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Dec. 2015 RECEIPTS: CHURCH:	Dec.	Year to Date:
Berea	\$ 333.33	\$ 1,333.32
Bethel	0	0
Beulah	980.83	3,398.83
Blaise	750.00	1,500.00
Bristol Dr.	25.00	100.00
Calahaln-F.	224.00	535.00
Calvary	136.00	421.00
Charis Community	0	0
Christ Community	0	0
Cleveland, FBC	257.43	660.81
Cochran Street	0	0
Community, Cool.	0	0
Community, Mt. M.	0	317.56
Cooleemee, FBC	337.50	450.00
Cornerstone	0	0
Countryside	0	0
Cove	0	0
Diamond Hill	0	1,050.00
Eagle Heights	0	0
Eatons	125.00	500.00
Edgewood	233.94	830.87
Fairview	1,834.11	7,032.79
Faith	212.05	933.80
Fallstown	1,239.00	4,141.00
Farmington	0	0
Fellowship	40.00	160.00
Fork	2,466.34	6,165.85
Front St.	2,300.00	8,300.00
Grace Fellowship	0	0
Great Hope	0	0
Harmony	0	0
Hebron	416.66	1,666.64
Ijames	258.00	1,971.00
Insight Outreach	0	0
Jerusalem	969.10	1,569.60
Life Church	0	200.00
Misio'n Bautista Hisp	0	0
Mocksville, FBC	0	0
Monticello	502.90	1,106.66
Mooreville, FBC	333.33	1,333.32
Mountain Rd.	0	0
Mt. Vernon	732.50	1,465.00
New Bethany	200.00	800.00
New Hope, Denver	0	0
New Hope, Iredell	0	0
Northside	0	0
Oakdale	249.74	998.96
Peninsula	730.00	1,460.00
Pleasant Grove	50.00	200.00
Refuge Community	0	0
River City	0	147.78
Shady Grove	0	275.47
Society	0	0
South River	0	1,975.22
Southside	981.93	3,416.70
Statesville, FBC	0	2,535.00
Temple	176.08	808.28
The Oaks	0	0
Trinity	3,094.37	8,451.92
Triple Cross Cowboy	0	427.32
Troutman	1,136.58	5,040.97
Turrentine	500.00	1,000.00
Union Chapel	0	115.71
Watermark	300.00	600.00
Welcome	165.00	643.00
Western Ave.	0	624.99
Westwood	0	0
Whitman Park	0	0
Yadkin	0	0
TOTAL BUDG. REC.	\$22,290.72	\$ 76,664.37

Don't miss this opportunity!!
**Audio Training for
 NC Baptist Churches**
 WWW.WORSHIPAUDIO.ORG
**April 8-9, 2016 at Western
 Avenue Baptist Church,
 Statesville**

South Yadkin Baptist Assoc.
PO Box 5249
Statesville, NC 28687-5249

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- FEBRUARY EVENTS:**
- 7 "Souper" Bowl Sunday
 - 9 Mitchell College Impact Day—Please pray for the students!
 - 16 SYBA Pastors/Staff Gathering/Baptist Center/11:30 a.m.
- UPCOMING MARCH EVENT:**
- 1 Mitchell College Impact Day—Please pray for the students!
 - 19 "Friend Day" at the Baptist Center/9:30 a.m.—11:00 a.m.—We love our volunteers!
 - 20 SYBA Car Derby & Mission Fair/Southside/1:30 p.m.
- UPCOMING APRIL EVENT:**
- 6 "Friend Day" at the Baptist Center/9:30 a.m.—11:00 a.m.—We love our volunteers!
 - 8-9 Audio Training for NC Baptist Churches/Western Avenue
 - 30 "Friend Day" at the Baptist Center/9:30 a.m.—11:00 a.m.—We love our volunteers!

CHURCH OF THE WEEK— February 2016

Please pray for these churches & their pastors:

7	Berea	Rev. Robbie Stollger
14	Bethel	Rev. Allen Shuler
21	Beulah	Dr. Allen Roberts
28	Blaise	Rev. Bill Phillips



FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS:

1st	Rev. Sidney Grimes	Retired Pastor
5th	Karen Shea	Preschool/Children, Front Street
5th	Rev. David Childress	Pastor, Mt. Vernon
10th	Dr. Shirley Lynn	Education, New Hope, Denver
18th	Rev. Allen Mullins	Pastor, Cooleemee First
25th	Rev. Ron Harrison	Retired DOM
25th	Dr. Paul Childers	Retired Pastor
26th	Dr. Toni Woods	Staff, Great Hope
28th	Dr. David Gilbreath	Pastor, Eatons
28th	Rev. David Teague	Pastor, Christ Community



February 2016

"Doing ministry for the purpose of winning"

www.sybaptist.org

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9 am—4 pm

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Stay Connected
SCAN!



Sunday, February 7th is

Souper Bowl Sunday!

Make plans now to collect soup and other non-perishable food items for the SYBA Food Pantry.



tacklehunger.org

**Pastor's Gathering for
Pastors and Staff**

Tuesday, Feb. 16

11:30 a.m.

Baptist Center



All SYBA Pastors

are invited to come!

Lunch provided.

Reservations:

704-873-4372 x7

SYBA Car Derby/Mission Fair
Sunday, March 20—1:30 p.m.
Southside Baptist, Mooresville

Races for boys and girls: RA's, GA's, & AWANA. Each child must have a mission fair exhibit to race.

For more details, call Dr. David Gilbreath at 336-655-9656 or email him at bicep22853@yadtel.net or call Bob Joyner at 704-664-8008. Details at www.baptistmission.org.

"Friend Days"

Would YOU invite a friend from your church to a "Friend Day" to learn more about The Baptist Center?

We impact the important relationships in our lives by sharing what is important to us. Most new "friends of The Baptist Center" visit or get involved because a friend or relative invited them or shared about the ministry. We want to honor your investment in people's lives by hosting a day for you to invite others to hear about how they too can take part in sharing the love of Jesus!

Friends will learn...

- Why many people in our community face obstacles in their lives & need our help
- How our gift of food, clothing, toys, and school supplies changes lives
- How we meet the increased needs of school-aged children during the summer
- How we share Jesus & pray with each person who comes to us for help
- Why a prayer ministry was created to reach out to our community
- How you can help by being an advocate in your church
- New volunteer opportunities in 2016

Friends will meet the staff, hear volunteer testimonies, and take a tour. (Each date will include identical information.) "Friend Days" are for current friends (volunteers) of The Baptist Center, their invited guests, and all members of SYBA churches.



Come & share The Baptist Center with others!

RSVP required to reserve seats.

Call Carol at 704-873-4372 ext. 7.

Meet upstairs at The Baptist Center from 9:30—11:00 a.m.

Upcoming Friend Days are:

Saturday, March 19

Wednesday, April 6

Saturday, April 30

MINISTRIES OF SYBA

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Volunteers

We love all of our SYBA volunteers! Thank you so much for your faithfulness in serving Christ through the Baptist Center ministries.

All current volunteers are encouraged to come to one of the three dates for "**Friend Day**" at the Baptist Center. Bring one or more friends with you. We always need more volunteers. Learn about new opportunities for 2016, hear testimonies, and more! Call today to reserve your spot!

Toy Store for Jesus

Thank you for purchasing toys, giving money so items could be bought, praying for the guests and volunteers, providing meals or refreshments, and many others who served as volunteers during the *2015 Toy Store for Jesus!* You helped make an eternal difference!

The final count was:

588 families with 1,540 children helped
42 salvations & 34 rededication decisions!

Please support *Toy Store for Jesus* YEAR ROUND by focusing on certain ages or toys each month.

February Focus: Clearance sales items of toys and winter wear (gloves, knit caps, scarves)

March Focus: "March Madness" - footballs, soccer balls, and especially basketballs!

Food Pantry/Clothing Closet

2015 Recap:

1,099 families with 3,778 individuals
(2,189 adults & 1,589 children) helped
154 children's birthday bags & presents given away
24 salvation decisions & 10 rededications!

Souper Bowl Day of Caring is Sunday, February 7.

Any non-perishable food items are welcomed, but focus should be cans of soup and Ramen noodles. Your donation of food helps keep the Baptist Center Food Pantry shelves filled. The Gospel message is ALWAYS shared when families come for food assistance. Give so others may hear about Jesus.

Adopt-a-School Ministry

February suggestion: Candy or heart shaped cookies for school staff break room. "Thanks from the bottom of our heart."

March suggestion: Easter candy or treats. Spring Break: "Have a break on us."

The SYBA Bulletin Board

LEAD: Ladies Engaging & Discipling Women

Churches may contact **Southeastern Seminary** at 1-919-761-2340 or womenslife@sebts.edu to request a female seminary student to lead a women's event. There is no fee; but churches are asked to cover travel expenses.

Deep Impact Missions Weeks

See <http://baptistmission.org/camps/deep-impact> for dates and details on new Deep Impact for Kids weekends and Deep Impact Weeks for 4th & 5th grades.

Reveal: 2016 Disciple-Making Conference

Monday, Feb. 29, 2016 — 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at Lawndale Baptist Church, Greensboro. Speakers include Chuck Lawless, Dhati Lewis, Bruce Frank, Jerry McCorkle, and Lori Frank. **Call 800-395-5102 ext. 5632 or 5635.**

Caswell Youth Spring Retreat/Conference

Theme: Send Me (focus on missions & training). Dates are **April 15-17, 2016**. Evangelist: Chad Poe and music by *Rush of Fools*. Contact Caswell for details.

Speaker Available

Rev. David Simon, retired from Peninsula BC as Minister of Education, is available to speak about Passover and other topics. His website is www.KosherCopy.com.

Update on Sandra Harrison

Her new address is The Gardens of Statesville, 2147 Davie Avenue, Statesville NC 28625, Room 211. Her new phone number is 980-434-4504. Sandy would be glad to hear from you or have a visit at The Gardens.

The Banquet: For Leaders of Children with Special Needs

Saturday, March 5, at Peninsula Baptist in Mooresville. *Register by March 3rd*. Cost is \$15 per person. For leaders & teachers of children birth through 6th grade with physical impairments, emotional/social limitations, learning delays, and sensory issues. Go to www.ncbaptist.org/banquet for more details and to register.

2016 "Make Your Will" Emphasis

Bulletin inserts and resources are available at request from the NC Baptist Foundation. Contact them at 800-521-7334 or www.ncbaptistfoundation.org.

Mission Project Opportunity! Campus Impact at Mitchell College

We will be preparing "Care Packages" in the Spring of 2016 to hand out to the students at Mitchell Community College during their final exam week in May.

Please check the upcoming newsletters for items that you or your church can begin collecting to put in these bags. Help SYBA & Campus Impact make a difference in the lives of these students for Christ.

NEWS AS REPORTED BY OUR SYBA CHURCHES:

BEREA: Ladies craft night was Jan. 22nd. Kids Ministry will go to the circus on Jan. 31st. WMU Sunday will be Feb. 7th; Michelle Lourcey will be the guest speaker. Homemade cookies will be taken to the teachers/staff at LNHS in February.

BETHEL: Ongoing mission projects include collecting items for OCC shoeboxes and medicine bottles for The Malawi Project. Baptist Men's Day was Jan. 17th.

BEULAH: *Brian Free & Assurance* concert was Jan. 3rd. AWANA resumed on Jan. 10th. "Souper" Seniors Appreciation Day and soup lunch will be Feb. 7th. Youth ski trip will be Feb. 26-28th. Barbecue fundraiser will be April 1st.

CORNERSTONE: Mother/Daughter Mission Outing was Jan. 6th. Youth winter retreat was Jan. 16-18th. Volunteer Appreciation Fellowship was Jan. 10th. Heart of a Sportsman held a venison chili dinner Jan. 13th with guest speaker, Sampson Parker. "I Am a Church Member" classes began on Jan. 20th.

EDGEWOOD: Collected \$1295.00 for Lottie Moon Christmas Offering.

FAIRVIEW: Kenya missions poor man's dinner was Jan. 9th. Men's ministry fish fry was Jan. 15th. Youth sponsored a dinner/movie night on Jan. 29th. The 3L Club chili and Bingo was January 13th. Marriage conference will be Feb. 5-7th.

FAITH: New worship times of 9:30 & 11:00 a.m. began Jan. 17th. Youth fundraiser meal will be Jan. 31st. Youth ski retreat will be Feb. 5-7th. "The Story" curriculum for all ages will begin on Feb. 7th.

FORK: A Christmas communion service was observed. Youth held a New Year's Eve lock-in. Mega game night was Jan. 10th. Ski trip was Jan. 21-24th. Fork rejoices over exceeding their LMCO goal of \$16,000.

FRONT STREET: Bob and Phyllis Foy gave a preview on January 3rd for Prayer/Empowering Weekend March 11-13. Young at Heart met January 12th with speaker, Linda Blakely. Women's ministry movie night was January 26th; winter wear items were collected for N.B. Mills School children.

HEBRON: Children will attend a basketball game at Wake Forest in February. Valentine's Banquet will be Feb. 13th. Gideon's Sunday will be Feb. 27th with guest speaker, Rusty McLelland. A Women at the Well Conference will be held on Feb. 27th.

IJAMES: Youth attended the Youth Extreme Winter Conference in TN on Dec. 27-29th. Annual birthday party will be Jan. 31st. Pastor Harmon began a new Bible study on Jan. 3rd entitled "Authentic" by James MacDonald.

JERUSALEM: Youth and Children's Christmas Play, "God's Angels," was Dec. 13th. Adult Christmas Cantata was Dec. 20th. Baptist Men's Day will be Jan. 31st. Celebrated 10 years of C.A.R.E. Ministry in January; there have been 17,105 contacts made over the last 10 years.

MONTICELLO: Golden Jubilee met for breakfast at Sunshine Restaurant. Women on Mission collected cans of soup for "Souper Bowl" during the month of January. Working on Adopt-a-School Ministry to replenish classroom supplies and soups/chili for staff.

MT. VERNON: A birthday party for Jesus was given, and Women's Day Away was held at Grove Park Inn with lunch and viewing of gingerbread house displays. Seniors had Christmas party at Chips, and caroling was provided in the community. The children and youth Christmas plays were performed along with the Christmas cantata by the choir.

OAKDALE: On Dec. 6th children's choir presented their Christmas program; a presentation was also given by those who went to KY to deliver backpacks. Pastor's family hosted a Christmas open house on Dec. 13th followed by caroling. Adult choir cantata, *Breath of Heaven*, was Dec. 20th; a special Christmas service was held that evening. A fruitful new year is anticipated for 2016.

PENINSULA: Will host a conference for leaders/teachers of children with special needs on March 5th.

PLEASANT GROVE: New Intentional Interim is Rev. Bret Williamson.

SOCIETY: Youth outing was Dec. 22nd. Several prayer quilts were dedicated in December. Church-wide game night will be Jan. 30th. Pastor taught a sermon series on the Book of James.

SOUTH RIVER: Youth retreat will be March 18-20th. Mission trip to Romania will be March 27th to April 5th.

SOUTHSIDE: Caroling was Dec. 20th. A Christmas Eve service was observed. A New Year's Eve family game night was held. Pre-teen weekend retreat was Jan. 15-16th. *Carolina Quartet* concert was Jan. 17th. Clothes were collected for the homeless in the month of January. Rev. David Simon will teach a 6-week class on *Revelation through Jewish Eyes* beginning in January. Sunday School high attendance day will be Feb. 14th. WMU annual ladies tea will be Feb. 27th. WMU collected cans of soup for "Souper Bowl" Sunday.

STATESVILLE FIRST: Christmas cantata was Dec. 20th. Dr. Larry Gregg was guest speaker on Dec. 27th. Precept Bible study began Jan. 5th & 6th. Sunday lunch fundraiser for children's ministry will be Jan. 31st. Belize Mission Trip Informational Meeting was held in January. Senior adult luncheon was Jan. 21st. New Sound System Fund has been established.

TROUTMAN: Keenagers covered dish supper was Jan. 14th. Valentine's banquet/silent auction will be Feb. 6th. Proceeds will benefit World Changers. The 4th Annual Vendor Fair for Missions will be March 5th at Troutman Elementary School. Team went to Kenya on Dec. 29th-Jan. 8th. Project Day was held January 23rd. WMU is collecting cans of soup through "Souper Bowl" Sunday, Feb. 7th. Keenagers covered dish meal will be Feb. 11th with entertainment by the Overcash family.

TURRENTINE: Youth led Christmas caroling and cookie distribution December 16th. Members "mailed" Christmas cards using the post office at the church. Money for postage went to the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering. Poor Man's Lunch will be Jan. 31st. Met and exceeded Lottie Moon Goal, collecting \$2,304. Lord's Supper was held Dec. 23rd. Items were collected for Toy Store for Jesus. Cans of soup are being collected for "Souper Bowl" Sunday.

WATERMARK: January sermon series was "Foundations." January ministry for the month is Packs of Love for students at Troutman Middle School. 2016 Challenge: "*Stop just believing it and begin LIVING it!*" based on Luke 6:47-48.

WESTERN AVENUE: The WABC Preschool collected \$700 in pennies for SYBA Toy Store for Jesus. "Run for God" began on Jan. 14th. Food drive will be Jan. 31st. Habitat for Humanity project begins March 5th.

YADKIN: Senior Adults held a luncheon and Bingo on Jan. 21st. Baptist Men hosted dinner and a movie on Jan. 23rd. Women on Mission shared morning devotions and fellowship on Jan. 25th. Youth Sunday will be Jan. 31st.