

MARCH & APRIL 2025 NEWSLETTER

FROM THE DESK OF BRO. WADE

We are planning an associational mission trip to Forrest City, Arkansas for the week of July 20–24, 2025. We will be working with Rusty Nails Cowboy Church pastored by Hillmon Davis. This church needs help remodeling an old house into usable space for their rehabilitation ministry. We will also hold revival type services each evening. We hope to add either a backyard Bible club/VBS type



ministry as well. We are still working on details for lodging and definite plans. Please join us on this trip. Let us know at the office if you or your church would be interested in being a part of this mission experience.

Plans are progressing for establishing a school of ministry in our association. I've been meeting with pastors to discuss, brainstorm, and decide next steps. My vision for this school is to provide basic ministerial training along with an internship/ residency so that the students get the classroom work needed as well as experience in a local church. Please pray for us as we move forward. Interested in receiving some training? Reach out to us at the office.

God bless you,

Wade

Associational Mission Strategist



BEECH SPRINGS CAMP & CONFERENCE CENTER



We have big retreats coming up at Beech Springs and have had a lot of work done out at the camp. The Walnut Cabin was painted on the inside thanks to workday volunteers! The floor in Walnut has been leveled, and a new floor (laminate) has been put down. We are about ready to put back in the bunks and beds! The new cabin by Oak is coming along well. Concrete should be poured this week. We've had

some soft spots on the left side of Oak Lodge. We've got the floor redone on that side and have a vent fan underneath to keep the humidity from making the floor weak. The ramp at Oak lodge has been redone. A special thanks goes to Brother Terry Smith. He has been a great source of help-both in what he's done and for the things he has taught me. Praise the Lord for good help!

It's almost summer time so next we have our sights on getting the pool ready, doing a deep clean on the kitchen, and doing plenty of brush and grounds work. Our next camp workday is March 22nd . If you are interested in helping out at camp, give me a call at 870-314-4939, or email me at beechspringscamp@gmail.com. We almost have our full summer staff, but we could use another 18+year old, as well as a cook and a cook helper. Feel free to let me know if you know someone who might be good for the job.

Be praying for us as we look to make camp the place people go to find the Lord, to fellowship, and to enjoy the great outdoors.

Thank you,

Bro. David Camp Manager

l Geedb Springs (lam), Job Details: Time: End of May - mid/late July Pay: \$125/day Housing Available If interested, please contact David Stanley at (870) 314-4939

IMPORTANT DATES

May 5	SENIOR ADULT BRUNCH, 10 AM, BEECH SPRINGS
April 21	Executive Board Mtg, 5:30 pm, Grace Baptist, Camden
April 18	LBA Office Closed for Good Friday
April 14	Finance Team, TBA
April 8	CAMP MINISTRY TEAM MEETING, 5:30 PM, BEECH SPRINGS
March 12	ELT & MPT, 10 am, LBA Office
March 11	CAMP MINISTRY TEAM MEETING, 5:30 PM, BEECH SPRINGS

CHURCH PASTOR OPENINGS

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH, MAGNOLIA

LIBERTY BAPTIST CHURCH

MIDWAY BAPTIST CHURCH

READER BAPTIST CHURCH

UNITED BAPTIST CHURCH

SENIOR PASTOR

Senior Pastor

Senior Pastor

SENIOR PASTOR

WORSHIP PASTOR OPENINGS

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

ELLIOTT BAPTIST CHURCH

Cullendale FBC

Camden, AR

Elliott, AR

Camden, AR

RUBY SNIDER MINISTRY CENTER 166-Bags of food distributed 162-families served 416-household members 416-household members

(Ages 0-6: 56, Ages 7-17: 87, Ages 18-59: 195, Ages 60+: 78

Did you know? Every family that comes through RSMC is counseled and prayed with before receiving items! This gives us time to share the Lord with them.

Data from February 2025

LIBERTY MINISTRY CENTER

210-households

500 (approx.)-500 individuals

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

Data from January 2025

