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Magazine



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*Lebanon Bible
and Book Store
Celebrates 35
Years....*



2007

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Bookstore Celebrates 35 Years

The Lebanon Bible and Book Store of Lebanon, MO. celebrated 35 years of service to the community and the entire state of Missouri on February 22-24th.

In 1972, the Missouri State Association of Free Will Baptist established the Bookstore at 303 W. Commercial Street in downtown Lebanon, along with an office for the Executive Secretary. We were there approximately 18 years before moving to our new building on the corner of Commercial and Madison Street.

When the doors opened on Feb. 22, 1972, the first sale of the day was a greeting card for 15 cents. It's ironic that 35 years later on our anniversary the first sale of the day was boxed cards for \$4.99.

Customers and guests were served refreshments throughout the day on the 24th with door prizes given every two hours. The grand prize of over \$300 was won by a customer from Phillipsburg.

A special surprise from Grandview MO. was when former manager, Edwin Bowden and his wife, Shirley, who worked along beside him, came by to share in this time of reminiscing, picture taking, laughter and fellowship.

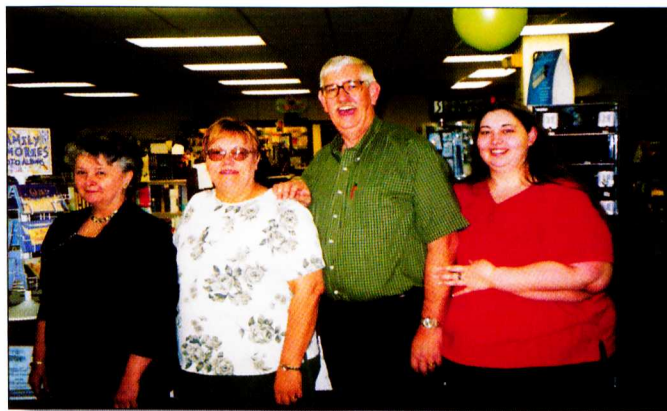
Manager, Dennis Jones presented a plaque to each of the former and current employees for their dedication to the ministry of the Book Store. A plaque of appreciation and a gift was given to Dennis Jones by his staff for his leadership, commitment and dedication to the ministry.

The Lord has truly blessed the ministry of the Bookstore through the past 35 years. We have no idea how many lives have been touched. Only God really knows the total impact that this ministry has had during this time.

The Lebanon Bible and Book Store is excited to find out what God has in store for this ministry in the future. Our desire is to stay faithful to Him and allow Him to use us in whatever way He sees fit.

A big Thank You for all the past prayers and support of the Bookstore. As we move ahead we ask that you continue to pray and support the ministry of the Bookstore, as we work together to accomplish what He would have us do in this ministry.

Edwin and Shirley Bowden



Current Staff: Judy Pierce, Lillian Jones, Manager Dennis Jones, Kathy Jones

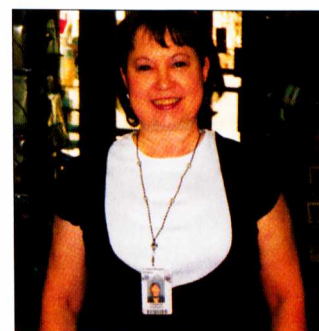
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Angie Blankenship



Syndee Chase



Connie Myers



Tonja Thayer





Missouri Show-Me Missions

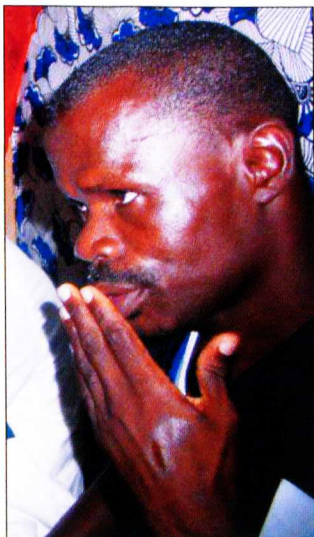
The Abidjan Investment Report

Greetings...Last Saturday we celebrated the TENTH YEAR OF FREE WILL BAPTIST BEING IN ABIDJAN. REJOICE with us because YOU have had a part in this exciting ministry. Your interest, prayers and gifts have all contributed to the expansion of God's Work here. Clint & Lynette Morgan were here to celebrate with us. The following is an article Lynette wrote--

"Praise God from Whom all blessings flow!"

Yesterday we celebrated the ten year anniversary of Free Will Baptist being in Abidjan. It was a time of looking back and of rejoicing and praising God. Christians from the other two FWB churches that were started in 2002 were also present to help celebrate. The large room, decorated with colorful African cloths and posters, was packed with Christians from the three congregations and visitors. The celebration began at 2:30 with lively music led by the different praise teams. There followed, presentations, musical specials, introduction of visitors, and then testimonies from those who have been with the church since the beginning.

It was a special blessing to hear one of the original members recount how, in 1994, a small group of 7 students from FWB churches in the interior, and going



to university here in Abidjan, started meeting together once a month as just a cell group. Although they were attending other churches, they had a desire to eventually start a FWB church. The Lord honored this desire and eventually Ernest Holland began coming down once a month to help them. In 1995 the Bryans moved to Abidjan to work in Christian publishing, but were able to help the growing group. When the Pinkertons arrived soon thereafter to begin working with them full time, they were able to find a room to rent and in Jan. 1997 the first regular weekly services were started with Jerry as pastor. In 1999, Pastor Silas was called as pastor. They now are running over 175 and are looking to start two daughter churches. They have already begun buying land for one of these. What is such a blessing to us as missionaries, is that this church no longer even has a missionary presence. They are doing all this on their own, and have been for the past 5 years when the Pinkertons began working with Pastor Samuel to start the third church.

It was almost 5 before Clint got the pulpit. Then the service ended at 6 and we all moved out onto the covered porch for delicious refreshments made by the women of the church. (yes, we were serviced the red-leafdrink--but from plastic glasses, so no slurping!)

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Jerry preaches



Worshippers and musicians



The Baileys in Japan

In 2001, while working to begin The Good News Chapel along with the Tokyo Team of Mirial Gainer and Don and Ruth McDonald, we also began a preaching point in the home of Iriso Church members, Osamu and Yoko Nomura. The Nomuras had moved into an area that was too far to commute weekly to the Iriso Church, and Osamu asked Ken and me to begin holding a Bible study in their home each week. After returning from home assignment in 2003, we assumed the responsibilities on a full-time basis, holding several English and Bible study classes for children, an adult Bible study and weekly worship services in the Nomura home. In February of this year, they were able to purchase their own home a few train stops from their previous location. We are currently looking for a meeting place, but will be holding services in their home each week. Our congrega-



Iriso members help dedicate the Nomura's home.

tion includes Osamu, his wife, Yoko, their two daughters Minori and Hikari, along with Osamu's parents. His father is not yet a believer, but is, according to his own words, a "seeker." Please pray for his salvation and for our witness in this new area.



Sunday, April 1, 2007, we joined with Iriso Church members to dedicate the Nomura's home. Our prayer is that God will use their home to attract others to following Christ. We will be beginning Bible studies, English classes and a Coffee Hour when we can locate a meeting room. We have looked at several locations in the last few weeks, and ask that you please continue to pray about this need. Please pray also that we will be able to integrate our previous contacts into this new outreach. This includes 12 unsaved families who attended the English classes and Bible studies."

Judy and Ken Bailey

**Thursday evening
Shiki class**

Good News from *Good News Church*

On March 16-18 the Good News FWB Church in Chitre, Panama held an evangelistic outreach in the mountain town of El Barrero. There is no evangelical work in this area and there has never been an outreach attempted. Most of the people have been exposed to the gospel through Christian family members or radio and television outreaches. Several of the new converts in the Good News Church have family ties in El Barrero, which opened doors for us to hold the campaign in the front yard of the Mendoza family. There was an average attendance of approximately 60 people nightly.

There were 15 (according to the count the counselors gave me) professions of faith in Christ as saviour. Among them was Mr. Mendoza, an 82 year old man. Junior Ureña and his wife. A son of Mr. Mendoza, whom we have known for several years and other neighbors and children.

This is the second town that has opened up to the gospel this year. Offers of land donation upon which to build a small church have been made as well. We will proceed with wisdom and seek to work according to God's plan and will. At this time we plan to have periodic services in homes as we continue to pray about future developments.

Stanley & Brenda Bunch
Apartado 0601-00277
Chitre
Rep. de Panama



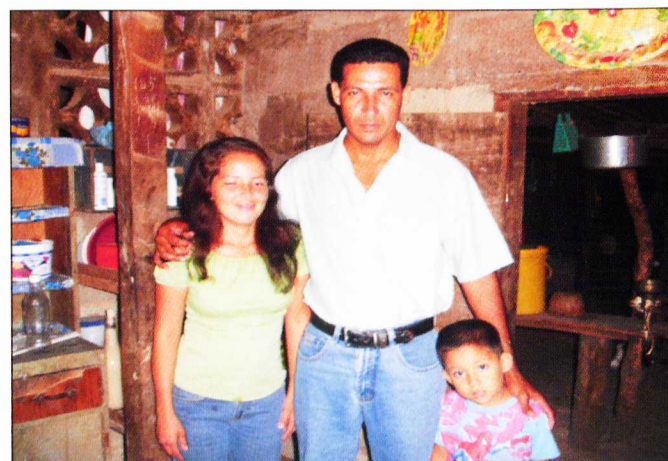
Part of the congregation



New Converts... some who made profession of faith in Christ as saviour. The one in the center/white shirt is the son of Mr. Mendoza whom we have known for several years.



Mr & Mrs Mendoza....they hosted the campaign and Mr. Mendoza was saved as well as one son.



Junior Ureña.... a young man and his wife who were both saved

The Altoms in Pittsburgh



While attending Free Will Baptist Bible College, my wife and I shared a dream. We hoped to one day move to Pittsburgh, PA and help my father-in-law, Tommy Jones, plant a church. I knew that the whole state of Pennsylvania only had three Free Will Baptist churches and I also knew that 95% of the 2.2 million people in Pittsburgh did not have a personal relationship with Jesus Christ. Only 5% of the people are Evangelical Protestant. Someday, we wanted to move there and plant as many churches as we could in the Pittsburgh area.

My wife, Jenna, and I reflected on all of this Easter Sunday as we drove to the very first service of the Keystone Free Will Baptist church in Greensburg, PA, a suburb of Pittsburgh. Only a year ago, this church had only been a distant dream. We had spent the past year on itinerate as National Home Missionaries. We lived with my parents in my hometown of Ozark, MO, for the biggest part of that year while we raised support. Most of our travels and about 80% of our support came from churches in Missouri. In November, we moved to Greensburg to join Tommy and Pam and build a church.

To be perfectly honest, I expected it to be a lot different. We have learned a lot lately. For instance, car batteries tend to freeze when it is -20 degrees outside. In Missouri, car batteries do not freeze, of course neither

does it get -20 degrees. Most of the winter I spent trying to find my driveway beneath the endless snow and we were not meeting any people. People do not tend to come outside much when it is that cold.

How were we going to build a church if we were not meeting the people? So, I decided to take a different approach and try some random acts of kindness. My neighbors were elderly, so I started shoveling their driveway for them when it snowed. This led to us meeting Maria. She is my neighbor's daughter, and the mother of six-year old Sierra.

I learned that Maria was from a Catholic background. She never believed what the Catholic Church teaches and, as an adult, converted and began attending a Baptist church. She was having a very hard time finding a good church in the area, so I invited her to our service Easter Sunday.

We were thrilled to see Maria walk into the room for our first service. Her daughter, Sierra, walked in beside her with a big, bright smile on her face. To our delight, as the altar call was given during that service, little Sierra gave her heart to the Lord! Besides Sierra, one other person was saved and another rededicated their life during that first service! We had 31 people in attendance and about 15-20 more that are planning on coming in the near future.

The point is, what began as a dream has now become a reality in Greensburg. Why? Because the people of Missouri are supporting us and saw a vision that we did our best to convey to the churches we visited. I am so proud of the friends and support we have in Missouri. We truly appreciate the prayers that are being lifted for us and the people that need the Gospel in this area. By the time that you read this, there will probably be even more stories of people who have come to know the Lord because of Missouri churches. Thank you so much for everything you continue to do! We pray God blesses all of you.

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Rejoice with us for the three FWB Churches here in Abidjan; and pray with us that God will continue to bless and that they will realize their dream of seeing many more churches planted here in this growing city.

It was an historic occasion showing how God has used former IC Missionaries, YOU and the Believers here in expanding His Kingdom. Thank YOU so much for your faithful prayers, gifts and many, various ways of showing your love for the Lord-and us...Let's praise HIM together

Carol 4 Jerry 2

Correction!

We sincerely apologize to Keith and Penny Garrison for identifying them as pastor of Kingsway Church in our last issue. Bro. Keith is the Pastor of Eastern Gate Church in Springfield.

Trinity Juniors Rock

On February 16, 2007, the Junior Sunday School Class at Trinity Free Will Baptist Church in Bridgeton, MO held a Rock-A- Thon. Everyone ate lots of snacks, watched family videos and played games to pass the time. The kids rocked all night and raised \$300.00 for Kidz2Camp. This was enough to send 10 kids to camp in Central Asia this summer. The kids pictured are from left to right, Austin Snider, Bryan Hajek, Christine Hamil, Courtney Scott and Kaitlyn Snider

Their teacher is Phyllis Maple.



A Derby for the Derbys

The excitement was palpable in the auditorium of Central Free Will Baptist Church on Saturday, March 17, 2007. The first annual "Derby for the Derby's" attracted 58 entries from 10 different churches in the Greater Kansas City District, and by 10:00am every eye was focused on the giant race track, waiting for the first green flag.

The charity derby was a benefit for Micah and Becky Derby, Free Will Baptist missionaries to France. Over \$1,300.00 was raised, and the bond of fellowship was strengthened between the participants. Friendly competition and comradery punctuated the festivities of the day. Below are the final results of the 126 races held:

Ages 12 and Under Category:

Racers: 19 entries

Second Place: Blake Perrigo

First Place: Alissa & Ashland Kelley

Ages 13-18 Category:

Racers: 13

Second Place: Adam Yeager

First Place: John Rimmer

Ages 18 and Over Category:

Racers: 26

Second Place: Bert Kaderly

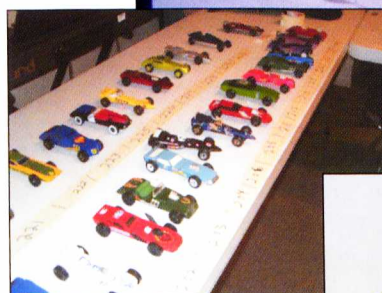
First Place: Ken & Cole Simpson

All in all, the day was a blessing to all involved.

Kudos to Rev. Alan Kinder and Central Free Will Baptist Church for hosting such a successful event.



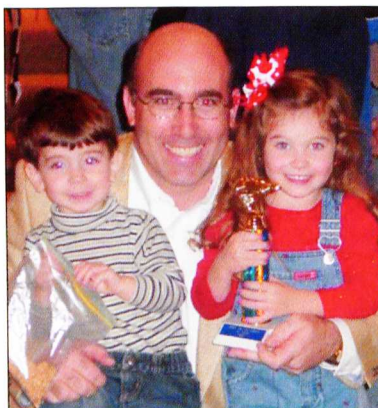
The Fast Track



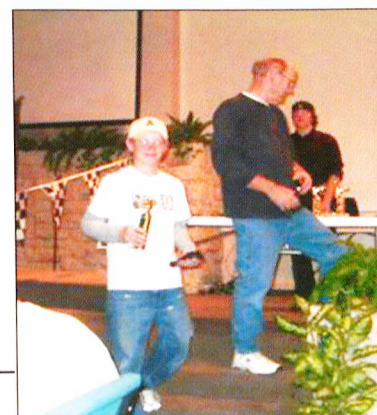
The Field



Best Design



Happy Winners



News from Camp Niangua

-Bruce Moore
Camp Superintendent

We wish to thank the 85 people who showed up here at camp on March 10th to help with the clean up of limbs and debris as a result of the ice storm. Without their help it would have been an overwhelming task, if not impossible, to have it done by camp time.

If you have not seen our new web site you need to check it out. The web address is the same (www.campniangua.com).

Camp sessions are just around the corner and we look forward to having you with us. Please pray that the spirit of God will bless and move in the hearts and lives of those who attend.



2007 CAMP SCHEDULE

Teens/Group 1: June 10 - June 15
Teens/Group 2: June 17 - June 22

Pre-Teens/Group 1: July 29 - Aug. 3
Pre-Teens/Group 2: July 22 - July 27

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Rev. Glenn Rehkop
Dr. Tim Eaton
Rev. Frank Webster
Rev. Ken Panduku

Convention Highlights

MOWAC Convention
Monday 9:00am

General Board
Meeting
Monday 1:00pm

Convention Opening
Service
Monday, 7:00pm

CE Board Seminar
Tuesday 9:00am

Convention Business
Tuesday 1:00pm

Missions Service
Wednesday 7:00pm

Youth Service
Wednesday 7:00pm



Pastor's Retreat 2007

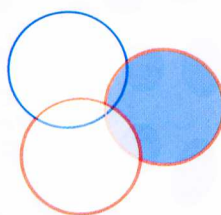
Over 50 Missouri Pastors and Missionaries met at the Cross Ponite retreat center in Rocky Mount MO for our annual Pastors Retreat. We enjoyed great accommodations, super food and wonderful fellowship in a relaxing atmosphere.



Dr. Neil Gilliland, Director of Member Care with our International Missions Department shared the topic of "Taking Care of Yourself." The music was ably handled by Andy Raines, Travis Watkins and Jeff Myers.

Our retreat is a time away for men who work hard seven days a week. If your pastor did not attend this year, please send him next year. The cost is minimal but may be beyond reach for some. Please consider paying your pastor's fee and show him how much you appreciate all his hard work. Next years dates are March 10-12.





Team Church Missouri

● **Saturday, May 19, 2007**
 ● **First Free Will Baptist Church**
 ● **Ozark, Missouri**

Over 20 Workshops Available

TEAM Church is designed for your specific ministry and age appropriate areas. This workshop-filled event equips, inspires, and trains Christian workers for service in God's kingdom.

Guest Speaker: Greg Floars ●



Greg Floars has been a home missionary to Gwinn, Michigan since October 2001. He graduated from Southeastern Free Will Baptist College with a degree in Pastoral Theology and a Minor in Missions. He is passionate about Christian education and church growth. Pastor Floars speaks at various state conferences, revivals, and other ministry-related events.

All sessions will be held at the First Free Will Baptist Church, Ozark, Missouri. Titles and times are subject to change.

SCHEDULE

Saturday, May 19, 2007

Registration.....8:00-8:45 a.m.
 Opening Session—
 Greg Floars9:00-9:30
 Session 19:45-10:35
 Break10:35-10:50
 Session 210:50-11:40
 Lunch11:45-12:45
 Session 312:45-1:35
 Break1:35-1:50
 Session 41:50-2:40
 Closing Session—
 Greg Floars3:00-3:30

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\$32 2-9 people from same church
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	Early Childhood	Elementary	Teen	Adult	Pastor/ Administration
Session 1	Be One to Reach One Susan Henderson	HomeWork Hotline Dianna Yandell	21st Century Teens Jonathan Yandell	Teaching Adults With Confidence Randy Walser	Reaching People Keith Kenemer
Break (10:35-10:50)					
Session 2	Teaching on Target Susan Henderson	CLEAR Teaching Dianna Yandell	6 Keys to Endurance in Youth Ministry Jonathan Yandell	7 Habits of Effective Bible Teachers Keith Kenemer	Developing Sunday School Teachers Greg Floars
Lunch (11:45-12:45)					
Session 3	CLEAR Teaching Dianna Yandell	Teaching on Target Susan Henderson	CLEAR Teaching Jonathan Yandell	CLEAR Teaching Randy Walser	Sunday School = Evangelism Greg Floars
Break (1:35-1:50)					
Session 4	Magnetizing Your Kids' Area Dianna Yandell	Using What You've Got Susan Henderson	15-Minute Lesson Preparation Jonathan Yandell	6 Essentials of Sunday School Randy Walser	CLEAR Teaching Keith Kenemer





FWBBC Moves Forward With Relocation Plans

NASHVILLE, TN—Less than 24 hours after a proposed buyer terminated the contract to purchase the current campus, Free Will Baptist Bible College officials took a deep breath and stepped back into ongoing negotiations to market the West End campus and relocate the 400-student college in the Greater Nashville area, according to Colonel Mark Johnson, the college's full-time relocation consultant.

"We already had several potential buyers to express interest in the campus," Johnson said. "In the past week, nine others have stepped forward. While we're disappointed that the first buyer backed out of plans to purchase our nine-acre campus, other developers are talking with us now. We are hearing what they have to say, and we still hope to move forward toward a sale and the target of relocating to a new campus by the fall of 2009."

FWBBC had signed a contract in December 2006 to sell the campus by May 2007 after a due-diligence and inspection period. The buyer notified college officials in mid-March that he would be unable to move forward with the proposed purchase. Later, however, he cited parking concerns during a newspaper interview.

Colonel Johnson said, "We were on track to satisfy parking requirements during the transitional period and had developed a concept plan. We engaged a traffic and parking engineering firm, and were formalizing agreements with neighboring institutions that would meet our needs for parking spaces. We discussed the issue with the metropolitan government codes administrator and traffic and parking engineer, and were assured that this approach would meet all requirements regarding parking."

College officials had been advised by leaders in the real estate market to expect bumps in the contract process, especially in light of the multi-million dollar campus price tag.

President Matt Pinson said, "We are undaunted in our relocation efforts. In God's own time, we will locate a buyer and sell the campus. The next interested buyer may be the one to purchase the current campus, or perhaps the buyer after that. We believe it's simply a matter of when and who, not if. We have also narrowed the search for a piece of property on which to build a new campus, and the Board of Trustees will determine a course of action when it meets in May."

The college relocation team is in place with the highly-respected firm of Clark Dickerson and Associates to consult and design the capital campaign. Dr. Melvin Worthington, executive secretary emeritus of the National Association of Free Will Baptists, has agreed to lead a future capital campaign. Former FWBBC presidents Dr. Charles Thigpen and Dr. Tom Malone will assist in raising funds for the relocation effort.

Colonel Johnson said, "We have been carefully advised at each step of the relocation process by professionals in the real estate market, the financial community, and by expert legal counsel. We were advised regularly that multi-million dollar contracts frequently require adjustments in timing as a result of due-diligence inspections."

The college's current facilities satisfy near-term needs and provide for limited growth. Future growth needs, however, in student population and in undergraduate and strategically-planned graduate programs, will require relocation to a larger campus.

Financial Report

Coop Disbursements

March 2007..... **\$56,599.06**

19.00% St HM\$10,753.82
17.00% Exec. Office.....\$9,621.84
3.00% Gen. Fund.....\$1,697.97
8.50% Youth Camp.....\$4,810.92
2.50% Youth Min.....\$1,414.98
2.50% CE\$1,414.98
2.50% Senior Adult.....\$1,414.98
9.00% Mo Retmt.....\$5,093.91
3.00% ShowMe Plan.....\$1,697.97

33.00%\$18,677.69
National Ministries

Total\$56,599.06

Coop Giving

Amity.....\$56.85
Aulsbury Chapel.....\$228.41
Bailey.....\$231.00
Bailey Chapel.....\$160.00
Belton.....\$349.90
Bethel- El Dorado Springs.....\$246.97
Black Oak.....\$452.97
Byrd.....\$256.75
Cabool.....\$290.22
Calvary Chapel.....\$780.06
Cape Girardeau 1st.....\$1,161.36
Central.....\$907.55
Christ Chapel.....\$436.00
Clifton.....\$31.85
Copper Mines.....\$440.27
Cornerstone.....\$624.82
Crossroads- Wentzville.....\$864.00
Cuba.....\$608.00
DeSoto 1st.....\$1,600.00
Fellowship- Park Hill.....\$1,200.00
Fordland.....\$493.60
Fourth.....\$158.62
Fredericktown 1st.....\$372.00
Freeman Chapel.....\$451.00
Gospel Light.....\$100.00
Grant Ave.....\$2,020.58
Grant Avenue.....\$987.57
Hannibal.....\$816.00
Harmony.....\$812.79
Hartville.....\$1,315.00
Harvest - Raymore.....\$732.10
Hickory Grove.....\$177.00
Houston 1st.....\$315.30
Hurryville.....\$685.56
Jackson.....\$175.75
Joplin 1st.....\$612.47
Kings Way.....\$403.15
Koshkonong.....\$126.00
Lead Hill.....\$210.25
Leadington.....\$594.00
Lebanon 1st.....\$1,747.40
Lebanon Greenhills.....\$416.17
Macedonia- Niangua.....\$202.98
Marshfield.....\$191.29
Merls Chapel.....\$241.26
Mill Creek.....\$598.86
Mine LaMotte.....\$88.54
Monett 1st.....\$600.17
Mountain Grove 1st.....\$1,790.53
Mt. Pisgah.....\$329.00
Myrtle.....\$327.67
Neosho 1st.....\$462.65
Nevada.....\$296.00
New Hope.....\$300.00
New Life- Licking.....\$350.00
Niangua.....\$359.95
Number One.....\$126.72
Oak Grove.....\$207.60
Oak Hill.....\$377.00
O'Fallon 1st.....\$2,107.55
Olivet.....\$454.00
Overland.....\$85.00
Ozark 1st.....\$2,200.39
Parkview.....\$751.49
Pleasant Hill- Thayer.....\$64.95
Pleasant Ridge.....\$25.00
Pleasant Ridge- Urbana.....\$121.00
Potosi 1st.....\$163.07
Rejoice.....\$662.42
Republic.....\$411.08
Rock Chapel.....\$359.46
Rolla 1st.....\$292.00
Salem.....\$60.00
Seymour.....\$688.00
Smyrna.....\$89.00
Springfield 1st.....\$2,677.34
St. Francois.....\$97.50
Stonebridge.....\$206.00
Thayer.....\$1,400.00
Trinity.....\$1,655.12
Twin Oak.....\$1,965.00
Union.....\$60.00
Union Grove.....\$669.00
Union Light.....\$168.00
United.....\$1,165.28
Unity.....\$470.00
Verdella.....\$866.53
Viburnum.....\$445.00
Victory- Alton.....\$647.33
Waynesville 1st.....\$447.99
West Plains 1st.....\$1,518.00
Wilderness.....\$759.20
Willow Springs.....\$417.25
Willow Springs 1st.....\$227.00
Wolf Creek.....\$703.60
Total\$56,599.06

Show-Me Giving

Belton.....\$236.00
Berry, Roberta.....\$15.00
Bethel- Festus.....\$90.00
Black Oak.....\$60.00
Bourbon.....\$30.00
Brown, Angela.....\$15.00
Burns, Jack.....\$60.00
Cabool.....\$120.00
Calvary Chapel.....\$105.00
Central.....\$80.00
Chrisman, Mona.....\$30.00

Christ Chapel.....\$1,975.26
Coon Creek.....\$125.00
Copper Mines.....\$240.00
Cornerstone.....\$482.00
Crossroads- Wentzville.....\$100.00
Cuba.....\$108.50
DeSoto 1st.....\$657.50
Eastern Gate.....\$15.00
Faith & Hope- Willow Spr.....\$45.00
Farmington 1st.....\$280.00
Farmington 1st- Msgng Class.....\$90.00
Fellowship- Park Hill.....\$684.60
Fordland.....\$250.00
Fourth.....\$97.00
Fredericktown 1st.....\$150.00
Freeman Chapel.....\$720.00
Gospel Light.....\$1,000.00
Grant Avenue.....\$765.00
Greenfield.....\$120.00
Hannibal.....\$30.00
Happy Hill.....\$60.00
Harmony.....\$57.15
Hartville.....\$240.00
Harvest - Raymore.....\$100.00
Houston 1st.....\$83.00
Hurryville.....\$530.00
Jackson.....\$35.00
Joplin 1st.....\$143.94
Leadington.....\$230.00
Lebanon 1st.....\$150.00
Lebanon Greenhills.....\$25.00
Macedonia- Purdy.....\$6,000.00
Maggart, Roxanne.....\$200.00
Merls Chapel.....\$30.00
Mill Creek.....\$140.00
Mill Creek CWF.....\$15.00
Mill Creek Young Adult.....\$15.00
Mine LaMotte.....\$75.00
Monett 1st.....\$30.00
Mountain Grove 1st.....\$725.00
MOWAC.....\$913.09
Mt. Pisgah.....\$105.00
Mt. Zion- Thayer.....\$30.00
Myrtle.....\$75.00
Neosho 1st.....\$255.00
New Home- Hartville.....\$210.00
New Hope.....\$150.00
New Life- Licking.....\$120.00
Number One.....\$60.00
Oak Grove- Mtn. Grove.....\$365.25
Oak Grove-Houston.....\$30.00
O'Fallon 1st.....\$245.50
Olivet.....\$90.00
Ozark 1st.....\$34.00
Parkview.....\$515.00
Pinkerton, Jerry.....\$45.00
Pleasant Hill.....\$45.00
Pleasant Ridge- Urbana.....\$50.00
Porter Chapel.....\$967.13
Richwoods 1st.....\$52.50
Rock Chapel.....\$235.00
Rolla 1st.....\$30.00
Springfield 1st.....\$1,060.00
Stonebridge.....\$40.00
Thayer.....\$325.00
Trinity.....\$900.00
Union.....\$45.00
Union Light.....\$225.00
United.....\$300.00
Unity.....\$75.00
Verdella.....\$1,011.53
Viburnum.....\$85.00
Waynesville 1st.....\$381.36
Willow Springs 1st.....\$45.00
Willow Springs- Mtn. Grove.....\$90.00

CO-OP.....\$1,697.97
Total\$28,563.28

State Home Missions

Christ Chapel.....\$500.00
Crossroads- Wentzville.....\$100.00
DeSoto 1st.....\$110.00
Fordland.....\$10.00
Gospel Light.....\$160.00
Grant Avenue.....\$150.41
Harvest - Raymore.....\$100.00
Lebanon Bible & Book.....\$540.00
Lebanon Greenhills.....\$83.23
Macedonia- Purdy.....\$2,100.00
Mountain Grove 1st.....\$100.00
Neosho 1st.....\$25.00
New Testament.....\$80.00
Oak Hill.....\$15.00
O'Fallon 1st.....\$230.50
Ozark 1st.....\$10.00
Pleasant Ridge- Urbana.....\$20.00
Republic.....\$25.00
Thayer.....\$50.00
United.....\$25.00
Unity.....\$70.00
Waynesville 1st.....\$50.00
Total\$4,554.14

International Missions

Belton.....\$60.00
Christ Chapel.....\$300.00
Cuba.....\$43.40
DeSoto 1st.....\$80.00
Grant Avenue.....\$30.00
Hartville.....\$45.00
Houston 1st.....\$55.00
Matthews, Alta.....\$30.00
Mountain Grove 1st.....\$73.00
Myrtle.....\$85.00
New Testament.....\$110.00
Rejoice.....\$430.00
Rolla 1st.....\$237.50
Thayer.....\$10.00
Verdella.....\$103.98
Waynesville 1st.....\$70.00
Willow Springs.....\$28.50
Total\$1,791.38

National Home Missions

Central.....\$185.00
Christ Chapel.....\$600.00
Copper Mines.....\$260.00
Cuba.....\$65.10
DeSoto 1st.....\$255.00
Farmington 1st.....\$569.00
Fellowship- Park Hill.....\$260.70
Fordland.....\$100.00
Fourth.....\$50.00
Fredericktown 1st.....\$30.00
Gospel Light.....\$160.00
Grant Avenue.....\$200.41
Hartville.....\$30.00
Houston 1st.....\$65.00
Jackson.....\$50.00
Macedonia- Purdy.....\$2,000.00
Mammoth Springs.....\$64.00
Mountain Grove 1st.....\$30.00
Mt. Pisgah.....\$30.00
Neosho 1st.....\$50.00

New Life- Licking	\$255.50
New Testament	\$150.00
Oak Hill	\$100.00
Olivet	\$90.00
Ozark 1st	\$341.00
Richwoods 1st	\$45.00
Rock Chapel	\$50.00
Rolla 1st	\$247.50
Springfield 1st	\$500.00
Thayer	\$100.00
Trinity	\$50.00
Union Light	\$96.00
United	\$155.00
Unity	\$90.00
Verdella	\$103.36
Waynesville 1st	\$260.00
West plains 1st	\$290.00
Willow Springs	\$48.50
Total	\$8,026.07

Designated Giving

Berea Ministries	
Hartville	\$150.00
Total	\$150.00

Victor Torrez	
United Youth Group	\$200.00
Total	\$200.00
Brazil Project	

Verdella	\$274.63
Total	\$274.63

Trula Cronk Home for Children

Myrtle	\$25.00
Willow Springs	\$25.00
Hartville	\$50.00
New Hope	\$50.00
Desoto 1st	\$65.00
Belton	\$25.00
Unity	\$20.00
Union Light	\$20.00
Total	\$280.00

C. E. Board

Lebanon Bible And Book ..	\$140.00
Total	\$140.00

Free Will Baptist Bible Collge

Mountain Grove 1st	\$165.00
Desoto 1st	\$40.00
Thayer	\$50.00
Christ Chapel	\$300.00
Fellowship-Park Hills	\$10.00
Total	\$565.00

Hillsdale

Mountain Grove 1st	\$190.00
Farmington 1st	\$25.00
Thayer	\$50.00
Monett 1st	\$100.00
Christ Chapel	\$300.00
Joplin 1st	\$64.47
Grant Avenue	\$25.00
Total	\$754.47

Indian Bible College

Desoto 1st	\$20.00
Total	\$20.00

Missouri Retirement

Lebanon Bible And Book ..	\$200.00
Total	\$200.00

Senior Adult Board

Lebanon Bible And Book ..	\$140.00
Total	\$140.00

Urban Impact

Verdella	\$443.27
Total	\$443.27

Youth Camp

Cabool	\$120.00
Mountain Grove 1st	\$25.00
Willow Springs	\$75.00
Hartville	\$10.00
Lebanon Bible And Book ..	\$540.00
Niangua	\$25.00
Rolla 1st	\$20.00
Cornerstone	\$100.00
Desoto 1st	\$55.00
Rock Chapel	\$14.00
Thayer	\$50.00
Union	\$30.00
Mt. Pisgah	\$15.00
Verdella	\$10.00
Trinity	\$9.00
Trinity	\$9.00
West Plains 1st	\$25.00
Ozark 1st	\$10.00
Bethel- Festus	\$10.00
Niangua	\$25.00
Total	\$1,177.00

Youth Camp Development

Myrtle	\$43.00
Shirley St. Gemme	\$1,840.00
Bethel- Festus	\$10.00
Oak Hill	\$15.00
Total	\$1,908.00

Youth Ministries Board

Lebanon Bible And Book ..	\$140.00
Total	\$140.00

YWAM

Belton	\$20.00
Total	\$20.00

**Total
March
Giving:
\$107,265.83**

Available Churches

The following churches are looking for a pastor. If your church is available, please let us know in the Gem office and we will gladly list your contact information. If your church is listed and finds a pastor, please let us know to remove your listing.

Faith Church

Lemay, MO.

Contact:

Lillian Moore

314-544-7193

Fellowship Church

Park Hills, MO

Contact:

Youth Minister

Search Committee

Rocky Vernon,

573-358-7779

Roger McMillian,

573-431-5954

Church Office:

601 Buckley Street

Park Hills, MO 63601

573-431-3235

Mine La Motte Church

Fredericktown, MO

Contact:

Robert Warner

573-783-5358

Parkway Church

Sedalia, MO

Contact:

Audrey Bigelow

660-826-3880

660-475-0375

First Church

Mtn. Grove, MO

Contact:

Joe Robertson

417-926-3396

First Church

Houston, MO

Contact:

417-967-4164



National Association of Free Will Baptists Annual Convention

Little Rock, Arkansas
July 15-18, 2007

Little Rock will become the temporary home to thousands of Free Will Baptist men, women, and children on July 15-18 when the denomination's 71st annual convention returns to Arkansas for the fifth time (three of the previous conventions were held in Little Rock). Plenary sessions will be held in the Statehouse Convention Center, while various activities will be held in facilities across the downtown area. Convention planners have blocked rooms in six downtown hotels for the week: The Peabody (headquarters), Doubletree, Wyndham Riverfront, Courtyard by Marriott, LaQuinta Inn Downtown, and the Holiday Inn Presidential.

THE HOUSING PROCESS HAS CHANGED. Reservations can ONLY be made online or by calling each hotel directly

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