



Habersham Baptist Association - December 2022

Important Dates:

Dec. 5- Help 4 Haiti last day to donate (give to Habersham Baptist Church—Doug Porter)

Dec, 4-11 - Week of Prayer for International Missions (IMB)

Dec. 10— Columbus Assoc partners in area with Toy Drive for local trailer parks in Cornelia....

Dec. 13 -Pastor and Wives drop in Christmas Open House at Grays from 5-8 pm

Dec. 7, 8, 19 - Capitol Prayer Tours with Mike Griffin (see ad on pg. 2)

December 25- Happy Birthday Jesus

January 9 -Habersham Association- al Executive Committee at Mt. Airy Baptist - Dinner at 6pm with Exec Comm afterwards

March 12-13— GBMB Evangelism Conference— FBC Cummings (more info to follow...)

From The Associational Missionary - Tony Gray

“For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given; and the government shall be upon His shoulder; and His name shall be called Wonderful, Counselor, The Mighty God, The Everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace.” - Isaiah 9:6

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to you and yours! Isn't it great to receive Good News that never gets old?! I pray this year as you preach and teach about the incarnation of our Lord into human history that the renewal of the Spirit happens for you and your congregation! May we make Him known boldly!

This December and the months ahead are going to be active ones as we celebrate our Lord and proclaim Him boldly! Here are some of the events and opportunities ahead....

December 4-11 - Week of Prayer for International Missions (Lottie Moon Christmas Offering also...).

December 5-7 - Christmas Backpacks are being delivered to children and families in Boone County, West Virginia. Please pray for receptive hearts as they receive them!

December 10th - Christmas Toy Drive for children and parents of three mobile home parks in Cornelia and Baldwin. Working together with our Columbus Partnership Team we will distribute free toys and gifts and share the gospel with families in those mobile home areas. Three local churches (and their youth groups) are helping to do this ministry! Keep this in your prayers!

December 13th - Ministers/Spouse Drop In Christmas Fellowship at the Grays House! You will receive an invitation in the mail (and email too) about this fellowship. Please come and join us. Meeting between 5 – 8pm.

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WEEKLY EVENTS for Pastors:

Minister's Small Group (Tuesdays - Meeting through Dec. 13 – off on 20th and 27th)

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January 9th - Executive Committee Meeting @ Mt. Airy Baptist Church - Dinner at 6pm with meeting to follow.

It is an honor to serve you and with you! We look forward to what the next year will hold for us as we work together to make Him known !

Again, Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to you all!

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2022 Capitol Christmas Prayer Tour

This prayer tour is designed to give participants the opportunity to be informed about what happens at the capitol and to pray for those who are making public policy decisions. As we tour the capitol, we will stop at various places to pray for God's leadership over those responsible for governing our state.

Location: Georgia State Capitol

Address: [206 Washington St SW, Atlanta, GA 30334](https://www.google.com/maps/place/206+Washington+St+SW,+Atlanta,+GA+30334)

Dates: Wednesday, December 7; Thursday, December 8; and Monday, December 19

Times: 10 AM - Noon

Please contact Mike Griffin at mjiffin@gabaptist.org if you have any questions.

Register at <https://ga.sbcworkspace.com/Pub/Event/Register/55235457>



Pastors and Wives....You are invited to a drop in

Christmas Open House

Tuesday, December 13 from 5-8pm

At the home of Tony and Laura Gray

404 Rolling Hills Lane, Clarkesville

Come by for fellowship and yummy treats!



BACKPACK UPDATE:

Thank you for your sacrificial giving!

Over 1200 to date in our region! They will be delivered Dec. 5-7

Mission Opportunity:

Help 4 Haiti

Needed by December 5

Food– rice, beans, canned meat, cooking oil

Medicine– triple antibiotic ointment, cold/flu medications, antacids/Tums, pain medications, wound care/dressing items

Deliver to the Association office or to Habersham Baptist

Get Real Ministries is a local ministry in

Baldwin, GA. We are located at 102 Hwy 441 Baldwin. Our mission is to love God and love people and fulfill that by meeting needs of our community. Ministry opportunities are available monthly. Visit our website www.getrealnow.org. Send us an email getreal@getrealnow.org Or call us at 706-776-7491 for ways to be involved.

Needs for Families:

**Paper Towels, Toilet Paper and
Laundry Detergent**

Administration Team Information:

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