

May & June 2025 NEWSLETTER

FROM THE DESK OF BRO. WADE

School's out. VBS has arrived. Camps are underway. Summers are busy seasons in the church and association. This year LBA is sponsoring a Youth Camp at Beech Springs June 30-July 3 and two separate Kids Camps July 6-12. Check the rest of this newsletter and our social media on Facebook and Instagram.



We also have a mission trip planned for July 20-24 to Forrest City to help Rusty Nails Cowboy Church with light construction, Bible clubs, and a revival meeting. Learn more about this in this newsletter and on our social media.

Please keep these camps and the mission trip in your prayers! Pray we will see a lot of people saved this summer through these events!

Building Update: Our LBA office building suffered water damage from an overflowing toilet in May. We are still in the process of repairing it and re-opening it. In the meantime, Mary is working remotely, and I am trying to be in the office daily. (My office was not damaged.) Reach out to us by email or by phone as needs arise. Thanks for your patience. Thanks for allowing me to serve as your AMS!

God bless you,

Wade

Associational Mission Strategist



BEECH SPRINGS CAMP & CONFERENCE CENTER



Camp is upon us! We have our staff locked in for summer- the new cabin is very close to being done. It looks like it may be done just in time for the first camp! We are praying it will.

We are excited that some things at the camp have gotten a makeover. Our kitchen appliances and vent hood got a deep clean by Restore It. They look great! We thank Mark

and Gina Moore for making that happen. Our pool has been painted thanks to a few helpers, and it is looking great!

We greatly appreciate the help and donations from the individuals of our churches. A special thanks goes to Ebenezer Baptist for a generous Easter donation they gave. We cannot run the camp without the help and love we receive from our churches.

Now, I ask that you pray for every soul that will come out here this summer: from those of the staff, to the children, and the counselors. May God move in a mighty way and receive many souls to His glory!

Thank you,

Bro. David

Camp Manager



IMPORTANT DATES

May 26 Memorial Day Observed, Office Closed

JUNE 1 CAMP KURIOS SESSIONS BEGIN

JUNE 1 LBA KIDS CAMP REGISTRATION DEADLINE

JUNE 8-11 SBC ANNUAL MEETING, DALLAS

JUNE 30-JULY 3 YOUTH CAMP, BEECH SPRINGS

JULY 4 INDEPENDENCE DAY, OFFICE CLOSED

JULY 6-9, 9-12 KIDS CAMP, BEECH SPRINGS

JULY 14-18 JOYWORKS & PRAISEWORKS, OUACHITA BAPTIST

JULY 20-24 FORREST CITY MISSION TRIP

CHURCH PASTOR OPENINGS

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH, MAGNOLIA SENIOR PASTOR

LIBERTY BAPTIST CHURCH SENIOR PASTOR

MIDWAY BAPTIST CHURCH SENIOR PASTOR

READER BAPTIST CHURCH SENIOR PASTOR

GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH FAMILY MINISTER

WORSHIP PASTOR OPENINGS

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH CAMDEN, AR

ELLIOTT BAPTIST CHURCH ELLIOTT, AR

CULLENDALE FBC CAMDEN, AR

RUBY SNIDER MINISTRY CENTER

177-families served

501-household members



Data from May 2025

LIBERTY MINISTRY CENTER

154 households

468 individuals

Did you know? This is an all-time record for the LMC Ministry.

Data from April 2025

mission trips

Forrest City Mission Tryp

TRIP INFORMATION:

- JULY 20-24, 2025
- COST \$200-\$250/PERSON
- BACKGROUND CHECK REQUIRED
 - o If you have a BG Check (recent-within last 2 years) a new one will not be required. Please provide a copy of current one.
 - o Need a new one? Cost is \$6. We can run one for you!
- \$100 DEPOSIT DUE MAY 20 DEADLINE
- LODGING & MEALS INCLUDED EXTENDED
- ACTIVITIES INCLUDE:
 - BACKYARD BIBLE/VBS
 - CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS
 - EVENING REVIVAL MEETINGS



Register here!

FAMILY MINISTER

Grace Baptist Church in Camden, Arkansas is seeking a full-time minister to share our labor of love for Jesus and his gospel. We are praying for someone who loves the Lord and his Church, who is called to minister to students and their families, who has a heart for discipleship, who is comfortable with social media outreach, navigating evolving technology, and who is a flexible team player. Please call or text Brother Richard at 870-390-9700 or email him at brotherrichard@gracebaptistcamden.org if you need more information or are inter-





