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As we move into the Spring of 2022 there are some important possibilities

for **The Comeback.** Several groups of Pastors have met to talk about the 2022 events and other groups will meet soon. From these discussions some great ideas have developed. I will be sharing these after all the groups have met.

One of the goals of **The Comeback** is to call people back to church. Some have stayed away from church for several reasons:

health/sickness/Covid issue. Perhaps others have stayed away because of "getting out of the habit" of worshiping regularly with other believers. Allow me to suggest this idea on getting people back in church. Consider having a **Friend Day** this Fall. Because the Evangelistic Rally is scheduled for Sunday, October 2<sup>nd</sup> at 3:00pm, why not have your Friend Day the morning of October 2nd? Friend Day by Elmer Towns had been used for years I can make that resource available to you if you want. A new, updated version of **Friend Day** is available by Thom Ranier. His version is called **Invite Your One.** It dovetails with NAMB's **Who's Your One.** I can also make that resource available to you.

Please pray about planning something this fall to regather your people who have been away for a while.

- ♦Come Back to Christ.
- ♦Come Back to Church.
- ♦Come Back to Evangelism.

Robert



Tuesday, March 8<sup>th</sup>, 11:30am, Silver Bay, Easley.

### Who's Your One?

It is hard to believe we are already heading into March 2022. The time will change in just a few weeks, and we will have more daylight as Spring approaches. The trees will begin to bloom, and new life will be evident all around us. My prayer is that not only will new life be apparent this spring in nature, but in our churches. Let's make sure we proclaim the Gospel this spring in word and deed so those around us can move from death to life. In John 5, Jesus said, "Truly I say to you, whoever hears my word and believes him who sent me has eternal life. He does not come into judgment but passes from death to life." J. Hudson Taylor, a missionary to China, said, "Would that God would make hell so real to us that we cannot rest; heaven so real that we must have men there; Christ so real that our supreme motive and aim shall be to make the Man of Sorrows, the Man of Joy by the conversion of many to Him." Who is the one person you can engage in a Gospel conversation in the days leading up to Easter? If we can help you with that conversation, please give us a call.

Chris

# Season of Prayer for North American Missions and Annie Armstrong Offering March 6-13, 2022

### A Mission Field in Need of Hope

The North American Mission Board serves a diverse and complex region comprised of: United States, Canada and U.S. territories of Puerto Rico, Virgin Islands, Guam, American Samoa. Your prayers and gifts to the Annie

Armstrong Easter Offering® provide support for thousands of missionaries. These men and women are planting new churches in unreached communities and meeting needs through compassion



ministries. Every day, lives are being impacted and transformed. Your gifts move the mission forward.

# Treasurer's Report January 2022

Contributions from Churches       21,408.45         Other       .49         Total       21,408.94
Total Spent in January       20,073.04         Difference       1,335.90
Monthly Budget Required25,806.33Budget Required thru January25,806.33Receipts to date21,408.94Budget Deficit-4,397.39

# Contributions from Churches Note: Some churches give quarterly

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	Jan 2022	<u>Jan 2021</u>	
Agape	.00	776.00	
Arial	184.00	258.00	
Bishop Branch	.00	455.25	
Brushy Creek	.00	1,000.00	
Calumet	314.00	.00	
Calvary Hill	2,039.17	1,670.50	
Cannon Memorial	.00	.00	
Cateechee	1,150.00	.00	
Cedar Rock	242.08	600.38	
Central First	707.61	.00	
Connection Fellowship	58.37	66.06	
Corinth	300.00	300.00	
Crosswell First	.00	458.33	
Easley First	.00	.00	
East Clemson	210.39	216.09	
East Side	375.00	375.00	
Elljean	66.97	105.47	
Enon	188.35	113.03	
Esperanza	.00	.00	
Faith	.00	50.00	
*Fellowship Comm	.00	100.00	
Flat Rock	773.96	.00	
		301.40	
Geer Memorial	774.12		
Georges Creek	471.64	405.44	
Glenwood	225.00	.00	
Graceway	.00	.00	
Hunt's Mem.	300.00	300.00	
Jones Ave.	.00	.00	
Liberty First	250.00	250.00	
Living Grace	.00	.00	
Mount Moriah	250.00	250.00	
Mountain Springs	960.96	877.45	
Mt. Airy	800.00	800.00	
Mt. Carmel	1,156.69	1,112.60	
Mt. Pisgah	1,250.00	1,000.00	
Mt. Tabor	.00	.00	
Norris First	.00	750.00	
Park Street	.00	.00	
Pendleton St.	.00	196.18	
Powdersville First	1,320.93	1,271.93	
Refuge	166.66	166.66	
Rice's Creek	.00	285.69	
River Road	.00	110.60	
Rock Springs	5,665.85	.00	
Ruhamah	.00	.00	
Siloam	854.64	946.50	
Six & Twenty	.00	700.00	
Slabtown	276.00	410.00	
Smith Grove	.00	.00	
The Neighborhood	.00	.00	
Trinity Point	.00	.00	
Wren	76.06	<u>68.16</u>	
Total	21,408.45	16,746.72	
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<sup>\*</sup>Not a member of PBA



# Prayer Calendar

### Birthdays:

- 4 Anna Lyles, wife of Pastor, Connection Fellowship
- 10 Janet Halstead, wife of Pastor, Agape
- 13 Jennifer Smoak, wife of Pastor, Bishop Branch
- 15 Carolyn Nix, wife of Pastor, Park Street
- 18 Leah Wimpey, wife of Pastor, Elljean
- 20 Hayden Crumpton, Minister to Families, Mt. Pisgah
- 21 Savannah Medlin, wife of Pastor, Arial
- 21 Josh Gibson, Min. to Students, Rock Springs
- 26 Shirley Gallamore, wife of Pastor, Rock Springs
- 27 Penny Goss, wife of Pastor, Six & Twenty
- 29 Dalton Mitchell, Minister of Youth, Mt. Carmel
- 30 Jeff Randolph, Min. to Students, Mt. Airy

### Wedding Anniversaries:

- 9 Chad & Stacey Campbell, Pastor, Mt. Pisgah
- 20 Rudy & Janet Halstead, Pastor, Agape
- 30 Justin & Savannah Medlin, Pastor, Arial

#### **Staff Anniversaries:**

s, Rock
Branch
Airy



**East Side:** Joshua Hughes has resigned as pastor effective February 27<sup>th</sup> to accept a pastorate in NC.

**Enon** is seeking Full Time or Bi-vocational Pastor. Send resumes to the church (871 Enon Church Rd., Easley, SC 29640) or email to admin@enonbc.com

