



LIBERTY

BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

AUGUST 2025 NEWSLETTER

FROM THE DESK OF BRO. WADE

I write this after completing this year's LBA mission trip to Forrest City, Arkansas. Our team worked with Pastor Hillmon Davis and the Rusty Nails Cowboy Church. Representatives from Three Creeks BC, East Main BC, Calvary Trail Cowboy Church, Grace BC, and Cullendale FBC participated. Part of our team worked on remodeling and improving an old house that will become a recreation area for Rusty Nails' Steering Straight rehab ministry. Other members conducted Bible clubs in two parks in neighborhoods where the church might start Bible studies or even house churches. The pastors on our trip preached during revival services each evening. We saw three professions of faith while there. Donny Hargett even baptized one of them on our last night! The weather was really hot, but our team powered through to do a lot for the Lord and His kingdom. Thank you, team. Great job!!!



Our big events for the summer are completed, but we still have much to do as we move into the Fall. Sunday School/small group worker training is coming in September. Seminary Extension classes will begin at the BCM Building at SAU Tech. I will be leading a class on basic Bible doctrine for pastors and others beginning in September. We are launching BCM at South Arkansas College this Fall. We have a board meeting in October, and our annual meeting is in November. Be looking for more information on these real soon (some of it may even be in this newsletter).

God bless you,

Wade

Associational Mission Strategist

BEECH SPRINGS CAMP & CONFERENCE CENTER



This summer we saw around 724 campers. Between Wrangler Camp, LBA Youth Camp, and LBA Kid's Camp we had at least 23 kids who accepted Christ! We praise the Lord for His goodness in bringing salvation, and we are thankful for the speakers and counselors who helped lead the kids to Him. Our new waterslide was a hit this summer. I had more staff this year than in previous summers, and they all did a good job. Sadly, one staff member broke his leg. He returned to visit during the last few days of kid's camp. We were glad to see him return and to be doing well. It was an encouragement to us all. Please be praying for his continued recovery.

Our new cabin is almost finished. In fact, it looks like it will be done by sometime next week. We can't wait to see it being used and enjoyed. This August we have three picnics on the schedule and then some groups coming in September and October. Let me know if you'd like to book a retreat. You can email me at beechspringscamp@gmail.com, or call me at 870-314-4939.

One special need that we have at the camp is a new diving board. The one we have now is cracked and bends at the end when someone is on it. Please let me know if you have an idea where we can get one, or if you'd like to try to repair it, we would be open to that. Thank you for your support of the camp. Please pray that the camp would continue to be a place where God is glorified, and kids and adults have good fun and fellowship together.

Praise God from whom all blessings flow,

Bro. David

Camp Manager

Need a place to host your next

Group Event

BEECH SPRINGS
CAMP & CONFERENCE CENTER
ESTD 1942

317 Ouachita 68
Louann, AR

Contact David for information:
870-314-4939

IMPORTANT DATES

SEPTEMBER 1	OFFICE CLOSED FOR LABOR DAY
SEPTEMBER 9	CAMP MINISTRY TEAM MEETING, 5:30 PM, BSC
SEPTEMBER 17	ELT/MPT MEETING, 10:00 AM, LBA OFFICE
SEPTEMBER 29	FINANCE TEAM MEETING, TBA

SAVE THE DATE

OCTOBER 21-22	ABSC PASTOR’S CONF. & ANNUAL MTG, TBA
NOVEMBER 10	LBA ANNUAL MEETING, TBA

CHURCH PASTOR OPENINGS

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH, MAGNOLIA	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



Total Households Assisted:	138 (June)	230 (July)
Total Members:	366 (June)	615 (July)
Total Food Bags:	328 (June)	562 (July)
Utility Help	\$220	

Data from July 2025

LIBERTY MINISTRY CENTER

Total Households Assisted:	168 (June)	212 (July)
Total Members:	407	

Did you know? July’s previous record was 192 households.

Data from July 29, 2025



CHURCH REVIVAL

Join us for a powerful gathering where faith is renewed, hope is restored, and hearts are uplifted.


**DATE**
AUGUST 10-13, 2025

**LOCATION**
SYLVAN HILLS BAPTIST CHURCH

FEATURING
DR. JIM MOSS

SUNDAY @ 11AM & 6 PM
MONDAY-WEDNESDAY @ 6 PM



**LIBERTY**
BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

BIBLE DOCTRINE STUDY

INTEREST MEETING


11
AUGUST

This study is designed for current pastors or those pursuing a call to ministry. It will cover basic Bible Doctrine.

Please attend this meeting if you are interested in learning more about this study.

5:30 PM

LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
OFFICE
912 Mt. Holly Rd.
El Dorado



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INTEREST MEETING

SEMINARY EXTENSION

AUGUST 3, 2025 | 2:00 PM

SAU TECH BCM Building

Discussion Topics:
cost, texts, length of course, & format.



CLASSES BEGIN AUG. 17

FREE ORGAN

Baldwin Organ
bought used in 1990
plays, but has some issues
Will have to be picked up

For more information, contact
Jeanette Blackman @
Galilee Baptist Church



WE'RE CLOSED

September 1, 2025

THE LBA OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON MONDAY IN OBSERVANCE OF LABOR DAY.

**LIBERTY**

we want to help you...

Now Hiring

 Worship Pastor

Let us help you advertise openings at your church!

Contact the LBA with information and we'll advertise on Facebook and our website.



BACK To SCHOOL BASH

9TH AUGUST 2025 5 P.M.

GAMES • SPECIAL MESSAGE • PRAISE & WORSHIP

HOSTED BY:

RESTORATION WORSHIP

WEST SIDE BAPTIST CHURCH
2400 WEST HILLSBORO
EL DORADO, AR

ONE NIGHT ONLY EVENT FOR ALL AGES
CHILDREN MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT

PLEASE BRING
ONE SCHOOL
SUPPLY FOR
ENTRY!!

CONTACT
CHARITYLENARD@YAHOO.COM
TO ACCOMMODATE YOUR
YOUTH GROUP!