evident in the California Mission Offering for 2010. Though California Southern Baptist Churches are suffering as a result of the economic difficulties in our country, they are faithful to contribute to the California Mission Offering at a rate of \$335,751.02.

Shasta Baptist Association churches gave \$1,819.61 to the CMO.

Area Missionary News

Missions Camp was amazing! We had 111 children, youth and adults participating in missions, worship, mission's project to Westwood, and fun activities. We learned how to present the Gospel in various ways, starting Good News Clubs in elementary schools (thank you, Cindy from CEF) and campus ministries in High Schools (thank you, Sherann Kim from CSBC). Thank you, Pastor Travis Walker from Smith Valley for challenging our youth to know the will of God for their lives and leading them through their commitment night, Pastor Alan for chapel services and adult Bible study, and Pastor Steve for working with our children and praying with so many throughout the week. Thank you, Mindy, Faith Community Church, and the Band for leading and providing in so many areas! Also, thank you Amy for leading sign language and ministries, camp cooks Donna and Julie for the great meals, and camp Nurse Jackie for helping us through the challenges this week. The Lord blessed us



with many great workers and summer missionaries who poured themselves out to invest in our young people and each other. There were 2 salvations, 3 assurances of salvation, and 12 called to commit to missions! What a great experience - so many are already talking about next year's Missions Camp!

Making Missions Fun,
J. & Nicky Ballard

Among Our Churches

Our VBS started Monday the 18th. Kicked off with 24 kids. Grown to last night mid 30's. Had 13 professions of faith!!!! Going to baptize at least one!

Lunch program is going great (although tiring). This week we started serving mid 50's on Monday then it went up! Tuesday - 72, Wednesday - 84, Thursday - 92. We are averaging in the 60's per day! Also, we have had 4 people come to Jesus during the lunch program, and I have baptized all 4 -- and 3 joined the church!

Thanks to you and the association for the financial assistance. To date we have raised nearly \$5,000 just for this program! God is so great. He said if we would do it He would pay for it. When we voted to do this at the church, I told the church the cost would be between \$3,500 - \$5,000 for 10 weeks of summer. We prayed about it and felt God saying do it! Our average spending is about \$390 a week but is increasing. It will probably end up at \$450 a week.

I keep telling the church that we have so much potential to reach our community! It is almost like the smaller you are the more you can do because God gets all the glory. We do not have big money to throw at the problem, nor do we have a big army of volunteers -- all we have is God! And He says go! I wish other small churches would see what they could accomplish. We are not defeated! We are victorious! and as God told Gideon, "The Lord is with you oh valiant warrior." God is calling out His warriors!

Keep the good fight going,

Pastor Richard McCormack
FBC Dunsmuir

Church Sending (Missions & Evangelism)



- ◆ **FSBC Red Bluff had 36 children, 18 workers and raised over \$90 for missions!**
- ◆ **Hat Creek Community had an average of 80 with 5 salvations!**

- ◆ **FBC Burney had 73 enrolled with 10 salvations and 86 at their Family Night! Great job, Donna Ford, on your first year of directing VBS!**
- ◆ **Valley Baptist in McArthur had 57 children with 17 salvations!**
- ◆ **Red Bluff Community had 17 children with 3 salvations in the apartments!**
- ◆ **FBC Mt. Shasta had 75 kids enrolled, around 65 in attendance, 7 first time decisions.**
- ◆ **Antelope Home Fellowship reached out with the Saddle Ridge Ranch theme. They averaged 23 in attendance and reached 2 new families.**

Church Strengthening

Executive Board Dinner

August 19 7:00pm

Marie Callender's, 1987 Hilltop Drive, Redding

Shasta Associational Pastors and Church Leaders, please join the Association's Corporate Team and I for a Friday Executive Board Dinner. We will use this time for fellowship, prayer, networking, and planning for the remainder of 2011:

- ◆ **communicating the budget**
- ◆ **adding a corporate team member**
- ◆ **looking at the NAMB strategy**
- ◆ **placing a priority on new work and ministry points**

I'm excited at the partnerships and ministry sharing that our Association of churches has been doing. God is at work in and through our churches. Please prayerfully consider your attendance.