

# Oldham-Trimble Baptist Association

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*United on  
Mission*

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## Ministry Needs!!

The associational **Clothes Closet** ministry is located at the Baptist Ministry Center in Ballardsville. The seasonal shift of clothing from winter to summer apparel is taking place.

Are you looking for an opportunity to serve in a Christian ministry? Consider becoming a volunteer serving just one Monday evening a month to assist with clothing distribution. Call Evelyn Morgan 222-1322 or Beverly Kriel 222-1816 for more information.

The **Infant Resource Center** is in need of infant and children's clothing items. Ministry volunteers are needed. Call Angela Thomas at: 502 222-4197 or 502 439-4142 for more information.

The **Good News Homes** is making a smooth transition under the new leadership of Executive Director Barbara Fendley and Program Director Stephanie Skeens. To learn more about how you may be of service, call 502 225-0351. The office is located at: 210 E. Madison Street, LaGrange, KY 40031.



## Financial Report

September 1, 2010 – March 25, 2011

### Gifts received from Churches:

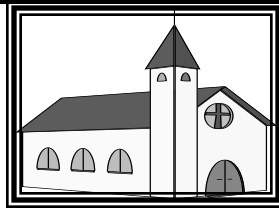
Antioch	280.00
Ballardsville	4,678.65
Bedford	2,925.00
Beulah Land	218.71
Buckner	1,831.71
Corn Creek	1,062.72
Covington	1,651.65
Crestwood	4,416.12
DeHaven	4,240.60
E320 Centerfield	0.00
Eighteen Mile	352.25
Grace Point Church	0.00
Harrods Creek	958.75
LaGrange	4,267.50
LaGrange Heights	0.00
Liberty	80.00
Milton	2,965.00
Nuevo Amanecer	1,070.00
Phos	0.00
Pleasant View	200.00
Poplar Ridge	0.00
Providence	785.59
Sligo	2,979.66
Union Grove	270.00
Westport	4,241.34

**Total Church Receipts 38,505.25**

**Reported September 1, 2010  
Through March 25, 2011**

**Budgeted to date: 51,815**  
**Received to date: 38,505**  
**Under Budget: (13,310)**

## AMONG THE CHURCHES



**Sligo** — Pray for the church in seeking God's leadership and guidance in seeking a new pastor.

**Beulah Land** — Lay-led revival meetings April 3-6. Sunday 6 pm Monday-Wednesday 7 pm.

### Pastors and Staff members Birthdays/Anniversaries

**Westport**—*Gail Sowell, wife of DeWayne Sowell, pastor, celebrates her birthday April 17.*

**Corn Creek**—*Cynthia Bailie, wife of Benjamin Bailie, pastor, celebrates her birthday April 19.*

**Beulah Land**—*Susan Acree, wife of Doug Acree, pastor, celebrates her birthday April 30.*

### Featured Pastors of the Month!

**Jon Young** — Nuevo Amanecer  
**Tony Rose** — LaGrange  
**Chris Young** — LaGrange Heights  
**Howard Bagley** — Liberty

The **Creation Museum**, located near the Cincinnati/Northern KY International Airport in Northern Kentucky is inviting the pastors and wives of the Oldham-Trimble Baptist Association to a private viewing of the facility Thursday, June 2, 2011. This will be from 7:30 am—1:00 pm. There is no charge for this event and lunch will be provided by the Museum.

Special rates are available to stay at a nearby hotel on Wednesday evening if desired.

If you or a staff person and your spouses are interested in accepting this invitation, please contact Randy Jones, DOM for the OTBA by email: Randy@otba-ky.com or call him at: 502 262-5058 to make a reservation to participate.

Space for this special tour is limited, so make your reservations as soon as possible.

### Find It Here 2011

**Celebration of the resurrection of our Lord Jesus is April 24 this year. What a great time to share this Good News with our friends and family.**

**Continue to pray for at least three people you know personally to come to faith in Christ Jesus this Easter!**

## Randy's Remarks...

We celebrated our Spring Missions Rally March 27 at the Bedford Baptist Church. Pastor Ferrill Davis and his people were excellent hosts. The choir and the Praise Team set the stage for an outstanding meeting!

New officers were elected. Moderator: Earl Wayne Perry; Assistant Moderator: Stephen Smith; Clerk: John Mitchen; Assistant Clerk: Teresa Mitchen; Treasurer: Keith Mahurin; and Trustees: Billy Fischer, Don Stethen and Bill Tucker. These folks will assume office at the conclusion of the Annual Meeting in October.

We had four speakers with each one representing an area of our Great Commission responsibility. Ann Marple, Beulah Land Baptist, shared about the origins and work of the Foundation of Hope. Shirley Whitehouse, Ballardsville Baptist, talked about the outreach in eastern Kentucky to the underserved people with medical, dental and other human needs. Mark Peterson, LaGrange Baptist, shared a biblical basis for missions and talked about sharing the gospel in Central Asian.

Our keynote speaker was Dr. Stan Smith, Associate Executive Director of the Pennsylvania/South Jersey Baptist Convention. He challenged the churches of our association to partner with the new church starts in Pittsburgh. Only about 5% of the population in Pittsburgh can be identified as Evangelical Christians. The needs are great. "I am not asking you to come and carry the whole load. I am asking you to come to Pittsburgh and help us by carrying one corner of the bed of the man stricken with palsy..." said Smith. His reference was to the four friends who carried their sick friend to Jesus and were forced to cut a hole in the roof of the house where Jesus was. It took all four of them to get the job done.

In the weeks and months ahead, you will be getting more information about our partnership with the Pittsburgh association. Each of us can pray. Most of us can give. Some of us will need to go.

What a joy to be involved in God's mission to the world!

Randy Jones, DOM

## What's Happening?

### APRIL

- 3-5 DOM Meeting at LifeWay, Nashville, TN
- 7 Pastor/Staff Lunch at Applebee's in LaGrange at 12 noon
- 15 Dinner meeting for pastors/wives with representatives from Pittsburgh partnership at 6:00 pm at DeHaven Baptist Church in LaGrange
- 22 Good Friday— Office Closed
- 23 Resurrection Sunday!! He is Risen Indeed!!!
- 25 Central Region Hispanic Ministry Board meeting at 7 pm at the BMC in Ballardsville

### MAY

- 5 Pastor/Staff Lunch at Hometown Pizza in Bedford at 12 noon
- 14 Reception for Dr. Pete Rivera's Retirement 3:00 pm at FBC Shelbyville
- 23 CRHM Board meeting at the BMC in Ballardsville beginning at 7:00 pm