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→ Last Chance to Register



February 15-16, 2008
www.now-serving.org

To **register** for this event, visit www.now-serving.org and **download** the registration form *and* the participant waiver form.

Mail the forms and your registration fee to:
 CBF of Georgia
 Attn: Nikki Hardeman
 P.O. Box 4343
 Macon, GA 31208

If you want more information on this event, **contact** [Nikki Hardeman](#) at 478-742-1191, ext. 26.

→ You Are Invited to Hungary!



Retreats

2008 Religious Liberty
Essay Contest

Churchwoman of the
Year

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Preaching Contest

Financial Update

Using Re-Visions

Save the Date

*4th Annual Building
the Beloved
Community
Symposium*

February 19-20, 2008
Mercer University, Macon
Keynote Speakers:
James Forbes and Mo
Leverett

*2008 CBF/GA
General Assembly*
April 4-5, 2008

First Baptist Church,
Decatur
Keynote Speaker: Diana
Garland

Calendar

If a title is in italics and
underlined, click on it for
more information. For
more calendar dates,
please click [here](#).

2008

Feb. 11-12
*McAfee Preview
Conference*
McAfee School of
Theology, Atlanta

Feb. 15-16
Now Serving ATL
Atlanta

Application Deadline Extended!!! Please help spread the word about this opportunity. More participants are needed. **The new deadline is Wednesday, February 13.** Older, mature youth and adults are invited to apply for team membership on a mission trip to Hungary on May 13-23, 2008. Visit www.romacamps.org for more information.

→ Taliaferro Summer Camps



Adults and older youth are invited to help lead camps for children and youth in one of the most economically depressed counties in Georgia: Taliaferro County. If you or a group from your church are interested in leading, please contact Scott Ford or visit www.tcamps.org.

→ March Mission Madness



Many thanks are extended to all who registered for *March Mission Madness* 2008, and to the hosts who are preparing for their guests. MMM 2008 will be hosted by [FBC Augusta](#), [Highland Hills Baptist Church](#), and [Mercer University](#). Over seven hundred youth and adults are registered to participate this year. To ask about late registration, call Scott Ford at 478-742-1191, ext. 28 (office) or 478-718-0850 (mobile) as soon as possible.

→ February/March Visions

The February/March Issue of *Visions* has been mailed out. This month's issue focuses on CBF/GA's Spring General Assembly and provides an in-depth look at the roles and goals of CBF/GA. Click [here](#) to see a PDF copy of this issue.

→ *Register!*

Registration is now open for the 2008 CBF/GA General Assembly to be held at First Baptist Church, Decatur, on April 4-5, 2008. Click [here](#) for more information.

→ Lenten Bible Studies

Feb. 18-19
William L. Self
Preaching Lectures
 McAfee School of
 Theology, Atlanta

Feb. 19-20
*Building the Beloved
 Community
 Symposium*
 Mercer University, Macon

Feb. 22-23
*"The Bible in the
 'Christ Haunted'
 South" Symposium*
 Piedmont College,
 Athens Campus

Feb. 26
 McAfee/CBF Day
 McAfee School of
 Theology, Atlanta

Feb. 29-March 2
*March Mission
 Madness*
 Highland Hills Baptist
 Church and Mercer
 University, Macon

March 3-5
True Survivor VIII
 First Baptist Church,
 Asheville, NC

March 7-9
*March Mission
 Madness*
 First Baptist Church,
 Augusta

April 3
*Baptists Today
 Judson Rice Dinner*
 Loudermilk Center,
 Atlanta

April 4
 Coordinating Council
 Meeting
 First Baptist Church,

The Snail's Pace, a retreat center in North Carolina, will be offering Lenten lunch and Bible studies on the Wednesdays leading up to Easter. For more information, click [here](#) or email [Randy Wright](#). A flyer can be found [here](#).

→ Congregational Life



CBF/GA Scholarships

Apply for a CBF/GA Scholarship today! The deadline is April 1, 2008. For more information, contact [Nikki Hardeman](#) or click [here](#).

Missional Stories

CBF is developing a resource called Glimpses of Missional Faithfulness, which is set to debut at the General Assembly in 2008. The resource will tell the stories of churches that are engaging the missional journey and exhibiting glimpses of missional faithfulness. Contact [Rick Bennett](#) at 770-220-1605 to share your stories and ministries. Click [here](#) for more information.

BWIM/GA Scholarships

Each year Baptist Women in Ministry of Georgia awards a scholarship to a Baptist woman who is from or currently resides in Georgia and is enrolled in at least her second year of theological studies at the master's or doctoral level. Applicants may attend a Baptist or a non-Baptist seminary. The amount of the scholarship is \$1500. Applications must be received by March 15, 2008. For more information, please contact [Carrie Veal](#) at 770-534-7354.

Called To Be a Public Church

Called To Be a Public Church is a resource put out by the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America designed to encourage, empower, and equip congregations to engage responsibly in the 2008 election cycle. Click [here](#) for more information.

BTSR 2008 Course Resources

Baptist Theological Seminary at Richmond's (BTSR) School of Christian Ministry announces its 2008 continuing education offerings. Spring seminars include Ministering to Individuals with HIV/AIDS and the Pastoral Leadership Seminar. Click [here](#) for more information.

Retreats

CBF/National will be offering two post-Easter retreats in the months of March and April. Click [here](#) for more information.

Decatur
10:00 a.m.

April 4-5
*CBF/GA General
Assembly*
First Baptist Church,
Decatur

May 13-23
Roma English Camp

May 22-24
*Baptist History and
Heritage Society
Annual Meeting*
Mercer University,
Atlanta

June 19-20
*CBF General
Assembly
"Embrace the World:
Building Bridges"*
Memphis, TN

Nov. 9-10
*CBF/GA Fall
Convocation*
First Baptist Church,
Augusta

Mission Opportunities



*Global Missions Offering
March Mission Madness
Now Serving ATL
Roma English Camp
Student.Go
Taliaferro Summer
Camps
Touching Miami with
Love*

2008 Religious Liberty Essay Contest

Sponsored by the Religious Liberty Council, this contest is open to high school students in classes 2008 and 2009 who are members of a Baptist church. Click [here](#) for more information.

BWIM/GA Distinguished Churchwoman of the Year

Each year Baptist Women in Ministry of Georgia honors a woman from our state as Distinguished Churchwoman of the Year. Qualifications for this award include significant contributions to ministry by a Baptist woman who has experienced a call to ministry and is fulfilling that call in a salaried and/or non-salaried position. All nominations should be received in writing by March 15. Click [here](#) for more information.

Baptist Heritage Preaching Contest

The Baptist History and Heritage Society, in cooperation with the H. Franklin Paschall Chair of Biblical Studies and Preaching at Belmont University, Nashville, Tennessee, invites sermon submissions for the 7th Annual Baptist Heritage Preaching Contest. They are being accepted through February 15, 2008.

The winner will preach the sermon during the 2008 Annual Meeting of the Baptist History and Heritage Society held in Atlanta on May 22-24. Click [here](#) for more information.

→ Financial Update

Budget Receipts as of 12/31/07

Year to Date:	\$343,230.31
Requirement:	\$388,033.31
Over/Under:	(\$44,803.00)
December:	\$68,689.92
Monthly Req.:	\$55,433.33
Over/Under:	+\$13,256.59

→ How to use *Re-Visions*

Go directly to the article you'd like to read and click on the underlined title in the table of contents. To read more about an event in our calendar, click on the underlined title of the event. Photos and logos are links leading you to more information pertaining to the articles they accompany. If you would like to forward *Re-Visions* to a friend, click the forward button at the bottom of this email.

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