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ENSURING SIGNIFICANCE FOR GOD'S KINGDOM

Shoal Creek Baptist Association of churches enters 2024 anticipating a move of God.

How can you be part of God's move in Southwest Missouri? Currently, 13 of our 40 churches are growing (PTL), but 27 of our 40 churches are either plateaued or dying. What does God want us to do? Joshua 1:2-3, 16 provided instruction for us:

²“Moses My servant is dead; now therefore arise, cross this Jordan, you and all this people, to the land which I am giving to them, to the sons of Israel. ³Every place on which the sole of your foot treads, I have given it to you, just as I spoke to Moses. ¹⁶They answered Joshua, saying, “All that you have commanded us we will do, and wherever you send us we will go.”

Acknowledge your current situation

“Moses, my servant is dead.” God communicated to Joshua the current reality in order to prepare for the next step. What are the numbers of the last ten years for your church revealing? Is the gospel engaging your community? Are your people discipling other people?

Apply God's Commands

God told Joshua to “arise and cross this Jordan...” God told us to be His witnesses and to make disciples of all nations for His glory.

Stand on God's Promises

God told Joshua to lead the people across the Jordan “to the land which I am giving them.” Jesus told us that He “would build his church and the gates of hell would not stand against it.” God promised success to our obedience.

Obey

When God gave these commands to the people they promised obedience, (16). John recorded in 1 John 2:3, “And by this we know that we have come to know Him, if we keep His commandments.”

We obey because He saved us and indwelled us with Holy Spirit.
We obey because we love Him.

Church, make much of Jesus, one neighbor at a time.

Alan Brock

“Connecting Cooperative Churches for Christ's Mission”

January 2024

1st—Office Closed

2nd-5th - BSU NOLA Trip

15th-17th - Midwestern Leadership Conference





At the end of each semester, I would like to give a review of the incredible things that the Lord has accomplished so you can glorify Him, and a review of the mistakes I have made so you can pray for my improvement. Here is a quick summary of things to glorify the Lord over in relation to His work within the BSU.

Our first bible study had 13 new students, and even as some students filtered out due to work and scheduling issues, we maintained 10+ students until the last month of the semester during "crunch time." This is due to us welcoming a new student to our Bible study every few weeks.

Our bible study was moved on campus to the Fireside Room in the Student Center, a public location in a room that has two walls that are fully exposed, meaning anyone outside or inside the building can see us studying God's Word.

We took a trip to the Exeter Corn Maze and brought a van full of students who had never attended Bible study before. This included several international students.

10 students were interested in attending the Defend Apologetics Conference at the New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary. 8 signed up to go, **including one unbeliever who has never even been to church before! Please pray for her salvation during this trip.**

Our core group is students who come to Bible studies, who meet us at the Wednesday lunches just to say hello, who go out to eat with us to discuss the Bible and life, who message us about things going on in their lives, who seek us for answers to their questions – these are our disciples. We have witnessed some amazing things within this core group.

A student shared his testimony for the first time.

A student is working harder than ever to make faith the priority in his relationship.

A student is witnessing to his family for the first time.

A student witnessed to her professor in a major way, we were very proud!

Several students went around campus asking their peers how we could pray for them when I challenged them to do so.

Several students practiced sharing the gospel for the first time in front of their peers.

Several students began witnessing at their workplace, homes, and on campus after we trained and challenged them to do so.

At least two students are now seeking opportunities to share the gospel on campus in a major, public way.

Many of our students have made new breakthroughs and discoveries in their faith during Bible study.

Listed below are areas where I fell short of my expectations for myself and for the ministry.

I was hoping to do more outreach events – events designed to make our presence known, or events designed simply to share the gospel on campus. This shortcoming was mainly due to my desire to "get a feel for my first semester" and not be too ambitious yet, as I tend to be.

I needed to have more outings, hangouts, and fun events with our students – but I was concerned about spending so much of the BSU funds during my first semester.

I did not visit the association churches as much as I would have liked.

I received approval to have a weekly time of worship on campus, which would have been an hour of praise songs with a short gospel presentation at a set time each week. Unfortunately, I have been unable to find a suitable host for the music side of things.

Austin Pfrimmer

Baptist Student Union Director - Crowder College

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1st Timothy 4:12



Deaf Young Camp - June 23rd - 28th, 2024
Spring Deaf Youth Retreat - March 15,16,17, 2024

WILL YOU BE BOLD? WILL YOU BE DIFFERENT?
SEND ME
WILL YOU CALL OTHERS TO DO THE SAME?

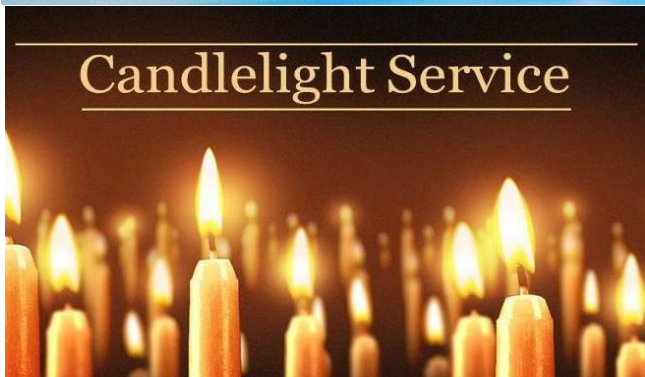
STUDENTS

EVANGELISM CONFERENCE
JANUARY 14-15, 2023
CONCORD BAPTIST CHURCH, JEFFERSON CITY, MO

CONCLAVE
JANUARY 18-20, 2024
Chattanooga, TN

DO YOU KNOW?
HAVE YOU HEARD?
THE LORD IS THE
EVERLASTING GOD HE DOES
NOT GROW FAINT OR WEARY
THERE IS NO LIMIT
TO HIS UNDERSTANDING.

LIMITLESS



Candlelight Service

First Baptist Church of Southwest City, will be having a Christmas Candlelight Service at 6:00 p.m. on Wednesday, December 20th. Everyone is welcome.


SAVE THE DATE

DEFEND

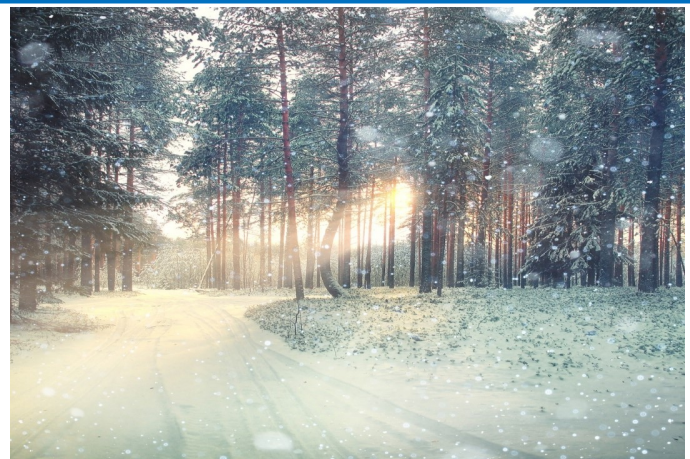
APOLOGETICS CONFERENCE

NEW ORLEANS BAPTIST THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY | LEAVELL COLLEGE

JANUARY 2-5, 2024

 **American Red Cross** | Blood Services

Pioneer Baptist Church
13478 Monark Dr
Neosho, MO 64850
12/20/2023 | 01:30 PM - 05:30 PM





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**January 1st-
December 15, 2023**



Anderson	\$3,480.10	Mill Creek	\$5,208.58
Baptist Revival Center	\$600.00	Mill Creek - BSU	\$1,488.17
Belfast	\$3,261.71	Mission Bautista Palabra Andsn	\$379.32
Bethany	\$1,100.00	Monark	\$1,368.38
Burch	\$651.90	Monark - BSU	\$171.07
Burch - BSU	\$300.00	Neosho First	\$19,250.00
Calvary Neosho	\$8,500.00	New Salem	\$550.00
Cross Roads	\$2,289.20	Newtonia	\$2,480.03
Emmanuel	\$6,151.60	Newtonia - BSU	\$495.99
Fellowship	\$10,722.69	Northside	\$12,000.00
Fellowship - BSU	\$500.00	Patterson Heights	\$1,265.76
Freedom Church	\$1,600.00	Patterson Heights - BSU	\$210.00
Goodman	\$2,661.65	Pineville	\$1,200.00
Goodman - BSU	\$431.88	Pioneer	\$1,250.00
Granby	\$5,211.93	Pleasant Grove	\$2,145.42
Granby - BSU	\$123.97	Prosperity	\$3,471.00
Hart	\$1,082.57	Ritchey	\$15,215.44
Hart - BSU	\$360.00	Seneca	\$7,434.49
Hilldale	\$600.00	Splitlog	\$3,000.00
Hmong Baptist Mission	\$187.16	Stella	\$1,648.10
Honey Lake	\$1,219.65	Swars Prairie	\$7,269.00
Iglesia Bautista Noel	\$300.00	Swars Prairie - BSU	\$726.00
Iglesia Bautista Noel - BSU	\$100.00	SWC First	\$7,936.84
In Christ Alone	\$1,539.14	Sweetwater	\$24,286.15
Lanagan	\$1,358.50	Van Buren	\$212.04
Lanagan - BSU	\$226.41	Total General Budget Income	\$175,771.84
McNatt	\$550.00		