



Richland Baptist Association Newsletter

June 2021

From Your Director of Missions (D.O.M.):

Praise God! The Senior Saint Revival was a great success. Those that attended heard some wonderful singing and some powerful messages.

We owe Sheriff Gilley and his deputies a big THANK YOU for showing up each day and cooking a meal of fish and all of the trimmings. I also want to thank Ann Young and Pat Smith for their hard work in organizing and doing all of the behind the scenes things that made the event such a success. All of them blessed us beyond measure.

Soon Vacation Bible School will be offered at several of our associational churches. This is one of the most precious evangelistic tools that we have. I am excited that we once again will have VBS. Please pray for our churches that are offering VBS. If you are not having VBS, join with the churches that are and send children to them. God always blessed our ministry each year when we held VBS. Never was there a time when children were not saved. Please be involved with this very special event.

As we head into summer, many of you will be going on much needed vacations. I want to encourage each of you to spend special time with your families and get much needed rest. If you travel out of town, bless a church wherever you are with your presence, Your time spent with them will encourage them and bless you.

I praise God for each of you!

Yours in Christ,

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Upcoming Events for June

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| June 1 : | Pastor's Lunch with the DOM
11AM @ Big John's Rayville |
| June 17: | 6 PM meeting with David Galloway concerning Church
Insurance Matters |
| June 20: | Fathers' Day |

DISCOVER CAMP

A one Day Camp experience for children ages 6-11 where participants discover

- 1) Who God is,
- 2) What God does, and
- 3) God's purpose for us.

DATES AND LOCATIONS:

June 8th: Westside Baptist Church, Delhi

June 9th: Woodlawn Baptist Church, Rayville

June 10th: First Baptist Church Archibald, Archibald

Times: 9:45 AM Registration

10AM Opening Celebration

3:00 PM Day Camp Ends

DISCOVER CAMP FEATURES: Bible Study, Crafts, Recreation, Snacks and Lunch

The Discover Camp is open to ALL children ages 6-11 and is FREE of charge. Churches are encouraged to not only bring children who regularly attend church activities, but also use the Day Camp as a means of outreach to children who do not attend church. Please contact our Associational office with a head count of attendees by June 2nd.

CHURCH VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL DATES:

First Delhi: June 7 through June 11

Dunn: June 21 through June 25

First Archibald: June 21 through June 25

SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION:

Nashville, TN June 13 through June 16

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Opportunities to Serve

Pastor: Cedar Baptist Church

Pianist: Cedar Baptist Church

Pastor: New Light

Youth Minister: First Baptist Archibald

Worship Minister: First Baptist Archibald

**If you have a need in your church, please let us know and we will post it in the Monthly Newsletter.*

Something to Think About...

In·er·tia /i'nərSHə/ *noun*

1. a tendency to do nothing or to remain unchanged.

Similar: inactivity, inactiveness, passivity, apathy, malaise, stagnation, dullness, sluggishness, lethargy, idleness, laziness, sloth, lifelessness,

Opposite: activity, energy

2. PHYSICS - a property of matter by which it continues in its existing state of rest or uniform motion in a straight line, unless that state is changed by an external force.

As the church's wheels begin to turn after a year of "sitting up on blocks", what's it gonna take for your "**INERTIA**" to be '*continuing in uniform motion in a straight line*'?

[**Namely**, the Savior and the high calling of good works He has for us to do!]

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