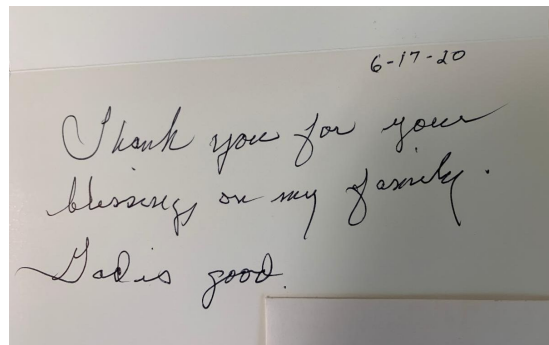


June 22, 2020

*Serving and equipping our churches to fulfill the Great Commission.*

## Greetings from Mary Jane Hoover



*Left: Mary Jordan, one of our SYBA Appalachian Backpack Ministry coordinators, served at the SYBA office recently organizing backpack supplies - stay tuned for info on our next missions trip! Right: A personal thank you note from a Food Pantry client.*

### Here's What I Know...

I've received many questions over the last few months about SYBA ministries, and I've had to answer, "I don't know;" but I do know that God is in control, He has a plan for His Children and His timing is always perfect!

*Jeremiah 29:11 For I know the plans I have for you — this is the Lord's declaration — plans for your well-being, not for disaster, to give you a future and a hope.*

*Psalm 22:55 Cast your burden on the Lord, and He will sustain you; He will never allow the righteous to be shaken.*

Below is an update on SYBA ministries:

#### **SYBA Food Pantry Ministries:**

We will continue offering drive-thru appointments at our Front Street location on Wednesday mornings beginning at 10 am. Here, every client is acknowledged and prayed for and given several food items they may use for meals for their families. Basic hygiene items are shared too. Food and hygiene items also are available at our Amity Hill location for pick-up by appointment.

If you are an SYBA church member, 18 or older and would like to volunteer, please call Mary Jane Hoover, 704 873-4372, ext. 3 to learn additional details or

to commit to serve.

**SYBA Fair Ministry:** We should learn details in early July from the Iredell County and the Kiwanis concerning the 2020 Iredell County Fair. Please be praying for all involved, especially the traveling fair workers. Their livelihoods have been severely effected during these challenging times.

**SYBA Toy Store for Jesus:** We don't know how our stores will look this year compared to previous years. There will be many parents who will need help alleviating some of their holiday stress and will need our help with toys for their children on Christmas morning. NEW toys may be donated year-round. Please contact Mary Jane Hoover for delivery options.

**2020 Appalachian Backpack Partnership:** Mary Jordan ([Dmmrd@bellsouth.net](mailto:Dmmrd@bellsouth.net) or 704 682-3994) and Ann Dehart ([sydnie5andy@gmail.com](mailto:sydnie5andy@gmail.com) or 704 929-7508) are our SYBA coordinators. An SYBA mission trip to deliver well-filled backpacks to Kentucky is scheduled for November 12th—14th. An exact schedule along with project ideas will be shared later, but we know backpacks are needed. Filled backpacks OR supplies may be delivered to the SYBA office. Please call Mary Jane Hoover to schedule a delivery 704 873-4372, ext. 3.

For more information on what goes in the backpacks, [click here!](#)

## Welcome Southside Baptist Church New Senior Pastor!

Pastor David Klinedinst III came to the Lord while serving on a Missions Trip with his youth group in 1999. He graduated from Great Bridge High School in Chesapeake, Virginia. In 2005 he earned a degree in philosophy from Liberty University and married his high school sweetheart, Emily. They have three awesome kids: Madelyn (11), Haydn (10), and Ryland (5). He attended Seminary at Gordon-Conwell Charlotte and graduated with a Master of Divinity degree. In college Pastor David was on the debate team and still loves participating in childish arguments about petty things. He enjoys reading about the big issues of life: theology, philosophy, etc., but also enjoys the smaller stuff like building a good fire and having a better cup of coffee while watching cartoons with the kids. You can usually catch him on his down time lost in his thoughts either with a book, or on a great day, fishing.



Pastor David's approach to ministry is best summarized as "stick to the text." This principle has served him well working in different churches since his ordination in 2007. Most of his work has been revitalization

and urban church renewal, but he is glad to share Jesus with anyone who would make the mistake of starting a conversation with him. He looks forward to all kinds of heavenly mischief serving Christ at Southside Baptist Church. Most of all he is eager to meet all the people God has brought to Southside to serve His Kingdom in Mooresville.



## Encouragement

### Summer Soul Refresher

Each summer, the **Billy Graham Evangelistic Association** runs a series of spiritual growth articles called the Summer Soul Refresher. This year, the series takes a look at five aspects of intentional living. Click link for part 1.

See how our understanding of God's unchanging character helps set the foundation for a purposeful life.

[Click here for part 1...](#)



## Do More Together!



**Save the Date!**  
**SYBA Annual Meeting September 15 at 6:30 at**  
**Troutman Baptist Church**

### Volunteer Opportunity!

The storage shed in the SYBA yard needs powerwashing and painting - and we are looking for help!

We are happy to buy the paint! Please contact Mary Jane Hoover

at [mhoover@sybaptist.org](mailto:mhoover@sybaptist.org) or 704.873.4372 if you are available or if you have any questions.



## Children's Department Fundraiser

# YARD SALE

SATURDAY, JUNE 27th  
6:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Oakdale Baptist Church  
Fellowship Hall  
585 Mocksville Hwy, Statesville NC

~ **CASH ONLY** ~

## Mobilize to Share Christ's Love

### Adopt a Hospital!

While our state begins to reopen, our healthcare workers are still caring for COVID-19 patients. Their work is not finished. In partnership with the FaithHealth Division of Wake Forest Baptist Medical Center in Winston-Salem, we want to connect your women's ministry to a hospital near you.



We have put together a list of practical ways to love the healthcare workers in your part of the state. The first step is to let us know you are willing to adopt a hospital. When we receive your form, we will provide you with a step by step process to forming a relationship with the workers at your local hospital.



## Resources



### Transitioning Conversations

Andrew Ivester, pastor of Faith Baptist Church in Durham, shares how to transition conversations toward the gospel. This video is part of Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary's "Who's Your One?" training series.

## Partner in Prayer

### Pastor Prayer Meetings Resuming!

Senior Pastors, Youth Pastors, Associate Pastors all welcomed!

July 8 @ 8am  
Statesville Pastor Prayer Meeting @ SYBA offices



Mooresville & Mocksville meetings resuming soon!

## You are SYBA!

### Our Mission

Our Mission is to Serve & Equip Our Churches to Fulfill the Great Commission.

### Our Vision

Our vision is to serve our South Yadkin Baptist Association churches so they fulfill the Great Commission. We aspire to design services and tools specific to their needs to equip them to serve Christ effectively, fulfill their calling to disciple and reach those unchurched in our community. We aspire to bring value to our churches and help them to be a do all that God has called of them for His kingdom.

## Our Values

Our five values of the South Yadkin Baptist Association define the way we do ministry together as a network of churches. The drive behind our values is a solid faith in the Lord Jesus Christ to fulfill our calling to serve, equip, encourage and care for our churches, pastors and their staff.

### Partner in Prayer

We encourage and pray for our pastors, churches and unchurched friends through planned events and systems to pray corporately, in small groups and through our prayer network.

### Encourage Pastors

We appreciate our pastors and will give care, personal visits and consistent contact with associational leaders to affirm their ministry in the local church.

### Do More Together

We engage our churches in relationship with each other to network on initiatives to build the body of Christ and proclaim the name of Christ in our community and wherever God leads.

### Help Fulfill Ministry Needs

We help, provide and assist churches with resources to fulfill their mission and help them minister to needs.

### Mobilize to Share Christ's Love

We mobilize churches to share the gospel with unchurched friends in our community, some of whom will accept Christ as Savior.

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