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Wednesday, March 6, 2019 @10am

Location: First Baptist Brookshire, Texas
106 Waller Ave, Brookshire, TX 77423

We will highlight three ministries.

Beau Abdulla : Love People Not Pixels

Marcus Lawhon: HaMoreh Ministries

Jason Bollinger: Links International

PROPEL SFBA Mission Celebration



REPENT! The challenge we received from the message at PROPEL.

On Sunday night, January 27, churches from San Felipe Baptist Association gathered at El Buen Pastor Baptist Church in Katy for PROPEL," a celebration of the mission of God by His people." The goal is to PROPEL our churches into missions. Sunday night was filled with incredible worship led by Antonio and Becky Muñoz and the Redeemer Community Church praise team. We heard three inspiring stories of churches practicing an Acts 1:8 mission. More churches are taking seriously Christ's challenge to be witnesses in Jerusalem (locally), in Judea (nearby), to Samaria (the overlooked) and to the ends of the earth (the unseen parts). Pastor Tony Ramos from Grace Fellowship of Sealy shared how his church is actively witnessing in area apartment complexes and seeing many come to Christ. Pastor Roger Rodriguez from Segunda Iglesia Bautista of Rosenberg told how their church started two churches in Mexico and about the positive impact that "Samaria" missions have had on their own church. Kyle and Alissa Pean from West End Baptist in Industry shared how they are preparing to leave for a year in language school before moving to Peru. Having felt the call from God at an early age to be missionaries, they are excited about this next step. God's work and touch from Industry to "the ends of the earth." The evening was highlighted with a soul staring message from keynote speaker, Joe Arms. Joe is the senior pastor of the Spring and Magnolia campuses of Believers Fellowship. Pastor Joe preached a challenging message reminding us that a Great Commission church starts and sustains itself with repentance. The night was completed with the host church preparing and serving pupusas. Special thanks go to Pastor Abraham Arevalo and all the members from El Buen Pastor Baptist Church, Katy.















SFBA Elected Positions for 2019

Moderator Vice-Moderator Clerk Treasurer Blaise Polk, FBC Beasley Josh Guajardo, Trinity BC Katy Lizette Polk, FBC Beasley Joe Bonham, FBC Rosenberg

Priority Team Facilitators

Church Planting Team
Church Strengthening Team
Leader Development Team
STARS Network Team

Ken Collins, FBC Beasley

Church Strengthening Team Matt Martin, Calvary BC, Rosenberg

Angelo Gonzalez, The Church @ Cane Island, Katy

Justo Robinson, Emmanuel BC, Missouri City

Administrative Team Rotating Members

2018-19 Calvin Williams, Christ's Mercy Church, Katy2019-20 Antonio Munoz, Redeemer Community Church, Katy

Texas Baptist Encampment Representatives

2016-19 Larry Jenkins, FBC Orchard2016-20 Paul Faster, Pecan Grove BC, Richmond2017-21 Micah Mathews, Calvary BC, Rosenberg2019-22 Jeff Kluttz, FBC Needville



Update on John Olagbemi and the status of becoming a King.

Please be praying for John, Felicia and his family as they await his coronation.

Here is an excerpt from a note from John.

We are still waiting on coronation day to be scheduled by the New administration. We didn't anticipate it will take this long. There was a change of state administration on Nov. 27, 2018 and that slowed down the process at the moment. It is posing a lot of administrative challenges on the town. I have to stay back here till the coronation.

John Olagbemi



Ministry Tool Box

We all have the basic tools in our tool box. We have a hammer, screw driver, saw and a crescent wrench. But it is fun to go to a tool sale to see if there is a new tool available. You never know, one day you might need that special tool. In the same way it is useful and important to build a Ministry Tool Box filled with an assortment of tools.

Are You Adequately Preparing For Retirement?

Pastors and office personnel of small churches are just as important in the Kingdom as those of large and mega churches. Unfortunately, those of us who serve in the smaller ministries are at a disadvantage when it comes to benefits. If you have believed that a retirement plan is too expensive to join, or if you believe that your

ministry is too small to offer a retirement option, then you need to get informed about the 403(b) plan that is specifically designed for ALL pastors and church-paid staff.

This 403(b) has more advantages than a IRA or a 401(K). When populated by an Indexed Annuity, it is able to grow without risk of losing principal or interest. You also have the advantage of contributing up to \$19K a year, if you're under 50, and up to \$24,400.00 per year for those over 50. Another advantage is that you can begin withdrawing it at age 59 ½. There are no fees to enroll. There are no fees to maintain it. It's basically like having a savings account on steroids. If you would like to know more information about this, please contact Steve Suders at ssuders@valuteachers.com, or call or text him at (757) 870-0969.

Each month we will try to give you a new tool for your tool box.

Peru Mission Trip January 30 - February 9

The team will travel to the Amazon area to visit Sam and Marcie Nicholson and see The Cocama Project. The team will then travel to Chazuta to lead in a mission and marriage conference.

Please pray for the them as they minister.

Sam Waltman, Perry Eaton, Brandon Carroll, Willie Mago, Justo Robinson,

Tony Ramos, and Wayne Watkins.

Prayer Targets

Pastorless Churches

1st Baptist ~ Alief

1st Baptist ~ East Bernard

1st Baptist ~ Orchard

1st Baptist ~ Pattison

1st Baptist Church ~ Rosenberg

Faith Fellowship Church~Missouri City

Summit Christian Church~Katy

Staff Vacancies

Youth Pastor~Trinity Baptist~Katy

Worship Pastor~Trinity Baptist~Katy

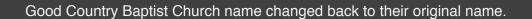
Youth Pastor~ Redeemer Community Church~Katy

<u>Upcoming Events</u> 2019

Cuba Mission Trip~Feb 22-March 2
Uganda Mission Trip~April 24-May 4
Kenya Mission Trip~May 29-June 8
Uganda Mission Trip~Sept 4-14
Cuba Mission Trip~Oct 18-26

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First Baptist Church Pattison, TX

SFBA Highlights of 2018

- 250+ pastors and leaders trained in Uganda on 3 different trips
- 50+ public commitments to Missions at the GC3 Summit
- 15 area pastors traveled to Uganda to teach
- Hiring of two new full time staff
- Hosting of two area mission rallies
- Added a new church to our association
- adding two ministries to the STARS Network

Uganda Institute Update.

Timothy Pastor Training

April 24-May 4 Trip to teach Module 6Trip coordinator, Sam WaltmanSept 4-14 Trip to teach Module 8Trip coordinator, Perry Eaton

Teachers are Needed If interested contact SFBA office.



The S.T.A.R.S. Network is comprised of local and global organizations cooperating together in obedience to the Great Commission and the two Great Commandments.



Mark You Calendar May 22nd @ 10AM

location: **Tad's Louisiana Cooking** 1425 FM 1463, Katy, TX 77494 details coming

Ministry Highlights: Melissa Toon from LovingHouston Helping Churches serve local schools.

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