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# Reflections

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February 7, 2019

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**Ministry Prayer Partners**

**Orientation Meeting**

Sunday, February 10, 5:00 pm  
Senior Adult Building

If you were unable to attend the last orientation meeting and interested in being part of this group, please plan to be here on Sunday.



**Ordinance of Baptism**

Sunday, February 17, 10:15 am

**Basketball Banquet**

Tuesday, February 26  
6:00 pm in the Crosswalk  
Cost is \$3.50 per person.  
Deadline to register is Feb. 22.  
Call the office or email  
[mparker@bereafbc.org](mailto:mparker@bereafbc.org).

**DUE THIS SUNDAY!**

**College Student Valentines Day Gifts**

Show your love by making a financial contribution to help purchase gift cards for our college students. Bring your gifts to the church office or drop in the offering plate on Sunday.

**THIS SUNDAY** **CONNECT**  
OUR 2019 CHALLENGE  
at Berea First Baptist Church

9:00 am Bible Study Groups  
10:15 am Worship Service  
6:00 pm Evening Service

Armstrong Elementary Partnership - Amy Wilson will share in our Morning Service on Sunday.

**Tee-Ball and Softball Registration**

Tee-Ball, Coaches Pitch, 11-14 Co-Ed, Youth Co-Ed, Adult Co-Ed

**FEBRUARY 17-27**

Register in the Welcome Center on Sunday, in the Gym on Wednesday or any time in the office. Forms and additional information online. Plan to play with us this year and invite a friend! If you have any questions please contact Mike Parker at 246-1921 or [mparker@bereafbc.org](mailto:mparker@bereafbc.org).

**IMPORTANT Camp Meeting For ALL Counselors and Parents**

**Wednesday, February 20, 7:45 pm**

**In the Crosswalk**

We will have a **very** important meeting for anyone who is planning to or would volunteer to be a counselor at camp this summer and for parents of all age campers. I know this is unusual to have a meeting before our registration, but we have a few items we need to discuss as a group. I can't emphasis enough how important this meeting is. It will be very short, and it is fine to bring your campers along since most will be here on Wednesday nights. I look forward to seeing you there!! We need you! - *Mike Parker*



Run with Endurance 2019 - Sign Up Now! You can sign up on our website, [bereafbc.org/run](http://bereafbc.org/run), for the upcoming running group at Berea First Baptist Church. It begins Feb. 25th, and there is no charge for this class. Whether you are walking, jogging, or sprinting...all are welcome at this 5K Training Group.

## Welcome New Members



**Brandon Taylor**

20 Morrison Dr.

Travelers Rest, SC 29690



**Brandon and Lauren Swan**

38 Fenwick Lane

Greenville, SC 29617

## Friendship Group

### Senior Adult Luncheon

Tuesday, February 19, 11:00 am

Senior Adult Building

Program: Charlie Miller will present  
"Broadway Favorites"

Menu: Ham, Macaroni and Cheese,  
Broccoli Casserole, Strawberry Cake

Reservations required by 4:00 pm on  
Thursday, Feb. 14. 246-1921

## Mission Trip Updates

Uganda 2019 - Initial Deposit due Sunday  
*Payments are to Hands of Kindness*

Puerto Rico Mission Training  
Sunday at 4pm in the Patio Room

## Special Missions Guest

Sunday, Feb. 24 - 6pm

Dr. Michael Okwakol of Koreng, Uganda

## Financial Report Sunday, February 3, 2019

Total Annual Budget.....\$1,429,626.76  
Budgeted Gifts Rec'd 2-3.....\$26,880.00  
Legacy Gifts.....\$398.00  
Designated/Reimbursement.....\$4,365.00  
Total Deposit.....\$31,643.00

### Attendance

Sunday Morning Services.....493

### Sympathy

Sympathy is extended to:

The family Ola Mae Satterfield.

Ray Ammons in the death of his mother,  
Wilma Ammons McAlpin.

### Memorial Gifts

Gifts have been given in memory of:

Wesley Holcombe by:

Gayle McDavid

Clifton and Joan Wynn

Carolyn Sims

Cheryl Sedgley

Harold and Pat Batson

### Lottie Moon Offering

Our Lottie Moon Christmas offering for International Missions was supported through three events at BFBC this season. Our GA's and their leaders worked the Lottie Moon Post Office, delivering your Christmas cards to your church friends. This group also sponsored a Lottie Moon Bake Sale on a Wednesday night during our family meal. And then the ladies of our church attended the 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Lottie Moon Tea, hearing from Fran Kelly, an International Missionary serving in West Africa.

The monies collected were:

Lottie Moon Bake Sale - \$243.25

Lottie Moon Post Office - \$198.00

Lottie Moon Tea - \$1,160.00

Total - \$1,601.25

Many thanks to everyone who supported these events, helping us make a difference for those serving through International Missions.

## Opportunities

### SUNDAY

9:00 am

10:15 am

6:00 pm

Bible Study

Morning Worship

Evening Service

TeamKid, Students

### WEDNESDAY

5:15-6:30 pm

6:00-6:45 pm

6:30-7:30 pm

6:45-7:30 pm

7:30-9:00 pm

### THURSDAY

7:00 am

Supper

Preschool Choir

1st-5th Grade Choir

Study of Revelation

Twelve Ordinary Men Study

The Gospel of Mark Study

Student Worship

Preschool Mission Friends

Grades 1-5 G.A.'s

Grades 1-5 R.A.'s

Worship Choir

Men's Prayer Group

### Wednesday Night Supper Menus

Feb. 13: Eggs, Grits, Bacon, Sausage,  
Biscuits, Gravy

Feb. 20: Beef Stew, Rice, Pinto Beans,  
Fried Okra, Cornbread

Chick-fil-a Sandwich or 8 nuggets.

*Remember that all reservations must be  
changed by 11:00 am on Mondays .*

### Items Needed in Reaching Center

peanut butter, corn muffin mix, diced  
tomatoes, spaghetti, beef stew, instant  
potatoes, grits, oatmeal, cornflakes,

### WMU Group Meetings

Nan Herring Group

Tuesday, February 12, 6:00 pm

Welcome Center

Susan Tidwell Group

Joy Mission Group

Tuesday, February 12, 6:00 pm

Senior Adult Building

### Men's Fellowship Skeet Shoot

Mark your calendars for March 16<sup>th</sup> as we will have a men's fellowship skeet shoot. This event will take place in Laurens. More details to be announced about the exact location and travel arrangements. The event is open to men and children (both sons and daughters are encouraged to attend). Any children under 16 will need to be accompanied by a dad or adult sponsor. The registration fee is \$10, and each participant is encouraged to bring a box of shells and hearing protection. Sign up on Sunday in the Welcome Center or by calling the church office. The registration fee is due by March 6<sup>th</sup>.



YOU'RE INVITED TO THE

## NEW MUSIC LISTENING PARTY

# Berea Worship Choir



Wednesday, Feb. 13th, 2019

@ 7:30 pm

Senior Adult Building

We'll have cupcakes and coffee while we listen to the Berea Worship Choir's new music for the Spring & Easter season.

Questions: Contact Trevor Coleman  
at T Coleman@bereafbc.org